

Saint Anne’s Week at a Glance

Monday, January 27th:

4:45 pm - Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet  
6:00 pm - Sacramental Preparation

Tuesday, January 28th:

8:30 am - Mass (+ Tony da Terra)  
9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary  
7:00 pm - CWL Executive Meeting  
7:00 pm - Junior Youth

Wednesday, January 29th:

8:30 am - Mass (+ Claire McGettigan)  
9:00 am - 9:00pm - Adoration  
9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary  
9:30 am - St. Anne’s Bible Study  
10:30 am - Mass at St. Angela Merici  
3:15 pm - Centering Prayer Group  
7:00 pm - RCIA  
7:00 pm - Confession

Thursday, January 30th:

8:30 am - Mass (+ Theodore Nieman)  
9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary  
9:00 am - Mom’s Group  
9:30 am - Sr. O’Brien School Mass (offsite)  
7:00 pm - 11 am Mass Choir Music Practice  
7:00 pm - Alpha Marriage Course

Friday, January 31st: OFFICE CLOSED

8:30 am - Mass (+ Archer Turcotte)  
9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary  
2:00 pm - Mass @ Primrose Chateau

Saturday, February 1st:

3:45 pm - Neitz Music Practice  
5:00 pm - Mass  
6:00 pm - Pizza & Board Games Night

Sunday, February 2nd:

9:00 am - Mass  
11:00 am - Mass (livestreamed)  
6:00 pm - Ramsay Choir Practice  
7:00 pm - Mass

“[Jesus] unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written, ‘The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favor...Today this Scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.’” Luke 4:18



Unveiled: Discovering the Beauty in Discernment

A live event,  
in partnership with Arise Catholic movement,  
featuring special guests:  
The Sisters of the Presentation of Mary.  
For mothers and daughters of all ages.  
Join us as we dive deeper into religious life and discernment.  
Sunday, January 26th 1:00pm - 3:30 pm in  
St. Anne’s Parish hall.  
Please bring a dessert/snack to share.  
arisecatholicmovement.ca/unveiled

Knights of Columbus In Support  
of Life Gala Fundraiser will be  
held on Saturday, February 22,  
2025 at the Cathedral of the Holy  
Family. Tickets \$40.00 each. We  
also have 50/50 tickets for the In Support of Life  
Raffle Draw on Saturday, February 22.



Offering for January 13-19:			Thank you for your ongoing generosity!
Loose	\$	412.81	
Envelopes		2,795.00	
Online		606.00	
PAG		6,670.16	
	\$	10,483.97	

Prayer requests



We pray for those in our community who are sick, suffering or in hospital: may they be comforted in their time of need and be restored to good health. We pray for ...

Dietta Todos Dianna Jaman Arnel Bernarte Barry Aldous Brad Kennedy	Richard Ewart Irene Ell Vern Wiebe Darlene Cocks	Claudette Dick Ryan MacLeod Lynn Graver Mitch Toews	Phyllis Jansen Steven Chestolowski Baby Ben Ursaki & his Family Mary Connolly
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We pray for the repose of the souls of our loved ones especially Bob Appell and Frank Zunti; that they would know the peace of heaven.

**St. Anne’s Bible Study:**  
Join us every Wednesday morning from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. for bible study in the living room! **Even if you have never attended before, you are more than welcome to join!** This week we are reading chapters 30 and 31 of Genesis which chronicle Rachel’s difficulties in having a child until finally Joseph is born to her! For more information contact Daniel Pettipas at [dpettipas@rcdos.ca](mailto:dpettipas@rcdos.ca)



**The Rescue Project**  
Pope Francis reminds us that “Lent comes providentially to reawaken us, to shake us from our lethargy”. This is why we offer The Rescue Project each Lent at St. Anne’s, so that parishioners and our neighbours can experience reawakening to a life of faith! We will begin on Thursday, March 6th from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and will run until April 10th, with a retreat day on April 5th from 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Register online at <https://saintannes.ca/the-rescue-project/>  
For more information contact Daniel Pettipas at [dpettipas@rcdos.ca](mailto:dpettipas@rcdos.ca).

**ANCHOR: Chronic Illness Prayer Support Group**  
Are you living with a chronic illness? Maybe you attend an illness directed support group and leave thinking: “Something is missing!” Or maybe you haven’t found the right support group? Come join us on the second Monday of each month from 6:30-8pm in the living room at St. Anne’s Parish for an evening of sharing and prayer. Your caregiver/support person is encouraged to attend with you. Our goal is to come together in prayer, “ANCHOR”ed in Gratitude and Hope, to support one another in our ongoing health journeys. Our first meeting will be on Monday, February 10, 2025.  
Sign up by calling the parish office or registering online at [saintannes.ca/anchor-chronic-illness-support-group-registration/](https://saintannes.ca/anchor-chronic-illness-support-group-registration/)



## Liturgical Schedule for February 1/2

### Saturday @ 5:00 pm

**Liturgy Coordinator:** Lois Spizawka

**Welcomers:** Chandra Behrenz, Anne-Marie Howie, &  
**Volunteers Needed**

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Dorothy Fortier,  
Reylan Lozada, & Arlene Klassen

**Lectors:** 1st— Jacinta Leyne

2nd— Maurice Janex, Int— Christina Driedger

**Sound Tech:** Evan Marshall

**Altar Servers:** Ezra Leyne & Amy & Chloe Zeljeznak

**Gift Bearers:** Luke Berry

**Ushers:** Cam Behrenz, Mary Jane Lozada, &  
Robert Misener

### Sunday @ 11:00 am

**Liturgy Coordinator:** Sandra Richter

**Welcomers:** Helen Fisher, Dale & Jeresa Kaup, &  
Craig Pridmore

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Anne Ashcroft,  
Carol Lahey-Wiggs, & Marcela Pirot

**Lectors:** 1st— Nick Fanner, 2nd— Jocelyne Senecal  
Int— Shirley Sturgeon

**Sound Tech (with Livestream):** Gil Segovia

**Altar Servers:** Emmett Hickey, Tenley Westendorp,  
& Ian Gunson

**Gift Bearers:** Monica Sikora

**Ushers:** Garry Sturgeon, & **Volunteers Needed**

### Sunday @ 9:00 am

**Liturgy Coordinator:** Jill Koch

**Welcomers:** Doug & Melissa Normand, &  
Ike & Laila Stang

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Judy & Ron Asher, &  
Joshua Smith

**Lectors:** 1st - Marissa Smith

2nd - Loretta Munro

Int - Lisa Holst

**Sound Tech:** Devyn Hucul

**Altar Servers:** Aubrey, Emmeline, & Isla Normand

**Gift Bearers:** Thomas Chan Thai

**Ushers:** Aaron Koch, Stan Schroeder, &

**Volunteer Needed**

### Sunday @ 7:00 pm

**Liturgy Coordinator:** Rylan Borsa

**Welcomers:** Gen Lindeman & **Volunteer Needed**

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Lisane Gaudet

**Lectors:** 1st-Rosalind MacDonald

2nd— Pat Ballantyne

**Sound Tech:** Doug Tremblay

**Altar Servers:** Francine Caoagas, Maya Santos, &  
**Volunteer Needed**

**Gift Bearers:** Rob & Angela Thomas

**Ushers:** **Volunteer Needed**

### Pizza and Board Games!

Everyone is welcome to our next pizza and board game night on Saturday, February 1st after the 5:00 p.m. Mass! The evening will run from 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. starting with pizza for supper, followed by board games of all kinds! The cost is \$10 per person and \$20 per family.

Please sign-up at <https://saintannes.ca/pizza-and-board-game-night/>

**St Anne's Centering Prayer group** will meet every Wednesday at 3:15 in the Livingroom. During the month there will be a short introduction to what Centering Prayer is and how easy it is to commune with God without words. If you ever wanted to know more about the "Prayer of the Heart" please join us. For information call Donna at 306 236-7113.



**SAINT ANNE'S**  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

217 Lenore Drive, Saskatoon, S7K 6Y2

#### **Weekday Masses:**

Tuesday to Friday - 8:30 am

#### **Weekend Masses:**

Saturday - 5:00 pm

Sunday - 9:00 am, 11:00 am, & 7:00 pm

#### **Confession:**

Wednesday - 7:00 - 9:00 pm &

3rd Fridays of the month 7:00 - 9:00 pm

#### **Office hours:**

Monday - Friday

9:00 am - noon and 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm

**Pastor:** Fr. Gregory Roth

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*You can sign up to receive our weekly  
"Snapshot" email on our website for  
information on the life of the parish.*

## 3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time –January 26th, 2025

### **Fulfilled in Your Hearing. -Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA**

When we hear that phrase, we might be inclined to think of prophecy. However, today's readings suggest something a bit different. True, in today's gospel, Jesus states that he is the fulfillment of the promise made by the prophet Isaiah. However, the way that passage was fulfilled by Jesus was not the way his hearers expected. The passage seems to promise a change in society, where there will be no more poor or prisoners. The people expected a political change that would overthrow Roman control. Jesus' application was quite different. The fulfillment of that prophecy included a new and often radical way of understanding society. In other words, Jesus revealed the true meaning of the prophecy.

Such reapplication is even clearer in the first reading. Nehemiah, the Jewish leader of those who had returned from Babylonian exile, gathered all the community together, read the Law, and then reapplied it for them.

Reapplication is often necessary, because what might have been a helpful way of understanding something in our faith under some circumstances might be impractical, even inappropriate, in others. For example, to pray for an end to war is important, but to do nothing to work for peace changes how we understand prayer. Circumstances often change as we go through life.

Reapplication of our faith acknowledges this and searches for ways that faith can continue to address those changing circumstances. Faithful reapplication always keeps our religious tradition alive and meaningful.



### **WEEKDAY READINGS**

January 27–  
February 1

**Monday, Weekday:** Heb 9:15, 24–28 / Mk 3:22–30

**Tuesday, St. Thomas Aquinas:** Heb 10:1–10 / Mk 3:31–35

**Wednesday, Weekday:** Heb 10:11–18 / Mk 4:1–20

**Thursday, Weekday:** Heb 10:19–25 / Mk 4:21–25

**Friday, St. John Bosco:** Heb 10:32–39 / Mk 4:26–34

**Saturday, Weekday:** Heb 11:1–2, 8–19 / Mk 4:35–41

Communio Study Circle

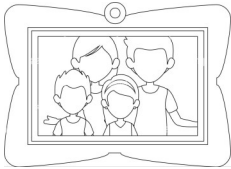
For all lovers of theology. Communio is a Catholic theological journal founded by Hans Urs von Balthasar, Henri de Lubac, and Joseph Ratzinger (Pope Benedict XVI) in the years following Vatican II. It is published quarterly and there are study circles around the world that meet to discuss articles and share fellowship. St. Anne's Parish is hosting the first Saskatoon Communio Study Circle on Thursday, Feb 20, in the "Living Room" at St. Anne's. Our first article we will be discussing is entitled "The Christian Personalism of John Paul II" by Nicholas Healy Jr. No theological training is required, although it is fairly academic in nature. For more information or to get access to the first article, contact Fr. Greg Roth at groth@rcdos.ca or at 306-931-4700.

Photo Directory Update

If you ordered additional photos when taking your pictorial directory pictures, please visit the main office to check if they have arrived. If they are not yet available, you can reach out to IPC Photo directly at [customerservice@ipcphoto.ca](mailto:customerservice@ipcphoto.ca) or by phone at **1-800-391-5161 ext. 115**. Be sure to have your order number on hand for reference.

We are making progress on the parish photo directory and hope to have it printed in the coming months. If you did not have your picture taken but would still like your name listed in the directory, please contact **Heather Hickey** at [hickey@rcdos.ca](mailto:hickey@rcdos.ca). Deadline to add

Thank you for your patience and cooperation!



Children & Youth Ministry



SEARCH Retreat: February 21-23rd, Grades 10-12

**HAVE YOU EVER ASKED YOURSELF:** Who am I? Where do I belong? What am I going to do with my life? Where is God in my life? **HAVE YOU EVER FELT:** Misunderstood? Alone in the world? Uncertain about your choices in life? Rejected by your friends for wanting to do the right thing? **DO YOU DESIRE:** To be a good person? To make a difference? To be more like Christ? Our retreat is peer based, revolving around 11 talks given by young adults for young adults. Our objective is to provide a safe and open atmosphere for youth to explore their faith with people their age.

**Cost:** \$100.00 (*Many opportunities for cost to be reduced available*)  
**When:** February 21-23 **Register by Feb. 9th at** [www.saskatoonsearch.ca](http://www.saskatoonsearch.ca)

Face to Face Elevate Conference - Saturday February 8th

Grades 6-8 youth are invited to Holy Family Cathedral, Saskatoon, SK, on Saturday, February 8th, for this year's Elevate Conference! Come for outrageous fun and undeniable encounter with God! Cost is \$65 by January 27th, register at <https://facetofaceministries.ca/events/elevate-conference-saskatoon/>

A Catholic Approach to Outreach - What does it mean for Catholics to serve our neighbors? WHY must we do it? HOW do we do it? WHAT motivates us?

A one-day workshop will focus on these questions, as well as training on respectful ways to encounter and serve those who are houseless or facing material poverty. Guest presentations will be given by CATHOLIC STREET MISSIONARIES, the Salvation Army and more. Whether you are volunteering in a parish or with a local agency, this workshop is intended to inspire and provide practical tools. Please consider going as a St. Anne's representative Saturday, February 1, 2025 from 10:00 am - 4:00 pm at Cathedral of the Holy Family. Deadline to register is January 29th by 5:00 pm. Register at <https://form.jotform.com/250016013849248> or call the office (306)931-4700.



Time Out For Moms (TOFM) is a Catholic enrichment group for women and mothers of all ages, featuring weekly gatherings of women from many parishes held at the Cathedral of the Holy Family. For our upcoming session we will be exploring "Relationships: A Call to Sacrificial Love." The Bible verse that will guide us is John 12:24. Winter Session 2025: February 4 - March 25 (No Session February 18) Tuesday mornings 9:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. Registration is open now! Register early to guarantee your spot. For more details and to register please visit our website [www.tofm.ca](http://www.tofm.ca). We look forward to seeing you! We are always looking for more caregivers in our childcare rooms. If you are interested or would like more information please visit our website or email at [tofmsaskatoonsk@gmail.com](mailto:tofmsaskatoonsk@gmail.com). A current criminal record check is required as well as diocesan safeguard training which we can provide.



**2025-26 St. George Kindergarten Open House- Come learn and play with us!**  
Kindergarten registration for the 2025-26 school year will open in January. St. George is hosting an Open House on Tuesday, February 27 at 5:15PM. Come see the school and meet the kindergarten teacher!

Children who will be 5 years old on or before December 31, 2025 can register for kindergarten by contacting the school or visiting [www.gscs.ca/kindergarten](http://www.gscs.ca/kindergarten).

If you have questions or need more information, contact us at 306-659-7320 or [st.george@gscs.ca](mailto:st.george@gscs.ca).

Mary's House

*Come for tea,  
Come for a retreat,  
Come experience our life...*



*And Jesus said to them: "Come and See"*

**Come & See Retreat  
- Feb 14-17, 2025**



*Contact us or scan QR Code to register*



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