

Liturgical Schedule for November 1/2

Saturday Mass @ 5:00 pm

Liturgy Coordinator: Lois Spizawka

Welcomer: Brett Berry, Darlene Crowter, &

Volunteer Needed

Eucharistic Ministers: Frank Brown, Arlene Klassen, & Millie Walliser

Lectors: 1st - Paula Fortier

2nd - Katie Groskopf

Int - John Marshall

Sound Tech: Kyle Levesque

Altar Servers: Jaelyn Evans, Amy & Chloe Zeljeznak

Gift Bearers: Lucille & Ron Jacobs

Ushers: Ed Konotopsky & Gisele & Kevin O'Donnell

Sunday Mass @ 11:00 am

Liturgy Coordinator: Sandra Richter

Welcomers: Donna Farr, Helen Fisher,

Brian & Terri Klashinsky

Eucharistic Ministers: Len Britton, Marcella Pirot, & Carol Lahey-Wiggs

Lectors: 1st - Erin Hickey

2nd - Maria Hickey

Int - Ellie Hickey

Sound Tech: Jordan Richter

Altar Servers: Ian Gunson, Jack Nyssen, & Emmett Hickey

Gift Bearers: Brian Klashinsky

Ushers: Neil Mooney & Waseem Shah

Sunday Mass @ 9:00 am

Liturgy Coordinator: Jill Koch

Welcomers: Anne-Marie Howie, Doug & Melissa Normand, & Lynette & Murray Wall

Eucharistic Ministers: Epifania Cabading, Moira McDonell, & Joshua Smith

Lectors: 1st - Marissa Smith

2nd - Milissa Hoffman

Int - Helen Andersen

Sound Tech: Devyn Hucul

Altar Servers: Aubrey, Emmeline, & Isla Normand

Gift Bearers: Megan Weiler

Ushers: Gord Cey, Aaron Koch, & Stan Schroeder

Sunday Mass @ 7:00 pm

Liturgy Coordinator: Scott Butler

Welcomers: Adine Sander & **Volunteers Needed**

Eucharistic Ministers: **Volunteers Needed**

Lectors: 1st - Jhoana Bernarte

2nd - Yvonne Siermacheski

Sound Tech: Gil Segovia

Altar Servers: **Volunteers Needed**

Gift Bearers: Adine Sander

Ushers: **Volunteers Needed**



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 &

1st Saturday of the month 10:00 am

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

Office hours:

Monday - Friday

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

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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.

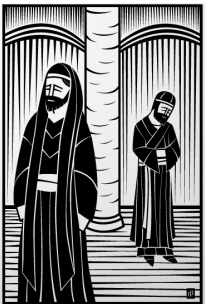
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time –October 26th, 2025

Righteous, or Self-Righteous? - Sr. Diana Bergant, CSA

"O God, I thank you that I am not like...this tax collector." The words of the Pharisee in today's gospel might look like a prayer of thanksgiving. However, it is not prayer, nor does it express gratitude. It is an arrogant statement of self-congratulation. One might think that he had a right to boast. After all, he did observe certain religious obligations and refrain from forms of public immorality. Why did Jesus say that he was not justified?

First, he haughtily presented himself in the Temple as a prayerful man. As we saw last week, the fundamental character of prayer is acknowledgment of human neediness and a trust in God's loving care. This man did not see himself as needy or requiring God's care. Second, he did not realize that as important as religious observance and good works might be, they are not requirements fulfilled to earn God's love. Rather, they should flow from one's inner relationship with God. Third, he judged the inner disposition of others by observing the outer circumstances of their lives.

On the other hand, Jesus praised the tax collector. Why? First, he acknowledged he was a sinner in need of God's mercy. After all, as tax collector, he worked for the hated Romans who occupied the land. Most likely, he made his own living by adding a commission to the taxes he collected from others. Second, he made no claim of being righteous and deserving God's mercy. Third, overwhelmed by his own unworthiness, he compared himself to no one. His was genuine prayer.



Saturday, Nov 1: All Saints' Day Mass at 8:30 am

Sunday, Nov 2: All Souls' Day will be observed during all Sunday services. There will be a Cemetery Blessing at Woodlawn Cemetery at ~12:30 pm following the 11am Mass.

WEEKDAY READINGS

October 22–
November 1

Monday, Weekday: Rom 8:12–17 / Lk 13:10–17

Tuesday, Sts. Simon and Jude: Eph 2:19–22 / Lk 6:12–16

Wednesday, Weekday: Rom 8:26–30 / Lk 13:22–30

Thursday, Weekday: Rom 8:31b–39 / Lk 13:31–35

Friday, Weekday: Rom 9:1–5 / Lk 14:1–6

Saturday, All Saints: Rv 7:2–4, 9–14 / 1 Jn 3:1–3 / Mt 5:1–12a

Saint Anne's Week at a Glance

Monday, October 27th:

4:45 pm - Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet

6:30 pm - Kids 4 Christ

Tuesday, October 28th:

8:30 am - Mass (+ **Richard Granger**)

9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary

6:00 pm - SALT Gathering

7:00 pm - CWL Executive Meeting

Wednesday, October 29th:

8:30 am - Mass (**SI Ryan Leblanc**)

9:00 am - 9:00 pm - 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

6:00 pm - RCIC

7:00 - 9:00 pm - Confession

7:00 pm - RCIA

Thursday, October 30th:

8:30 am - Mass (**SI Frances Veslinos**)

9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary

9:00 am - Mom's Group

7:00 pm - 11am Choir Practice

Friday, October 31st:

8:30 am - Mass (+ **Doreen Barry**)

9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary

1:00 pm - Praying with the Psalms

2:00 pm - Mass at Prim. Chat. (**SI Hildebrandt Family**)

Saturday, November 1st– All Saints' Day:

8:30 am - Mass

10:00 am - Small Group Leader Huddle

10:00 am - Testimony Writing Workshop

10:00 am - Confessions

2:00 pm - Pilon-Nyssen Wedding

3:45 pm - Neitz Choir Practice

5:00 pm - Mass

5:00 pm - Canadian Aid to Persecuted Christians Fundraising Banquet

Sunday, November 2nd– All Souls' Day:

9:00 am - Mass

11:00 am - Mass (livestreamed)

12:30 pm - All Souls' Day Cemetery Blessing

6:00 pm - Butler Music Practice

7:00 pm - Mass



Cleaning Helper Wanted!

We are currently looking for someone who is interested in 8-10 hours a week of work cleaning the church and the rectory. Please contact Daniel Fahlman (dfahlman@rcdos.ca) for more information or to apply.

Book & Table of Remembrance

We will have a Table of Remembrance set up in the church for the month of November to remember and pray for those we have lost. Please place your memorial cards on the table in the church. You can pick them up at the end of the month. You are also invited to add the names of your loved ones who have died to our Book of Remembrance in the welcome area of the church. We will be praying for them throughout the month of November.

IN LOVING
Memory



St Anne's Centering Prayer Group

"The love of Truth seeks out the quiet of contemplation."
St. Augustine. Join us for prayer Wednesdays at 3:15pm.

Offering for October 13-19:

Loose	\$	695.20
Envelopes		5,965.00
PAG		<u>6,476.31</u>
	\$	13,136.51

**Thank you for
your ongoing
generosity!**



St. Anne's Bible Study:

The Resurrection of Jesus! Let's talk about it! Join us every Wednesday morning from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. for bible study in the living room! **If you have never attended before, you are more than welcome to join!** For more information contact Daniel Pettipas at dpettipas@rcdos.ca

St. Anne's Knights of Columbus & Catholic Women's League

Canadian Aid to Persecuted Christians Fundraising Banquet

Saturday November 1

St. Anne's Parish Hall

Cocktails 5pm

Dinner 6:15pm

Tickets : \$35 each

Tickets available for sale after mass in October

Contact John at (306) 361-8534 for tickets



St. Anne's CWL Membership Drive October, 2026

All women of the parish, 16 years of age and older, are invited to join, rejoin or renew your membership with **St. Anne's CWL**. Memberships will be on sale after masses on **October 25th/26th**. Pamphlets are available at the back of the Church with more information.

All parishioners, please consider renewing the CWL membership for an aging friend, parent or other relative who may no longer be able to purchase the membership themselves. Also, please let us know if you are a CWL member or know a CWL member who would appreciate having a ride to CWL meetings.

For more information, please contact Carmen Koss @306-241-3136

The Catholic Women's League of Canada is hosting an online webinar:

Family Violence: Challenges and Opportunities for Catholics

Date: Wednesday, November 5, 2025

Time: 3:00 p.m. CST

Featured Speaker: **Dr. Cathy Holtmann**, PhD, Professor & Chair of Sociology, University of New Brunswick (Fredericton)

About the Speaker: Dr. Holtmann's research focuses on gender and religion, family violence and social action. She leads the Religion and Violence Research Team at the Muriel McQueen Fergusson Centre for Family Violence Research and is part of several national initiatives addressing violence against women. With 25 years of teaching experience, Dr. Holtmann brings both academic expertise and practical insight into the discussion of faith and family violence. **All Parish members** are invited to register at: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6729961590716482656>

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 also pray for those who care for them. We pray for ...

Dianna Jaman	Richard Ewart	Ryan MacLeod	Phyllis Jansen
Arnel Bernarte	Irene Ell	Lynn Graver	Steven Chestolowski
Ray Fauchaux	Vern Wiebe	Micah	Memory Roth
George Pearson	Darlene Cocks	Patricia Ford	Lois Komar
Sylvia Weyer	Carol Wagner	Genevieve Lindeman	Ben Ursaki
Mel	Josh Backstrom	Greg Hamm	Vicky Maurus
Matthew	Margaret		

We pray for the repose of the souls of our loved ones, especially **Ruperto Lescano**; that they would know the peace of heaven and that God would comfort those who mourn.



The 2025 Bishop's Annual Appeal

Just another reminder to make your 2025 Bishop's Annual Appeal campaign donation. Our parish goal is \$115,933. We haven't met our goal in several years, but we are committed to achieving it this year! Visit www.dscf.ca/baa/ or scan the QR code below to donate!



We are also looking for volunteers to make phone call reminders. If you're interested, please contact hickey@rcdos.ca

Millions of Monicas

Like St. Monica, we pray for our children in need of God's mercy and a return to the Church. A new Millions of Monicas prayer group is beginning at St. Anne's. We will meet the First Tuesday of the month from 7-8 pm. **(Note: Our first meeting is an exception and will be on a Monday, November 3rd).** Women are invited to gather for one hour of guided prayer, which always includes a Rosary (please bring your Rosary) All women are welcome. Many who come are mothers, grandmothers, aunts, and confirmation sponsors, following the example of St. Monica in her perseverance in prayer. *This is not a support group, and no sensitive information is shared.*

Blessing of St. Mary's Warm-Up Location - All are invited to the Opening and Blessing of St. Mary's Hall as we prepare to open the parish hall for the third winter of serving the unhomed as an overnight warm up location:

Saturday, Nov. 1st – 5:00 p.m.

St. Mary's Hall, corner of Ave O South & 20th St. Saskatoon

Come and be part of this diocesan event with special dignitaries and community guests, as we unite in compassion and hope for our most vulnerable neighbours.

Children & Youth Ministry

Sacramental Preparation:

Registration for Sacrament Prep will be **closing October 28th!** Make sure to register your kid (Grade 2 and above) for this opportunity to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Eucharist. The first session will be starting on **November 3rd, from 6:00-7:30p.m.** We hope to see you there! For more information, please contact Hannah Levesque at hlevesque@rcdos.ca

Sacrament Prep help needed!

Volunteers who are willing to help with sacrament prep setup, snacks, running games, etc., We need your help! Please contact Hannah Levesque at hlevesque@rcdos.ca to volunteer.

Kids 4 Christ and Jump!

K4C will be starting **Monday October 27th, from 6:30-8:00p.m.!** Bring your kids (Age 3-Grade 3) for a fun night of games, music, and relationship with Jesus.

Jump! will be starting **Monday November 10th, from 6:30-8:00p.m.!** Jump will be following the same curriculum that K4C is using; but geared towards kids in Grades 4 & 5. Let your kids experience this fun opportunity!

Any adults or youth who would like to volunteer with K4C and Jump, we need your help! If you have experience teaching, playing music, or are super fun to be around, you would be an amazing asset to the team! Please contact Hannah Levesque at hlevesque@rcdos.ca or call 306-931-4700.

Face to Face Nights for Gr. 6-8 begin next Thursday, Oct. 30th, 7-9 @ Cathedral of the Holy Family

These monthly evening events help youth to positively encounter God and their peers, foster an openness to their faith, and create in them a desire to continue their journey to Christ, all while having outrageous fun!

Below are the rest of the dates for the school year!

November 13, December 4, January 8, February 12, March 5, April 23, May 14.

Bring a friend and we hope to see you there!



Testimony Writing Workshop:

We all have experiences of God working in our lives. Whether it is about the first time we encountered Jesus personally, or how the Holy Spirit carried us through a difficult time, our stories are worth hearing. Join us on Saturday, Nov 1st from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. in The Living Room, to craft a faith story that you can share at one of our Source events. For more information or to sign up contact Daniel Pettipas at dpettipas@rcdos.ca