

Summer Rescue Project Small Groups

Starting in June, St. Anne's will be offering the Rescue Project in a small group format on various days, and in different places. Keep an eye out for details. But if you are interested in participating in the Rescue Project with a smaller group, on a day that might work better for you, sign up here and we will find a group for you! <https://saintannes.ca/the-rescue-project/> For more information contact Daniel Pettipas at dpettipas@rcdos.ca



St. Anne's Bible Study:

Everyone is welcome to join us every Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. for bible study! This week we will be discussing Luke Chapter 24 and talking all about the Resurrection of Jesus and the disciples on the road to Emmaus. **If you have never attended before, you are more than welcome to join!** For more information contact Daniel Pettipas at dpettipas@rcdos.ca

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, May 23rd 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 Musical Adoration events. For more information or to sign up contact Daniel Pettipas at dpettipas@rcdos.ca



On behalf of the CWL, we would like to thank you for supporting our Spring bake sale. Thanks to everyone who volunteered, donated baking or cash, Calla Lilly bulbs and purchased the baking. We realized a profit of \$843.00. The proceeds will be donated to charities supported through our CWL. God Bless you all.

Ministry Sign-Up!

We are currently inviting parishioners to sign up for new liturgical ministries! Additional forms are available at the Welcome Desk, and we encourage you to prayerfully consider how you might serve. There is a particular need in the following areas:

Eucharistic Ministers: 5:00 PM, 11:00 AM

Ushers: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM

Altar Servers: 11:00 AM, 7:00 PM

Liturgical Coordinators: 5:00 PM, 9:00 AM, 7:00 PM

If you are already serving in a ministry, there is no need to sign up again! Completed forms can be dropped off at the Welcome Desk or in the collection basket next weekend.

Thank you for helping to support the life of our parish community!



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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Check out our website at www.saintannes.ca.

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

Ascension of the Lord – May 17th, 2026

Power Unmasked. - Fr. Joseph Juknialis

When the Lone Ranger and Tonto rode across our TV screens in days of old, someone would often ask, "Who was that masked man?" Folks never learned his identity, and it didn't matter. Because that man had saved them from evil, restoring their lives. In a sense, the Ranger, with Tonto, had passed on to them the power to live safely and productively.

As he was about to return to his Father, the risen Lord said to the apostles, "You will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you, and you will be my witnesses" (Acts 1:8). Yet, being blessed with the power that raised the Lord Jesus does not always feel much like a blessing. At times, it can feel more like a burden that falls upon our shoulders, one to heal and mend as we try to bring peace and a better world. We wonder why we always must be the one who says, "I'm sorry." Why we always must be the one who plans the evening out or writes the Christmas cards or calls Mom or spends time with the children or listens to someone's tale of woe? Yet, such is the power of Jesus for bringing about healing to both spirits and bodies, for creating joy, for designing bridges into the hearts of others, all because the Messiah rode off on a cloud of silver to be welcomed to the right hand of God. Thus he empowers us.



WEEKDAY READINGS May 18-23

Monday, Easter Weekday: Acts 19:1–8 / Jn 16:29–33

Tuesday, Easter Weekday: Acts 20:17–27 / Jn 17:1–11a

Wednesday, Easter Weekday: Acts 20:28–38 / Jn 17:11b–19

Thursday, Easter Weekday: Acts 22:30; 23:6–11 / Jn 17:20–26

Friday, Easter Weekday: Acts 25:13b–21 / Jn 21:15–19

Saturday, Easter Weekday: Acts 28:16–20, 30–31 / Jn 21:20–25

Saint Anne's Week at a Glance

Monday, May 18th Victoria Day– Office Closed:

Tuesday, May 19th:

8:05 am - Praying of the Rosary
 8:30 am - Mass (+ **Carole Steiner**)
 9:00 am - Coffee and Fellowship
 10:30 am - Apostolate of the Precious Blood
 7:00 pm - Junior Youth

Wednesday, May 20th:

8:30 am - Mass (+ **Clara Davidson**)
 9 am - 9 pm - Adoration (in the church)
 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary
 9:30 am - St. Anne's Bible Study
 10:30 am - Mass @ St. Angela Merici
 3:15 pm - Centering Prayer
 4:00-6:30 pm - Garage Sale Collection
 7:00 pm - Confessions

Thursday, May 21st:

8:30 am - Mass (+ **Victoria Maurus**)
 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary
 9:00 am - Mom's Group
 9:30 am - St. Anne's School Mass offsite
 4:00-6:30 pm - Garage Sale Collection
 7:00 pm - Marriage Course
 7:00 pm - 11am Choir Practice

Friday, May 22nd:

8:30 am - Mass
(SI In thanksgiving for Sr. Christine and her team)
 8:30 am - BJM Staff Retreat
 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary
 2:00 pm - Mass at Prim. Chateau
 4:00-6:30 pm - Garage Sale Collection

Saturday, May 23rd:

6:00 am - Kids Care Garage Sale set up!
 8:00 am - 3pm - Kids Care Garage Sale
 10:00 am - Testimony Writing Workshop
 3:45 pm - Neitz Choir Practice
 5:00 pm - Mass

Sunday, May 24th:

9:00 am - Mass
 11:00 am - Mass (livestreamed)
 6:00 pm - Butler Music Practice
 7:00 pm - Mass

Next weekend, May 23/24 is Pentecost!

Wear red to celebrate the birthday of the Church! Popsicles will be served after all Masses!

St. Anne's Mom's Group

Join us Thursdays between 9 a.m. and noon for a come and go morning of relaxed visiting, informal prayer, and laughter. New and seasoned mothers welcome with or without your children!

LAUNDRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are in need of volunteers to help with washing church linens (specifically corporals and purificators). Several of our long-term volunteers have moved in the past few months, and we are looking to rebuild this important ministry team.



This is a simple commitment of about once every two months. If you are able to help, please consider signing up. Your support is greatly appreciated and helps care for these sacred items used at Mass!

Offering for May 4-10:

loose	\$	735.90	Thank you for your generosity!
Envelopes		3,587.00	
PAG		<u>6,793.62</u>	
	\$	11,116.52	

The special collection for May is Papal Charities. Non-envelope users can contribute using the donation drop-down feature on our website.

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	Vern Wiebe	Lynn Graver	Steven Chestolowski
Ray Faucheux	Darlene Cocks	Micah	Memory Roth
George Pearson	Carol Wagner	Patricia Ford	Lois Komar
Sylvia Weyer	Josh Backstrom	Genevieve Lindeman	Ben Ursaki
Elsie Scheck	Romulo Lescano	Greg Hamm	Lorn
Tanya Marchand	Samuel	Stefan	AL
Emily Thomas	Gerry Rudulier	Kim	Fior Family
Janine Fotheringham	Alexandria Wilson	Jerry German	Allan Merkowsky

We pray for the repose of the souls of our loved ones; that all those who have died may be raised to new life in Christ and share in the joy of his Resurrection.

Knights of Columbus high school graduation bursary

The St. Anne's Knights of Columbus Council 8638 will be offering up to 4 high school bursaries to students graduating from their final year of high school. Students will need to request an application form from student services at Bishop James Mahoney or pick up an application form for **2026** from the back of the church. Application forms need to be either emailed to our Financial Secretary finsec8638@gmail.com or dropped off at St. Anne's church office by 5pm on Tuesday June 2. Students will need to indicate what institution they will plan to attend for post-secondary education. Bursary funds are distributed to the student at the time they provide proof of tuition registration.



St. Anne's CWL will be offering two bursaries of \$500 each to two students graduating from high school in June 2026. Eligible students will need to be accepted into post-secondary education for the Fall of 2026. Applications are available at the back of the Welcome area in the CWL area or Student Services at BJM High School. Deadline for Submission is June 4, 2026. Only applications from students who meet the criteria and submit all required documentation by the closing date will be considered.

If more information is needed please contact Pat Sarauer p.sarauer@sasktel.net or Gloria Kostyniuk gjkostyniuk@hotmail.com

Liturgical Schedule for Pentecost Sunday, May 23/24

Saturday at 5:00 pm

Liturgy Coordinator: Donna Aldous
Welcomer: Chandra Behrenz & **Volunteers needed**
Eucharistic Ministers: Julie Jensen & **Volunteers needed**
Lectors: 1st - Donna Aldous
 2nd - Cecilia Landicho
 Int - **Volunteer needed**
Sound Tech: **Volunteer needed**
Altar Servers: Roucel Landicho & **Volunteer needed**
Gift Bearers: **Volunteer needed**
Ushers: Cam Behrenz & **Volunteer needed**

Sunday @ 9:00 am

Liturgy Coordinator: Valerie Stone
Welcomers: Carmen Koss & **Volunteer needed**
Eucharistic Ministers: Epifania Cabading, Grace Zakreski, & **Volunteer needed**
Lectors: 1st - Shirley Sturgeon
 2nd - Dietta Todos
 Int - Tillie Aessie
Sound Tech: Abby Hickey
Altar Servers: Charlotte, Matthew, & Zach Hickey
Gift Bearer: Carmen Koss
Ushers: Allan Zakreski & **Volunteer needed**

Sunday @ 11:00 am

Liturgy Coordinator: Sandra Richter
Welcomers: CWL
Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Caleo, Julie Jensen, & **Volunteer needed**
Lectors: 1st - Carol Lahey-Wiggs
 2nd - Jocelyne Senecal
 Int - **Volunteer needed**
Sound Tech: Gil Segovia
Altar Servers: **Volunteers needed**
Gift Bearer: **Volunteer needed**
Ushers: **Volunteers needed**

Sunday @ 7:00 pm

Liturgy Coordinator: **Volunteer needed**
Welcomers: **Volunteer needed**
Eucharistic Ministers: **Volunteers needed**
Lectors: 1st - Pat Ballantyne
 2nd - CWL
Sound Tech: **Volunteer needed**
Altar Servers: **Volunteer needed**
Gift Bearers: Robin Sander
Ushers: **Volunteers needed**

****When you are scheduled for a ministry, please remember to check your name on the sign-in sheet in the sacristy. It helps the Liturgy Coordinator keep track of who has arrived.****

St. Anne's Food Pantry Update

We have seen a definite increase in the use of our food pantry here at St. Anne's. While we are always amazed at and thankful for the generosity of our community, we are just managing to keep up with the need that we are seeing! As we move forward, we are discerning again how to best distribute the resources that we have been gifted. If you've never given to our food hamper program, consider bringing one of these items with you to Mass each week or once a month!

- Peanut butter
- Coffee
- Cereals
- Pasta/Rice
- Canned meats or brown beans
- Canned fruits or veggies
- Soups or stews
- Pasta Sauce
- Pancake Mix/Syrup
- Laundry/Dish soap
- Toiletries

Save the Date! Kids Care Garage Sale - Saturday May 23rd!

Our children, youth, and families are helping our sister parish in Malawi once again. It's time to start sorting and storing your items to drop off in a few weeks! All proceeds go directly to supporting student scholarships of youth in the community of Sacred Heart Parish in Malawi. You can donate your household items beginning May 20,21,22, from 4-6:30 PM or contact Colm to arrange a time! For large items please contact us first before bringing them on the morning of May 23rd! (or sell directly on FB Marketplace and Kijiji and send in donation)



*** If possible if you can sort and label items into the same kind into bags/bins/closed cardboard boxes (kitchen, books, toys, clothes, etc.) that would really help our volunteers out ***

Volunteers Needed!

We are looking for a core teams of 20-30 volunteers to help make the Garage Sale possible! From accepting and sorting donations, early morning setup, BBQ & concessions, delivering leftover donations to charities afterwards, and most critically tear down & clean up before 5 pm mass! Volunteer sign up sheets are in welcome area or email Colm at cpleyne@rcdos.ca

Please join us every Tuesday after morning Mass in the hall for coffee and a baked treat. It's so nice to have a quiet chance to get to know other parishioners!
On these Tuesdays, the praying of the Rosary will be moved to 8:05 am.

Vacation Bible School – July 20-24, 9:30am-12:30pm:

Vacation Bible School is coming soon! Kids 4-10 years old are invited to embark on a Radical Ride, to learn about the purpose of prayer and how to use it during the ups and downs of life! Buckle up and join us on The Wings of Prayer Airlines. Keep your eyes open for registration next week! The fee for this VBS is \$25/child and \$60/Family with 3 or more children. Clear your calendars for July 20-24, 9:30am-12:30pm, for an unforgettable summer camp! If you are an adult or teenager who is willing to use their talents to help this week come to life, please contact Hannah Levesque at hlevesque@rcdos.ca to help out on the team!



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 in the Living Room.

The Apostolate of The Precious Blood Devotion will meet in the chapel every Tuesday at 10:30-11:30 a.m. The group prays the rosary, the litany & chaplet of The Precious Blood. Everyone is welcome.

