

# Saint Anne's Week at a Glance

**Monday, October 12th Thanksgiving– Office Closed:**

**Tuesday, October 13th - Office Closed:**

- 8:05 am - Praying of the Rosary
- 8:30 am - Mass (+ **Garry Sturgeon**)
- 9:00 am - Coffee and Fellowship
- 10:30 am - Apostolate of the Precious Blood
- 7:00 pm - SALT Meeting
- 7:30 pm - Knights of Columbus General Meeting

**Wednesday, October 14th - Fall Congress:**

- 8:30 am - Mass (+ **Garry Sturgeon**)
- 9 am - 9 pm - Adoration
- 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary
- 9:30 am - St. Anne's Bible Study
- 10:30 am - Mass @ St. Angela Merici
- 7:00 pm - Confessions
- 7:00 pm - RCIA

**Thursday, October 15th - Clergy Day of Recollection:**

- 8:30 am - Mass (**SI Shirley Sturgeon & Family**)
- 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary
- 9:00 am - Mom's Group
- 9:30 am - St. Anne School Mass (*offsite*)
- 6:30 pm - From Mourning to Dawn
- 7:00 pm - 11am Choir Practice

**Friday, October 16th:**

- 8:30 am - Mass (**SI Robert & Michelle Molyneux**)
- 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary
- 1:00 pm - St. Paul School Mass (*offsite*)
- 2:00 pm - Mass at Prim. Chateau (**SI Beverly**)
- 5:00 pm - Source - Rite of Acceptance

**Saturday, October 17th:**

- 9:00 am - First Communion Prep Team
- 10:00 am - Testimony Writing Workshop
- 11:00 am - Thibault Baptism
- 12:00 pm - Couples for Christ
- 3:45 pm - Neitz Choir Practice
- 5:00 pm - Mass

**Sunday, October 18th:**

- 9:00 am - Mass - Rite of Welcome
- 10:00 am - K of C Pancake Breakfast
- 11:00 am - Mass (livestreamed)
- 6:00 pm - Butler Music Practice
- 7:00 pm - Mass
- 8:00 pm - First Communion Parent Night



**Source: Eucharistic Adoration, Music, & Confession AND the Rite of Acceptance for our RCIA Catechumens.**

Please join us **Friday, Oct 16th**  
7:00 - 9:00 pm!

You can also join us every  
Wednesday from 9 am to 9 pm  
for some quiet time of prayer in Adoration.  
Confessions are available from 7– 9 pm.

**Finance Update:** Please note that our parish is working to complete scheduled maintenance projects this fiscal year including an update to the choir mic/sound system, hall projector replacement, refinishing the exterior north and south doors and anticipated furnace work. Our operational budget for 2026 is in a deficit position and we are prayerfully asking for your increased giving to support the needs of our parish. Please contact Trina in the office for more information, to start or increase your parish giving, or to discuss opportunities for planned giving and bequests. We are grateful for your sacrificial giving of time, talent and monetary donations!

**Offering for September 28-October 4:**

|           |    |                 |                                               |
|-----------|----|-----------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| loose     | \$ | 699.60          | <b>Thank you for<br/>your<br/>generosity!</b> |
| Envelopes |    | 5,394.00        |                                               |
| PAG       |    | <u>6,806.31</u> |                                               |
|           | \$ | 12,899.91       |                                               |

Special collection in October is for Evangeliza-  
tion of the Nations. Non-envelope users can  
support this initiative on our website using the  
dropdown feature on the donation page.

Online in September \$5,928.10

# 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 ...

|                                |                        |                           |                            |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Dianna Jaman</b>            | <b>Richard Ewart</b>   | <b>Ryan MacLeod</b>       | <b>Phyllis Jansen</b>      |
| <b>Arnel Bernarte</b>          | <b>Vern Wiebe</b>      | <b>Lynn Graver</b>        | <b>Steven Chestolowski</b> |
| <b>Ray Faucheux</b>            | <b>Darlene Cocks</b>   | <b>Micah</b>              | <b>Memory Roth</b>         |
| <b>George Pearson</b>          | <b>Carol Wagner</b>    | <b>Genevieve Lindeman</b> | <b>Lois Komar</b>          |
| <b>Sylvia Weyer</b>            | <b>Josh Backstrom</b>  | <b>Stefan</b>             | <b>Ben Ursaki</b>          |
| <b>Tanya Marchand</b>          | <b>Romulo Lescano</b>  | <b>Kim</b>                | <b>Lorn</b>                |
| <b>Emily Thomas</b>            | <b>Samuel</b>          | <b>Ester Laserna Jaen</b> | <b>AL</b>                  |
| <b>Janine Fotheringham</b>     | <b>Victoria Kugler</b> | <b>C.L.</b>               | <b>Fior Family</b>         |
| <b>Kayla &amp; Andrew Hunt</b> | <b>Evelyn N.</b>       | <b>Hui Lui</b>            | <b>Wilfred Tagud</b>       |
| <b>Ray Dulos</b>               | <b>Alain Ruel</b>      | <b>Bre &amp; Andy</b>     | <b>Dawn Rau</b>            |
| <b>Joseph Balicanta</b>        | <b>Liev Halvorsen</b>  | <b>Dora Belec</b>         | <b>Pamela</b>              |

For our beloved departed; especially **Jerome Fischer** May God hold them dear and bring them home.



**St. Anne's Bible Study:**

Everyone is welcome to join us every Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. for bible study! **If you have never attended before, you are more than welcome to join!** This week we will be reading chapter 3 of the Book of Exodus of the Apostles. God appears to Moses in the Burning Bush! For more information contact Daniel Pettipas at [dpettipas@rcdos.ca](mailto:dpettipas@rcdos.ca)

**SEARCH Retreat: November 13-15th, 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 sessions led by young adults for youth. 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:** Friday, Nov. 13– Sunday Nov. 15th **Register by Nov. 9th at** [www.saskatoonsearch.ca](http://www.saskatoonsearch.ca)



**The Rescue Project!**

Do you want to grow in your faith? Then the Rescue Project is for you! Whether you are new to Christianity or have believed in Jesus for a long time, the Rescue Project will give you the practical perspectives you need to take the next step in your walk with the Lord. At the very least, come for the food. You won't be disappointed!

**Resgister here:** <https://saintannes.ca/the-rescue-project/>

**Liturgical Schedule for October 17/18**

**Saturday at 5:00 pm**

**Liturgy Coordinator:** Millie Walliser  
**Welcomer:** Chandra Behrenz & Brett Berry  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Darlene Crowter, Arlene Klassen, & **Volunteers needed**  
**Lectors:** 1st - Jacinta Leyne  
2nd - Angèle Champigny  
Int - Maurice Janex  
**Sound Tech:** Jordyn Lavier  
**Altar Servers:** Althea Caoagas, Roucel Landicho & Ezra Leyne  
**Gift Bearers:** Andrea Schmidt  
**Ushers:** Gisele & Kevin O'Donnell, & **Volunteer needed**

**Sunday @ 11:00 am**

**Liturgy Coordinator:** Cameron Jackson  
**Welcomers:** Michael Brown, Helen Fisher, & Claudette Thibodeau  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Myra Dela Rosa, Marcella Piro, & **Volunteer needed**  
**Lectors:** 1st - Erin Hickey  
2nd - Maria Hickey  
Int - Bev Canaday  
**Sound Tech:** Gil Segovia  
**Altar Servers:** Emmett Hickey, Charlie & Jack Nyssen  
**Gift Bearer:** Ann Schiebelbein  
**Ushers:** Jacqueline Jackson, Waseem Shah, & **Volunteer Needed**

**Sunday @ 9:00 am**

**Liturgy Coordinator:** Len Florizone  
**Welcomers:** Erin, Kaeleigh, & Mari Lockert  
**Volunteers Needed**  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Allan Zakreski, & **Volunteers needed**  
**Lectors:** 1st - Zebadiah Hughes  
2nd - Lynette Wall  
Int - Tillie Aessie  
**Sound Tech:** Abby Hickey  
**Altar Servers:** **Volunteers Needed**  
**Gift Bearer:** Grace Zakreski  
**Ushers:** Jerome Engele, Aaron Koch, & **Volunteer needed**

**Sunday @ 7:00 pm**

**Liturgy Coordinator:** Joanne Kzyzyk  
**Welcomers:** **Volunteers Needed**  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Noel Ong, & **Volunteers needed**  
**Lectors:** 1st - Christine Casavant  
2nd - Maria Ong  
**Sound Tech:** **Volunteer Needed**  
**Altar Servers:** **Volunteers Needed**  
**Gift Bearer:** 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.\*\***



**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 & 1:00-4:30 pm

**Pastor:** Fr. Gregory Roth

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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.

**28th Sunday in Ordinary Time – October 11th, 2026**

**Yes or No? - Fr. Joseph Juknialis**

Confronted by a social obligation I would prefer to avoid, I frequently find myself musing that the timing is right for me to break a leg or get the flu. Yet more often than not, once I go, I find myself enjoying the gathering. Not all invitations are exciting or even desirable, but many become the building blocks of our lives.

When the parable of Jesus tells of an invitation to come to a wedding feast, it's really a story of our invitation to the kingdom of heaven, where, if we accept, we will dwell in the divine presence and enjoy the peace, joy, and love of God. Heaven is not only *where* we are but also *how* we are. It's an invitation to deeper and richer life—a taste of heaven, even in this life.

So it's good to consider going where we'd rather not go. It's not simply about social gatherings, though a social gathering may be the event where you meet the person you fall in love with. It also may mean going for counseling when that may be a bit scary, or confronting one's addiction, or moving to a new city, or accepting serious and lifelong illness, or saying yes to having a child with special needs, or not getting the job you hoped for. Saying yes to what life brings may be the wedding garment that enriches our lives. It may be saying yes to God.



**WEEKDAY READINGS**  
Oct 12-17

**Monday, Weekday:** Gal 4:22–24, 26–27, 31—5:1 / Lk 11:29–32

**Tuesday, Weekday:** Gal 5:1–6 / Lk 11:37–41

**Wednesday, Weekday:** Gal 5:18–25 / Lk 11:42–46

**Thursday, St. Teresa of Jesus:** Eph 1:1–10 / Lk 11:47–54

**Friday, Weekday:** Eph 1:11–14 / Lk 12:1–7

**Saturday, St. Ignatius of Antioch:** Eph 1:15–23 / Lk 12:8–12

**BAA Spotlight– Care, Compassion, & Accompaniment  
Hospital Chaplaincy**

Moments of illness, uncertainty, and loss often become moments when people seek God most deeply.

Hospital Chaplaincy brings the compassionate presence of Christ directly to patients, families, and healthcare workers. Through prayer, spiritual support, pastoral visits, and sacramental ministry, chaplains accompany people during some of life's most vulnerable moments. Whether offering comfort before surgery, praying with families facing difficult decisions, or bringing Holy Communion to the sick, this ministry reminds people that they are never alone. The healing presence of Christ continues to be felt through every visit and every prayer offered.

Hospital Chaplaincy is made possible through the Bishop’s Annual Appeal. With heartfelt gratitude, we thank you for your continued generosity and support of this vital ministry.

Please pick up Bishop Mark’s letter with a giving form on the back in the welcome area if you didn’t already receive one in the mail.

***Please direct BAA donation e-transfers directly to e-transferBAA@dscf.ca which is not St. Anne’s Parish e-transfer. The Diocese of Saskatoon Catholic Foundation issues charitable receipts for BAA so your donations must be processed by them, not the parish.***

Thank you for supporting the Bishop’s Annual Appeal!



**Children's Liturgy will begin in November with a new schedule.**

The teams need Catechists, Assistants and Parent Chaperones, if you would like to assist with any of these roles please contact Alexia George at [ageorge@rcdos.ca](mailto:ageorge@rcdos.ca)

9am - Every Sunday  
5pm and 11am - 2nd and 4th Sunday of the Month



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.***

**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!



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.



**St. Anne's Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast**

We will be hosting a pancake breakfast after the 9am mass on Sunday October 18 in St. Anne's Parish Hall. Costs for the breakfast are \$25 per family or \$10 per person. Payment can be made by cash or e-transfer. Cash Calendars (\$40/ calendar) will be available for sale. This upcoming weekend and possibly next weekend after the masses will be the last opportunity to purchase Charity Appeal Tickets (\$1/ticket or \$10/booklet). Our St. Anne's Council members will also be assisting with supporting a fundraising supper for Canadian Aid to Persecuted Christians on Saturday evening November 14 in the St. Anne's Parish Hall. Tickets for this event will be available for sale at the Pancake breakfasts and after the weekend masses in the coming weeks. Touch of Ukraine will be catering the fundraising dinner.



St. Anne's CWL will be selling memberships for 2027 after all masses on October 17th, 18th, 24th and 25th. All women of the parish, 16 years of age or older, are invited to join St. Anne's CWL. Please check out the special promotion for New Members! Let's make 2027 a great year as we work together to serve God and Canada! For more information, please pick up a pamphlet at the back of the Church or contact Carmen at 306-241-3136 or email [cwl@saintannes.ca](mailto:cwl@saintannes.ca)

**St. Anne’s Food Pantry Update**

In the first eight days of October, seventeen families have already come to make use of our food pantry here at St. Anne’s. We are so thankful for the food that has been faithfully dropped off at our doors by generous parishioners. In the past few months we have also had to lean heavily on the monetary donations of a few people and shop for food ourselves. With the price of groceries, each small hamper is roughly \$40-60 in value, so we are thankful for any contribution large or small.

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!

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|---------------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------------|------------------------------|
| -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     |              |                    |                              |



“Get used to lifting your heart to God, in acts of thanksgiving, many times a day. Because he gives you this and that. Because you have been despised. Because you haven’t what you need or because you have. Because he made his Mother so beautiful, his Mother who is also your Mother. Because he created the sun and the moon and this animal and that plant. Because he made that man eloquent and you he left tongue-tied ... Thank him for everything, because everything is good.”  
–St. Josemaria Escrivá, Point 268 of *The Way*