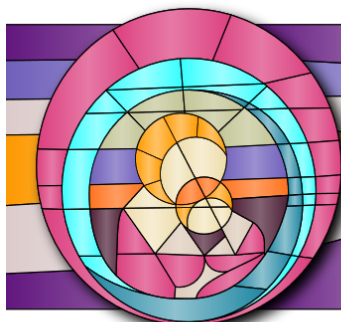


# St. Anne Parish

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## CONGRATULATIONS ST ANNE PARISH!!!



*Rooted in Faith ~ Honouring Our Legacy*

*Celebrating 60 Years 1962-2022*

### **Parish Priest:**

**Fr. Guy Amédée Ainemon**

### **Parish Office Coordinator:**

**Gabriela Büttner**

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### **Office Hours:**

Tuesday 9 am-Noon & 1-3 pm  
Wednesday 9 am-Noon & 1-3 pm  
Thursday 9 am-Noon & 1-3 pm  
Friday 9 am-Noon & 1-3 pm

### **PARISH SERVICES**

**Reconciliation:** 30 min. before every Mass.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Please call the Parish office.

**Baptism:** Please call the Parish office.

**Marriage:** Contact the Pastor at least six months in advance.

### **Mass Intentions**

If you would like the Holy Mass to be offered for your intentions or the intentions of your loved ones, please call the Parish Office, or write it up and drop it in the donation box in the Church. Mass offering is \$10.



**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent**  
December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022



## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday – December 3<sup>rd</sup>

5:30 pm † **Langui Gabriel Ainemon**  
(on 4<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his death)  
**Fr. Amedee's Dad**

AND  
**God's Blessings for  
ILSE Büttner**

*requested by the Büttner-Stahl Family*

### Sunday – December 4<sup>th</sup>

9:00 am **Mass**

### Tuesday – December 6<sup>th</sup>

7:00 pm † **Gail Buettner-Willis**  
*requested by Janet Buettner*

### Wednesday – December 7<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am † **Carol Anne Wappel**  
*requested by Dickie Osiowy*

### Thursday – December 8<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am **God's Blessings for  
Chris Geren**  
*requested by the Irene Jo*

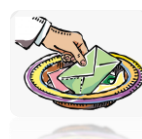
### Friday – December 9<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am † **Des Haughey**  
*requested by Dickie Osiowy*



### Readings for Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup>:

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Reading:</b>	<b>Isaiah 11.1-10</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:</b>	<b>Romans 15.4-9</b>
<b>Gospel:</b>	<b>Matthew 3.1-12</b>



### Parish Weekly Financial Update

Collection summary for **November 27<sup>th</sup>** as follows:

- Sunday Collections	\$2047.10
- Building Fund	\$0035.00
- Annual Archbishop's Appeal	\$0500.00

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**Total:** **\$2582.10**

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**St. Anne – Tree of Life – UP TO NOV. 27<sup>TH</sup>** **\$49,525.00**

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❖ **ARCHBISHOP'S APPEAL – UP TO NOV. 27<sup>TH</sup>** **\$14,520.00**

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❖ **ST. ANNE'S GOAL IS** **\$17,901.00**



### Christmas & New Year Masses Schedule

Saturday Dec 24<sup>th</sup> - **Christmas Eve** - 8:00 pm

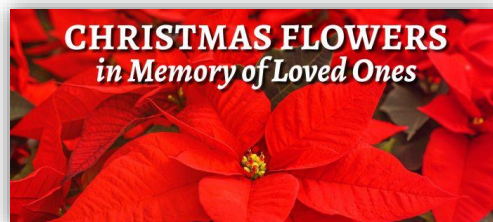
Sunday Dec 25<sup>th</sup> - **Christmas Day** - 9:00 am

Saturday Dec 31<sup>st</sup> - **New Year's Eve** - 8:00 pm

Sunday Jan 1<sup>st</sup> - **New Year's Day** - 9:00 am

**ADVENT RECONCILIATION**

**Friday Dec 16 at 7:00 pm**



### CHRISTMAS FLOWERS *in Memory of Loved Ones*

As we prepare for the Christmas season, we invite parishioners to make a donation for Christmas flowers in memory of a loved one.

A suggested donation of \$20, along with the name of your loved one, can be placed in an envelope marked Christmas Flowers and put into the collection basket. Thank you!

**We acknowledge that we are in Treaty Four Territory, Traditional lands of the Nehiyawak (Cree), Anishinaabe (Saulteaux), and Nakota people. Homeland to the Dakota, Lakota and Metis people.**



## SNOW SHOVELER(S) NEEDED

Winter is now upon us and we need someone to shovel the snow off the sidewalks at the church. We will provide the tools - shovels, snowblower, brooms, ice melt, ice scraper - all we need is a person or a team committed to do the work -to keep the sidewalks clear and safe. If you can provide this service for the full winter or, even for part of it, or do all of the shovelling or just some of it, please contact either the office (306-586-0449) or Kelly Nelson (306-536-9932).



Please keep in your prayers Fr. Guy Amedee Ainemon on the occasion of his Birthday, Dec. 5th! Enjoy YOUR day Father!!

## Good Neighbour Project



Winter is upon us we are in need of warm blankets of any size.

Please drop them off at the coat room or by the food shelf in the gathering area.

Thank YOU for your generosity!!

### Stewardship Bulletin Bits

December 4, 2022

**“Therefore, every tree that does not bear good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire.”** Matthew 3:10

Do you bear good fruit for Jesus? Do you spend time in prayer, or do you waste it with mindless activity? Do you use your talent to help others, or are you too busy? Do you use your treasure to support the Church, or do you buy more things that go unused? Our time, talent, and treasure are gifts from God. What we do with these gifts is our gift back to Him. What gifts are you planning to give to the Lord during this upcoming Christmas season?

## ADVENT



## RECONCILIATION

Advent is a great time of spiritual preparation for the coming of Christ. Advent is not to be seen as a count down to Christmas, but a real time of expectation and longing for the coming of our Savior.

When a family expect an important guest, the house is clean and decorated. So, it must also be for each one of us as we expect the coming of Christ and prepare for Christmas. We all need to clean our spiritual home, purify our soul and do away with the cobwebs of sins that are around us.

One of the best ways to do that is to humbly come and enjoy the grace of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Through Confession, God forgives us all sins and cleans our spiritual dress. Beloved in Christ, **“we entreat you on behalf of Christ. Be reconciled to God”** 2 Corinthians: 20.

On **Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM** there will be **Advent Confession** at **St Anne Parish**.

**3 Priests will be available for Confession.** So, please use this opportunity to Reconcile yourself with God.



## St. Anne's CWL

Sunday, December 11, 2022  
After 9 am Mass.

A great opportunity to pick up holiday baking and enjoy fellowship over coffee.

- Donations from all parishioners would be appreciated.
- Please label as to type of item, and whether nut or nut products are present.
- Please drop off your baking at the Hall before both masses that weekend.
- Donate or purchase a package and have a free single item with your coffee.
- Limited number of Gift Baskets available.
- **NOTE:** Purchases by **CASH only!!**

**FUNDS WILL GO TO CWL CHARITIES.**



### JAR RETURN!

Over 150 jars were used for the CWL Harvest sale!

If you have any small, clean empty jars you can return them to the Parish!

Please put them in the box under the table by the parking lot door. Thank YOU!



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### ARCHBISHOPS APPEAL

Today we bring the 2022 Archbishop's Appeal to a close and share the final video. Over these past nine weeks, we have heard stories of how hope enlivens individuals and communities across our archdiocese. As we reflect on these four stories, please prayerfully consider how you may joyfully share your faith and offer hope to those in need.

Please note that the Archdiocese of Regina will keep its books open and accept donations for the appeal until January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Gift cards can be mailed directly to the Archdiocesan office or placed in the collection basket.

### BULLETIN REFLECTION

Cooking meals, wrapping presents, Santa Claus – these are the things people often think about a couple of weeks before Christmas. But the readings today speak of strong images of the Lord coming and inflicting justice upon the earth, and how we are to repent from things that do not bring us closer to Christ. This is where an essential characteristic of Advent begins to show itself. We often think of Advent as a time of waiting and anticipation, but at its core, Advent calls us to prepare for the birth of Christ through repentance. When we allow ourselves the space to humbly look at our lives and recognize those areas that are stumbling blocks to encountering God, we are preparing ourselves to have a space for Him in our hearts. Christmas is the embrace that God gives humanity, taking us into His heart, and Christ entering the world shows just how far God's love wants to go - to the depths of your soul.

Over the last few weeks, we have heard stories about how the appeal has helped our youth, clergy, and families. We have discerned how we can contribute to the works of the Church in the Archdiocese. Your contributions help many people across the diocese in the spiritual and temporal works of the Church.

Thank you deeply for your contribution. Let us all join together as we prepare to welcome the newborn King!

**MISSION STATEMENT: We, the Catholic Parish of St. Anne, centred in Word and Eucharist, are called to be a caring faith community; coming together to celebrate God's love and truth through the sacraments, and make Christ present to others through loving service.**