

**Lay Formation Commissioning Mass  
Saturday, June 15 at 1:00 PM**

at Holy Trinity Parish, 5020 Sherwood Drive  
**If you plan to attend, please RSVP to  
mgurash@archregina.sk.ca by Friday,  
June 7, 2024.**

The Archdiocese of Regina's Lay Formation Program has been providing well-formed, evangelizing disciples for over 35 years. Our alumni serve as leaders in liturgical and catechetical roles, as well as in pastoral and other parish groups, teams, and committees. Join our program and become part of this community of leaders. Our Fall intake starts this November, with weekend sessions held monthly at Campion College. Register now to deepen your understanding of Church and faith and discern how best to offer your God-given gifts and talents in service. For more information on how to register, contact Deacon Eric Gurash at 306-352-1651 ext 6724 or email him at [ategurash@archregina.sk.ca](mailto:ategurash@archregina.sk.ca).



**A Quick Intro to the  
Sacrament of Confirmation**

*Marinella Bandini - published on 08/10/21*

Confirmation, like Baptism, imprints an indelible spiritual seal on a Christian's soul

Confirmation perfects baptismal grace in us, asking us to confirm it.

For this reason, it's important to take care that our young people receive this sacrament and receive the power of the Holy Spirit.

*Pope Francis*

With Baptism, we become "new creations." With Confirmation, the Spirit unites us more closely to Christ and the Church through His gifts of wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety, and fear of the Lord.

Without Confirmation, Baptism is still valid and efficacious, but Christian initiation remains incomplete.

**A promise from of old**

In the Old Testament the prophets said that the Holy Spirit would be given to the Messiah and to all the people of Israel.

The descent of the Spirit on Jesus after his Baptism in the Jordan indicated that He was the Messiah.

The apostles received the Spirit on Pentecost and from that moment on they laid their hands on the newly baptized to invoke the Spirit upon them.

**The sacrament's beginning**

The Church identifies this gesture as the origin of the sacrament of Confirmation. This is why the celebrant of Confirmation is always the bishop or his delegate.

Until the 5th century, Confirmation was celebrated together with Baptism. As the tradition of baptizing infants became more popular, in the West the two sacraments became separated. Confirmation was moved to the age of discernment, around the age of 12 or older.

This sacrament is called Confirmation because it confirms and strengthens baptismal grace.

It can also be called "Chrismation" derived from the word "chrism," the oil used in this sacrament.

The heart of the sacrament is the anointing of the confirmand on the forehead with the sacred chrism and the imposition of hands while reciting the form: Be sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit.

Chrism is a perfumed oil which every bishop consecrates for his own diocese on Holy Thursday each year.

In the Old Testament, it was used to consecrate kings, priests, and prophets, but also the shields used to defend the people of God and the Tabernacle.

Today, chrism is used in Confirmation and the ordination of bishops, as well as to anoint the altar and walls when a church is consecrated.

**Strengthened for battle**

Confirmation also makes us "soldiers" of Jesus: the Spirit gives us special strength to bear witness to the faith.

This was symbolized by the ritual of the "slap," a gesture taken from the military: prior to the liturgical reform (though some places still keep this tradition) the bishop would gently slap the cheek of the *confirmandi*, sending them into the world to "fight" for the faith.



# St. Anne Parish



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**Parish Priest:**

**FR. GUY AMÉDÉE AINEMON**

**Parish Office Coordinator:**

Gabriela Büttner

**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.

**MASSES' SCHEDULE**

**Saturday Mass** – 5:30 pm

**Sunday Mass** – 9:00 am

**Tuesday Mass** – 7:00 pm

**Wednesday Mass** – 8:30 am

**Thursday Mass** – 7:00 pm

**Friday Mass** – 8:30 am



**June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024**

## THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST



**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.

*The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Regina  
will gather in joy and thanksgiving for the Ordination of*



**DANIEL MALONE**

TO THE

*Sacred Order of the Priesthood*

By the Most Rev. Donald J. Bolen  
Bishop of Regina

## Ordination of Daniel Malone to the Priesthood

**JUNE 7 @ 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM**

## SUMMER ACTIVITIES AT THE MYRIAM FAMILY OF THE PRAIRIES:

- ♦ **Young adult retreat:** Called to the infinite, July 5-7<sup>th</sup>
- ♦ **Adult retreat:** Abide in me, July 24th. Youth retreat for age 12-17, Saved and free, August 2-4<sup>th</sup>
- ♦ **Two family retreats:** Happy together, August 9-11th and August 16-18<sup>th</sup>

**If you are interested, please reach  
Sr. Stéphanie at  
[pss.prairies@famillemyriam.org](mailto:pss.prairies@famillemyriam.org)  
or call 306-536-2721**





**Saturday – June 1<sup>st</sup>**  
5:30 pm **Blessings for Birthday & Good Health for Family and Marriage & Help to Pass RN Exams**  
*requested by Yagi Edrozo*

**Sunday – June 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
9:00 am **MASS**

**Tuesday – June 4<sup>th</sup>**  
7:00 pm **God's Blessings for Mary & Joe Dauk on their 70th Wedding Anniversary**  
*requested by Denise & Kelly Nelson*

**Wednesday – June 5<sup>th</sup>**  
8:30 am **† Gertrude & Darrell Lloyd**  
*requested by Dorothy Lloyd*

**Thursday – June 6<sup>th</sup>**  
7:00 pm **Help to Get Family Visa Approved & to Succeed in Passing Exams**  
*requested by Jovelyn Detuya*

**Friday – June 7<sup>th</sup>**  
8:30 am **God's Blessings to Pass Exam on July 3, 2024**  
*requested by Yagi Edrozo*

## PARISH WEEKLY FINANCIAL



### COLLECTION SUMMARY FOR MAY 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2024

|                               |           |
|-------------------------------|-----------|
| • Sunday Collection           | \$1138.25 |
| • Building Fund               | \$0075.00 |
| • Catholic Missions in Canada | \$0215.00 |
| • Good Neighbour Project      | \$0350.00 |

**Total: \$1778.25**

### COLLECTION SUMMARY FOR MAY 26<sup>TH</sup>, 2024

|                               |           |
|-------------------------------|-----------|
| • Sunday Collection           | \$0925.35 |
| • Building Fund               | \$0575.00 |
| • Catholic Missions in Canada | \$0030.00 |

**Total: \$1530.35**



## Readings for Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Exodus 24.3-8  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Hebrews 9.11-15  
Gospel: Mark 14.12-16, 22-26

### Lectors:

Saturday, June 1 – 5:30 pm – Irene Jo  
Sunday, June 2 – 9:00 am – Confirmation Class

## COFFEE SUNDAY VOLUNTEERS???



### SUGGESTIONS?

#### Should it be Monthly?

#### WAYS YOU COULD HELP:

1. You could get the coffee going, set up and look after everything to be done.
2. Instead you could bring some of the required items...
3. If you are not able to set up, you could just make a monetary donation for a coffee Sunday.
4. In order to involve everyone, if needed, the Parish could provide \$50 for Coffee Sunday supplies.
5. Do you have any other suggestions? Let us know...

By phone at 306-586-0449 or by e-mail at: [office@stannesregina.com](mailto:office@stannesregina.com)

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 Métis people.

Please keep in your prayers the young people receiving the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion at St. Anne on Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> at the 9 am Mass. Archbishop Emeritus James Weisgerber will be presiding.



Kobi Emanuel De Roxas



Merille McKenzie



Luke Olson



Avery Sanchez



Luke Sanchez

**CONGRATULATIONS!!!**  
**May Our Lord Bless You and Keep You Always!!!**



On behalf of the Parish, we would to thank Nnenna Okoro and Audrey Olson for giving their time to teach the Catechism classes and help us prepare these children for the Sacraments.