

St. Anne Parish

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Tuesday - 9:00am - 4:00 pm
Wednesday - 9:00am - 4:00 pm
Friday - 9:00am - 4:00 pm
Saturday - 10am - 12pm

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 Intention

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

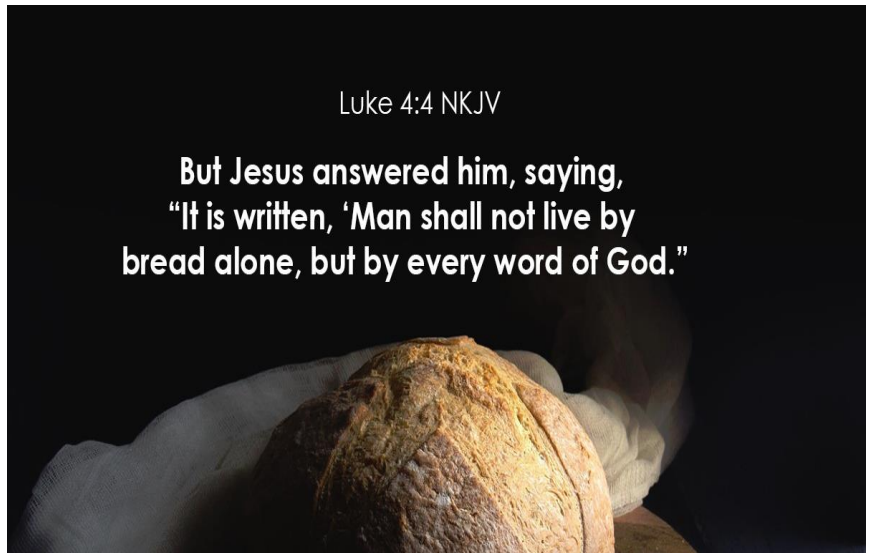
We acknowledge that we are in Treaty Four Territory, Traditional lands of the Nehiyawak (Cree), Anishinabe (Saulteaux), and Nakota people. Homeland to the Dakota, Lakota and Metis peoples.



1st SUNDAY OF LENT
March 6th, 2022

Luke 4:4 NKJV

**But Jesus answered him, saying,
"It is written, 'Man shall not live by
bread alone, but by every word of God.'"**



Mass Intentions for the week

Saturday – March 5th

5:30 Pm † **Monica Romanowich**
requested by Maureen Grabarczyk

Sunday – March 6th

9:00 Am **Mass**

Tuesday – March 8th

7:00 Pm † **Therese Fagnou**
requested by Larry & Louise Tessier

Wednesday – March 9th

8:30 Am † **Tim Hudec**
requested by Larry & Louise Tessier

Thursday – March 10th

8:30 Am † **Marie Spavor**
requested by Larry & Louise Tessier

Friday – March 11th

8:30 Am † **Vanny Hellman**
requested by Larry & Louise Tessier



Readings for this Sunday:

1 st Reading:	Deuteronomy 26.4-10
2 nd Reading:	Romans 10.8-13
Gospel:	Luke 4.1-13



Parish Weekly Financial Update: Donations collected for February 26th & 27th:

Collection summary for last weekend as follows:

- Sunday Collections	\$ 1,906.40
- Building Funds	\$ 220.00
- Solemnity of Mary	\$ 20.00
- Initial Offering	\$ 15.00

Total:	\$ 2,161.4
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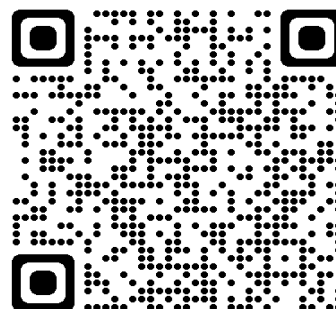


**Join us for Mass at Bentley on
Wednesday, March 9th at 3 PM**

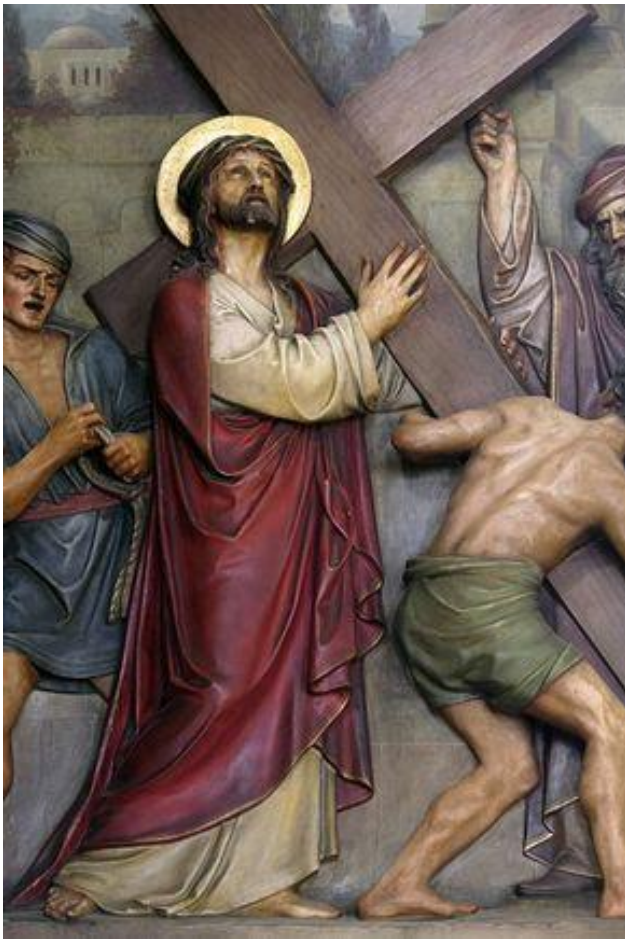
and

**At Marian Chateau on Wednesday,
March 16th at 2 PM.**

**To make a quick, direct donation to
St. Anne Church
Please scan the QR code below.**

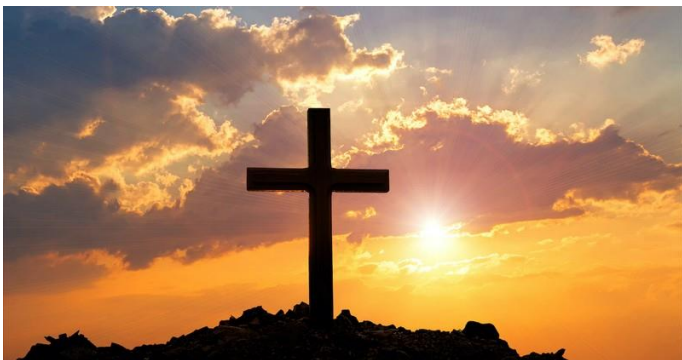


**Thank you for your continued
support!!**



Stations of the Cross

Every Friday of Lent, there will be Stations of the Cross, inside the Church at 6 PM. You are most welcome to attend.



Lent through the Lens of Grace

Just imagine that this Lent is going to be different from every other Lent we've experienced. Imagine that there will be many graces offered us this year.

Let's even imagine that God is going to help transform our lives, with greater freedom, greater joy, and deeper desires for love and service.

Preparing our hearts is a process of preparing our desires. This means practicing our sense of anticipation. If we imagine Lent as an "ordeal" or a time to dread in some way, then we've already pre-disposed ourselves to not get very much out of it. These days before Lent are a time to start anticipating something wonderful that is about to happen.

Our sense of excitement and anticipation will grow more easily if we begin to imagine what God wants to give us. There is something coming that we can truly look forward to. If we get too focused on ourselves and what we are going to do or not do, we could risk missing the gift God wants to give us. We have to keep aware of the fact that grace comes from God. This is about God's great desire to bless us. With this mindset, it is easier for us to imagine that what we really want to do is place ourselves in a space to receive what God wants to give us.

We receive God's gifts as body-persons. We experience things with our senses, relish them with our imaginations, and share in God's own creative and loving activity when our hearts and hands work together for and with others.

We can let our homes be places full of the holy – things that help raise our minds and hearts to God. Our world is full of so many images that lure our minds and hearts elsewhere. Some symbols will carry the ongoing meaning we give them, for us and for our families and loved ones.

We can make sure that we have a crucifix in a central place in our home during Lent. A bowl of water on our dining room table can be transformed into a reminder of our preparing to renew our baptismal promises. A candle can be lit at each meal to remind us of the light of Christ among us in Lent and to prepare us for the new fire being lit at the Easter Vigil. Placing a Bible in a central place in our home reminds us of the central place of God's Word in our lives on this Lenten journey.

This year's Lent can be different. It will take an openness to God's grace, a deep desire to receive what is being offered us, and a few signs and symbols to help us stay focused throughout the season. But if we do these things, God's desire for our hearts and our desire for greater union with God will meet. Lent will no longer feel like a burden, but rather a blessing.



“My Gen” Diocesan Youth Rally

The “My Gen” Diocesan Youth Rally will welcome all students in grade 9 & up for our first in-person gathering since 2019. (Mature grade 8’s are also welcome) This fun-filled/faith-filled gathering will take place Saturday, March 26th at Archbishop M.C. O’Neill High School in Regina. This year’s rally will be a one-day event (Not overnight) and registration is FREE. To register or find more info go to www.mygenrally.ca

Following the Covid-19 update from Saskatchewan Government, starting Tuesday March 1st:

- **Masking will become optional. (Depending on your level of Comfort)**
- **Hand sanitizing and social distancing still is Compulsory.**
- **Parishioners are welcome to receive Holy Communion on the tongue if they so wish.**

Thank you!

Stewardship Bulletin Bit

“I have now brought you the first fruits of the products of the soil which you, O Lord, have given to me.”
(Deuteronomy 6:10)

This line from the Old Testament offers two challenges. First, do you give to God from your “first fruits” - the first and best that you have to offer, or do you give from what you have leftover? Second, do you realize that everything you have and that everything you are has been given to you by God? Ask God for a grateful and generous heart, every day, in all circumstances.



Why the Synod Matters to Me?

Synod 2021-2023 is an invitation to our global community to share experiences, joys, graces, and challenges of walking together with the Church and the Church walking with us. The Archdiocese of Regina invites you to participate in an exciting video project aimed at sharing your hopes and dreams around taking part in the greatest listening project in human history. Participation is simple; use your smartphone to record a 30-60sec video clip of yourself answering “Why the Synod matters to me?”. Be sure to film in landscape mode only (phone should be horizontal while recording) and that there are no bright lights behind you to ensure a quality shot. Submission deadline is noon on Friday, March 11. Please submit your clips to synod@archregina.sk.ca

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.*