

PARISH ACTIVITIES

WELCOME TO NOTRE DAME PARISH

*To register, please call 306-445-3836.
We are looking for more volunteers for the ministries. Please call us if you are interested.*

Baptism Prep Class: *new date –
6:30 pm Thurs. June 2 – St. Bernadette Hall;
*must preregister with the parish office
PFC: 7:30 pm Tues. June 14 - St. Bernadette Hall

**The Catholic Women's League of Canada
Community Life Standing Committee
FOOD BANK PROJECT**
The Battlefords and District Food and
Resource Centre is in great need of
donations to meet its demands.
The CWL invites you to take part in our
Food Bank Project – until June 30, 2022.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES SHRINE
143rd Annual Pilgrimage 2022
St. Laurent, SK. (northeast of Duck Lake)
July 15th & 16th, August 15th,
September 8th, 2022
Mary and the Eucharist

Wednesday July 6 to Thursday July 14:
Daily Mass & Novena Prayers
(Weekdays 7:00 pm, Sunday 4:00 pm)
July 3 to September 4 –
Sunday Mass: 4:00 pm
(For more details go
to www.padiocese.ca/stlaurentshrine or
www.saintlaurentshrine.com)
Donations to Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine
greatly appreciated.

More information at:
The website for St. Laurent Shrine
is: <https://www.saintlaurentshrine.com/>

CWL

Our June meeting will be a Wind-up Supper at 5:30 pm,
on June 15. We will provide meat and dessert. Members
supply salads or side dishes. Tickets are available at the
back of the church for \$5.00. Please purchase by June 12,
so we can order food.

“Our Lady of Guadalupe Circle”

Please come out to the second meeting of the group on
Mon. May 30, @6:30 pm. Come and get to know
people of other cultures, and learn how to pray in their
language. This is a wonderful opportunity to develop
relationships with people of other traditions, fostering
friendship and respect for one another.

CWL Postcards for Palliative Care

Please take the time to address a card to Rosemarie
Falk-MP, House of Commons
Ottawa, Ont.
K1A 0A6
*no postage required when mailing to the House of
Commons, even though the card says postage required.

For prayer requests call the Prayer Line:
445-8338 or 441-4123

4th Degree Knights of Columbus

7:00 pm Mass and meeting to follow
Monday, May 30, 2022 at St. Vital Parish

Our Lady of Guadalupe & Mexico Shrines Pilgrimage

Sept. 26-Oct. 1, 2022
Spiritual Director:
Bishop Emeritus Albert Thévenot, M. Afr.
Early Bird Discount – Save \$100 if you reserve on or
before May 24, 2022
Last day to reserve: June 30, 2022
MARIANTHA TOURS www.marianthatours.org
See poster and brochures in entrance



Sat. May 28th 5:00 pm St. André
*For the intentions of Hélène Blais and family by
Raymonde Doucette.*
7:00 pm Notre Dame
*For the intentions of the people and for the Knights
of Columbus Council 2094.*

Sun. May 29th 11:30 am Notre Dame
For ☩ Tom Mathew by Jeena nd family.
5:00 pm Notre Dame
For the intentions of the people.

**No weekday masses at Notre Dame while Father is
away.*
Mon. May 30th Philippines (Fr. Nick)
For ☩ Antoinette Daniel by Albert and Hélène Blais.

Tues. May 31st Philippines (Fr. Nick)
*For the intentions of the Farkas family by Noelle
Bidwell.*

Wed. June 1st Philippines (Fr. Nick)
For all those with addictions by Thérèse Bossaer.

Thurs. June 2nd Philippines (Fr. Nick)
*For ☩ Holy Souls in purgatory by Hélène and
Albert Blais.*

Fri. June 3rd Philippines (Fr. Nick)
For ☩ Lucie Pogu by Antoinette Daniel.

Sat. June 4th 5:00 pm St. André
*For the intentions of Lionel Dion by Louise
Chilibeck.*
7:00 pm Notre Dame
*For the intentions of the people, and for ☩ Frank
Pawlus by the family.*

Sun. June 5th 11:30 am Notre Dame
For the intentions of the people.
5:00 pm Notre Dame
*For rain for the farmers by Leo and Bernie
Nachtegaele.*

DIOCESAN EVENTS

The Diocesan Synod Wrap-Up is on June 4
from 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at St. Joseph
Parish in Prince Albert...260 - 25 St E. Coffee
will be on at 9:30 a.m., so plan to come early
and visit with others from across the
Diocese. An option to attend the Wrap-Up
virtually is also being offered if attending in
person for any reason is not possible.
However you plan to attend, you will need to
register. If you have any registration questions
concerning the event, don't hesitate to contact
the Diocesan Office at 306-922-4747 ext. 229.

Canonization Celebration of Marie Rivier

The canonization took place on May 15, 2022 in
Rome. **Saturday, May 28, 2022**, you are all
invited to join the Sisters for a Prince Albert
Diocesan Celebration for the Canonization of
Marie Rivier to be held at Sacred Heart Cathedral
at 11:00 am officiated by Bishop Stephen Hero. A
buffet lunch will be served in the basement. A
musical program will be held at the auditorium of
Bishop Pascal Place at 2:00 pm. Please register by
calling the Sisters at 306-764-3445.

Ordination of Deacon Tai Le

Deacon Tai Le will be ordained on
Friday, June 10th, 2022 at 7:00 pm at Sacred Heart
Cathedral in Prince Albert. Keep Deacon Tai in
your prayers as he continues to prepare for
priesthood and life of service of God's people.
**Please remember to fill out and hand in today a
card saying what prayers you will offer him
in our spiritual bouquet, and please join us for a
potluck lunch after Mass on
Sunday, June 12th, in Tai's honour!**

Diocesan choirs are wanted for two celebrations in
Prince Albert on May 28 and June 10. Singers and
instrumentalists are invited to join the music ministry for
the Canonization Celebration of Marie Rivier and for the
Ordination of Deacon Tai Le. See posters in entrance.

MINISTRY MASS SCHEDULE						
Date	May 28 7:00 pm	May 29 11:00 am	May 29 5:00 pm	June 4 7:00 pm	June 5 11:30 am	June 5 5:00 pm
Captains	Murielle Rousseau 445-4367	Rose McDonald 445-5222	Rose Balfour 446-3063	Peter Pielak 445-2716	Marie Urben 306-441-4012	Betty Znack 445-3108
Greeters & Gift Bearers	Maria Isla & family	John & Shirley Vany	R. Balfour Betty Znack	Maria Isla & family	S. & T. Loepky	Bea Geering Betty Znack
Commentary Announcements	Peter Pielak	Craig Treiber	John Jangula	Murielle Rousseau	Aaron Xavier	Glen Gantefoer
Proclaimers: 1 st reading, psalm, 2 nd reading and prayers	Murielle Rousseau	Mike Waschuk Chris Pollard	Rose Balfour	Jean Pawlus	Matthew Parker Erin Xavier	Rose Balfour
Communion Body of Christ	Peter Pielak	Marie Urben Doreen Dudek	Betty Znack	Peter Pielak	Marie Urben Pauline Bingham	Glen Gantefoer
Altar Servers	Peter Pielak	Erin X. Anne P. Xavier P.	Hilsendeger children	Peter Pielak	Joelene S.-V. Andrea A. Anne P.	Hilsendeger Children

Arise Catholic Women's Retreat
Saturday, June 4, 2022
at St. Joseph Calasactius Church
 Doors open: 8:00 am
 Retreat 9:00 am – 5:30 pm
 Optional supper to follow
 Cost: Retreat only: \$25; Retreat & Supper \$ 40
 Please bring a bagged lunch
 Registration Deadline May 15
 To register or for more info:
 Dani: 306-317-6531 or
dlamothe828@gmail.com
 Please see poster in entrance

Sunday's Collections:

May 21st & 22nd, 2022
Loose – \$262.75 Envelopes – \$1,132.27
Pre-authorized - \$650.00
Enumerator for Tues., May 31st, 2022
Marielle Cook
Notre Dame Parish thanks you for all your donations!

Carpooling for Tai's Ordination
 Would you like to drive and provide rides for others?
 Would you like to go, but need a ride?
 Please call Rose at the parish office so we can
 coordinate rides, and show our support for Tai!

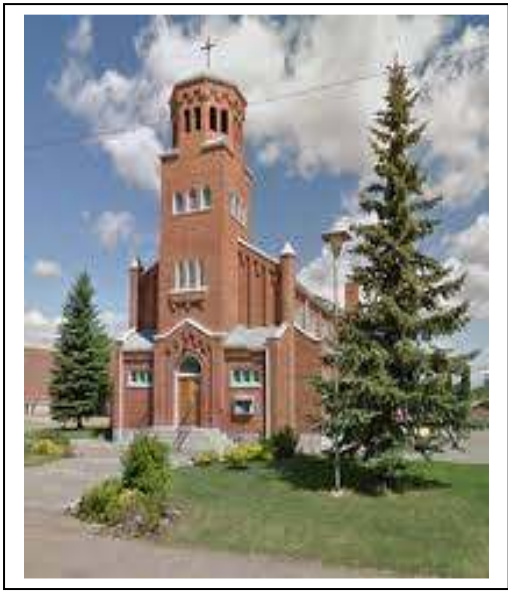
Mass times for the Lake Region

Cochin – St. Rose de Lima: 9:00 am
Glaslyn – Holy Cross: 11:00 am
Edam – Christ the King: 9:00 am
Jackfish – St. Leon: Sat. 7:00 pm
Meota – Our Lady of Fatima: 10:30 am
Vawn – St. Hippolyte: 12:00 noon
Moosomin – St. Charles: 1:00 pm

Weekday masses in the Battlefords

St. Joseph Calasactius: Mon. – No Mass;
 Tues. – 7:00 pm; Wed. – Fri. – 9:00 am
St. Vital Parish: No weekday masses while Fr.
 Sebastian is on holidays, until June 20.


Notre Dame de Lourdes Parish
1201 – 105th Street, North Battleford, SK S9A 1S8
Phone: 306-445-3836 Fax: 306-445-6675
 Email: notredame.nb@gmail.com Web page: www.notredameparish.ca
Facebook page: Notre Dame de Lourdes Battlefords; send photos to: notredame.nb@gmail.com



May 28 & 29, 2022

Pastor: Fr. Nick Ferreras
For emergencies call: Fr. Phinh Do
@ St. Joseph Calasactius
Parish Secretary: Rose Balfour
Caretaker: Craig Treiber
Office Hours:
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
9:00 – 12:00 & 1:00 – 4:00
Parish Council Members:
Chairperson - Glen Gantefoer
 Secretary - Rose Balfour
 Alan Corbeil, Matthew Parker
 Chris Pollard, John Vany
Parish Finance Members:
Chairperson – John Jangula
 Jaki Esquirol, Peter Pielak,
 Irene Rathke, Shaun Loepky, Mike Waschuk,
 Rose McDonald, Len Pawlus
Fundraising Chair: Debbie MacGregor

May 29, 2022 — The Ascension of the Lord



On this Feast of the Ascension, we celebrate Christ's triumphant return to the Father after perfectly accomplishing His mission on earth. But we also can also view this Feast as a celebration of the "launch day" of our commissioning as Christ's disciples.

Today's Gospel draws our attention to the clear instructions that Jesus gave His disciples (and to us) just before ascending to the Father: ***"Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things."***

Embracing a stewardship way of life, with its emphasis on the use of time, talent and treasure, helps us to live in such a way that our very lives speak as a witness of the Good News of the Gospel. While we take time to reflect and renew our commitments in these three areas annually as a parish family, it is of great benefit to take some time individually throughout the year to take stock of the commitments we have made — looking at both our strengths and our need for continued growth in each area.

On this Feast of our "launch day," take some time to celebrate your victories as Christ's disciples and renew your commitment to remain faithful to Him and the unique mission He has entrusted to you!

*"Prayer is the fastest thing on Earth... it reaches God
before you even say it."
Anonymous*

Synod Zoom Events

Mar 9/22 - ONLINE forum topic Main Synod
Question (Belonging, listening, speaking
out) [register here](#)

Mar 23/22 - ONLINE forum topic Missionary
Disciples (Sharing responsibility for our common
mission) [register here](#)

Apr 29/22 - Large Parish/Pastoral Zone

Synthesis Due - [fill online](#)

End of May/22 (TBA) - Diocesan event to
share and discuss the draft Diocesan Synthesis,
to celebrate the process and consider next
steps

Jun 17/22 - Final draft of Diocesan Synthesis
sent to Western Canadian Bishops

Prayer Line: 445-8338/ 441-4123

Stations of the Cross – Lent 2022

First Fri. Mar. 4 – Parish Council 6:30 pm after Mass

Fri. Mar. 11 – CWL 7:00 pm

Fri. Mar. 18 – K of C 7:00 pm

Fri. Mar. 25 – Youth 7:00 pm

First Fri. Apr. 1 – Dev. + Peace 6:30 pm after Mass

Fri. Apr. 8 – Divine Mercy 7:00 pm

Fri. Apr. 15 – Good Friday - parish 3:00 pm

For [Our Lady of Lourdes](#) home visits, please call 445-3836.

**When you have finished with the statue, please call
the next person on the list or the office.**

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

If you or anyone you know is seriously thinking of
becoming Catholic or wants to know more about the
Catholic Faith, please call and register for RCIA classes
which will begin in October. Call 445-3836.

SERENA

Are you interested in Natural Family Planning?
If so, please visit the website at www.saskserena.ca, or
see *The Coverline*, their news publication on the bulletin
board at the back.

Queen's House Retreat and Renewal Centre **QUEEN'S HOUSE RETREAT AND RENEWAL CENTRE**

Please visit our webpage for a list of all upcoming
programs and to register for all programs:
http://www.queenshouse.org/?page_id=4399
For more information contact Sarah Donnelly:
306-242-1916 x226

AUTO-DEBIT

***Have you ever considered making your weekly church
donations using auto-debit?***

***By doing this, you can eliminate writing cheques or
looking for some cash when you make your donation.***

***The donation is automatically transferred from your
bank account to the church after your authorization.***

***This can be set up at the Parish Office. For more
information, forms are available in a pocket in the
entrance of the church, or you may contact the Parish
Office at 306-445-3836.***

New Parishioners &/or Address Change

(Please complete this form and place in the collection
basket.)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Postal Code: _____ Phone: _____

I/We wish to have Offertory envelopes:

Yes _____ No _____

Auto Debit: Yes _____ No _____

Email Address: _____

Date: _____

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RCIA and RCIC

If you know of anyone who is interested in
learning more about the Catholic faith, and
they are wishing to receive the sacraments of
Baptism, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation,
please have them call the parish office to
register as soon as possible. RCIA classes for
adults and older youth usually start in early
fall, and RCIC for children begins in January.



CWL

