



ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

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Weekday Masses: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday- 9:00 a.m.

SUNDAY MASSES: 11:00 A.M. & 5:00 P.M.

St. Joseph's Parish Mission Statement

St. Joseph's Parish is called to be a faith community, welcoming all people as we celebrate God's love through Word and Sacrament. We are sent out into the world to be Christ's hands and feet, in humble and simple ways, while reaching out and accepting the poor and those in need with compassion and respect.

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

FEBRUARY 22ND 2026



Pastor - Fr. Hoang Nguyen. Email address: nguyenhoang25502@gmail.com

Office Administrator: Paula Hudec Finance Administrator: Jenny Ashok

Parish Pastoral Council: Chris Donald (Chair), Matthew Webster, Carson LaFrance, Bernie McLane & Andrew Webster, Danielle Webster (Liturgy Committee Chair) Tammy Shircliff.

Parish Finance Council: Luke Coupal (Chair) luke_coupal@hotmail.com

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday 9:00 am to 4:00pm

RECONCILIATION: ½ hour before each Weekday and Sunday Liturgy; or by appointment

Knights of Columbus – Fr. O'Leary Council #5104 members are servants of Christ who care for their council members and families, their parish, and their community. All Catholic men are invited to join the K of C. For info contact Richard at (306) 244-2714, Harvey at (306) 373-1955, Bill Beeler at (306) 222-5564 or go to www.kofc.org

Readings for This Sunday, February 22nd, 2026 First Sunday of Lent

First Reading - Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7

The snake said to the woman: "You certainly will not die! God knows well that when you eat of it your eyes will be opened."

Second Reading – Romans 5:12-19

"Through one righteous act, acquittal & life came to all."

The Gospel – Matthew 4:1-11

Jesus answered (the devil), "Again it is written, 'You shall not put the Lord, your God, to the test.'"

Readings for Next Sunday, March 1st, 2026 Second Sunday of Lent

First Reading – Genesis 12:1-4a

"The Lord said to Abram...I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you."

Second Reading – 2 Timothy: 1.8b-10

"Bear your share of hardship for the gospel with the strength that comes from God."

The Gospel – Matthew 17: 1-9

"And he was transfigured before them; his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became white as light."

MASS SCHEDULE in FEBRUARY 2026 (From February 23rd, 2026, to March 1st, 2026)



MONDAY FEBRUARY 23rd, 2026

NO MASS

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 24TH, 2026

9:00 AM – MASS (Special Intention by Della Webster)

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 25TH, 2026

8:30 AM - Stations of the Cross

9:00 AM – MASS @ ST. FRANCIS XAVIER'S CHURCH

(Special Intention by Olivia Ojukwu)

7:00 PM – Confirmation Class (St. Francis Xavier Church)

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 26TH, 2026

9:00 AM – MASS

(Special Intention by Olivia Ojukwu)

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 27TH, 2026

8:30 AM – Stations of the Cross

9:00 AM – MASS

(Special Intention by Olivia Ojukwu)

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 28th, 2026

9:00 AM – MASS

(Special Intention by Olivia Ojukwu)

SUNDAY MARCH 1st, 2026 SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

09:00 AM – MASS @ ST. FRANCIS XAVIER'S CHURCH

11:00 AM – MASS @ ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

05:00 PM – MASS @ ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

Financial Contributions

Envelopes – \$360.00

Loose – \$622.60

Pre-authorized – \$350.00

E-transfer – \$10.00

Donations can be made to St. Joseph's Parish by going to www.stjosephsaskatoon.ca and clicking on "Donate Now".

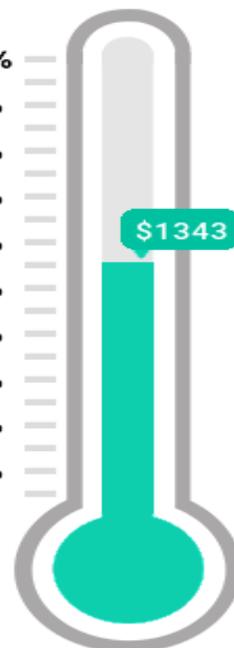
You can also e-transfer to stjosephdonation@sasktel.net.

(Do not forget to include your address if you are not a parishioner.)

OUR DONATION GOAL IS \$2500.00/ PER WEEK.

Goal: \$2500

100%
90%
80%
70%
60%
50%
40%
30%
20%
10%





Please keep the following parishioners in your prayers:

Evelyn Nesdole, Marie Bedard, Jerry Tousaint & Family, John & Rose Brickner

(Parish Pastoral Council), PFC (Parish Finance Council) etc. Please contact the office at 306 244 1556 or via email to stjosephparish@sasktel.net or to **Father Hoang** nguyenhoang25502@gmail.com
For joining altar server team (11 am and 5 pm Mass) Please contact **Luke Coupal** at luke_coupal@hotmail.com

STAYING CONNECTED IN THE DIOCESE OF SASKATOON

1. The Diocesan Website - <https://rcdos.ca>
List of all parishes, contact information, Mass times / Calendar of Events / Weekly & Sunday Scripture Reflections / Bishop's Blog / Events page
2. Catholic Saskatoon News - <https://news.rcdos.ca>
A diocesan online news portal with local, national and Vatican news
3. Social Media
Facebook - "X" - YouTube
4. Live-stream Video of Mass:
Celebrations from several parishes in the diocese are posted at:
<https://saskatoonmass.com>



If you are interested in joining our **Lectors Team** for **11am & 5pm Masses** please contact the Parish Office at (306) 244-1556 or phudec@rcdos.ca



SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

**Sunday March 8
at St. Joseph Church**

Bishop Mark Hagemoen will confer the **Sacrament of Confirmation** at the **11:00am Mass**

Please keep the following young people from our parish in your prayers as they prepare to receive the Sacrament:

*Espen Guillemin
Kaitlyn Maestro
Carl Ohams
Irist Sepina
Iana Sepina
Ardian Vocalan
Vivienne Vocalan*

*Knights of Columbus - Fr O'Leary Council 5104
Warmly invite you to ...*

Spaghetti Supper

**Saturday
March 21st
6:00PM
in the Parish Hall**



All St. Joseph's Parishioners are welcome
Free Will Offering
Gluten-Free & Vegetarian options available
RSVP by Wednesday March 18th:
Harvey Hill (306) 280-2646

Feeding the Homeless Charity Raffle

Dormition of Mary Mother of God Ukrainian Catholic Church in Saskatoon is working to support those in need. As part of this effort, the parish is offering a Feeding the Homeless raffle for a \$1,250 cash prize, draw date April 12. Each book contains four tickets at \$5 per ticket or \$20 per book. Donations above and beyond the raffle are also welcome. Funds raised through the raffle will be divided equally between three organizations:

- **St Mary's Street Mission Outreach** (including the Warming Shelter operated in the St. Mary Parish Hall by the Salvation Army during winter months) that feeds people all year;
 - **Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish**, which provides a Food Pantry to people from all over Saskatoon and provides the opportunity for direct involvement by volunteers
 - **The Mustard Seed**, an organization that Dormition parish has been introduced to and has volunteered to assist. Now working in Saskatoon, Mustard Seed is a Christian non-profit organization that has been caring for individuals experiencing homelessness and poverty since 1984. To purchase tickets, or support the campaign through donations, contact Dodie Abrametz at (306) 477-8950 or dodie@sasktel.net
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Tax Receipts for 2025 are now available

Please collect your envelope from the box in the narthex.
Thank you for your ongoing support of St. Joseph's Parish.



Lilies for Easter

Throughout Lent, we are accepting donations of \$20 for lilies to decorate the church & to remember our loved ones in prayer during the Easter Season.

Donations may be placed (with the name of your intention) in the collection basket, or at the parish office.

Lenten & Holy Week † Schedule 2026

Join us as we journey through the passion, death, and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Stations of the Cross during Lent

- 8:30 AM : St. Francis Xavier - WEDNESDAY before Mass
- 8:30 AM : St. Joseph - FRIDAY before Mass

Adoration & Penitential Service Wednesday March 18, 2026

- 5:30 PM: St. Francis Xavier

Holy Thursday April 2, 2026

- 5:30 PM: St. Francis Xavier followed by an hour of Adoration

Easter Vigil April 4, 2026

- 9:00 AM: St. Francis Xavier Morning Prayer
- 7:30PM: St. Joseph Vigil Mass

Adoration & Penitential Service Friday March 6, 2026

- 7:00 PM: St. Joseph

Passion Sunday March 29, 2026

- 9:00 AM: St. Francis Xavier
- 11:00 AM: St. Joseph
- 5:00 PM: St. Joseph

Good Friday April 3, 2026

- 9:00 AM: St. Joseph Morning Prayer
- 3:00 PM: St. Francis Xavier Veneration of the Holy Cross
- 5:00 PM: St. Joseph Veneration of the Holy Cross

Easter Sunday April 5, 2026

- 9:00 AM: St. Francis Xavier
- 11:00 AM: St. Joseph
- 5:00 PM: St. Joseph