



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.

**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
JULY 19TH, 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 Knights of Columbus.

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, July 19th
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

First Reading – Wisdom 12:13, 16-19

“As you are righteous, you govern all things righteously.”

Second Reading – Romans 8:26-27

“The Spirit...come to the aid of our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought.”

The Gospel – Matthew 13:24-43

“At harvest time I will say to the harvesters, ‘First collect the weeds and tie them in bundles for burning; but gather the wheat into my barn.’”

**Readings for Next Sunday, July 26th
Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

First Reading – 1 Kings 3:5, 7-12

“Give your servant, therefore, a listening heart to judge your people and to distinguish between good and evil.”

Second Reading – Romans 8:28-30

“We know that all things work for good for those who love God.”

The Gospel – Matthew 13:44-52

“The kingdom of heaven is like a merchant searching for fine pearls. When he finds a pearl of great price, he goes and sells all that he has and buys it”

MASS SCHEDULE in JULY 2026



MONDAY JULY 20th, 2026

9:00 AM – NO MASS

TUESDAY JULY 21st, 2026

ST. LAWRENCE OF BRINDISI, PRIEST, DOCTOR (OM)

9:00 AM – MASS (+) Souls in Purgatory by Marija Gonari

11:00 AM – Funeral Mass for Betty Brennan @ St Francis Xavier Church.

WEDNESDAY JULY 22nd, 2026

ST. MARY MAGDALENE, DISCIPLE OF THE LORD (FEAST)

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

(+) Lorne Phillips by Norma Polls

THURSDAY JULY 23rd, 2026

ST. BRIDGET, RELIGIOUS (OM)

9:00 AM – MASS (+) Souls in Purgatory by Marija Gonari

FRIDAY JULY 24TH, 2026

ST. SHARBEL MAKHUF, PRIEST (OM)

9:00 AM – MASS (+) Souls in Purgatory by Marija Gonari

SATURDAY JULY 25TH, 2026

ST. JAMES, APOSTLE (FEAST)

9:00 AM – MASS (+) Marilyn Shirley by Marija Gonari *

SUNDAY JULY 26TH, 2026

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS & THE ELDERLY

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

(+) Lorne Phillips by Anita Phillips & Family

Financial Contributions

Envelopes – \$635.00

Loose – \$757.25

Pre-Authorized – \$550.00

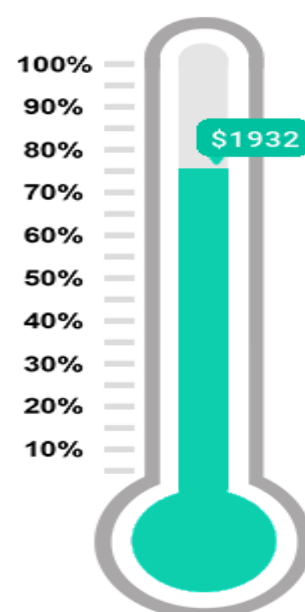
E-transfer – \$20.00

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





Please keep the following parishioners in your prayers:
Evelyn Nesdole, Marie Bedard, Jerry Toutsaint & Family, John & Rose Brickner

PPC (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
To join the altar server team (11 am and 5 pm) 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>



World Day
for Grandparents
and the Elderly
2026

The Holy Father has directed that the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly will continue to be celebrated annually on the fourth Sunday in July, close to the liturgical memorial of Saints Joachim and Anne, the grandparents of Jesus.

The theme chosen by Pope Leo XIV for the 6th World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly – *"I will never forget you"* (Is 49:15) – reminds us that God's unwavering love is the ultimate answer to the isolation and neglect so often experienced by the elderly. It brings comfort and hope, assuring us that the Lord knows each of us personally, forgets no one, and loves us unconditionally, even through the frailties of old age.

Since its creation in 2021, the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly has grown into a cherished tradition that teaches our communities to truly value the elderly, not through occasional gestures, but as a permanent, central part of our lives. This celebration helps us appreciate older generations as vital keepers of our history, witnesses to our faith, and teachers for our lives.

Let this Day be a tangible opportunity for everyone – especially young people – to spend time with their grandparents, the elderly in their families, and most importantly, those who are completely isolated.

Next Sunday, July 26th

- Extend an invitation & encourage your parents, grandparents, elderly friends & neighbours to attend mass with you.
- Visit those who are isolated to care homes.
- Make a commitment to visit the elderly and build closer bonds in your community
- Leave no one behind. Make a personal and communal commitment through these visits to ensure that no one is forgotten.



MILLIONS
OF
MONICAS

When women gather to pray, hope is renewed.
We pray for our children's return to the Church.

Women meet for one hour of guided prayer, which always includes a Rosary.
Millions of Monicas prayer events are held at:

St. Anne Parish, 217 Lenore Dr., Saskatoon

7 p.m. on the first Monday of each month

St. Philip Neri Parish, 1902 Munroe Ave. S. Saskatoon

10 a.m. on the third Tuesday of each month

Holy Spirit, 114 Kingsmere Place, Saskatoon

7 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month
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Visit the website www.helpnotharmcanada.ca to e-mail your Member of Parliament (MP), asking for their support of Bill C-218 (The Right to Recover Act), which would amend the Criminal Code to prevent assisted suicide/ euthanasia – known as Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD) -- from being provided when mental illness is the sole underlying condition.

Without this change, medically-provided euthanasia will be available for those suffering from mental illness alone beginning in March 2027.

We are called to offer care, hope, and protection – not death – to those who are suffering and those who are most vulnerable.



Even While You're Away, Your Gift Makes a Way

During the summer, many of us head off to cabins, holidays, and retreats – a season to rest and recharge.

While we're away, our homes remain cared for, with bills paid so the lights stay on, and comforts await our return.

Our parishes are no different.

Though pews may be a little emptier, the mission continues.

Mass is still celebrated;
the doors remain open to welcome visitors and those in need of a spiritual home.

Please consider setting up a recurring gift this summer. Your steady support ensures your parish remains vibrant, prayerful, and ready to welcome all—whether traveler or long-time parishioner.

Let's leave our parish in good standing for others, just as we hope to return to a place of peace ourselves.

Visit <https://dscf.ca/st-joseph-saskatoon/>

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

If you would like to be enrolled in the devotional practice of the
Brown Scapular

Please contact Fr. Hoang
or the Parish Office
sjsaskatoon@rcdos.ca
(306) 244-1556



St. Joseph's Parish Hall

Available to Rent for your Event

- Table/Seating for up to 200 people
- Fully equipped kitchen
- Stage area

Contact the Parish Office
for details: sjsaskatoon@rcdos.ca / (306) 244-1556

Reduced
rate for
Parishioners