



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.



SIXTH SUNDAY

OF EASTER

MAY 10TH 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, May 10th, 2026 The Sixth Sunday of Easter

First Reading – Acts 8:5-8, 14-17

“Unclean spirits, crying out in a loud voice, came out of many possessed people.”

Second Reading – 1 Peter 3:15-18

“Always be ready to give an explanation to anyone who asks you for a reason to hope.”

The Gospel – John 14:15-21

“I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate to be with you always, the spirit of truth... You know it because it remains with you.”

Readings for Next Sunday, May 17th, 2026 The Ascension of the Lord

First Reading – Acts 1:1-11

“As they were looking on, Jesus was lifted up, and a cloud took him from their sight.”

Second Reading – Ephesians

“And he put all things beneath his feet and gave him as head over all things to the Church.”

The Gospel – Matthew 28:16-20

“Make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.”

MASS SCHEDULE in MAY 2026



DUE TO THE ANNUAL CLERGY RETREAT, THERE WILL NOT BE MASSES AT BOTH ST JOSEPH'S & ST. FRANCIS XAVIER'S PARISHES FROM MAY 11TH to MAY 16TH.

PLEASE KEEP ALL THE PRIESTS OF THE DIOCESE OF SASKATOON IN YOUR PRAYER THIS WEEK. THANK YOU.

**THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD
(WORLD COMMUNICATION DAY)
MAY 17TH, 2026**

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

*(+) Jim Bremner by Garth & Myra Olver **

Financial Contributions

Envelopes – \$1250.00

Loose – \$745.00

Pre-authorized – \$1015.00

E-transfer – \$435.00

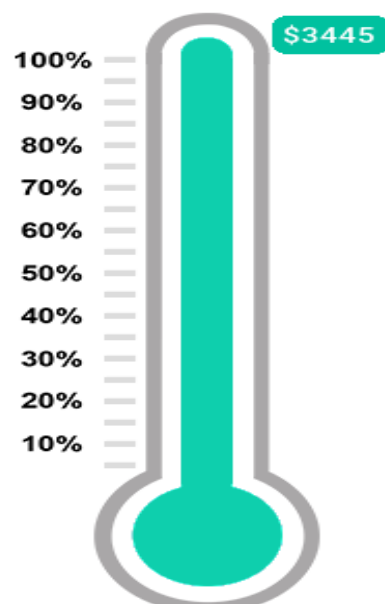
Donations can be made to St. Joseph's Parish by going to www.stjosephsaskatoon.ca and clicking on “Donate Now”.

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

(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

TICKETS ON SALE TODAY!!

**Knights of Columbus
Father O'Leary Council 5104
RESTAURANT EXTRAVAGANZA**

1st PRIZE (10) \$100.00 Gift Cards

2nd PRIZE (6) \$100.00 Gift Cards 4th PRIZE (2) \$100.00 Gift Cards
3rd PRIZE (4) \$100.00 Gift Cards 5th PRIZE (2) \$100.00 Gift Cards

2000 TICKETS SOLD AT \$5.00 EACH
Draw Date: 7pm June 30, 2026

Winners will be contacted by phone. Contact: kofc5104@gmail.com
Lottery License No. SR25-5305

Enjoy Excellent Dining With

- Stacked Pancake House
- Liberty Kitchen
- Olive Garden
- Smiley's Buffet & Catering
- Browns Crafthouse
- Chop Steakhouse & Bar
- Grainfields Family Restaurant
- Browns Social House
- Fuddruckers
- Sardinia Family Restaurant
- The Flats
- The Old Spaghetti Factory

Organizations We Support

- Friendship Inn
- Food Bank
- Coats for Kids
- Blackstrap Youth Camp
- Food Hampers
- Spina Bifida Association
- K of C Indoor Games
- Bosco Farm School
- St. Paul's Hospital Foundation
- Glengarda

Priests' Pension & Retirement Fund 2026

Our priests have faithfully led their parish communities, preaching God's word and celebrating the sacraments. We have been blessed to have dedicated and holy priests, and the blessings continue to this day.

Even in retirement, priests continue to celebrate Masses, preside at funerals, weddings, and baptisms, provide retreats, minister and counsel parishioners, and so much more.

Whether still active in ministry or not, our retired priests make Christ, the Good Shepherd, present to us, not only in what they do but in who they are. They give witness to the Lord's presence not only by their words but by their lives.

Retirement years can be difficult for our senior priests. No longer supported by their parish communities, they rely on retirement benefits and their pension from the Priests' Pension and Retirement Fund for basic needs, such as food, housing, health costs, and transportation.

Please, give generously in support of our retired priests.

You can find donation materials in your local parish, or make your gift online at

<https://dscf.ca/priest-pension-fund/>

Or download the pledge form and mail it to:
Diocese of Saskatoon Catholic Foundation:
PP&R, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon, S7S 1H1.



SCAN ME

MAiD for You?

Canada's MAiD Expansion to Mental Illness. *What's at Stake?*



Larry Worthen, MA (Th.), LLB
Executive Director, Christian Medical and Dental Association of Canada

- Join the conversation:
- May 11 Saskatoon
 - May 12 Prince Albert
 - May 13 Yorkton
 - May 14 Weyburn
 - May 15 Moose Jaw

All are welcome. Free to attend!

Scan here to **RSVP**

All are invited to a province-wide conversation on Canada's assisted death system and the proposed expansion to permit medically-provided death or "MAiD" for mental health.

Canada's euthanasia / assisted suicide law is changing, and many are not aware of how far it has expanded.

Beginning in March 2027, eligibility will include individuals whose sole underlying condition is mental illness. A province-wide tour in May will feature Larry Worthen, Executive Director of the Christian Medical and Dental Association of Canada, and one of Canada's leading voices on healthcare ethics, and conscience rights.

- Learn how medically-provided death is evolving in Canada, with real stories from healthcare settings.
- Explore the ethical, medical, and social questions this raises.
 - Consider how we support those who are suffering and seeking hope.

Join the conversation across Saskatchewan:

- Saskatoon: 7 p.m., Monday, May 11 at Holy Spirit Parish, 114 Kingsmere Place.

Free to attend. All are welcome.

Learn more about the tour at Hope Does Not Expire website at: <https://hopedoesnotexpire.ca/tour>.

Registration is not required, but is appreciated: <https://hopedoesnotexpire.ca/tour#rsvp>

sisters **SoS** *service*

The Sisters of Mission Service once served in your parish community. In July 2026 the Sisters celebrate 75 years of their founding. As a final honour to them we are gathering a memory of their time in service to your community, a note of gratitude, or any messages that you think would honour their time with you. They strived to live the values of respect for life, simplicity, compassion, hospitality, joy and enthusiasm: How did your community experience those values from the SMS? Please email me: mmartineau@crs-src.org to share your words for them!

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 (June 1)
St. Philip Neri Parish, 1902 Munroe Ave. S. Saskatoon
 10 a.m. on the third Tuesday of each month (May 19)
Holy Spirit, 114 Kingsmere Place, Saskatoon
 7 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month (May 11 & May 25)

KEEP OUR CHURCH CLEAN

- Do not walk on grass areas surrounding the church & rectory
- Be mindful not to track pine needles & mud into the church
- Please remove dirty shoes before entering the church



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

**Working Bee in the Parish Hall
Saturday May 23rd**

10AM - 2PM

Sign-Up sheet in the narthex
or call the office
(306) 244-1556

