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Archbishop of Regina Coat of Arms

#### MISSION STATEMENT

Archdiocese of Regina Coat of Arms

We, the Catholic Community of Holy Rosary Cathedral Parish, under the Patronage of Our Lady, are called to be a caring, outreaching church, proclaiming and celebrating our faith with all who seek a relationship with Christ.



#### Most Rev. Donald Bolen

Archbishop of Regina

Rev. Danilo Rafael

Administrator/Rector

Rev. Scott Lewis, S.J.

**Sunday Ministry** 

Rev. Mr. Barry Wood

**Assisting Deacon** 



#### **REGULAR MASS TIMES**

Sunday 9 AM, 11 AM, 7 PM

Tuesday-Friday 9 AM Saturday 9 AM

**CONFESSIONS** 

8 AM Saturday

#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

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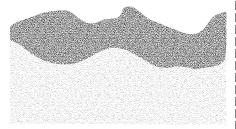
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As high as the heavens are above the earth, so high are my ways above your ways and my thoughts above your thoughts.



#### REGISTRATION

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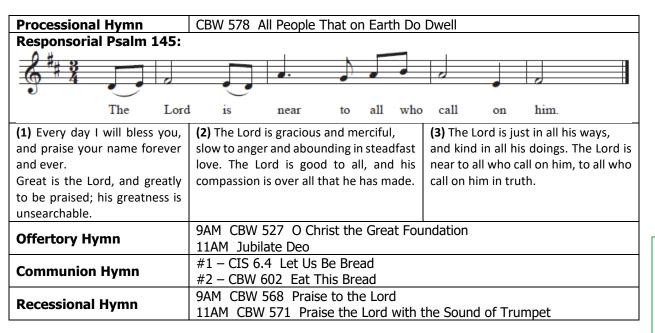
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### **25th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Celebrant: Rev. Danilo Rafael

September 24, 2023

Lectors, EMHC, Cantors, and Music Ministry						
Readings:	Isaiah 55:6-9	Philippians 1:20-24, 27	Matthew 20:1-16			
	9 AM	11 AM	7 PM			
Lector	Kenna Nelson	Paul Adekogbe	Jim Caritativo			
EMHC	Carla Plosker	Pat Bohn	James Rosales			
	Michelle Tiloy	Ryan Ursu	Chelo Ravasco			
		Minerva Ugaban (choir)				
Cantor/Choir	Angela Montano	Lester Victor	Strings & Voices			
Music	<b>Director:</b> Evanne Wilhelm	AM Organist: Jessy Stroeder	Organ Scholar: Jessy Stroeder			



Masses For The Week						
Sun	Sep 24	MASSES	Mass Offering	Requested by		
Mass 9 AM Mas		9 AM Mass	Missa Pro Populo (Mass for the People)			
Inte	ntions	11 AM Mass	<b>☆ Rommel Alvarez</b>	Adolfo & Eleanor Alvarez		
	49		<b>☆ Leticia Laviste</b>	Family		
_		7 PM Mass				
Mon	Sep 25	No Mass				
Tue	Sep 26	9 AM Mass				
Wed	Sep 27	9 AM Mass	Sp. Int. and Health of <b>John</b>			
Thu	Sep 28	9 AM Mass	<b>☆ Patricia Sowiak</b>	Slaw Sowiak		
			Sp. Int for Edna Israel & Vic & Jenny Israel	Jessica Hernando		
Fri	Sep 29	9 AM Mass				
Sat	Sep 30	9 AM Mass				



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O God. who founded all the commands of your sacred Law upon love of you and of our neighbor, grant that, by keeping your precepts, we may merit to attain eternal life. Through our **Lord Jesus** Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

# "Thus, the last will be first, and the first will be last." - Matthew 20:16

You've heard the saying, "It's not where you start, but how you finish." This certainly applies to this Bible passage. We have a responsibility not only for our own lives but for the lives of others as well. We are called to generously share our gifts with others, not hoard them for our own use. Our sincere gratitude and cheerful

generosity will help us live "God-centered" lives and not "self-centered" lives.

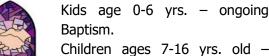
**CLERGY STUDY DAYS:** October 2 - 5 inclusive Fr. Dan will be away at Clergy Study Days. Mass on Wednesday and Thursday will be at 8:00 am with no adoration. Friday, we will have Adoration at 8:00 am and Mass at 9:00 am.

# RENOVATIONS WILL BEGIN NEXT WEEK INSIDE OF THE CHURCH. MORE INFORMATION IN NEXT WEEK'S BULLETIN.

#### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION







Children ages 7-16 yrs. old – Reconciliation, Confirmation and Eucharist.

The Sacramental Preparation classes will start on Thursday, October 19th. Classes will be at

the parish hall/auditorium at 6:30 pm. For more details and to register, contact the parish office at 306-565-0909 or email <a href="mailto:holyrosary@myaccess.ca">holyrosary@myaccess.ca</a>.



Date: Saturday, October 14 Time: 5:00 pm Cocktails

6:00 pm Dinner and Dance Music: By 'Sed Contra' and guests

Caterer: Charlotte's Catering



Price: \$30 per ticket, available after Sunday masses; at the parish office and at Burns Hanley during the week. All proceeds to support ongoing maintenance and renovations of the Cathedral.

# NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

At the mamaweyatitan centre, 3355 6th Ave., Sat., Sept. 30

The Equity Diversity Inclusion Network is hosting the Orange Shirt Day Walk & BBQ - Healing Our Communities, presented by Reconciliation Regina. To commemorate National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, participants will gather at the mamaweyatitan centre (3355 6th Ave).

The agenda is:

- 8:30am Pipe ceremony
- 10am Program
- 11am Healing walk (the walk will be led by jingle dress dancers, as it signifies healing)
- 12pm Free BBQ

#### Regina Event at St Cecilia's Parish

4 to 5pm: (Church basement hall) Cultural experience and teaching through traditional Pow Wow dancing and singing with Indigenous children and youth; steps towards healing and reconciliation.

5 to 6:30pm: Soup and Bannock supper

7pm: Eucharistic celebration 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time; Mass intention for National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. Presider Archbishop Don Bolen.

# ARCHDICOESE OF REGINA 2022 PASTORAL REPORT

The annual pastoral report and audited 2022 financial statements are now available online at our website at: archregina.sk.ca/grouppage/archdiocesan-annual-reports/

# AN EVENING OF PRAYER FOR PARENTS OF TEENAGE AND ADULT CHILDREN

First Tuesday of the month at Christ the King Parish, Regina. 6:00 PM Adoration, 7:00 PM Mass November 7 and December 5 (Please note that October 3 has been cancelled due to Clergy Study Days).

#### **CAMPION'S SCRIPTURE WEBINAR SERIES**

Campion College Campus Ministry is presenting another online non-credit scripture course with Rev. Dr. Scott Lewis SJ, former Dean of Regis College in Toronto, and currently on the Faculty at Campion College in Regina, SK. For more information and to register, see Eventbrite, https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/719910219847. "The Bible and Violence: Exploring the Uses and Abuses of Scripture Over the Centuries" will be held on Tuesday mornings from 10-11 on Zoom beginning on Tuesday, September 26 and ending on November 7, 2023 (except October 10). Registration is required. A Zoom link will be sent out to registered participants on Friday, September 22nd, and a reminder will go out on Tuesday morning. The course is offered by donation with a suggested amount of \$40. Current Campion College students are welcome to attend without а donation. Contact Kelly Bourke, kelly.bourke@uregina.ca, 306-359-1235.

#### **HRC FINANCES**

Dear fellow parishioners,

Here is your report on last month's offertory collection, along with prorated budget and year-to-date offertory revenue.

Offertory Collection: August 2023	\$25,371
Prorated year-to-date budget	\$253,333
Actual year-to-date offertory revenue	\$218,445
Offertory collection shortfall-to-date	\$34,888

Thank you for your continuing and faithful support of your Parish, either through donations at Mass or by etransfer.

Your Finance and Parish Councils

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#### **MEMORIAL PAGE**

Honour your deceased loved ones on this weekly memorial page.

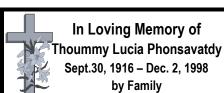
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In Loving Memory of Bob & Marian Harris love, Ana & Paige Harris



In Loving Memory of Rita & Hudson Mutimer

**Chapple Family** 



In Loving Memory of Bernardo & Porferia Hernando, Eutorgo Yap & Virgilio Reyes from The Hernando Family



In Loving Memory of George Marshall 1940-2023 The McCarthy Family



In Loving Memory of All CWL Members (deceased) by the Holy Rosary CWL



In Loving Memory of Rob Heidt

Feb.11,1969 – Oct. 3, 2016 Love, Sarah, Nadia & Family



In Loving Memory of Edwin Fesser d. Nov. 3, 2015 Love, Louella & Family



In Grateful Memory of Lillian E. & Henry A. Kutarna by their Children



In Loving Memory of Trevor Miazga Courtney & Kyle Miller Love Grandma Alice



In Loving Memory of Tito Piezas, Jr. Feb. 16, 1927 – Jul. 22, 2021 Harris, Niere, Piezas Family



In Loving Memory of Christian Head and the victims of James Smith Cree Nation Chapple Family



In Loving Memory of
Shirley, Rosa, Vicente, Dulci
Concepcion & Fr. Manuel
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In Loving Memory of



PRAYER
Lord, Jesus.
We repent of our sins.
Come into our hearts.
Wash us clean. You are
our Lord and Savior. Lead
us to our heavenly home.
AMEN.



In Loving Memory of
Francis Edward Craig Penner
Oct. 27, 2011 - Oct. 10, 2012
The Craig Penner Family



In Loving Memory of Alma Luzny May 16, 1930 – Oct. 19, 2017 by Luzny Family



In Loving Memory of Al Luzny Nov. 20, 1928 - May 28, 2012 by Luzny Family



In Loving Memory of Mariano, Elsie, Nestor, Emma, Shirley, Imelda & Regina RAFAEL



In Loving Memory of Debra Tuchscherer Nov. 17, 1963- Nov. 21, 2020 by Leo & Louise Tuchscherer & Families



In Loving & Grateful Memory of Ken MacKay June 22, 1937- July 10, 2021

June 22, 1937- July 10, 202 The McCarthy Family



In Loving Memory of

5<sup>th</sup> Annual Holy Rosary Cathedral Fundraiser



# dinner & dance

5:00PM COCKTAILS 5:00PM DINNER & DANCE 3125 - 13TH AVENUE \$30/TICKET GERMAN MEAL PROVIDED BY CHARLOTTE'S CATERING

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September 19, 2023

Dear parishioners and visitors,

It seems like just yesterday that we sent out our June newsletter, welcoming the start of summer. And now it is almost (but not yet!) Fall.

We hope you had a safe, relaxing summer and have stored many good memories of gatherings with friends and family.

Our June letter optimistically announced that the Steering Committee of the Rebuilding Campaign would be reviewing bids and signing on a construction company by mid-July to start work on the renovations in the Cathedral. The hope then was that the work would begin by the end of July. The reality was somewhat but not too far off. At the end of July, an agreement was signed with ICM (Independent Construction Management), the company that worked on the accessibility project in the Sacristy last winter.

Work should begin soon on Phase 1: the new elevator, washrooms, and the south exit stair. Please keep in mind the information in the June letter regarding the management of disruptions once the renovations begin. As the current elevator and washrooms beside it will be gone during the construction, the ushers at the Masses will lead you to alternate facilities. Your patience will be amply rewarded once the project is done, hopefully by the end of June 2024.

The Pandemic and current global political and natural tragedies have dramatically affected our economy, as we all know. One effect is the rise in the cost of our project from what was originally budgeted. The project team has looked at ways to reduce costs in order to get as close to the budget as possible. There is wisdom in the decision to proceed as planned with the work on the renovations. Phase 2, the Towers, will follow next year. There is no point in delaying essential repairs on our Cathedral as construction costs are bound to keep on rising down the road.

And for those who have so far donated towards the Rebuilding Campaign, it will be good to see their generosity in something concrete.

Our deepest gratitude to Archbishop Don and those who have worked tirelessly and for a long time on the Rebuilding Campaign, and the list is long. But for the moment, and in particular, we must thank John Dipple and Ray Plosker for their "hands-on" management and leadership on this renovation project.



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Many of you will have heard of or will have seen on "social media", advertisements of the Candlelight Concerts to be performed in our Cathedral. FEVERUP, the company handling these highly successful concerts, has been putting them on in various cities across Canada and in Europe over the last few years; the majority of venues have been churches. October will see the first of them in Saskatchewan, starting in Saskatoon on the 26th. They are scheduled in our Cathedral on October 27, November 17 and 30, and December 14 and 15. The music featured will be from both the classical and the "pops" genres; they will travel with a group of musicians but will also have Regina musicians perform at times.

This is exciting news for us, allowing us to open our doors to many in the community who may never have been inside our beautiful Cathedral, an opportunity, once again, to be an integral part of the city's artistic culture. And we have the blessing of Archbishop Don to do so.

Another exciting event is coming up: OKTOBERFEST! This very popular evening will be back again this year, thanks to the energy and generosity of Tim LaBelle and his team. Date: October 14. Tickets: \$30 a person, now selling at Burns-Hanley and the parish office, until Sunday, October 8, in the cathedral entrance after every Mass. This is a chance to gather as a community and to have fun while contributing towards the maintenance of the Cathedral.

And yet another important event: Sacramental preparation for First Reconciliation starts on October 19 and ends on December 7. The Sacramental ceremony itself will be on December 8. For further information, please call the office at 306-565-0909.

Our financial picture: offertory collections in July were \$32,222 and in August \$25,371. Collections year-to-date: \$218,445, and the prorated budget to date: \$253,333. The offertory collection shortfall in our budget as of end of August is \$32,488, which is worrying, but we have to be hopeful: we have three months to make up the deficit by the end of the year. As always, we are grateful for your generosity, which keeps us solvent.

A big request: we are in need of volunteers for our various ministries: Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Altar Servers, Ushers, Children's Liturgy assistant, RCIA Co-ordinator and team members, Music Choir. For further information, please speak to Fr. Dan or contact the office (306-565-0909). Thank you to those who have already stepped up, but we do need more assistance in these areas. Thank you for considering to give some of your time and gifts to the spiritual life of our parish community.

Keep well,

Rev. Dan Rafael, Pastor

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