



Holy Cross Parish

10th Sunday of Ordinary Time

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We acknowledge that Holy Cross Parish is located on Treaty 4 Territory, the traditional homeland of the Nêhiyawak (Cree), Nahkawé (Saulteaux) and Nakota and homeland of the Métis Nation, Dakota and Lakota.

PARISH STAFF TEAM

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HC Office Hours:

Monday—Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Masses

Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 9:00am
Tuesday 7:00pm
Wed. 9:00am
Thur. 9:00am
Friday 9:00am

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10th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Genesis 3:18-15++ / 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1 / Mark 3:20-35

MONDAY

June 10
Weekday

1 Kgs 17:1-6

Mt 5:1-12

TUESDAY

June 11

St. Barnabas, Apostle

Acts 11:21b-26;
13:1-3

Mt 5:13-16

WEDNESDAY

June 12

Weekday

1 Kgs 18:20-39

Mt 5:17-19

THURSDAY

June 13

St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church

1 Kgs 18:41-46

Mt 5:20-26

FRIDAY

June 14

Weekday

1 Kgs 19:9a,
11-16

Mt 5:27-32

SATURDAY

June 15

Weekday

1 Kgs 19:19-21

Mt 5:33-37

SUNDAY

June 16

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ez 17:22-24

2 Cor 5:6-10

Mk 4:26-34

“Where Are You At?”

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

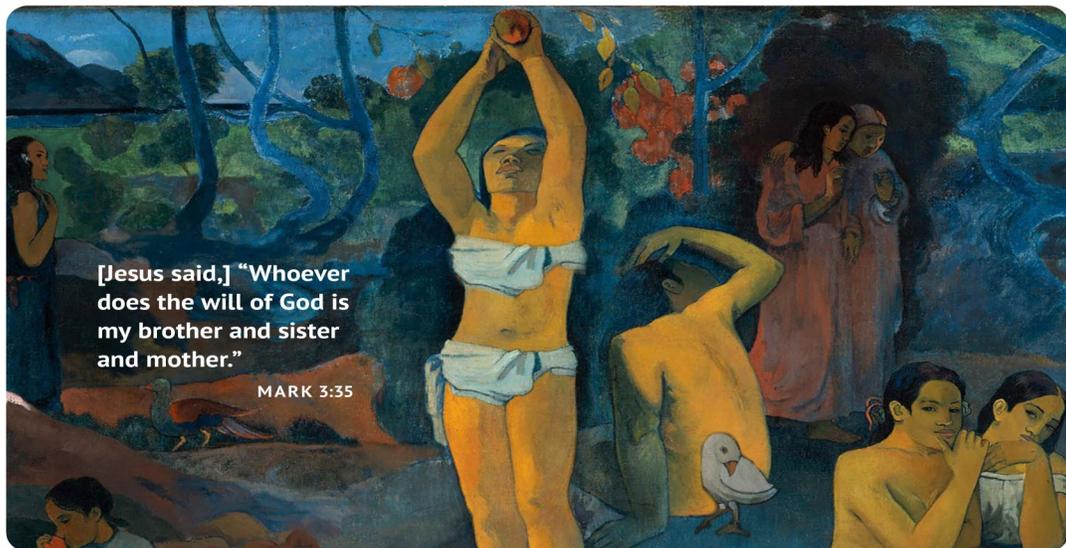
Paul Gauguin, a Post-Impressionist painter from France (1848-1903), lived part of his life in Tahiti, which inspired his artistic work. His last piece is titled *Where Do We Come From? What Are We? Where Are We Going?* It depicts Tahitian women in various daily activities of life—a child, a young adult, and an old woman approaching death. (See detail in the art below.) Gauguin's middle question, “What Are We?” is similar to God's question of Adam in the Garden, “Where are you?” In contemporary jargon, both questions may echo our asking someone, “Where are you at?” It's not about where our body may be, but rather where our spirit is, where our heart is.

Like Adam, some can find themselves hiding from

God. That may be where they are “at.” All too often, the reason we hide from God is because we forget or choose not to remember where we come from—birthed by God into life. When we hide, whether from God, from our better selves, or from the demands and expectations of life, then we find ourselves frozen, going nowhere, failing to become the person God created us to be. Sin does that to us. It turns us in upon ourselves in a way that prevents us from growing into a full life. With sin in charge, our spirits become petrified, like dead wood, an image of what once was but will be no more. Where are you at? ●

Reflect

How would you answer Gauguin's three questions?



[Jesus said,] “Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.”

MARK 3:35

What's Happening at Holy Cross

CALENDAR RAFFLE WINNER

June 2—Susan Selinger

Welcome to any new parishioners. Please register with the Parish Office Mon.-Friday, 9am-12 noon
Or call 306-757-1325

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF June 8—16, 2024

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Sat.	June 8	For the intentions of Martin on the occasion of his ordination, offered by Brigitte Leibel.
Sun.	June 9	For the repose of the soul of John Devers, offered by Dan and Family.
Tues.	June 11	For the repose of the soul of Ted Dizey, offered by Lynn & Gerry Heymen.
Wed.	June 12	For the intentions of Lynn & Gerry Heymen on the occasion of their 65th wedding anniversary, offered by Dolores.
Thurs.	June 13	For the repose of the soul of Ted Dizey, offered by Len & Loretta Jelinski.
Fri.	June 14	For the repose of the soul of Ted Dizey, offered by Joyce Kent & Family.
Sat.	June 15	PRO POPULO
Sun.	June 16	For the repose of the soul of Alma Dizey, offered by Ted & Family.



KNIGHTS KORNER 36 Years of Service to Holy Cross

K of C CHARITY APPEAL

2024 Charity Appeal tickets are available for purchase from our Council members. The cost of each ticket is very reasonable at \$1 each. Holy Cross parishioner support for this year's K of C Appeal is appreciated, as the 2024 Appeal rebate is committed to Holy Cross.

JUNE EVENTS

Tuesday, 18th – 7:30 PM, Monthly Meeting.

What does it take to become a Knight of Columbus? Find out by filling out an information request ballot at the K of C information table located in the Gerein Centre of the Church. You will be contacted by a Knight from the Gerein Council.



FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

Once again the **Cal Murphy Memorial Golf Tournament** reached a successful conclusion. There were 42 golfers registered and another 30 people attending the beef-on-a-bun barbecue.

It was a cool, windy day with rain greeting the last three teams on the fairway. But there were lots of prizes and silent auction items to make golfers and guests happy winners.

Winner of \$540 on the 50/50 at the golf tournament was Gail Hedley (sister of Phyllis Kennedy) with ticket number 397721.

Winning team at the tournament was Pat McGinn, his son Austin, and two guests. (Pat beat out his other son Matthew and his buddies. It's nice to see the old guys still have it.)

But the biggest winner of the day was Holy Cross Parish which is the recipient of **\$13,316.06**. Congratulations to the Golf Committee and thank you all for the hard work you put into this event.



Welcome to any new parishioners. Please register with the Parish Office. Fill in the blanks below and drop it into the collection basket or email the office (hc.office@holycrossregina.ca). Let's get started!

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Mass of Choice: Sat evening 5:00 pm Sun morning 9:00 am

What's Happening at Holy Cross

The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Regina
will gather in Joy and Thanksgiving for the Ordination of



Ken Fahlman
and
Martin Kondziewski
to the
Permanent Diaconate
by the Most Rev. Donald J. Bolen
Archbishop of Regina
on
Friday, June 14, 2024
7:00 PM
At
Holy Rosary Cathedral

My update to the Diaconate

Ken Fahlman and I attended the funeral of Dc. Paul Wheeler Wednesday, June 5 in Saskatoon. Paul was in our formational cohort in our Archdiocese for the entire five years that Ken and I were and we miss him.

As I am quickly approaching my ordination, I want to answer some common questions that are coming forward.

Deacons serve on a volunteer basis. Deacons are not paid for their service. I will continue to be your employee (Office and Pastoral Assistant) doing what I do. There will be some adjustment as to my garb and duties in a liturgical way at Holy Cross; Fr. Carlos and I will discuss this soon.

The diaconate program is funded through the Archbishops' Appeal. If you contributed to this appeal, may God bless you; you have paid for my education. If you directed some of your donation specifically to the diaconate program, may God bless you twice!

I will be having a "thanks giving" Mass at Holy Cross. A date will be set soon. You will have the opportunity to see the fruits of your support of me.

A deacon serves in two ways. The first is serving with the priest at the altar. Deacons demonstrate the best attitudes and honour of being at the Mass. This I will be doing at Christ the King Parish, a shared duty with Deacon Eric Gurash. I will be serving weekend Masses there, preaching once a month at all three Masses. I officially start August 1st.

The second part is charity within the community. I will be visiting three senior homes on a regular basis in the Christ the King area. How that shapes up is yet to take form.

I am so thankful to you all for your ongoing and continued support in prayers, encouragement and finances. Thank you all!

Martin Kondziewski

PRO-LIFE NEWS

Why do most doctors oppose assisted suicide?

The legalization of assisted suicide sends the message that the intentional introduction of death is an appropriate treatment option when illness compromises one's quality of life. It is no wonder, then, that among the most vocal critics of assisted suicide tend to be palliative care physicians and the disability rights community, which hold that legislation does not protect the vulnerable against coercion and provides a lethal end-around to sufficient medical social support for the terminally ill and disabled.

Source: "Professional Medicine should not endorse assisted suicide"/May 27/2024/Euthanasia Prevention Coalition/Alex Schadenberg



CWL News

The CWL Wind Up was held Tuesday, June 4th. A delicious turkey supper was catered by St. Mary's Catering and enjoyed by everyone. The Catholic Women's League at Holy Cross Church, Regina, SK, is offering a scholarship to a deserving student from our parish who has graduated from high school in 2024. For applications, please contact the office @ 306-757-1325 or Loretta Jelinski @ 306-352-2631.

Our next CWL monthly meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 1, 2024. Have a safe and happy summer.

PARISHIONERS' CORNER

BIRTHDAYS! Happy birthday to Jeanine Mann today, Sunday, June 9; Terry Fink on Monday, June 10; and Dave Wollbaum, Thursday, 13th. May the good Lord bless you all abundantly with good health and happiness in the year to come.

Congratulations to Martin, our Pastoral Assistant, who will become a Permanent Deacon at his ordination this coming Friday at Holy Rosary Cathedral. All Holy Cross parishioners are invited to attend. Our best wishes and blessings to him as he takes up his duties at Christ the King Parish August 1st.

We're happy to hear that Gladys Herzberger is back in church after her nasty fall a couple of months ago. Best wishes for continued progress in her recovery. And to husband Jack and family.

Let us know about any parishioner news so we can pass it on to you for prayers in need or in celebration. Martin at 306-757-1325 or Joyce at byapple@sasktel.net.

Strawberry Social

Enjoy cake, ice cream and refreshments) at Our Lady of Peace Parish, 425 Broad St. North on Saturday, June 15th from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. \$5.00 for 13 to adult, \$2.50 ages 6 to 12, and 5 and under Free. Sponsored by the 55 Plus group. Proceeds to help with needs of the parish.

What's Happening in the Archdiocese

Stewardship Bulletin Bit

If a kingdom is divided against itself that kingdom cannot stand. - Mark 3:24

Within your parish community, do your ministries collaborate with each other or do they compete against each other? Do your parish ministries work for the greater glory of God or do they work for the glory of the people running them? The primary goal of parish ministry is not to increase Mass attendance, increase the number of volunteers or increase offertory. The primary goal is to be one Body of Christ that helps people take one step closer to Jesus. If it's not doing that, it's not worth doing.

St. Philomena Walking Pilgrimage

Walk the St. Philomena Walking Pilgrimage, August 11-14, 2024 sponsored by the Archdiocese of Regina. Join pilgrims from ages 7-77 in this life changing, 4-day journey from Yorkton, Sk. to the Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes, Rama Sk. This will be our 6th year making the 100 km walk! It's an experience that merits many blessings and many wonderful memories. For more information and to register, visit:

www.stphilomena.ca



Catechesis of
the Good Shepherd
Association of Canada

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a Montessori based faith formation program for children. This summer, July 2-7 this national formation course will be offered here in Regina.

In Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, adults are given the opportunity to embrace a method of catechesis (or religious education) that will deepen one's relationship with God. Catechist formation in Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is both instructive as well as experiential. It captivates both the head as well as the heart. It has a holistic approach for the adult, enriching the adult in a background of scripture and liturgy, theology and prayer, as well as the pedagogy of the young child, helping the adult to see what face of God the young child most needs in order to enter into a relationship with God.

Therefore, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd requires the adult to receive training in the method in a way that is "retreat-like", giving time and space to absorb the richness of what it means to live one's baptismal covenant and grow in the love and knowledge of God. For more information email cassandra.ursu@gmail.com or register at <https://www.cgsac.ca/course-offerings/>

Summer activities at the Myriam Family of the Prairies:

Young adult retreat: Called to the Infinite, July 5-7th.

Adult retreat: Abide in Me, July 24th.

Youth retreat for age 12-17: Saved and Free, August 2-4th

Two family retreats: Happy Together, August 9-11 and 16-18. If you are interested, please reach Sr. Stéphanie at pss.prairies@famillemyriam.org or 306-536-2721.

TF #404: Spiritual Peer Support Breaking Stigma and Preserving Dignity Through Acknowledgment

Deacon Eric Gurash discusses the role of core values in spiritual peer support as they are encountered in Emmaus Support Mental Health Ministry and zeros in on the value of acknowledgment. He examines the root of this value in compassionate listening and how it can be more deeply informed by the model of Christ in the Gospels and the Ignatian Spiritual practice of spiritual conversation.

Show Snippet: "In Spiritual Peer Support, acknowledgment is transformative, fostering empathy and understanding through active listening and non-judgmental attitudes. Participants validate each other's experiences, reducing stigma To learn more about Emmaus Support Mental Health Ministries, visit: <https://emmaussupport.ca/> <https://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/spiritual-peer-support-breaking-stigma-and-preserving-dignity-through-acknowledgment>

FUNDRAISING SUPPER FOR ST. ANTHONY'S PARISH—BASEMENT REPAIR PROJECT

Please join us on Thursday, June 27th at the Italian Club

Cocktails 6:00, Supper 6:30

Adults: \$30 – Youth: \$15

Door Prizes, 50/50 Draw, Silent Auction, Cash Bar

Tickets may be purchased from Halina (306) 552-3336

Come and Go Farewell for Deacon Barry Wood

You are invited to join the Archdiocese of Regina in wishing Deacon Barry a Happy Retirement. We will have a Come and Go Farewell gathering on Thursday, June 20 from 3:00 – 5:00 PM at our office at 200 – 2151 Scarth Street. To assist with reception planning, please RSVP to mgurash@archregina.sk.ca by Friday, June 14.

Little Flower

Father's Day Breakfast

Sunday, June 16

9:00 am to 12 noon

Little Flower Auditorium

**Tickets: Adults \$12, Youth 6-12: \$5,
Children 5 and Under: Free**

TF #402: Finding Grace in the Dark The Examen Prayer and Mental Health

During this Mental Health Awareness Month, Deacon Eric Gurash discusses the challenges of navigating a relationship with God amid acute mental health struggles and chronic mental illness and points to the Awareness Examen as a particularly powerful tool for building resiliency and discovering God's presence even in our hardest trials.

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