



**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST**  
**ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH**  
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St. John the Baptist Parish is a warm and inviting family, living out our Baptismal call and nourished by the Eucharist, serving the needs of all with joy and gratitude, practicing stewardship, celebrating the sacraments and witnessing God in others.

*Welcome! We are so glad you joined us today!*

**Parish Office Hours**

Monday to Friday 9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm

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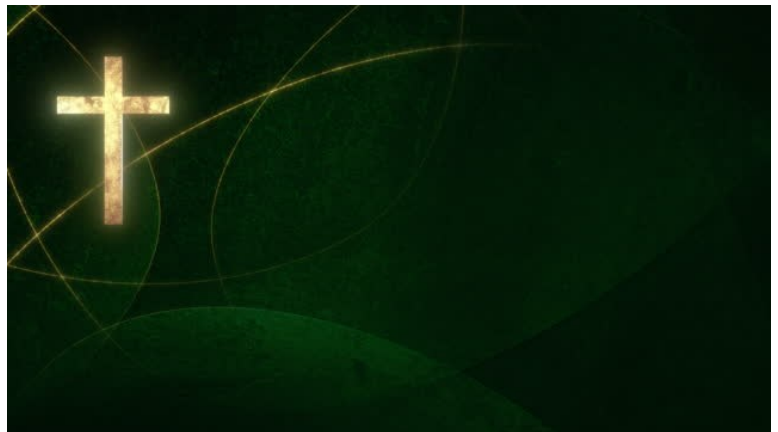
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**28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**October 15 & 16, 2022**

**Holy Mass Schedule**

Tuesday: 6:30pm

Thursday: 9am

1st & 3rd Friday: 9am

Saturday Liturgy: 5pm

Sunday Liturgy: 10am

Reconciliation: half hour before weekday Holy Mass

Sacrament of Anointing: Contact the pastor

Marriage Preparation: Contact the Pastor

8 months in advance

**Weekend Holy Mass Duration**

Saturday 1 hour 10 minutes

Sunday 1 hour 20 minutes

## St. John the Baptist Holy Mass and Event Schedule

Saturday, October 15	9:30am C.W.L. Regional Workshop 4:30pm Praying the Rosary 5pm Holy Mass
<i>St. Teresa of Jesus</i>	
Sunday, October 16	9:30am Praying the Rosary 10am Holy Mass
<i>St. Marguerite d'Youville</i>	
Monday, October 17	7pm Baptism Preparation Class
<i>St. Ignatius of Antioch</i>	
Tuesday, October 18	9:30am - 6pm Eucharistic Adoration 6:30pm Holy Mass †Ian Fernadez 7pm PPC Meeting
<i>St. Luke</i>	
Wednesday, October 19	9:30am - 5pm Eucharistic Adoration 11am Holy Mass - Hospital (Residents Only) Health of Ken & Darlene Geisel & Family
<i>St. Paul of the Cross</i>	
Thursday, October 20	9am Holy Mass †Rose Ehrmantraut 9:30am Coffee in the Hall 1:30pm Bible Study held in the Parish Hall 7pm SJB Choir Practice 7pm Bible Study held in the Parish Hall
<i>St. Hedwig</i> <i>St. Margaret Mary Alacoque</i>	
Friday, October 21	9am Holy Mass †Lorna Fraser 9:30am - 5pm Eucharistic Adoration
Saturday, October 22	4:30pm Praying the Rosary 5pm Holy Mass
<i>St. John Paul II</i>	
Sunday, October 23	9:30am Praying the Rosary 10am Holy Mass 1pm Make Music with Friends
<i>St. John of Capistrano</i>	

### THERE ARE STILL SOME SPOTS LEFT IN OUR FALL BIBLE STUDY!!

Friday, September 30 was the Feast of St. Jerome. He was an amazing, faithful man. In his ministry, he discovered that people loved God, but they didn't know how to worship him. To know Christ and adore him and worship him, we need to know the Holy Scriptures. St. Jerome wrote the first commentary on the Bible. The book contains the whole world, everything we need to understand and help us know the Holy Scriptures. St. Jerome once said, "Ignorance of scripture is ignorance of Christ." We are called to study, to grow in our faith, build our knowledge and enjoy the grace of God in our lives.

Our Fall Bible Study (*Fulfilled: Uncovering the Biblical Foundations of Catholicism*) is an opportunity for you to answer that call. An opportunity to grow in your faith and knowledge. If you would like to register, please contact the Parish Office by calling or emailing your registration form to [stjohnthebaptist.com](mailto:stjohnthebaptist.com).

May God bless our Parish Family as we study and come to know God even more.



### Correction Notice.

The first place winner of our C.W.L. 50/50 draw was Britt Gedak. Congratulations!



We would like to thank St. John the Baptist Parish for supporting our fundraiser. Thank you to everyone who bought a ticket.

## Homily Corner

This past weekend we celebrated the 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time. The first reading was 2 Kings 5:14-17, the Responsorial Psalm was Psalm 98, the second reading was 2 Timothy 2:8-13 and the Gospel reading was Luke 17:11-19. The following is my homily:

On this Thanksgiving weekend, the Holy Church blesses us with readings that follow the theme of the weekend. Gathering today, we celebrate the most important family celebration—the Eucharist, which actually means thanksgiving. The readings give us the theme of thanksgiving in a special way. When we celebrate Thanksgiving in the light of the Holy Scriptures, it should be more than thanksgiving. It should be gratitude. Thanksgiving is always good, but gratitude is always better.

We have been taught by our parents and we have taught our children that when we receive something, we say thank you. And that is great. But there is a difference between thanksgiving and gratitude. Gratitude comes from the heart. The Church talks about an attitude of gratitude—the whole body and soul in action to show gratitude.

In the Gospel reading, ten lepers who were Samaritans, approach Jesus, asking for mercy. He tells them to go and show themselves to the priests. And as they continued on their journey, they were healed. One of them turned back and praised God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. Jesus said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well." The Samaritan, not only thanked Jesus, he showed gratitude. His heart, body and soul was in action. And Jesus blessed him. He was healed and blessed. Jesus was not going to take back the healing from the other nine. He would never do that. But the one who came back was healed and saved.

Jesus talks about gratitude in every parable. And we know that people who are grateful are happier and more resilient. We need to be grateful to God and to one another. The commandment of God through Moses was that when you show gratitude, you should go to the temple to give thanks and praise God. Returning to God in gratitude brings you the grace of God to be saved. And the saving is immortal. When we love God, believe in him, have faith in him and him alone, we are a people of gratitude and we will be saved.

In your prayer time this week, contemplate the difference between thanksgiving and gratitude. How can you be more grateful?

Attitude of Gratitude—blessed, favored, grace-filled, healed and saved.

Blessings,

Father Antony



### ST JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH COLLECTION REPORT

2022 Projected Expenses \$510,318.00

2022 Actual Collection Year to Date \$277,867.77

#### Month of September 2022

Monthly Collection Required \$37,500.00

September Sunday Collection \$26,456.55

### Happy Anniversary

Paul and Bertha Thievin



### Happy Birthday

Marc Nathan Burlasa





## ***DISCIPLESHIP WEBSITES***

As the weather gets cooler and we give thanks to God for all our blessings, this is a wonderful time of year to grow in your spirituality and invest in your eternal life by studying and reading more about our rich faith.

The following links will take you to amazing Catholic websites where you can watch videos, complete a personal bible study and enjoy, multiply and share your faith:

### **Formed**

<https://formed.org/>

This website has thousands of movies, programs, audio and books. Our Parish subscribes to this website and it is available to all of our Parish Family. You can sign up under St. John the Baptist Parish Estevan.

### **Ascension Press**

<https://ascensionpress.com/>

This website has awesome free content as well as studies, books, and resources that can be purchased.

### **Dynamic Catholic**

<https://www.dynamiccatholic.com/>

This website is known for its uplifting Lent and Advent resources as well as books, videos and daily reflections.

### **Amazing Parish**

<https://amazingparish.org/>

This is an inspiring website that concentrates on the conversion of Parishes from maintenance to missionary parishes.

### **Divine Renovation**

<https://divinerenovation.org/>

This website focuses on bringing life back to parishes and people to Jesus, through the power of the Holy Spirit.

***Discipleship is a call to a life long journey of faith. Check out these websites and deepen the journey you are on. May God bless you on your journey.***





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STOUGHTON - TUESDAY MORNING  
OXBOW - TUESDAY AFTERNOON  
KIPLING - EVERY 2<sup>ND</sup> FRIDAY AFTERNOON

## Please support our sponsorships

### Make Music with Friends

Do you play a musical instrument and like meeting interesting people? Enjoy the spontaneous musical collaboration of a Jam Session!



**Sunday, October 23, 2022 1pm - 4pm at St. John the Baptist Parish Hall. Fun, free and entertaining.**

Call 306-421-7538 for further information or just show up with your gear! Musicians, singers, dancers, and guests all welcome to attend. Light refreshments will be served.

Sponsored by SJB Fellowship Committee

### New Parish Pictorial Directory Coming Soon!!

Our Parish Family is growing and is blessed in many ways. To capture the moment, IPC Canada Photo Services will be taking pictures **October 26 - 28 from 1:30pm - 8:30pm, October 29 from 9:30am - 4pm and November 8 - 9 1:30pm- 8:30pm.** All photo shoots will be held in the Meeting Room. You may book appointments online by clicking the link provided <https://booknow.appointment-plus.com/dyjs9ze6/> or on the website. There will be a table set up at the entrance of the Church on the weekends to make an appointment as well.



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**Solemnity of All Saints and**

**The Commemoration of All The Faithful Departed**

These two very important days are gifts of faith from the Holy Church.  
 The All Saints Day Holy Mass will be on Tuesday, November 1 at 7pm.  
 And the All Souls' Day Holy Mass will be on Wednesday, November 2 at 7pm.  
 Following the Holy Mass, everyone is invited to the Parish Hall for a social.  
 During the whole month of November, we remember our loved ones who are enjoying their eternal life with our Father. You are invited to enter your deceased loved one's name in the Memory Book in the main entrance of the Church.. The Memory Books will be placed on the altar for the month of November in remembrance and respect for our dead.

