

St. John the Baptist Parish

February 11th & 12th, 2017 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Blessed are those who walk in the law of the Lord!" Psalm 119

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Mass Schedule
Saturday Liturgy: 7:00PM **Sunday Liturgy:** 10:00AM
Weekday Liturgy: Please check the back of a current bulletin
Reconciliation: Saturdays 11:00AM
Sacrament of Anointing: contact the pastor



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OPEN

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Liturgy

OPEN

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OPEN

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Altar Servers: Connie Wheeler

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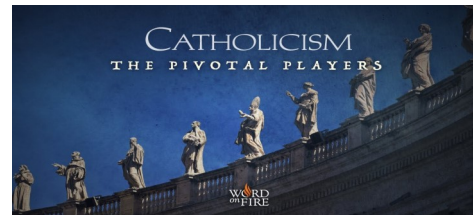
Stewardship

Dawn Hengen



Movie and A Lunch will be on

Tuesday, February 28 in the Church Auditorium following the 9am Mass. Everyone is welcome to attend. We will be watching the fourth session of Father Robert Barron's new series "Catholicism: The Pivotal Players". This series tells the stories of saints, artists and scholars. We will be watching the video about St. John Henry Newman at this session. A free will offering will be accepted for the lunch. See you there!!



February 12, 2017 - 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven." Matthew 5:20

The scribes and Pharisees lived according to the letter of the law and they used this to elevate themselves above the other people. Jesus is clear – it's the love that you have in your heart that will get you to heaven. Simply following church rules out of obligation, not love, does not put you on the path to heaven. Attending Mass on Sunday and then gossiping about a fellow parishioner on the parking lot is an example of a modern day Pharisee.

If you are new to the parish and have questions, would like to register, or would like parish envelopes, please contact the Parish Office at 306-634-2190. We would be happy to help you!!



World Day of Prayer will be held at St. John the Baptist Church on Friday, March 3 at 2pm.

St. John the Baptist Parish Book Club

In a way to prepare ourselves for the possible visit of Pope Francis to Saskatchewan in 2018, at this session of the Book Club we will be studying the book "They Called Me Number One - Secrets and Survival at an Indian Residential School" by Bev Sellars. Bev is a survivor of a residential school and this is her personal story.

Our meeting nights are:

Wednesday, February 15 at 7pm

Tuesday, March 7 at 7pm

Thursday, March 23 at 7pm

Tuesday, April 4 at 7pm

Thursday, April 27 at 7pm

Tuesday, May 9 at 6pm



You may pick up your complimentary copy of the book and study guide at the Parish Office.

We meet in the Formation Room and everyone is welcome!!

God Bless and Happy Reading!!

After a long hiatus, the **Deanery Pastoral Council** will meet at **Church of Our Lady in Carlyle on Sunday, Feb. 12 @ 2:30.**

At the first APC meeting under his guidance, Bishop Don Bolen presented "On Being Church – What Is Our Vision as Church? He asked many tough questions and wants input from the people in developing a better communication structure for our Archdiocese. At the DPC meeting we will hear a summary of his presentation with follow up discussion to generate feed-back to the APC and Bishop Don.

Here's a taste of the discussion:

How can we make our parishes strong, vibrant communities, places of joy and hope?

How can we build unity within our parishes, our archdiocese?

How do we ensure we are a "church of justice" and a "servant church"?

How can the DPC/APC provide strong leadership for the parishes?

You are invited to join us as we set a new direction.

St. John the Baptist Parish Annual General Meeting will be held on Saturday, March 4 @ 8pm.

Upcoming Events at St. John the Baptist Parish

K of C Meeting	Monday, February 13	7:30pm	Auditorium Library
Book Club	Wednesday, February 15	7pm	Formation Room
Confirmation/1st Communion Class	Thursday, February 16	6:30pm	Auditorium
Choir Practice	Thursday, February 16	6:30pm	Church

LITURGY SCHEDULE

St. John the Baptist Parish, Estevan

Sat.	February	11	7:00pm	Estevan	†Louis Belanger; A Parishioner
Sun.	February	12	10:00am	Estevan	Mass for Parishioners
Mon.	February	13		Estevan	No Mass
Tues.	February	14	9:00am	Estevan	No Mass
Wed.	February	15	10:00am	Hillview Manor	No Mass
Wed.	February	15	11:00am	Hospital	†William Wanner; Adeline & Family
Thurs.	February	16	9:00am	Estevan	†Elizabeth Catling; From Adorers
Fri.	February	17	10:00am	Nursing Home	No Mass
Sat.	February	18	7:00pm	Estevan	†Alice Gervais; Joseph Gervais
Sun.	February	19	10:00am	Estevan	Mass for Parishioners



St. Monica's, Bienfait

Sun. March 5 11:45am Bienfait †Teresa Lester; Cecilia Wanner

Ministries for February 18 & 19 Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time

Cup Ministers

7:00PM (Ann)Deborah Augey, Virginia Wheeler, Clara Weinrauch, Wes Kreklewich, Bev Hickie
 10:00AM (Ann)Carol Cundall, Bonnie Pukas, Bill, Mann, Lynwood Cundall, Malou Badoe

Lectors

7:00PM Dawn Hengen & Maureen Daoust
 10:00AM Jo Ann Schopf & Becky Franke

Hospitality Host

7:00PM Margaret Daoust & Elaine Gedak
 10:00AM Ed Moreau & Lorna Moreau

Ushers

7:00PM Brian Miiler
 10:00AM John Mickle

Altar Servers

7:00PM Garrett Schwab
 10:00AM Dann Pangan, Julia Pangan

Collection Counters

Leonard Ludwig, Anne Dechief, Sylvia Walliser,
 Rita Walliser, Elizabeth Olson, Albert Petrash

First Reading:

Leviticus 19.1-2,17-18

Second Reading:

1 Corinthians 3.16-23

Gospel:

Matthew 5.38-48