



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 - 3pm

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Gwen Van De Woestyne

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Sigfredo Gonzalez



February 4th and 5th, 2023

5th Sunday in OT

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, February 4	5pm Holy Mass
Sunday, February 5	9am Holy Mass (Bienfait) 10am Holy Mass 11am Holy Mass (Torquay) Special Intentions for Cynthia Masepequea 11:30 Adoration Workshop held in the Church
Monday, February 6	7pm Baptism Preparation Class held in the Meeting Room
<i>St. Paul Miki and Companions</i>	
Tuesday, February 7	9:30am - 6pm Eucharistic Adoration 2pm CWL Meeting and Installation at Creighton Lodge 6:30pm Holy Mass †Antoinette Styre
Wednesday, February 8	9:30am - 5pm Eucharistic Adoration
<i>St. Jerome Emiliani</i>	
	11am Holy Mass (Hospital) †Peter Morin 7pm Confirmation Parents' Meeting held in the Parish Hall
Thursday, February 9	9am Holy Mass †Emmanuel Mack 9:30am Coffee in the Hall 9:30am - 5pm Eucharistic Adoration 7pm SJB Choir Practice
Friday, February 10	9:30am - 5pm Eucharistic Adoration
<i>St. Scholastica</i>	
	10am Holy Mass (Creighton Lodge) †Josefina Gomez
Saturday, February 11	5pm Holy Mass
<i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i>	
Sunday, February 12	9am Word of God Liturgy with Communion (Bienfait) 10am Holy Mass 11:15am Baptism Celebration

Thank you to Karla Waloshin for the time she spent as our Office Administrator. She served our Parish Family with dedication and care and we will miss her. May God's blessings continue to be showered upon her and her family as she moves on to new endeavours.





We are happy to welcome Jocelyn Hall to the Parish Office Team as the new Office Administrator. May she be abundantly blessed in her new ministry.

Linda Mack

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STOUGHTON - TUESDAY MORNING
OXBOW - TUESDAY AFTERNOON
KIPLING - EVERY 2ND FRIDAY AFTERNOON

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2022 Income Tax Receipts may be picked up
at the entrance of the Church.



SACRAMENTS OF CONFIRMATION AND FIRST HOLY EUCAHRIST

“And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. This promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away. It is for everyone the Lord our God calls to himself.”

(Acts 2:39)

The sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Eucharist are celebrated together in the Archdiocese of Regina for all children in Grade 2 or older. The preparation for these sacraments will take place in the Church, in the school and in the child’s home. Registration forms have been sent out through the Catholic schools and they are also available at the entrances of the Church, at the Parish Office and on our website (stjohnthebaptistestevan.ca)

On Wednesday, February 8, there will be a Parents’ Meeting at 7pm. And Wednesday, February 15 at 7pm we will be hosting another Parents’ Meeting. You must attend one of these Parent Meetings. The children do not attend these meetings, it is only for the parents. Both meetings will be held in the Parish Hall. This meeting will give you an outline of the year of preparation ahead.

If your child is older than Grade 2 and has not received the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation or First Communion, please contact Connie at the Parish Office to discuss a plan.

CATHOLIC and LIVING IT!



St. John the Baptist CWL provides ministry to our youth. We offer Scholarships for Grade XII ECS students with ongoing identification of volunteer life in various parish and community activities.

An application form and further scholarship criteria is available through the school website and at the church entrances. The deadline to submit an application is March 31, 2023.

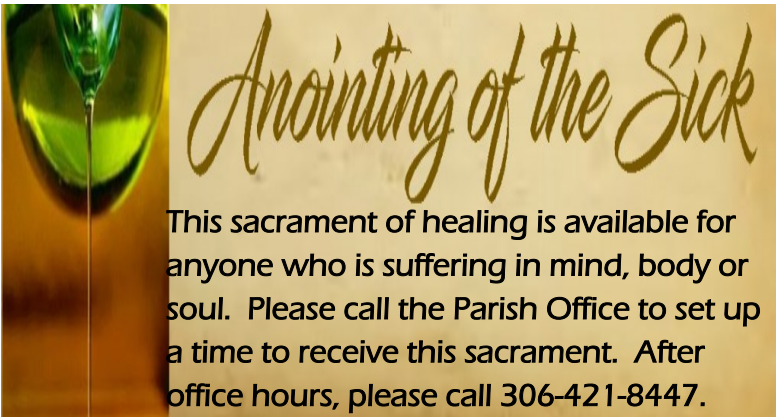
Notice of Meeting

The next CWL General Council Meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, February 7 at 2:00pm at Creighton Lodge.** The short agenda includes an Instructed Vote on an Amendment to the Constitution and Bylaws (2022). All Members are Welcome to attend. Meet your appointed Executive for the 2022-2024 term.

What's your CWL?

The Catholic Women's League of Canada is many things to many people. Whether it's faith, service, social justice or sisterhood, thousands of women have found fulfillment by becoming members.

Pick up your information brochure at the Church entrance or call: Gail Dodds, vice president/organization at (306) 421-0260.



Anointing of the Sick

This sacrament of healing is available for anyone who is suffering in mind, body or soul. Please call the Parish Office to set up a time to receive this sacrament. After office hours, please call 306-421-8447.

Palms For Ash Wednesday Ashes

On Tuesday, February 21 at the 7pm Holy Mass, we will be celebrating the rite of burning the palms for the ashes that will be used on Ash Wednesday. If you have any palms at home from last year, please drop them in the basket in the main entrance of the Church by Sunday, February 19.



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

The sacrament of reconciliation is available thirty minutes before the weekday Holy Masses. You may also call the Parish Office to book a time to receive this sacrament. During Advent and Lent, we offer an evening of Adoration and Reconciliation. Watch the Parish Bulletin for more information.

FORGIVEN
THE TRANSFORMING POWER OF CONFESSION

Don't forget the Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper at 5:30pm on February 21 followed by Holy Mass at 7pm!



The Share Lent Campaign Launch is on **February 25, 2023 1:30PM Eastern Time** with two special guests, Raquel Soto, from Colombian partner ACA, and Elvin Hernandez, from Honduran partner ERIC. This year's theme is "stand for the Land"

For more information and pre-registration: <https://www.devp.org>



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A GUIDE TO CATHOLIC PRAYER

You are invited to our St. John the Baptist Parish Lenten Study

Oremus: A Guide to Catholic Prayer teaches you the essentials of an effective and fruitful prayer life. Over the course of six weeks you will discover how to place yourself in the presence of God. Following the wisdom of the saints and the Tradition of the Church, you will learn how to express yourself to God in prayer, and how to make prayer an integral part of your daily life. Oremus includes eight video presentations by Fr. Mark Toups, lively small-group discussions, and inspiring readings and reflections for each day.

When: Thursdays at 7pm from February 16 until March 23 (Child care available by contacting the Parish Office.)

Where: St. John the Baptist Parish Hall

Registration: Forms are available at all the entrances of the Church, the Parish Office and at stjohnthebaptistestevan.com

The registration fee is \$75 and can be submitted with your registration form to the Parish Office or you can place it in the collection basket at Holy Mass in an envelope marked Bible Study.

Sponsorship is available by contacting Connie at the Parish Office.

Rides will be available to Bible Study for anyone who is in need. Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements.

New Parish Office Hours

As of Wednesday, February 1 the Parish Office Hours will be 9am-12pm and 1pm-3pm.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS



Eucharistic Adoration Workshop

We are blessed to have Eucharistic Adoration in our Church four days a week. But have you ever wondered what to do during your Holy Hour? We are hosting an Adoration Workshop on Sunday, February 5th following the 10am Holy Mass. Everyone is encouraged to attend, especially all members of our Councils and Committees. The workshop will last one hour.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

Tuesday, February 21

5:30pm - 6:30pm

Please join us as we feast before Lent begins. Holy Mass will follow the Supper and we will be celebrating the rite of burning of palms.

Everyone is welcome!!!!

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2023 Lent & Holy Week Schedule

Tuesdays During Lent

- Adoration from 9:30am until 6pm
- Reconciliation from 5pm until 6:30pm
- Holy Mass at 6:30pm

Wednesdays During Lent

- Holy Mass at 9am
- Adoration from 9:30am until 8pm
- Guided Holy Hour 8pm until 9pm

Thursdays During Lent

- Holy Mass at 12:10pm
- Adoration 1pm until 6pm
- Bible Study at 7pm

Fridays During Lent

- Adoration from 9:30am until 6:30pm
- Stations of the Cross and Holy Mass at 6:30pm

Palm Sunday Holy Masses

Saturday, April 1 at 5pm and Sunday, April 2 at 10am

Holy Thursday (Maundy Thursday) Mass

**Thursday, April 6 at 7:30pm Followed By
Adoration until 11pm**

Good Friday Liturgy

Friday, April 7 at 12pm and 3pm

Easter Vigil

Saturday, April 8 at 8:30pm

Easter Sunday Holy Mass

Sunday, April 9 at 10am

St. John the Baptist Parish
2023 Lenten Season Dates

Ash Wednesday Holy Mass
Wednesday, February 22 at 7pm

Solemnity of St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Monday, March 20 at 7pm

Lenten Adoration and Reconciliation Evening
Tuesday, March 28 from 7pm until 9pm

*Extra priests from the Estevan Deanery will be here to
celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation.*

**The Sacrament of Holy Anointing is available after all Holy
Masses during the season of Lent.**

The Catechism of the Catholic Church on Lent

- By the solemn forty days of *Lent* the Church unites herself each year to the mystery of Jesus in the desert. CCC 540
- *The seasons and days of penance* in the course of the liturgical year (Lent, and each Friday in memory of the death of the Lord) are intense moments in the Church's penitential practice. These are particularly appropriate for spiritual exercises, penitential liturgies, pilgrimages as signs of penance, voluntary self-denial such as fasting and almsgiving, and fraternal sharing (charitable and missionary works). CCC 1438