St. John the Baptist Parish

January 7th & 8th, 2017 The Epiphany of the Lord

"Lord, every nation on earth will adore you." Psalm 72

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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



MINISTRY CONTACT LIST

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Schedulers for Liturgy

Lectors, Cup Ministers, Announcers & Hospitality Hosts:

Lorraine Schlamp 306-634-8672 or 306-461-8672

Ushers, Collection Counters: Karla Waloshin

Altar Servers: Connie Wheeler Power Point: Gloria Chicoine

Music: Sandra Bazin Sound: Susan Bath

Piano Tuning: Dustin Hall

Stewardship

Dawn Hengen

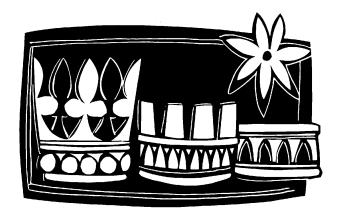
If you are new to the parish and have questions, would like to register, or would like parish envelopes, please contact the Parish Office at 306-634-2190. We would be happy to help you!!



Movie and A Lunch will be on

Tuesday, January 17 in the Church Auditorium following the 9am Mass. Everyone is welcome to attend. We will be watching the first 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. Catherine of Siena at this session. A free will offering will be accepted for the lunch. See you there!!





The next **Confirmation/ First Communion class** is on Wednesday, January 11 at 6:30pm in the Church Auditorium. We will be working on Lesson Three.



A STEWARDSHIP PRAYER for the New Year

Gracious and Loving God,

The old year has passed and a new year begun. We thank you for Your active presence in our busy lives, for the opportunities given, and for blessings received. As we embrace a new year, breathe freely through us and renew our spirits with fresh resolve and purpose. Give us the grace to be good stewards of all that You have entrusted to us and to serve You with generous, compassionate and loving hearts. Bless our days ahead. Give us the courage to be faithful. And show us how to proclaim the Good News of Your Son, Jesus Christ who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God

Amen.

forever and ever.

The Epiphany of the Lord

Today we hear Saint Paul proclaim that he exercises stewardship of "God's grace" for the benefit of the Christian community. Earlier in this letter to the Ephesians, he prayed they would come to realize the actual value of "these riches" of God's grace they inherited. This letter was written to remind, encourage, and spiritually motivate this Eucharistic community to appreciate just how immeasurably wealthy they had become to inherit a life in Christ. What value do we place on our life in Christ? If someone asked us to put a price on this life in today's currency, how would we respond? \$100 million? \$100 billion? Priceless? Do we live as though our life in Christ is priceless?

ST. MONICA'S PARISH BIENFAIT

Please call Mary at 388-2471 for Parish Hall bookings.



LITURGY SCHEDULE					
St. John the Baptist Parish, Estevan					
Sat.	January	7	7:00pm	Estevan	† Vincent Fernandez † Barbara Fernandez; Fernandez Family
Sun.	January	8	10:00am	Estevan	Mass for Parishioners
Mon.	January	9		Estevan	No Mass
Tues.	January	10	9:00am	Estevan	+Alice Gervais; Mannie & Doreen Mack
Wed.	January	11	10:00am	Hillview Manor	No Mass
Wed.	January	11	11:00am	Hospital	No Mass
Thurs.	January	12	9:00am	Estevan	† Leo & † Marion Stepp; Doreen & Mannie Mack
Fri.	January	13	10:00am	Nursing Home	No Mass
Sat.	January	14	7:00pm	Estevan	† Loretta Fichter; Knights of Columbus
Sun.	January	15	10:00am	Estevan	Mass for Parishioners

St. Monica's, Bienfait Mass

Sun. February 5 11:45am Bienfait †Rylan Mann; Scott & Debbie Sears

Upcoming Events at St. John the Baptist Parish

Knights of Columbus Meeting Monday, January 9 7:30pm Auditorium Library

Confirmation 1st Communion Class Wednesday, January 11 6:30pm Auditorium

Pastoral Council Meeting Tuesday, January 17 7pm Boardroom

Ministries for January 14 & 15 Second Sunday In Ordinary Time

Cup Ministers

7:00PM (Ann)Gwen Van De Woestyne, Amanda Hagel, Amber Hilstrom, Margaret Mack, Joan Fingler 10:00AM (Ann)Beckey Franke, Gloria Chicoine, Treena Hirsch, Joyce Wagner-Bonokoski, Darla Wilhelm

<u>Lectors</u> <u>Hospitality Host</u>

7:00PMClara Weinrauch & Terry Stefiuk7:00PMJoan Fingler & Lorraine Schlamp10:00AMGuy Chicoine & Jackie Phillips10:00AMJim Carriere & Elaine Carriere

Ushers

7:00PM Brian Miiller 10:00AM John Mickel

Altar Servers

7:00PM Christian Quin 10:00AM Lyle Guino

Collection Counters Leonard Ludwig, Anne Dechief, Sylvia Walliser,

Rita Walliser, Elizabeth Olson, Albert Petrash

First Reading:

Isaiah 49.3,5-6

Second Reading:

1 Corinthians 1.1-3

Gospel:

John 1.29-34