

# St. John the Baptist Parish

**March 4th & 5th, 2017 First Sunday of Lent**

*“Let your love be upon us, Lord, even as we hope in you.” Psalm 33*

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**St. John the Baptist Parish Office**  
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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

### Adoration

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### Adult Education

Breanne Swarbrick

### Bookkeeper

Susan Mack

### Caretaker

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### Finance Council

OPEN

### Funeral Choir

Laura Baryluk

### Knights of Columbus

Sheldon Spilchuk

### Liturgy

OPEN

### Liturgical Decorating

OPEN

### Pastoral Care

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### Pastoral Council Chairperson

Maureen Daoust

### Pastoral Council Vice Chairperson

Jo Ann Schopf

### Pastoral Council Secretary

Gwen Van De Woestyne

### Social Justice (Development & Peace a component)

Katie Dunville 306-634-7150

### 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

Lent is a time to practice actions of mercy and love. One of the ways we can do that is by trying to keep some spaces open in front of the church for those who are handicapped. Although currently we do not have designated handicap parking in front of the church, if you are able please consider trying to keep some spaces in front of the church free for people who are handicapped. Thank you for your consideration.



## ST. MONICA'S PARISH BIENFAIT

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

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!!



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

## 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:

- 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



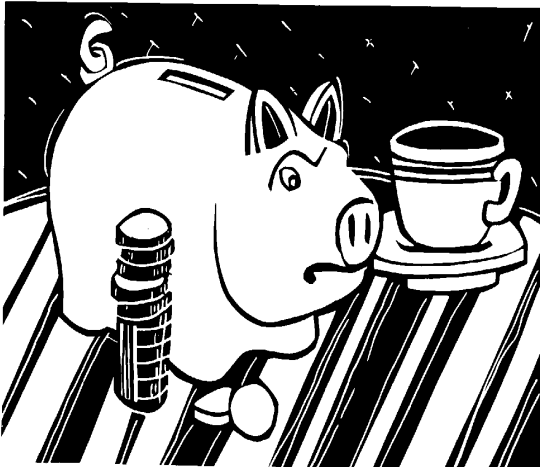
*You may pick up your complimentary copy of the book and study guide at the Parish Office.*

**We meet in the Formation Room and everyone is welcome!!  
God Bless and Happy Reading!!**

### March 5, 2017 - 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent

*"It is written: The Lord, your God, shall you worship and him alone shall you serve." Matthew 4:10*

Tempted between the riches and power of this world and service to God, Jesus chose service to His Father. If we wish to truly follow Jesus, we, too, must decide to turn away from power and riches and put God at the center of our lives. How is God calling you to serve?



## Upcoming Events at St. John the Baptist Parish

Youth Group`	Monday, March 6	6:30pm	Formation Room
CWL Meeting	Tuesday, March 7	1pm	Auditorium
Book Club	Tuesday, March 7	7pm	Formation Room
Choir Practice	Thursday, March 9	6:30pm	Church
Baptism Prep Class	Thursday, March 9	7pm	Auditorium
Stations of the Cross - Christian Ethics	Friday, March 10	7pm	Church
Community Baptisms	Sunday, March 12	2pm	Church

# LITURGY SCHEDULE

## St. John the Baptist Parish, Estevan

Sat.	March	4	7:00pm	Estevan	†Alice Gervais; Joseph Gervais
Sun.	March	5	10:00am	Estevan	Mass for Parishioners
Mon.	March	6		Estevan	No Mass
Tues.	March	7	9:00am	Estevan	†Alice Gervais; Cecile Friess
Wed.	March	8	10:00am	Hillview Manor	No Mass
Wed.	March	8	11:00am	Hospital	†Lorne †Curtis McClement; Evelyn & Family
Thurs.	March	9	9:00am	Estevan	†Gene Prokop; Brent & Mary Ellen Barreth
Fri.	March	10	10:00am	Nursing Home	No Mass
Sat.	March	11	7:00pm	Estevan	†Cecila †Consolation D'Souza †Bella Alfonso; Ian & Theresa Fernandez
Sun.	March	12	10:00am	Estevan	Mass for Parishioners

## St. Monica's, Bienfait

Sun.	March	5	11:45am	Bienfait	†Teresa Lester; Cecilia Wanner
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### Ministries for March 11th & 12th, Second Sunday of Lent

#### Cup Ministers

7:00PM (Ann)Maureen Daoust, Amanda Hagel, Amber Hilstrom, Joan Fingler, Dawn Hengen  
 10:00AM (Ann)Jackie Phillips, Darla Wilhelm, Theresa Fernandez, Malou Badeo, Gordan Schwab

#### Lectors

7:00PM Gwen Van De Woestyne & Wes Kreklewich  
 10:00AM Hanna Keating & Joyce Wagner-Bonokoski

#### Hospitality Host

7:00PM Connie Wheeler & Joan Fingler  
 10:00AM Annette James & Diane Green

#### Ushers

7:00PM Ray Audet  
 10:00AM Ian Fernandez

#### Altar Servers

7:00PM Garrette Schwab  
 10:00AM Dann Pangan, Julia Pangan, Arvin Baluyut

#### Collection Counters

Bev Hickie, Paul Radomski, Anton Cossette, Brenda Lamb,  
 Bob & Carol Cossette, Evelyn Sandquist

**First Reading:**  
 Genesis 12.1-4  
**Second Reading:**  
 2 Timothy 1.8b-10  
**Gospel:**  
 Matthew 17.1-9