

Holy Trinity Roman Catholic Parish

December 1, 2024 First Sunday of Advent

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen.*

Welcome to Holy Trinity!

As Catholic Christians we seek to proclaim, celebrate, and live our faith joyfully and to express our love for Christ and each other.

If you are a visitor or are new to Regina or to our parish, we welcome you and hope you have a positive experience in your worship with us. Check our website for a helpful introduction to Holy Trinity and its various ministries and services. Please feel free to contact us with questions or comments. We look forward to meeting you!

To register in the parish, update your information, or request donation envelopes, pick up a form in the Gathering area (bulletin board) or print a copy from our website, call the parish office or drop in during office hours, www.holytrinityregina.ca.



Reconciliation: By prior arrangement and when possible
45 min. before weekend Masses
30 min. before weekday Masses

Weddings & Funerals: Contact Fr. Gaspar

Weekend Masses: Sat. 5 pm; Sunday 9 am & 11 am

Coming Up at Holy Trinity (Weekday Rosary 25 minutes before Mass)

Sat. Nov. 30.	10 am First Reconciliation
Sat. Nov. 30	5 pm Mass: Pro populo Gift Bearing Family: Ramirez
Sun. Dec. 1	9 am Mass: +Doreen Ewen Children's Liturgy of the Word Gift Bearing Family: Demchuk
Sun. Dec. 1	Pancake Breakfast served 10 am to 1 pm (see p. 2)
Sun. Dec. 1	11 am Mass: + Carvalho & Dias families
Mon. Dec. 2	1:30 pm CWL Executive, meeting room
Tues. Dec. 3	1:30 pm, Forever in Motion, hall
Tues. Dec. 3	7 pm Mass: Ints Patti
Tues. Dec. 3	7:30 pm Parish Pastoral Council meeting
Wed. Dec. 4	8:30 am Mass: Ints Devita & Aaron
Wed. Dec. 4	1 pm Angels for Warmth meeting, hall
Thurs. Dec. 5	8:30 am Mass: + Ernie Krammer
Fri. Dec. 6	8:30 am Mass: + Anastacio Bernal followed by Eucharistic Adoration

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(bulletin available online)

At Holy Trinity:

We pray for the following:

Colleen Lefebvre, Martin & Gisele Croteau,
MaryAnn Young, Gwen Gibney, Ruth Morrison,
Gerry Turgeon, Troy Kocur

We pray for the Repose of the Souls of our

beloved ones, including Doreen Ewen, Lynn
Lenius, Eva Enns, Elaine Eyndhoven, Barry Ludwar,
Robert Roddy, Ann Beuker, Lillian Burnett

Regular Donations from Nov. 2 to 24: \$14,619
Average expenses: \$21,661 monthly.



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our website home
page.

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giving. Details on page 3.

Sacramental Preparation

Baptism Preparation

For parents of infants & young children and expectant
parents. Contact the office to register for next session in
December. [Registration form on website.](#)



Holy Trinity Catholic Women's League
General meetings: 2nd Monday of the
month. Next meeting is Christmas Potluck
Mon. Dec. 9 Doors open 5:30 pm. Details
on page 2.
Executive: Next meeting Dec. 2



Holy Trinity Knights of Columbus
General meetings: now 2nd Tuesday of the
month. Next meeting Dec. 10, 7:30 pm

Congratulations to the 32 children who made their First Reconciliation Sat. Nov 30. God bless them and their families on this important milestone. They continue their faith classes January 19 toward Confirmation & First Eucharist.

Pastoral Staff**Pastor:** Rev. Gaspar Lucas 306-924-1993**Support Staff****Office Coordinator**

Heather Deis: 306-543-3838

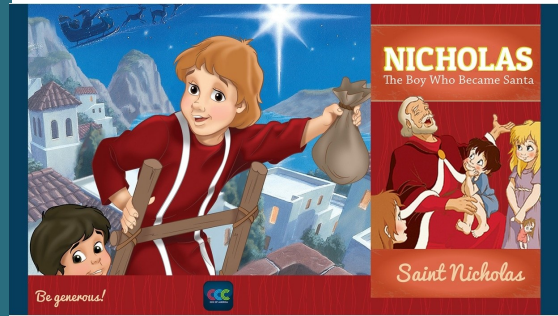
Custodian: Dominic Dias**Office Hours** Mon. to Fri.—9 am to 3 pm
Closed statutory holidays**Mass Times:****Saturday: 5 pm****Sunday: 9 & 11 am**

Monday—no Mass

Tuesday—7 pm Mass

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday Masses 8:30 am

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration after 8:30 am Mass, next Dec. 6.

For the comfort and safety
of others, please do not
wear fragrance to church.**Pancake Breakfast is Sunday:** Dec. 1,
10 am to 1 pm.. Pancakes, eggs, sausage, ham,
syrup, strawberries, whipped topping, coffee, juice.
Adults \$10; children \$5. Hosted by K of C.**Sunday Missals for 2024-25** available for \$5. from table
in the gathering area or from the office during regular office
hours.**2024 Bible Study — “LECTIO – EUCHARIST”** with Dr. Brant Pitre. Study
books available for \$30. Buy a copy to do at home on your own or with a
family member or friend! All videos are available on Formed and you can go
at your own pace. Makes a great gift.” More info in previous bulletins.**Children's Liturgy** - program is in need of leaders for all Mass times.
If you would like to see consistent children's liturgy available for our
children, please prayerfully consider becoming a leader. Training and
resources will be provided. Contact the office if interested.**Christmas Baking Trays** 36 to 40 piece tray of assortment
of cookies, squares, tarts \$35. Tray of 24 to 26 pieces:
\$20. Order by Dec. 8. Sign list in the Gathering Area or
contact Debbie debbiebulych@gmail.com 306-533-2118
or Joan jmrink@sasktel.net 306-533-1648.Donations gratefully accepted of Christmas dainties for the Cuernavaca
baking tray fundraiser. Deadline to receive baking is Dec. 5.
Mark containers "Cuernavaca Baking"**Donations to Cuernavaca Project through Sarcán Recyclables.**This project in Mexico is an outreach of the Archdiocese of Regina
and benefits the community there by helping them
become self-sustaining through projects such as
gardens, school, housing. Bag your refundable
cans and use the key word **"project"** when you use
the Drop & Go option at Sarcán.**FORMED**THE CATHOLIC FAITH.
ON DEMAND.**Nicholas: The Boy Who Became Santa**Here is the fascinating story of the boy whose love for
others make him one of the most popular figures of all
times. Today, more than sixteen centuries later, the entire
world celebrates the kindness and generosity of the man we
call Santa Claus.Our parish has a FORMED subscription.
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An offering from the AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE and ignaticus press

Advent begins this weekend: Nov. 30/Dec. 1**Advent Love Collection**—pick up a special Love Collection envelope for your
gift to help those in need in our community. Holy Trinity Social Justice team
organizes and disburses funds to organizations who operate locally, nationally
or globally to helping those most in need. Some of those organizations include
Regina Food Bank, Valley Native Ministry, and Regina Marian Centre.**Advent Wreath Blessing at Holy Trinity**The Advent wreath is our Christian tradition that symbolizes
the passage of the four weeks of Advent in the liturgical calendar.Parishioners are invited to bring their own Advent Wreaths to the Masses this
weekend, Nov. 30 & Dec. 1, and place in front of the altar before Mass. They
will be blessed during Mass and families will take them back home after
Mass.**Catholic Women's League at Holy Trinity****Mon. Dec. 9 Annual Christmas Potluck** Doors open 5:30 pm;
Supper begins at 6 pm. Everyone welcome. Bring a friend or spouse.
Presentation by Gail Reles on Lay Ministry program.
(No general meeting in January).**Communion to Shut-ins.** If you, or someone in your family would like
communion brought to a care home or own home in our parish, contact the
Holy Trinity office (306) 543-3838.

Those in hospital should contact the Chaplain (contact info page 4)

Communion Ministry to the Homebound—looking for a parishioners or
two to take communion to a few residents of a care home in our area.
Contact the office. Since this is a ministry to a vulnerable group, a criminal
record check will be needed (cost is reimbursed by parish).**Buildings and Grounds Co-ordinator** - Holy Trinity Parish needs a volunteer
Building and Grounds Coordinator to oversee the operation and maintenance
of Holy Trinity Parish building and grounds. For details of the activities and
responsibilities, see bulletin board or contact the parish office.

Archdiocese of Regina Bulletin (Dec. 1) Link

Archdiocese History Books; CWL Corner

Archdiocese of Regina Masses
On-Line<https://archregina.sk.ca/live>Links at www.youtube.com/ArchdioceseRegina**THINKING FAITH Podcast** hosted by Deacon Eric Gurash and Dr. Brett Salkeld of the Archdiocese of Regina.**TF #429: Pilgrims of Hope - Together in Mission with Fr. Raymond Lafontaine Part 3**

The conclusion of our recent diocesan gathering with Fr. Raymond Lafontaine, a priest from the Archdiocese of Montreal, spent six months with the Archdiocese of Regina starting May 2024. During his study leave, he visited parishes and groups, connecting with priests, pastoral staff, and lay leaders while observing and learning how we "walk together" as a synodal church on mission. He participated as a table facilitator at the 2nd Synodal Assembly in Rome in October. In this series of talks, he shares some of the background leading up to the final gathering in Rome and examines "What did the Spirit speak to the Church through the Synod?" "How far did we progress on the synodal path, and how can we deepen our commitment to walking together in communion, participation, and mission?" [Listen to the podcast.](#)

Beef on a bun fundraiser for O'Neill Catholic High School senior boys basketball. Tuesday December 3, 5 pm to 7:30 at the school (134 Argyle Street.) Tickets \$25; Contact school office 306-791-7240. Raffle prizes and 50/50 draw.

Youth Ministry Workshop—Saturday, Jan. 25 from 10 am -4 pm, at the diocesan center, the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry is having a workshop for the training, support and collaboration of those who work in ministering to young people, with lunch provided. It is our hope that as many people as possible who are involved in ministering to the young people of our archdiocese, would be willing to bring their minds and hearts to this table of sharing. We are also more than willing to take this workshop on the road! Invite us to come to your community! TO CONFIRM ATTENDANCE OR ASK QUESTIONS PLEASE SEND EMAIL TO: oyyam@archregina.sk.ca

"Visualizing Our Salvation: the Annunciation in the Medium of Art"

Campion College's Advent Scripture Webinars - Join Fr. Scott Lewis, SJ, for this online course, Dec. 12 and 19 at 10 am.

For more information or to register, visit <https://campioncollege.ca/general/campus-ministry-advent-scripture-webinar/>

Our Lady Queen of Peace, Legion of Mary—Weekly meetings: Saturdays after 9 am Mass. Holy Rosary Cathedral, O'Neil room. Contact 306-201-4229 or 306-539-3553 for more information.

Camp Monahan's Annual Christmas Dinner, Dec. 7, Holy Child—Enjoy an evening out with great food, music and friends at Camp Monahan's Annual Christmas Dinner, sponsored by Holy Child Knights of Columbus. For more information and tickets are available online www.campmonahan.ca by contacting our office (306)522-1047 or email campmonahan@sasktel.net.

Ways to Donate:

If you wish to donate on-line, Canada Helps has an option to give to any special collections at Holy Trinity, as well as to the regular collection.

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Email transfers directly to Holy Trinity are also available. Contact the office for this option.

If you wish to have Holy Trinity donation envelopes, contact the office.



During Canada Post work stoppage: Holy Trinity has a mail slot to the right of the front door for after-hours donations (including for Appeal).

The theme this year is *Embracing Unity: Many People, One Heart*. As we journey in the coming weeks, we encourage you to consider donating to the Appeal to support your community and live grounded in generosity.. If you do not receive a letter in the mail, you can give through your parish or [Donate online through Canada Helps](#)

[YouTube link Archbishop Don's message Midway through Appeal](#)**Holy Trinity Annual Appeal goal** is \$36,717

To date, we have received 47 percent of our goal

If you did not receive the brochure and letter from the Appeal, pick up a copy from the table in the gathering area at Holy Trinity. With Canada Post service disruption, please do not mail your donation. Contact the parish office.

A Family retreat **The secret of Hope** with the Myriam Family!

December 7 from 9h30 to 4h00 at their beautiful site in the peace of the countryside near McLean, 45 km East from Regina. Retreat will include family morning prayer in front of the Blessed Sacrament, talks, Mass, skits, games, crafts, joy! To register, please call Sr. Stephanie at 306-761-0528 Or email ps.prairies@famillemyriam.org

St. Peter's CWL Craft/Bake Sale Friday, Dec.6 & Sat Dec.7—100 Argyle St. Regina. Come shop for Christmas gifts & Christmas baking.. Friday 10 - 8 Saturday 10 - 4. Concession booth: hotdogs and smokies, perogies and more.. For more information call Patricia 306-530-3075

Advent Concert—Campion College Advent of Light Musica Sacra, Healing from Darkness: Music. Dec. 8 at 2:30 pm, 2nd-floor Campion College Chapel, University of Regina, for a soul-stirring performance by the Musica Sacra Cecilia Voices, conducted by the talented Dr. Melissa Morgan, Music Dept. Head at U of R.

Holy Trinity Parish on Facebook—A great opportunity to be connected and up-to-date on our events and activities.



You can find us by searching for "Holy Trinity Parish, Regina" on Facebook, or with this link; <https://www.facebook.com/holytrinityregina> 'Like' and 'Follow' us to stay informed and engaged!

Medjugorje Pilgrimage early April 2025. Daily Mass at St James church, Rosary on Apparition Hill, Stations of the Cross on Cross Mountain Visit Cenacola - rehab for young men Professional guide. For more information, call and leave your name. You will be contacted once the dates are in place. Cathleen Devraj 306-789-0705 cdevraj48@gmail.com.

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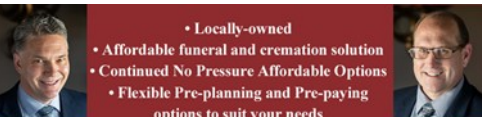
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