

St. Vital Roman Catholic Church

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& St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle, Delmas

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Parish Office Hours:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday:
9:30 am – 12:30 pm & 1 pm – 3:00 pm
Closed Monday & Friday

Mass Times:

Daily: 9 am unless otherwise noted

Weekend:

Saturday: 5 pm Sunday: 10:30 am

Mass at District Care Centre Thursdays: 10:00 am



CONFESSIONS:

30 minutes before Saturday or
Weekday Mass or call Fr. Sebastian
to make an appointment

MONTHLY MEETINGS

K of C & CWL

1st Tuesday 2nd Thursday

Mass @ 6:30 pm Followed by meeting

November 27, 2022: 1st Sunday of Advent

Mass Intentions

Date:	Time:	Intention for:	Requested by:
Mon. Nov 28	9:00 am	+Susan Hertes	Fay Keller
Tue. Nov 29	9:00 am	+Lloyd Beckman	Lionel & Patty Etcheverry
Wed. Nov 30	9:00 am	+Floyd Andersen	Jim & Betty Ann Smart
Thur. Dec 1	9:00 am 10:00 am	Int of our great grand children Battlefords District Care	Paul & Sonja Pellerin
Fri. Dec 2	9:00 am	+Arnold O'Driscoll	Fittkau family
Sat. Dec 3	5:00 pm	+Kay Feist	Marg Tipton
Sun. Dec 4	10:30 am	+Stacey & +Jeremy Gregoire	Bernard & Lucielle Gregoire
Sun. Dec 4 <u>Delmas</u>	9:00 am	Parishes of St Vital &	St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle

Bishops Annual Appeal:

"Walking Together in Hope"

October 16, 2022 – December 31, 2022

Every gift is greatly appreciated!

OUR PARISH GOAL: \$21,478.00

Pledges as of Nov 14, 2022: \$6,010.00

**Please continue to pray for the success of the Bishop's
Annual Appeal**

Confirmation and First Communion

Parents meeting for the children of our parish who attend
St. Vital and Battleford Central School
Monday Nov 28 @ 6:30 pm at the church

CHRISTMAS / NEW YEARS MASS SCHEDULE

ST. VITAL

Christmas Eve – Saturday Dec 24:

6:30pm Joy to the World Singing, Mass @ 7:00 pm

No 5:00 pm Mass

Christmas Day – Sunday Dec 25: 10:30 am

New Years Day: Sunday January 1: 10:30 am

****Holy Day of Obligation***

DELMAS

Christmas Eve – Saturday Dec 24: 5:00 pm

No Mass on Sunday Dec 25

CHRISTMAS BASKET RAFFLE

1st prize: Basket

Donated by Judy Lavoie

2nd prize: donated by the CWL

3rd prize: donated by the CWL

Tickets: in the church entrance

\$2.00 eachor 3 for \$5.00

Draw Date:

Sunday December 18, 2022

Proceeds to Roof Repair Fund

First Friday All Day Adoration

Friday Dec 2, 2022

Day begins with Rosary @ 8:30 am

Followed by Mass @ 9:00 am

Adoration begins: 9:30 – 11:00 am,

11:00 am – 12:30 pm, 12:30 pm – 2:00 pm,

2:00 pm – 3:30 pm , 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm,

5:00 – 6:00 pm.

*A sign up sheet will be in the church entrance for
each time period of Adoration.*

*Sacrament of Reconciliation available during
Adoration*

FOOD BANK COLLECTION

Saturday & Sunday Dec 3 & 4

*If you can, please give to those less
fortunate, and pray for them.*

God bless you for your generosity!

Weekend Collection:

Nov 5th & Nov 6th: \$

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Auto Deposits for October: \$

Secret Angels

We invite parishioners to share in spreading some Christmas joy in our parish.

On Nov 27th at the potluck supper please put your name in the basket at the door and later that evening you will pick a Secret Angel from the basket. Then you are asked to make a commitment to pray for that person every day in December (a rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Mass offering, fasting, Act of charity).

Beginning December 17th & 18th, please address a card or letter to the person who you have been praying for, sign your name and put in an envelope with their name on it. Put in the basket in the front entrance of the church. In this way you are revealing to them who you are, their Secret Angel. Find your own name in the basket to find your Secret Angel.

Musical Celebration
SUNDAY, December 4th at 2:30 pm

FEATURING: Dave McQuaid, Erin McQuaid, John Chipak and other talented performers.

A variety of music will be featured!
THIS IS A FAMILY EVENT!
BRING YOUR FRIENDS!

DONATIONS ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED!

PROCEEDS FOR ROOF REPAIR

The next Sunday Brunch is Dec 4, 2022
10:00 – 12:00
Everyone is welcome!
K of C Council # 5626

Knights of Columbus 4th Degree
Monday November 28
St. Joseph Parish, North Battleford
Mass 6:15
Supper to Follow

Mass Ministries

	Saturday Nov 26	Sunday Nov 27	Saturday Dec 3	Sunday Dec 4	Saturday Dec 10	Sunday Dec 11
Greeters		CWL		Youth		Schwark
Lectors	L. Sather	CWL	B.A. Smart	Mass	V. Studney	Family
Ushers	R. Smart R. Falcon	X	R. Smart R. Falcon	X	R. Smart R. Falcon	X
Eucharist		A. Lepitzki		R. Poulin		C. Scherman

ADVENT SEASON

The Advent Wreath

*is very symbolic, the evergreens used for the wreath itself are a reminder of **continuous life**.*

The shaping of them into a circle reinforces that meaning. The circle is also a sign of everlasting life as well as the eternity of God. The four candles used: Three purple and one pink, mark the Sundays of Advent before Christmas.

Advent Candles & Their Meaning

Advent candles are a part of Christian traditions that serve as a reminder that Jesus came as Light into our dark world.

Each one represents something different:

Candle of Hope (Prophet Candle/God's People Candle...purple

The first candle symbolizes hope and is called the "Prophet's Candle." The prophets of the Old Testament, especially Isaiah, waited in hope for the Messiah's arrival.

Candle of Faith (Bethlehem Candle)...purple

The second candle represents faith and is called "Bethlehem's Candle." Michah had foretold that the Messiah would be born in Bethlehem, which is also the birthplace of King David. This candle reminds of the journey of Joseph and Mary to Bethlehem.

Candle of Joy (Shepherd's Candle)...pink

The third candle symbolizes joy and is called the "Shepherd's Candle." The angels announced to the shepherds in the field, "good news of great joy to all people." This candle is pink because, in Christian history, the color rose signifies joy.

Candle of Peace (Angel's Candle)...purple

The fourth candle represents peace and is called the "Angel's Candle." The angels announced that Jesus came to bring peace-He came to bring people peace with God and with each other again.

Light & Purity (Christ Candle) may be used

The fifth candle is white and it represents light and purity and is called "Christ's candle" as it represents Christ coming into the world. It is placed in the middle as a reminder of the preeminent place of Christ.