


St. Vital Roman Catholic Church
 11-18th Street East (Box 58) , Battleford, Sk. S0M 0E0
 & St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle, Delmas

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 Parish Secretaries: Helen Scott & Connie Sapriken

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

October 22nd, 2023: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Date:	Time:	Intention for:	Requested by:
Mon. Oct 23	9:00 am	Liturgy of the Word	With Communion
Tue. Oct 24	9:00 am	Liturgy of the Word	With Communion
Wed. Oct 25	9:00 am	Liturgy of the Word	With Communion
Thur. Oct 26	9:00 am	+Merkowsky family	Bernice Merkowsky
Fri. Oct 27	9:00 am	Virgil Hards	Raymone & Rozalie Lacoursiere
Sat. Oct 28	5:00 pm	CWL living & deceased	St. Vital CWL
Sun. Oct 29	10:30 am	Parishes of St. Vital &	St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle
Sun. Oct 29 <u>Delmas</u>	9:00 am	+Denise DeBlois	Bernard & Louise Prince

There will be pumpkin carving after Mass Oct 29 followed by a BBQ lunch. Please register at the Parish Office or call Lorna Sather @ (250)261-4298. You may have to leave a message. Please choose your favorite Christian Symbol. **If anyone has pumpkins to donate please contact the parish office 306-937-7340**

Attention CWL Members: Complimentary brunch tickets only for members of our CWL Council for the November 5 60th Anniversary of St. Vital CWL will be available at the church entrance October 21st & 22nd. All members are invited to attend this beautiful milestone event. See Annette Lepitzi or Connie Sapriken for your tickets.

Weekend Collection:
 Oct 14th & Oct 15th: \$1,089.00

 Auto Deposits for September: \$3,950.00

Knights of Columbus will have fresh made sausage available for sale after Mass Oct 28 & 29, Nov 4th & Nov 5th
 The price is \$10.00 / pack.

Mass Ministries

	Saturday Oct 21	Sunday Oct 22	Saturday Oct 28	Sunday Oct 29	Saturday Nov 4	Sunday Nov 5
Greeters		Youth		C. Sapriken		CWL
Lectors	N. Nichol	Mass	B. A. Smart	R. Stynsky	L. Sather	CWL
Ushers	R. Smart R. Falcon	X	R. Smart R. Falcon	B. Elias D. Elias	R. Smart R. Falcon	X
Eucharist		A. Lepitzi		R. Poulin		A. Lepitzi

FALL SUPPER

We are happy to announce the return of our Fall Supper November 12th at the Church Hall. It will look a little different this year as the feature food will be pulled pork and our famous meatballs. Tickets will be available to purchase at the weekend Masses and from the parish office Wednesdays and Thursdays. Payment can be made with cash, cheque or e-transfer at kofc.5626@gmail.com. The cost is \$15.00 for adults ages 16 and up, \$7.00 for youth ages 6-15, or \$50.00 for a family. Takeout orders will be available from 4:30 to 5:15. Doors to the church hall for those dining in will open at 5:00 pm and the food will be served from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm

We need many people to make this event special.

At this time, we are asking you to sign up to bring various food items and participate in some of the duties. Signup sheets are in the foyer of the church. We would greatly appreciate it if you could share your time, talent, and treasures to make this a successful event.

Thank you for your support and we look forward to feasting with you, November 12th.

Bishops Annual Appeal:

"Believe Love Share...In Jesus"

October 15, 2023 to December 31, 2023

Our Parish Goal is \$20,634

Every gift is greatly appreciated!

The Bishop's Annual Appeal will commence this weekend October 15, 2023. It is time for us to do what we can to support the programs and ministries that benefit both our parish and the wider community.

For example, the Catholic education of our children, the preparations courses for marriage, baptism, confirmation and the education of future deacons.

Please give generously as you are able.

This year we are accepting e-transfers for donations to the appeal (send transfer to officeprogramsmgr@padiocese.ca state in the comments BAA donation, parish name and your name and mailing address.)

Advance Fall Supper tickets are now on sale at the church entrance as of this weekend and at parish office Wednesday and Thursday. On line purchases are also available. Check the bulletin or poster for details. The number of tickets is limited. Please pick up your tickets promptly. Join us for an evening filled with warmth, delicious food and joy of community.

You are Invited!

Each year, the Bishop gathers people from all the parishes with their clergy to the Diocesan Pastoral Council (DPC) Conference to hear about Diocesan initiatives and to network and be inspired by other people.

**We hope to see you at this year's Fall DPC
Saturday October 28, 2023**

From 9:00 am to 3:30 pm

Plaza 88, 888 Central Ave, Prince Albert

**Presentation by Mary Martin with the Diocesan
Called and Gifted Team**

Please speak with Fr. Sebastian for more information! **All are welcome to attend.**

We are seeking help in working with the children in the Sacramental Preparation Family program. If you are willing to help with one or all sessions we are happy to have you share your time with our children as they embark on their journey in preparing to receive the sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and First Communion. We are looking for adults and high school students who are energetic, love being around young people, and are happy to share in their faith. For those interested in learning more or wanting to help out, please email Natasha at natasha.nichol@lskysd.ca. Thank you for your consideration and time.

ARISE WOMEN'S RETREAT SEEN.KNOWN.LOVED.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH, 2023

St. Joseph Calasanctius Church North Battleford.

Registration Opens: September 10th, 2023

Early Bird Deadline: October 15, 2023

Registration Deadline: October 30, 2023

Cost: \$40.00 includes lunch.

"Every Woman deserves to know that we have a God who, without fail, sees, knows, and loves us. Will you come and enter into this truth with us?"

All women ages high school & up are invited to experience this full day retreat.

Prerecorded keynote speakers:

Sister Mary Margaret Hope, SV, Christy Dupuis, Rachel Herbeck, Debbie Herbeck

See poster for details.

To register or for more information: Dani @ 306-317-6531

Raffle Donations for another basket and a bucket raffle, which is a new event, are needed. You are invited to contribute nonperishable items, such as preserves (label contents of the jar) which are very popular, gift card, snack items, or other suitable items. Draws will be made at the Fall Supper. Please drop off your donations at parish office by October 26th. Your generosity is very much appreciated!

World Mission Sunday: October 22, 2023

Every Christian shares in the mission of the Church and that all should become more involved in today's missionary work. "pray that the Lord's message spread quickly and be received with honor"

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time - A

A Vocation View: We do not choose a vocation completely on our own. We must prayerfully reflect on how we can best give to God what is God's, and then live as though everything depends on God.

Prayer: For growth in reverence for the gift and mystery of vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life and a readiness to give to God what is God's in response to His call, we pray to the Lord.

Action: PRAYER TO KNOW GOD'S WILL - May it please the supreme and divine Goodness to give us all abundant grace ever to know His most holy will and perfectly to fulfill it.

St. Ignatius Loyola