St. Vital Roman Catholic Church

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

Parish Office Info:

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Parish Priest: Fr. Sebastian Kunnath In case of EMERGENCY call (306) 937-2330 **Parish Secretary: Connie Sapriken**



CONFESSIONS:

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

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 every 2nd Thursday: 10:00 am

MONTHLY MEETINGS

K of C & CWL 1st Tuesday 2nd Thursday Mass @ 6:30 pm Followed by meeting

March 24, 2024: Passion (Palm) Sunday

Mass Intentions

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Date:	Time:	Intention for:	Requested by:					
Mon. Mar 25	*6:30 pm*	+Elizabeth Rotzien	Vic & Roxanne Stynsky					
Tue. Mar 26	9:00 am	+Vi Cardinal	Dennis & Bonnie Mercer					
Wed. Mar 27	*6:30 pm*	+Wilf Perlinger	Joseph Fruhstruk					
Thurs Mar 28	*9:30 am* *7:30 pm*	+Marilyn O'Driscoll (School Mass) Parishioners of St. Vital	Fittkau family					
Fri. Mar 29	*3:00 pm*	Celebration of the Passion of the Lord						
Sat. Mar 30	*7:30 pm*	Int of Pope Francis & all the priests	Tony & Joan Lacoursiere					
Sun. Mar 31	10:30 am	+Bernard Albers	Fr. Roger Lavoie					
Sun. Mar 31 Delmas	9:00 am	Parishes of St. Vital &	St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle					

Parish Reconciliation Schedule March 25, 2024 7:00 pm - Monday St. Joseph Calasantius

Please continue to pray for our Confirmation and First Communion candidates as they prepare for the sacraments. Donations of Easter lilies to decorate the church would be appreciated.

Bring your bells on Holy Thursday to ring during the Gloria for the first time since Lent began.

Weekend Collection: Mar 16th & Mar 17th: \$

Auto Deposits for February: \$

Thank you to the Liturgy Committee for organizing Solidarity Sunday. Everyone enjoyed Deacon Rick Lucas's presentation. The potluck lunch was delicious. Thank you for all the donations of food for Onion Lake church.

Mass Ministries								
	Sat Mar 23	Sun Mar 24	Sat Mar 30	Sun Mar 31	Sat Apr 6	Sun Apr 7		
Greeters		CWL				Youth		
Lectors	B.A. Smart	CWL		C. Wakelin	J. Gentes	Youth		
Ushers	R. Smart	X	R. Smart	×	R. Smart	Х		
Eucharist		A. Lepitzki		R. Poulin		D. Mercer		
Power	L. Sather		M. Kozlowski		C.			
Point					Thompson			

St. Vital Parish Perogy Supper

Sunday, March 24 4:30 pm fellowship, 5:30 pm supper

Takeout: 4:30 pm - 5:00 pm Ticket Price: Adult \$20.00

Age 6-15 \$10.00 Family \$60.00

Tickets for the Perogy Supper are still available. They will be sold in the entrance of the church at both weekend Masses. Hope to see you there!

Vocation Corner - Passion Sunday (Palm Sunday) B

A Vocation View: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Blessed is she who gives her life in the name of the Lord. Blessed are they who live their united life in the name of the Lord.

Prayer: That in imitation of Christ who emptied Himself for our salvation, more men and women will share in His passion for souls through a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life, we pray to the Lord.

Action: RELIGIOUS ORDERS are receiving younger members and those who are more educated than those of previous years. In 2011, the average age of women professing perpetual vows was 39, 4 years younger than those surveyed the previous year. This was the first-year men were included in the survey and the average age of those entering Religious Orders was 42. When the participants were asked at what age they first considered a religious vocation, the average age was 19.

Next Knights of Columbus brunch April 7, 2024 - 10:00 - 12:00 Everyone is welcome!

Next Sacramental Preparation - Monday April 8 6:30 - 7:30 pm Holy Eucharist Meeting Part 2

Lost & Found

There is a basket on the counter in the church entrance by the sink. There are several children's mitts, a pair of ladies gloves, earrings, prescription glasses etc in this basket. If you lost any item please reclaim what belongs to you.

Friday March 22

6:00 - 6:30 - Adoration
6:30 - 7:00 pm Stations of the Cross
7:00 pm Walking with the Saints
Raymond Poulin
Jean Kozlowski - Hildegard
7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

HOLY WEEK & EASTER SCHEDULE 2024

Holy Thursday - March 28

Delmas: 5:45 pm St. Vital: 7:30 pm With adoration to follow

Good Friday - March 29

Delmas: 1:00 pm

St. Vital: Stations of the Cross: 2:30 pm
Good Friday Service: 3:00 pm

Easter Vigil: March 30 St. Vital: 7:30 pm

Easter Sunday - March 31

Delmas: 9:00 am St. Vital : 10:30 am

Easter Vigil Music

You are invited to join the music ministry for the Easter Vigil!

Practices: Monday March 18 @ 7:00 pm Monday March 25 @ 7:00 pm

For more information, contact Joan Harrison or Jean

Kozlowski: m.j.koz@sasktel.net

If you have old palms, bring them to the church by March 23.

These palms will be burned and used for Ash Wednesday next year

"Holy Week is the week which precedes the great Feast of the Resurrection on Easter Sunday: it includes the last days of Lent and the beginning of the Easter Triduum. During Holy Week, the Church celebrates the mysteries of salvation accomplished by Christ in the last days of his life on earth, beginning with his messianic entrance into Jerusalem."

**taken from 'Ordo: Liturgical Calendar 2023-2024' published by CCCB

Good Friday: Poor Man's Supper

After 3:00 pm service Everyone is welcome!