

St. Vital Roman Catholic Church

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& St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle, Delmas

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Parish Staff:

Parish Priest: Fr. Sebastian Kunnath
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 Parish Secretary: 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 every 2nd Thursday: 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

April 21st, 2024: 4th Sunday of Easter

Mass Intentions

Date:	Time:	Intention for:	Requested by:
Mon. Apr 22	9:00 am	Intentions of Ava Silvester	Mike & Connie Sapriken
Tue. Apr 23 School	<u>9:30 am</u> Mass	+ Jennifer Ochieng	St. Vital School & Staff
Wed. Apr 24	9:00 am	Intentions of Ron Gruending	Ray & Audry Blais
Thurs. Apr 25	9:00 am	+ Marilyn O'Driscoll	Verdeen Studney
Fri. Apr 26	9:00 am	+ Herb Weinmeyer	Vivian & Family
Sat. Apr 27	5:00 pm	+ Ron Studney	Deen & Family
Sun. Apr 28	10:30 am	Parishes of St. Vital &	St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle
Sun. Apr 28 Delmas	9:00 am	+ Mathew Dupuis	Gilbert & Terrie Michaud

Our Prayers and God's Healing Hands to all those who are sick at home, in the hospital, to those taking treatments and those recovering from surgery.

Please continue to pray for our Confirmation and First Communion candidates as they prepare for the sacraments.

Save the Date May 25, 2024

St. Vital Musical Program
 After 5:00 pm Mass.
 K of C are making supper.
 BBQ burgers and fries.
 Music by Dave McQuaid, his daughter Erin and John Chipak.
 More information to follow...

Weekend Collection:

Apr 13th & Apr 14th: \$1,037.00

 Auto Deposits for March: \$4,210.00

PRAYER SHAWL MEETING

Thursday, April 25 at 1:30 pm

Mass Ministries

	Sat Apr 20	Sun Apr 21	Sat Apr 27	Sun Apr 28	Sat May 4	Sun May 5
Greeters		K of C		CWL		Youth
Lectors	G. Crespo	K of C	H. Scott	CWL	D. Studney	Mass
Ushers	R. Smart	X	R. Smart	X	R. Smart	X
Eucharist		D. Mercer		A. Lepitzki		C. Scherman
Power Point	M. Kozlowski		L. Sather		C. Thompson	

Thank you to **St. Vital CWL** for funding the purchase of 2 new coffee urns (100 cup & 45 cup) at the cost of \$338.00. The 2 old urns were no longer heating efficiently and were discarded.

Vocation Corner - 4th Sunday of Easter - B

A Vocation View: This is World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The world needs worthy leaders, Good Shepherds of the 21st Century, caring unselfishly for the needs of God's people. Please, pray for Vocations.

Prayer: For all those called to lay down their lives as priests, deacons, and in the consecrated life, that they will be faithful witnesses to the Good Shepherd in our midst, we pray to the Lord.

Action: Our religious charisms, our communities, our way of life, and our very vocations are precious gifts that come with tremendous responsibilities. How will we share this responsibility and provide leadership and loving service with and for God's people into the future?

If anyone knows where the clear raffle cubed plexiglass ticket draw box is, please notify the parish office. It will be needed for future fund raisers.

Bishop Stephen Hero and the Diocesan Called & Gifted Team invite parishes to form an intercessory prayer team to lay a foundation of prayer for all of our parish ministries.

A presentation on this was given April 7 in the Diocese. If you would like to watch this recording call Christine at 306-922-4747, ext 227 for the link.

Follow-up Session: Praying Through the Parish Bulletin: Forming Your Parish Intercessory Team: via Zoom, with Mary Martin, on Tuesday, April 30, from 7 - 9 pm.

To form a Parish Intercessory Team, participants are asked to speak first with their pastor.

Three or more participants will form the parish intercessory team, bring the weekly bulletin and join in the Zoom session together on April 30.

There will be a time of prayer for the teams. A Diocesan Prayer Team booklet will be provided.

**The Pope's Prayer Intention:
For the Role of Women**

We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

Called and Gifted Introductory Workshop - North Battleford

The Called & Gifted (C & G) Introductory workshop is the first of three steps in the C & G Discernment Process. During this five-session workshop you will learn the Church's ancient teaching on charisms, the steps for discerning your God-given charisms, and how discerning your charisms can change your life, parish and community. The C&G Workshop is for anyone wishing to discern the unique gifts God has given them and to discover where and how they are called to use these charisms.

The in person workshop in North Battleford will be offered **Friday, May 3, from 7 - 9pm (session 1) and Saturday, May 4, from 9 am - 4 pm (Sessions 2 - 5)**

The C & G Discernment Process participants resource provides content for the 3 step discernment process and insights into the characteristics of 24 of the most common charisms. PLUS, access to complete your own gifts inventory online through the Catherine Siena Institute, the process developer. The resource book with access to the online gifts inventory costs \$60.00 per participant. **Each participant must purchase their own book to access the online gifts inventory.

The resource book can also be picked up on the evening of the first session (payment of cash, cheque, or e-transfer to officeprogramsgr@padiocese.ca prior to the first session). Call Nicole at 306-922-4747 extension 228 to purchase your book. There is a \$5.00 fee for books that need to be mailed.

Coffee and cookies will be provided during the breaks. Participants are asked to bring a bag lunch on the Saturday. For more information, contact Tammy Iverson via email at tammy.iverson62gmail.com or 306-441-2063

Attention musicians: Joan Harrison is retiring from the duties of recruiting musicians for the Masses at St. Vital. We have so many talented people in our parish please help us make the transition for continued music ministry in our parish. We need your support. Thank you Joan for sharing your musical talents with us, we appreciate you.

BDCC's Recreation Department is pleased to invite you to their Spring Tea & Fundraiser Event. It will take place on Thursday, May 9, 2024 with a Bake Sale starting at 1:30 pm. The Come & Go Tea (silver collection) and Music Entertainment will begin at 2:30 pm and you will have a chance to purchase Raffle Tickets throughout the afternoon. Should you wish to donate to their bake sale, please contact the Rec Department at 306-446-6922

**Battling without a Shield?
May the Faith be with you!!
Boost your defenses!**

**at the R.C. Diocese of Prince Albert!
Youth Rally!**

May 4th, 2024: St John Community School
1453 -7th Street East

Prince Albert, Sk

9:30 am - 7:00 pm

Register Online at:

<https://www.padiocese.ca/youth-ministry>

Registration fee \$35.00

Grade 7 and up

For more info contact: youth@padiocese.ca

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