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 Staff:

Parish Priest: Fr. Manh Nguyen
In case of EMERGENCY call (306) 980-0196
Parish Secretary: Connie Sapriken

CONFESSIONS:

30 minutes before Saturday or Weekday Mass or call Fr. Manh 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:

Tuesday-Friday: 9 am unless otherwise noted

Weekend:

Saturday: 5 pm Sunday: 10:30 am

MONTHLY MEETINGS

K of C & CWL

1st Tuesday 2nd Thursday

Mass @ 6:30 pm Followed by meeting

September 8th, 2024: 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions Date: Time: Intention for: Requested by: **NO MASS** Tue. Sept 10 **NO MASS** Wed. Sept 11 Thurs Sept 12 10:00 am Mass at Battlefords District Care *6:30 pm* Int of CWL Living & Deceased St. Vital CWL Fri. Sept 13 9:00 am +Marilyn O'Driscoll Brett Bielecki & Anna Graw Intentions of Fr Sebastian Sat . Sept 14 Ken & Fran Schwark 5:00 pm Sun. Sept 15 10:30 am Int of Lionel Etcheverry & Family **Dennis & Bonnie Mercer** Sun. Sept 15 9:00 am St. Vital Parish & St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle **Delmas**

Liturgy Committee News

At Masses this weekend, we will be distributing a handout of 'Descriptions of Ministries' in our parish that need volunteers. Please look it over and consider how you can contribute to the needs of our parish.

Next weekend we will have sign-up sheets available.

Weekend Collection:

Aug 31st & Sept 1st: \$1,448.50

Auto Deposits for August: \$4,270.00

The Chosen Bible Study

Last spring we looked at Season one of "The Chosen". This fall we are going to do Season two. There are 8 episodes. The sessions will be held at the same time and place as they were last spring. It will be Wednesday mornings from 10:00 - 12:00, at the church, starting September 18 until November 6.

Coffee and treats will be served.

If you are interested in attending, please call or text Lorna Sather @ 306-441-7795 to register.

Mass Ministries

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	Sat Sep 7	Sun Sep 8	Sat Sep 14	Sun Sep 15	Sat Sep 21	Sun Sep 22
Greeters		Schwark		K of C		CWL
Lectors	J. Gentes	Family	N. Nichol	K of C	G. Crespo	CWL
Ushers	R. Smart	X	R. Smart	X	R. Smart	X
Eucharist		C. Scherman		R. Poulin		A. Lepitzki
Power	X		X		X	
Point						

<u>Vocation Corner</u> 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time - B

A Vocation View: Has not God chosen the poor of the world to inherit the kingdom? Chosen to be rich in faith. So take heart, be not afraid, and consider your part in God's Kingdom.

Prayer: For a deeper dedication among Catholic families to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life among their children, believing that Christ opens ears to hear His call and hearts to answer Him, we pray to the Lord. **Action:** CHILDREN OFTEN TALK about what they want to be "when they grow up": doctors, lawyers, athletes, nurses, movie stars, teachers, and carpenters. They may talk about these roles, but do they ever talk about being a priest, sister or brother? You are the hand of God - you can encourage your children to consider Church ministry.

Fr. Manh will be attending a Vietnamese Conference in Vancouver Sept 10 - 11. No week day Masses on those days.

St. Vital CWL Members

Notre Dame CWL is hosting the CWL Fall Regional Workshop. They wish to invite the members to join them on Saturday September 28th.

Registration is from 9:00 - 9:30 am at Notre Dame Church North Battleford. The cost for lunch is \$10.00, no charge for the day. The workshop is titled Women of Peace and Hope

Please register with Rose Balfour at 306-481-4643 or balfourrose58@gmail.com
You can pay once you arrive but they need the numbers before hand for lunch and coffee breaks.

with the celebration of Mass and some other

activities during the day.

Let us go in simplicity, where merciful Providence leads us, content to see the stone on which we should step, without wanting to discover, all at once and completely, the windings of the road –

Bl. Frédéric Ozanam

St. Vital Catholic Parish

Is seeking a skilled, ethical, confident individual to provide comprehensive clerical and pastoral care duties in our

Parish Office, on a part-time basis
(10 hours per week, 2-5 hour days.)
For further information on responsibilities and how to apply please contact Fr. Manh at the Parish Office.

Applications close September 19, 2024.

St. Vital Youth Choir

An invitation is extended to youth in our parish who are interested in this choir.

Join in singing for Masses on the

first Sunday of each month,
beginning Sunday, October 6th.
Commitment to attend practices and attendance at
these Masses is necessary.
Theresa Eppich will be
leading the choir.

The Pope's Prayer intention for September For the cry of the earth

We pray that each one of us will hear and take heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.

Upcoming Events

Knights of Columbus brunch - Sunday Sept 8, 10:00 - 12:00

Mass at BDCC- Sept 12 @ 10:00 am

CWL meeting: - Sept 12, Mass 6:30 pm, meeting 7:00 pm

Finance meeting Wednesday Sept 18th @ 7:00 pm

St. Vital School Mass Tuesday Sept 24th @ 9:20 am

Parish Council meeting - Sept 25th @ 7:00 pm

Mass at BDCC - Sept 26th @ 10:00 am

<u>Our Prayers and God's Healing Hands</u> to all those who are sick at home, in the hospital, to those taking treatments, recovering from surgery and mental health issues.

Catholic Family Services Week

September 9th - 13th

This week is dedicated to recognizing and honoring the incredible work the staff does to support and empower individuals and families in the community.

A community where every person can reach their full potential. See bulletin board for details of the week.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD r.vineyards@sasktel.net

Are you hurting because of an abortion? Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew, rebuild and redeem hearts broken by abortion. Weekend retreats offer you a supportive, confidential and non-judgmental environment where women and men can express, relase and reconcile painful post-abortive emotions to begin the process of restoration, renewal and healing. To speak to someone confidentially, please contact Elaine at (306) 480-8911 or email:

<u>r.vineyardsk@sasktel.net</u> RACHEL'S VINEYARD 2024 RETREAT Rachel's Vineyard Ministries of SK Retreat Date: October 4, 5:00 pm - October 6, 4:00 pm