

St. Vital Roman Catholic Church

11-18th Street East (Box 58), Battleford, Sk. S0M 0E0

& St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle, Delmas

Parish Office Info:

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Parish Staff:

Parish Priest: Fr. Manh Nguyen
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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:

Tuesday-Friday: 9 am unless otherwise noted
Weekend:
 Saturday: 5 pm Sunday: 10:30 am



CONFESSIONS:

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

MONTHLY MEETINGS

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

January 12, 2025: The Baptism of the Lord

Mass Intentions

Date:	Time:	Intention for:	Requested by:
Mon. Jan 13	9:00 am	Liturgy of the Word with Communion	
Tues. Jan 14	9:00 am	Liturgy of the Word with Communion	
Wed. Jan 15	9:00 am	Liturgy of the Word with Communion	
Thur. Jan 16	9:00 am	Liturgy of the Word with Communion	
Fri. Jan 17	9:00 am	Liturgy of the Word with Communion	
Sat. Jan 18	5:00 pm	+George Boser	Ivan & Marian Braan & family
Sun. Jan 19	10:30 am	Parishes of St. Vital &	St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle
Sun. Jan 19 <u>Delmas</u>	9:00 am	+Celine Armstrong	Gilbert & Terrie Michaud

Fr. Manh will be away on vacation
 January 6th - February 7th. He is going home to Vietnam
 to visit his family.
 Please pray for a safe trip.

Have a happy and relaxing holiday Fr. Manh!

Weekend Collection:

Jan 4th & Jan 5th: \$

 Auto Deposits for December: \$

SACRAMENTS: Baptism: To register for baptism
 classes, call Fr. Manh 306-980-0196, **Anointing of
 the Sick:** If you know someone who cannot get out
 and be anointed, contact Fr. Manh and he will go to
 their home and anoint them. **Marriage:** Requires a 6
 month notice. Those who wish to prepare for an
 upcoming wedding, are encouraged to talk to Fr. Manh
 as soon as possible. **Confessions:** 30 minutes before
 the week-day Mass or call Fr. Manh.

Mass Ministries

	Sat Jan 11	Sun Jan 12	Sat Jan 18	Sun Jan 19	Sat Jan 25	Sun 26
Greeters	R. Smart	Confirmands	R. Smart	K of C	R. Smart	CWL
Lectors/ Commentators	G. Crespo J. Gentes L. Sather	Confirmands	M. Kozlowski J. Kozlowski C. Thompson	K of C	D. Studney P. Poulin L. Sather	CWL
Ushers/ collection/proc of gifts	R. Smart M. Smart D. Simon	Confirmands	R. Smart M. Smart J. Basler	K of C	R. Smart M. Smart J. Basler	CWL
Eucharist/Cup	R. Poulin D. Studney W. Bidyk	A. Lepitski C. Scherman R. Stynsky	R. Poulin D. Studney	K of C	R. Poulin	CWL
Music	Team 1	Team 4	J. Harrison	Team 6	Team 1	Team 5

Bishop's Annual Appeal:

"Bring Your Gifts to the Altar"

October 27, 2024 - December 31, 2024

Our Parish Goal is - \$19,737.00

As of Jan 7 we have 47 pledges.

\$18,952.00

St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle, Delmas

As of Jan 7

we have 6 pledges

\$4,550.00

Every gift is greatly appreciated!

Due to the Canada Post mail strike, the Bishop's Annual Appeal will continue until January 31, 2025. If writing a cheque, date the cheque December 31, 2024.

Please consider the 2024 Bishop's Annual Appeal a choice for your donations for 2024.

The Battlefords Marriage Prep Team is very pleased to offer a Marriage Prep Week-end happening on April 4th & 5th at St. Vital Church, Battleford. If you would like a full itinerary, have any questions or would like to register, please email Fr. Greg @ gregelder@padiocese.ca.

**Knights of Columbus have freshly made sausage for sale after Mass or from the parish office.
\$10.00 / pack**

St. Paul's Feast Day Mass & Fundraising Dinner will be at St. Joseph Calasanctius - 1942-98th St. North Battleford on Saturday January 25, 2025
Mass - 10:30 am
Dinner - 12:00 pm
Tickets are available in the office. See bulletin board for more details.

The Chosen Bible Study

Last fall we looked at Season 2 of "The Chosen".

After Christmas we are going to continue with Season 3. This time we are going to do them Tues mornings after Mass, around 9:30 - 11:30 am.

They will start Tues Jan 7 until Feb 25.

Coffee and snacks will be served. If you are interested in attending, or have any questions, please text Lorna Sather @ 306-441-7795 to register.

Vocation Corner - Baptism of the Lord - C
A Vocation View: "You are my beloved child," says the Lord! Continue your Baptismal call by baptizing others in the Holy Spirit and Fire.
Prayer: That during this week, all Catholics will deepen their responsibility to foster vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life among our young people, through prayer and by inviting them to consider that call, we pray to the Lord.
Action: A STUDY of Catholic young people in the United States and Canada showed that 75% feel they were never encouraged to pursue the religious life.

Upcoming Events

**January 12th - Knights of Columbus Brunch
10:00 am - Noon.**

January 14th - Sacramental Prep 6:30 pm - 7:30

January 24th - Tri Parish Youth Group at St. Vital

January 30th - Prayer Shawl meeting 1:30 pm

New **2025** Sunday Collection Envelopes are ready for pickup in the church entrance. If you prefer to use Auto-Deposit in place of envelopes, the required forms are on the table. Just fill one in & return to the office.

Diocesan Special Collections envelopes for Auto Deposit users are available there as well.

Our goal is God, the source of all good. Place your trust in God and in no one else. - St. Jerome Emiliani

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**The Pope's prayer intention for January:
For the right to an education**

Let us pray for migrants, refugees and those affected by war, that their right to an education, which is necessary to build a better world, might always be respected.