### 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

# March 16th, 2025: 2nd Sunday of Lent

### **Mass Intentions** Date: Time: Intention for: Requested by: Tues. Mar 18 9:00 am Intentions of Karen Caldwell **Bob & Dorothy Caldwell** Wed. Mar 19 9:00 am +Marcel Lavertu Ray & Pauline Poulin Thur. Mar 20 9:00 am +Henri Poirier **Margaret Kite** 10:00 am **Battlefords District Care Center** Fri. Mar 21 9:00 am **Intentions of Cletus Scherman** St. Vital CWL Sat. Mar 22 **Intentions of Oliver & Paxton** 5:00 pm Paul & Sonja Pellerin Sun. Mar 23 10:30 am Parishes of St. Vital & St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle Intentions of Bernard & Louise Prince Florence Beausoleil Sun. Mar 23 9:00 am <u>Delmas</u>

Congratulations to the winners of the prize baskets at the Fish Fry on Friday March 7<sup>th</sup>.

- 1. Phyllis Blakeney
- 2. Joan Hornung
- 3. Donna Poitras

### Weekend Collection:

Mar 8th & Mar 9th : \$

Auto Deposits for February: \$

ALENTEN RETREAT - a spiritual retreat for Spiritual Growth and Healing

St. Joseph Calasanctius Parish North Battleford Saturday, April 12, 2025

10:00 - 3:30 pm Registration 9:30 - 10:00 am Register by Wednesday April 9, 2025 See bulletin board for details.

CWL 2025 membership fees are due. \$35.00 Thank you to those who have paid.

## Mass Ministries

	Sat Mar 15	Sun Mar 16	Sat Mar 22	Sun Mar 23	Sat Mar 29	Sun Mar 30
Greeters	R. Smart	K of C	R. Smart	CWL	R. Smart	C. Sapriken
Lectors/ Commentators	G. Crespo C. Thompson L. Sather	K of C	J. Gentes M. Kozlowski J. Kozlowski	CWL	Volunteers	
Ushers/ collection/proc of gifts	D. Hilsendager R. Smart J. Basler (gifts) P. Reiter (gifts)	K of C	D. Hilsendager R. Smart M. Smart D. Simon	CWL	Volunteers	
Eucharist/Cup	R. Poulin	K of C		CWL	R. Poulin	
Music	Team 1	C. Swerid	Team 1	J. Harrison	Team 1	A. Francais

<u>Upcoming Events</u>

March 20 - Mass at BDCC - 10:00 am March 21st - Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm Led by CWL

March 26th Parish Council Meeting 7:00 pm March 27<sup>th</sup> - Prayer Shawl meeting 1:30 pm March 28th - Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm Led by Knights of Columbus

April 3<sup>rd</sup> - Mass by BDCC 10:00 am

April 4th - Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm Led by Finance Council

April 1st - Mass 6:30 pm followed by K of C meeting @ 7:00 pm

April 4<sup>th</sup> & April 5<sup>th</sup> Marriage Prep

April 8<sup>th</sup> - Sacramental Prep meeting 6:30 - 7:30

April 10th - Mass 6:30 pm followed by CWL meeting @ 7:00 pm

April 11th - Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm Led by the Youth Group

April 15<sup>th</sup> - Chrism Mass in Prince Albert 6:00 pm April 17th Mass at BDCC 10:00 am

Holy Week & Easter Schedule 2025

Holy Thursday - April 17

St. Vital - 7:30 pm

Good Friday - April 18

Delmas: 1:00 pm

St. Vital: Stations of the Cross: 2:30 pm

Good Friday Service: 3:00 pm

Easter Vigil: April 19 St. Vital: 7:30 pm

Easter Sunday - April 20

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

December 10 - 18th during the 2025 Jubilee Holy Year. Visit the 7 Jubilee churches, the Sistine Chapel, the Vatican museum and the Catacombs. the home of St. Francis where Mass will be celebrated. Come and learn more about this exciting Pilgrimage. Join us for detailed Presentations at: St. Micahel Parish 1505-13th Street West, Prince Albert, SK.

Monday March 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm

Pilgrimage to Rome, Vatican City and Assisi from Free time to see the sights of Rome. Travel to Assisi,

### Vocation Corner - Second Sunday of Lent - C

A Vocation View: After the transfiguration, Peter, John and James wanted to stay up the mountain. But Jesus said, "Move," with the knowledge that ships are safe in harbors, but not meant to stay in harbors.

**Prayer:** That all our priests, who bring us to the mountain of Christ at every Mass, and feed us with His transforming love in the sacraments, will be strengthened in their life and mission, we pray to the Lord.

Action: MISSIONS - You can learn more about Pontifical Mission Societies, including the Society for the Propagation for the Faith, at onefamilyinmission.org

### St. Vital Parish

Journey through Lent 2025: "Hope does not disappoint us? (Romans 5:5) With Fr. Manh Nguyen

For only Four Tuesdays at 9:45 - 10:30 am

- 1. Tues March 18: A Catholic Response to Medical in Dying 2. Tues April 1: The Last Things: What happens after we
- 3. Tues April 8: The Paschal Mystery: The Mystery of Jesus' death and Resurrection

### Schools Reconciliation 2025

Tues Mar 25 - St. Mary Community School 9:30 am 10:00 am Notre Dame School

6:30 pm for sacramental preparation candidates and their families at Notre Dame Parish

Wed Mar 26 - Holy Family School 9:30 am

EMBM - 1:30 pm

St. Joseph sacramental preparation candidates and their families 6:30 pm

Wed Apr 2 - JPII - 9:45 am

1:30 pm St. Vital School

Tues Apr 8 - St. Vital sacramental preparation candidates and their families 6:30 pm

### Parish Reconciliation

Wed April 2 - Notre Dame 7:00 pm - Fr. Tai, Fr. Millan and Fr. Manh

Thurs April 3 - St. Joseph 7:00 pm - Fr. Fai, Fr. Millan, Fr. Greg and Fr. Manh

Wed April 9 - St. Vital 7:00 pm - Fr. Tai, Fr. Millan and Fr. Manh

A gigantic thank you to everyone who helped make the St. Vital Parish Fish Fry spearheaded by the Knights of Columbus a smashing success! By enthusiastically and joyfully working together members of St. Vital Parish, Battleford community, CWL, our energetic youth and K of C produced an outstanding meal and a fun filled evening. The basket raffle was a huge success thanks to those who donated prizes and sold tickets. A gigantic thank you to Trevor Watts of Eternal Memories Funeral Service for a donation of \$1000.00. Approximately \$4000.00 from the Fish Fry, all the proceeds will go to the fence repair at the rectory. Thank you to Fr. Manh for filleting some fish and helping in the kitchen. Thank you to everyone who bought tickets and attended. Without you there would be no success!

### The Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen