# 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:**

Phone: (306) 937-7340 Fax: (306) 937-3235

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### **Parish Staff:**

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

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### **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

# April 6th, 2025: 5th Sunday of Lent

#### **Mass Intentions** Date: Time: Intention for: Requested by: 9:00 am Tues. Apr 8 **Intentions of Bryce Hall** Vic & Roxanne Stynsky Wed. Apr 9 9:00 am +Del Naigle **Ben & Darcy Elias** Thur. Apr 10 \*9:30 am\* Int of the Poulsen Children & Ken & Kelley Poulsen Grandchildren (St. Vital School Mass) Fri. Apr 11 9:00 am Int of Archbishop Emeritus Sylvain Lavoie Raymond & Rozalie Lacoursiere Sat. Apr 12 5:00 pm +Jennifer Ochieng **Gwen Friesen** Sun. Apr 13 10:30 am Parishes of St. Vital & St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle Intentions of Bernard & Louise Prince Apr 13 9:00 am **Estelle Baillargeon** Sun <u>Delmas</u>

# St. Vital Parish Journey through Lent 2025: With Fr. Manh Nguyen

Tues April 8: The Paschal Mystery: The Mystery of

Jesus' death and Resurrection

# Weekend Collection: Mar 29th & Mar 30th : \$

Auto Deposits for March: \$

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 Apr 5	Sun Apr 6	Sat Apr 12	Sun Apr 13	Sat Apr 19	Sun Apr 20
Greeters	R. Smart	Youth Mass	R. Smart	Schwark	Holy Saturday	Easter Sunday
Lectors/ Commentators	D. Studney J. Gentes M. Kozolowski	Youth Mass	M. Kozlowski J. Kozlowski L. Sather	Family	Volunteers Volunteers	Volunteers Volunteers
Ushers/ collection/proc of gifts	D. Hilsendager R. Smart M. Smart(gifts) D. Simon(gifts)	Youth Mass	D. Hilsendager R. Smart M. Smart D. Simon	Schwark Family	Sign up sheets in the entrance of the church	Sign up sheets in the entrance of the church
Eucharist/Cup	R. Poulin L. Etcheverry	B. Mercer D. Oborowsky B. O'Driscoll	R. Poulin D. Studney	C. Scherman R. Poulin D. Mercer		
Music	Team 1	T. Eppich	Team 1			

### Upcoming Events

April 6<sup>th</sup> - K of C Brunch 10:00 - 12:00 April 8<sup>th</sup> - Sacramental Prep meeting 6:30 - 7:30 April 10<sup>th</sup> - Mass-9:30 am ( St. Vital School Mass) April 10th - CWL meeting 7:00 pm April 11th - Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm Led by the Youth Group

April 15th - Chrism Mass in Prince Albert 6:00 pm April 17th Mass at BDCC - 10:00 am April 24the - Prayer Shawl meeting 1:30 pm April 25<sup>th</sup> - Tri Parish Youth Group - 6:30 pm April 30<sup>th</sup> - Parish Council Meeting - 7:00 pm May 1st - Mass at BDCC-10:00 am May 5<sup>th</sup> - May 9<sup>th</sup> - Priests annual retreat May 15<sup>th</sup> - Mass at BDCC - 10:00 am May 27<sup>th</sup> - St. Vital School Mass 9:30 am May 29th - Mass at BDCC 10:00 am May 30th - Mass 6:30 pm followed by Living Rosary

# Holy Week & Easter Schedule 2025

Holy Thursday - April 17 Delmas - 5:00 pm 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

Pilgrimage to Rome, Vatican City and Assisi from December 10 - 18th during the 2025 Jubilee Holy Year. Visit the 7 Jubilee churches, the Sistine Chapel, the Vatican museum and the Catacombs. Free time to see the sights of Rome. Travel to Assisi, the home of St. Francis where Mass will be celebrated. Come and learn more about this exciting Pilgrimage. Join us for detailed Presentation at: St. Joseph Calasanctius Parish 1942-98<sup>th</sup> Street, North Battleford, Sk Wednesday April 9th at 7:00 pm

Everyone is welcome to a beautiful Lenten service in English on Wednesdays during Lent at 7:00 pm. All Saints Ukrainian Catholic Church 902-108th St. North Battleford. Fr. Leonid will be available at 6:00 pm to hear confessions. Stations of the Cross on Fridays at 7:00 pm during Lent. Everyone is welcome.

# Employment Opportunity: Finance Officer for the Roman Catholic Diocese of Prince Albert

This position is responsible for the financial administration and management of the diocese. This position is responsible to prepare an annual budget, have a working knowledge of the Sage Accounting Program, responsible for payroll and deductions, reconcile financial statements, responsible for accounts payable, liaise with the insurance company, complete grant applications and knowledge of business practices would be considered. Contact Fr. Michael Fahlman at (306) 922-4747 ext 226 or submit a resume, chancellor@padiocese.ca by April 11. 2025

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

A Vocation View: Lent is six weeks of being serious about forgiveness and knowing we are loved. Who will step forward to tell of God's great love for us?

Prayer: That priests, deacons, sisters and brothers who, for the sake of Christ have suffered the loss of all things, will flourish in their vocations and bring many souls to the knowledge of salvation, we pray to the Lord.

Action: There is no identity-and consequently joy of lifewithout an active and unwavering sense of belonging to God's faithful people...Go out and give your people what was entrusted to you, for your people will make you feel and taste who you are, what your name is, what your identity is, and they will make you rejoice in that hundredfold which the Lord has promised to those who serve him.

Pope Francis, Holy Chrism Mass, Holy Thursday homily, 2014

### National/Diocesan Collections -Development and Peace -

On the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent, a collection is taken up for developing countries. Christians are urged to share their goods with others and thus express in a concrete way their desire to come closer to God and all God's children as a result of their Lenten efforts.

# Schools Reconciliation 2025

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

# Parish Reconciliation

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

The Chrism Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, April 15, 2025 at 6:30 pm at Sacred Heart Cathedral in Prince Albert. In this Jubilee Year we are encouraged to have each parish send a family who would receive the oils from the Bishop at the end of the Celebration. All parishioners are welcome to attend and take part in this celebration. Please see Fr. Manh for more details.

For all who suffer, find the people capable of hearing them, caring for them and loving them and may your Spirit guide their words and their acts. For the medical personnel, the volunteers serving the sick and all those who help, Lord, grant them the strength, the patience, the perseverance and the tenderness in their delicate mission, We pray to the Lord.

> Sister Rita & Circle of Friends presents a Tribute to Don Williams, Friday, May 2, 2025 St. André's Church

1301-112 Street North Battleford, Sk Proceeds go to:

Catholic Family services and Battlefords District Food & Resource Centre

Have you ever thought about being a Permanent Deacon and have questions? Save the date...April 11th, at 7:30 Diaconal Information Social

St. Andre Apotre Parish

1301-112<sup>th</sup> Street. North Battleford.

Who's invited?.. Everyone, but especially any interested man between the ages of 41-65 along with his wife.

For more information call: Deacon Rick Lucas 1-306-922-4747 ext 254 or permanentdiaconate@padiocese.ca