

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sun Feb 11	9:00am Mass in Zenon Park For Madeleine Marchildon 11:00am Mass in Arborfield For the people
Mon Feb 12	Fr Travis' day off
Tues Feb 13	9:00am Mass in Zenon Park For Famille Pelletier/Dion
Wed Feb 14	Ash Wednesday 5:00pm Mass in Zenon Park <u>Ash Wednesday</u> 7:00pm Mass in Carrot River For †Agatha Brochu <u>Ash Wednesday</u> 9:00pm Mass in Arborfield <i>Michelle in office</i>
Thurs Feb 15	6:00pm Adoration in Carrot River 7:00pm Mass in Carrot River For †Albert Norrish
Fri Feb 16	10:00am Mass in Arborfield Care Home 7:00pm Adoration in Zenon Park 8:00pm Mass in Zenon Park For Renée Marchildon
Sat Feb 17	5:00pm Mass in Carrot River For †AndréLaforge
Sun Feb 18	9:00am Mass in Zenon Park For Deceased Family Members 11:00am Mass in Arborfield For the people

*****Come pray the rosary in Zenon Park 1/2 hour before mass begins*****

Responsabilité	11 février	18 février	25 février
Accueil	Armand/Karen M	Louise S / Gilles P	Michel F / Rita H
Lectures	Jacqueline C / Diane L	Monica F / Sylvia D	Beatrice F / Ron W
Offrandes	Michel & Beatrice F	Armand / Karen M	Louis-Arthur L/Louise D
Communion	Louise D / Colette M	Linda P / Diane L	Clem D / Monica F
Servants	Luc / Pascal	Moise/ Luc	Pascal / Moise
Quête	Clem D / Martin C	Clem P / Joel M	Simon P / Denis M

Last week's collection total: \$930.50

Thank-you / Merci!!!

The 2017 donation tax receipts are ready and can be picked up at the back of the church. Parishioners of Paroisse Notre Dame de la Nativité donated a total of \$43,915.00 in 2017!!



Annonces et Activités

Did you know??? You can view the Sunday bulletin online? Check it out!!

<http://www.zenonpark.com/index.php/en/village-services/church>

Our three parishes now have a website! <https://pasquiacatholic.com/>



Check it out!! Google: *Find A Grave Zenon Park*

Please remember that this is a work in progress... There is still more information to be inputted in this project but please check your families' memorial page and send any corrections or additions by email to ddlang@sasktel.net.

The Annual Diocesan Charismatic Conference will be Saturday, **March 3 at St. Michael Church** in Prince Albert (1505 – 13th Street West), from 8:30am to 6:30pm. It will include talks by John Connelly and Christy Dupuis, Adoration, Reconciliation, Mass and Praise and Worship. Adults \$30, ages 12-18 \$10 and families \$50.00. Please submit the registration form at the back of your church early.

WOMEN'S SILENT RETREAT - Queen's House of Retreat, Saskatoon, SK

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Saskatoon and Regina Sections of Regnum Christi are hosting a Women's Silent Retreat, **March 9-11, 2018. 'Ignatian Spiritual Exercises'**. Cost is \$325.00: Students \$150.00. *Earlybird \$250.00* by Jan. 15. If you have questions, or wish to register contact: Tanya Waslen at 306-343-1915, or email to the above link.

ST. EUGENE PARISH - Nipawin, SK

A Lenten Retreat on the Great Triduum

Recovering the Alleluia of Easter! with *Archbishop Emeritus Sylvian Lavoie, OMI.*

Day 1 - **Sunday, March 11, 2018** - Preach at 11 a.m. Mass - Mission 1 begins at 7 p.m.

Day 2 - **Monday, March 12, 2018** - Mass at 6:30 p.m. - Mission 2 begins at 7 p.m.

Day 3 - **Tuesday, March 13, 2018** - Mission 3 begins at 6:30 p.m. in conjunction with celebrating Lenten Penitential Service.

Everyone Welcome.

DEANERY MEETINGS, SPRING 2018

Please join us for the Extended Deanery Meeting in your area.

March 17, 2018 (Deanery 2) Tisdale-(Parish hall lower level)

Registration 9:00 am to 10:00 am

Meeting 10:00 am to 3:00 pm

These meetings will help deepen our understanding of what it is to be an Intentional Disciple of Christ. We welcome you to join us to reflect and commit ourselves to the mission given to us.

ANNUAL SASKATCHEWAN PRO-LIFE CONVENTION - Prince Albert, SK

Save the Date: April 13 & 14, 2018. The Annual Saskatchewan Pro-Life Convention. Join us for a dynamic weekend, where we will delve into the beauty of life, *especially at it's final stages*, and learn real ways to accompany the most vulnerable of society

EVANGELIZATION & CATECHESIS

<http://catechetics@padiocese.ca>

As part of the **Forming Intentional Disciples** initiative, Fr. Richard Leonard, s.j., author, educator, and critic of our modern culture, has been invited to present in the Diocese on his latest work. From the inside front cover of the book:

What Does It All Mean? A Guide to Being More Faithful, Hopeful, and Loving: Explores the grounds for faith, the challenges in believing, the problem of evil, and offers lifetime lesson for prayer and the spiritual life.

First presentation: **Prince Albert** - Saturday, **April 21** (10 a.m. to 3 p.m.) at **E. A. Rawlinson Center** (\$25/person, lunch & breaks included).

Second presentation: **North Battleford** - Sunday, **April 22** (12:30 to 4:30 p.m.) at **Light of Christ Learning Center** (\$10/person, coffee break included)

A **Third presentation** will focus on the presence of God in our suffering. Monday, **April 23** from 6:30 to 8:30. Location TBA.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES - Dublin, Ireland

<http://www.206tours.com/wmof/>

Aug. 20 - 27, 2018. See the above link for tour details.

Long known as the "Isle of Saints and Scholars", Ireland was the epicenter of Christian learning while the rest of Europe was in the Dark Ages. As the home of Saints Patrick, Bridget, Columba, and many more, Ireland also provides many faith-based attractions- from the Book of Kells, (an elaborately scripted 9th-century version of the Four Gospels), to the Knock Shrine (a leading Marian pilgrimage site), historic abbeys, cathedrals, churches, and high crosses.

A Prayer for World Day of the Sick

Mary, our Mother,

In Christ you welcome each of us as a son or daughter.

Sustain the trusting expectation of our hearts,

Succour us in our infirmities and sufferings,

And guide us to Christ, your Son and our brother.

Help us to entrust ourselves to the Father who accomplishes great things. Amen.

« Pour aider notre peuple à redécouvrir le Christ le Verbe de Dieu incarné parce que nous sommes tous appelés à la sainteté. »

Msgr Albert Thévenot, M. Afr.



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Le 11 février - 6^e dimanche du temps ordinaire
February 11th – 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Audaces

L'Évangile de ce dimanche nous donne une image bien particulière du Christ. Prenons le temps de le contempler et demandons-nous en quoi nous pouvons l'imiter. Ce qui est premier pour lui, c'est la communion entre chacune et chacun de nous. Dieu veut que nous soyons heureux. Il ne veut pas qu'il y ait des exclusions. La mission du Christ, c'est de rassembler dans l'unité.

Jésus n'hésite pas à transgresser certaines lois bien établies. Sans renier sa foi, il fait un pas de plus en allant au-delà des lois qui produisent des exclusions.

Jésus agit de manière responsable. N'avons-nous pas déjà, nous aussi, transgressé certaines lois, par exemple en faisant un excès de vitesse pour aller conduire un ami à l'hôpital. Jésus ne cherche pas son intérêt personnel, il est venu apporter à tous le salut.

Le lépreux, homme d'audace, se tourne avec confiance vers le Christ. Il est sûr qu'il sera purifié. Il crie sa foi : « Si tu le veux, tu peux me guérir. » Jésus va poser un geste surprenant : il étend sa main et le touche. Enfreignant ainsi la loi, il devient un exclu. Il ne craint pas de prendre le risque de le rencontrer, il ne s'esquive pas devant la souffrance. Jésus accepte de vivre le rejet et prend sur lui « la mort » du lépreux en lui donnant la vie. Il lui rend sa dignité humaine.

Regardons autour de nous les différents types d'exclusion : le racisme, la violence, la précarité, la pauvreté et j'en passe et des meilleurs. Prendre le Christ pour modèle, c'est choisir d'être solidaire avec les malades, les prisonniers, les marginaux et les « maganés » de l'existence. Vous désirez rencontrer le Christ, c'est vers eux qu'il nous faut aller.

Jésus nous entraîne vers l'essentiel : l'amour du prochain. Il nous rappelle de laisser battre notre cœur au même rythme que celui de son Père céleste et ainsi nous redonnerons vie à la communauté humaine.

Sachons que le Christ nous rejoint là où nous sommes. Nous allons tendre la main dans quelques instants pour recevoir le corps du Christ, à qui allons-nous tendre la main cette semaine?

Yvon Cousineau, c.s.c