

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sat Apr 7 **7:30pm Mass in Zenon Park (lay led)**
 Sun Apr 8 9:00 am Mass in Arborfield
 11:00am Mass in Carrot River
 Mon Apr 9 *Fr Travis' day off*
 Tues Apr 10 *Fr Travis away*
 Wed Apr 11 **9:00am Mass in Zenon Park For †Gilles Favreau
 Michelle in office**
 Thurs Apr 12 6:00pm Adoration in Carrot River
 7:00pm Mass in Carrot River **For Sr Therese St.Pierre**
 Fri Apr 13 10:00am Mass Arborfield Care Home
 Sat Apr 14 **7:30pm Mass in Zenon Park For Yvan Potie**
 Sun Apr 15 9:00 am Mass in Arborfield **For †Matthew Munson**
 11:00am Mass in Carrot River **For the people**

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

Responsabilité	7 avril (lay led)	14 avril	21 avril
Accueil	Michel F / Louise S	Denise / Vincent M	Louise D / Martin C
Lectures	Clement D / Simon P	Diane L / Ron Wassill	Colette P / Monica F
Offrandes	-----	Rita H / Louise S	Clement / Sylvia D
Communion	-----	Denise M / Monica F	Simon P / Colette M
Servants	Moise / Luc	Luc / Pascal	Moise / Pascal
Quête	Clement P / Joel M	Simon P / Denis M	Vincent M / Joel M

Holy Thursday collection total: \$395.25

Good Friday collection total: \$416.55

Easter Sunday collection total: \$1189.50

Thank-you / Merci!!!

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 family of Gilles Favreau would like to thank everyone for the cards, flowers & kind expressions of sympathy shown following his sudden passing. Your overwhelming support and love at this difficult time has been appreciated and of great comfort to us all.

Ministry Sign-Up

There are new ministry sign-up sheets on the bulletin board at the back of the church. Please take a few minutes to add your name for any ministry you are interested in doing. If you are already signed-up for a ministry, please add your name again so we can get an accurate list. If you would like to be removed from a ministry, please put your name under the "remove column"
 Thank you!

HOW DID IT GO?

<https://www.facebook.com/padiocese/>

Chrism Mass on March 24 was well attended, inspite of the weather and last minute change of venue. Thank you to all who participated, and for those who did not get the chance, please go to our Facebook page, at the above link, to hear the Most Rev. Albert Thévenot M. Afr., Bishop of Prince Albert's Homily. You can also view the Opening Procession, and the Blessing of the Oils.

Spiritual Care Workshop - Tisdale, SK

Please join us for a Spiritual Care Workshop on Thursday **April 26, 2018** at 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Registration 8:45 a.m. Snacks and Coffee will be provided during break. There is no charge to attend this workshop. Held at **Newmarket Place Large Meeting Room**, 2001 Newmarket Drive, Tisdale. **Presenters: Fr. DJ Vu, Roman Catholic Church; Deacon Eldon Danielson, Lutheran Church; Hospital Chaplains in Prince Albert, and Judy Jones, Social Worker – Saskatchewan Health Authority.** *Topics that will be discussed include:* Death and Dying: A reality in our ministry Identifying grief; stages of grief; Palliative Care. MAID – Medical Assistance in Dying , Canadian Legislation. **Please register by April 12 via email at:** Angela.Phillips@saskhealthauthority.ca or phone 306-752-1772

EVANGELIZATION & CATECHESIS

<https://www.padiocese.ca/evangelization-and-catechesis>

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** (10:00 a.m. to 3:00 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** (7:00 to 8:30) at **St. Mary High School. (Free-Will Offering)** To read more about this event, follow the link provided above

safeTALK - Prince Albert - A half-day training on Suicide alertness for everyone. Saturday, April 28, 2018, 1-4 p.m.

\$35/person. Registration deadline April 14, 2018. More information

at <https://www.padiocese.ca/news-articles>.

Registration is now open for the 2018 summer camp season at St. John Bosco Wilderness Camp. This is our 60th year providing a unique outdoor experience for children aged 8 to 17 in the pristine Narrow Hills Provincial Park, Saskatchewan.

An early bird discount is available until April 30th for all registered and paid campers. For more information, please head to our website at www.johnboscocamp.com, or call 1-844-SJBOSCO (1-844-752-6726).

Vocation Corner - Second Sunday of Easter - B

A Vocation View: Easter: resurrection and new life; to be begotten by God. A new life, achieved from a conquered tomb. This has been the meaning of life for people for thousands of years. Nothing more secure, nothing more lasting. "As the Father sent me, so I am sending you..."

Prayer: For the holiness of all those sent in Jesus' name as priests, deacons and consecrated religious to proclaim the victory over the world through faith in Him, we pray to the Lord.

Action: From the very beginning of the church men and women have set about following Christ with greater freedom and imitating him more closely through the practice of the **evangelical counsels**, each in their own way

leading a life dedicated to God. *Second Vatican Council, Decree on the Adaptation and Renewal of Religious Life Perfectae Caritatis, no. 1*



Paroisse Notre Dame de la Nativité

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Le 8 avril - 2^e dimanche de Pâques

April 8th - Second Sunday of Easter

La foi qui fait voir

« Probablement que Dieu existe; mais pour le reste, je ne crois pas à grand-chose », me confiait une jeune dame l'autre jour. Nous entendons souvent de tels propos dans une société comme la nôtre, devenue assez indifférente à la dimension religieuse.

Et même si nous sommes croyants, nous avons bien du mal à reconnaître l'action du Seigneur dans nos vies, à comprendre ses chemins, à porter les croix pesantes sur nos épaules et dans notre cœur.

Dans ce contexte, nous nous retrouvons dans l'apôtre Thomas, absent le soir de Pâques, lequel refuse de croire, comme les autres apôtres, que Jésus est bien vivant. En homme réaliste, il se méfie des histoires : il veut voir de ses yeux.

Huit jours plus tard, Jésus se manifeste de nouveau à ses apôtres et, cette fois, Thomas est avec eux. Jésus s'approche du disciple incrédule et lui adresse la parole. Immédiatement, Thomas se met à croire. Il se jette au pied du Ressuscité et il prononce la profession de foi la plus remarquable qui soit : *Mon Seigneur et mon Dieu!* Il oublie même de mettre sa main dans le côté du Maître.

Comme Thomas, nous avons des doutes. Nous aussi, nous aimerions toucher du doigt. Mais nous sommes dans le temps de la foi. Pour croire vraiment, il faut accueillir la Parole du Seigneur qui nous vient par la bouche de ses témoins, par la voix de son Église.

Pour les chrétiennes et les chrétiens, la foi n'est pas qu'une notion abstraite, qu'une théorie intellectuelle; elle est d'abord et avant tout l'adhésion pleine de tout l'être, cœur et esprit, à la personne de Jésus Christ, mort et ressuscité pour notre salut.

Cet attachement à Jésus, qui donne paix et joie, se réalise maintenant par la médiation de l'Église. De plus, la force du témoignage, issue de la présence de l'Esprit en nous, conduit à la rencontre du Dieu vivant. Également, la communauté chrétienne elle-même, la Parole de Dieu et les sacrements constituent des signes privilégiés favorisant la croissance dans la foi.

L'évangéliste Jean ne rapporte qu'une béatitude, celle de la foi : *Heureux ceux qui croient sans avoir vu.* Heureux sommes-nous si nous avons la foi : c'est le chemin vers la vision éclatante de notre Dieu et Seigneur.

Gilles Leblanc