

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sat Feb 2 **7:30pm Mass in Zenon Park For †Alphonse Lacroix**
 Sun Feb 3 9:00am Mass in Arborfield **For Souls in Purgatory**
 11:00am Mass in Carrot River **For the people**
 Mon Feb 4 *Fr Travis' day off*
 Tues Feb 5 **9:00am Mass in Zenon Park For †Paul Lacroix**
 Wed Feb 6 **9:00am Mass in Zenon Park For †Madeleine Marchildon**
 Michelle in office
 Thurs Feb 7 *no mass*
 Fri Feb 8 10:00am Mass in Arborfield Care Home
 7:00pm Adoration in Zenon Park
 8:00pm Mass in Zenon Park For Deceased Family Members
 Sat Feb 9 **7:30pm Mass in Zenon Park For Peace**
 Sun Feb 10 9:00am Mass in Arborfield **For the people**
 11:00am Mass in Carrot River **For Souls in Purgatory**

Responsabilité	2 février	9 février	16 février
Accueil	Jeannine C / Louise D	Gisele Y/ Helene M	Armand / Karen M
Lectures	Simon P / Sylvia D	Beatrice F / Sylvia D	Colette M / Simon P
Offrandes	Helene M / Gisele Y	Simon / Marion P	Clement & Sylvia D
Communion	Clement P / Colette P	Ashley M / Monica F	Linda P / Louise D
Servants	Moise / Pierre	Luc / Gabriel	Luc / Pascal
Quête	Clem D / Denis M	Martin C/ Clem P	Denis M / Joel M

Last week's collection total: \$791.00
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/>

Special Travel Presentation:

Monday February 4, 2019 - 7:00 p.m. - Our Lady of Consolation Parish Hall, Melfort SK.
 Join Father Maurice Fiolleau as he presents two upcoming trips to Europe.
 November 24 – December 3, 2019 Pilgrimage to Fatima and Lourdes including Burgos, Carcassonne and Barcelona.
 September 7 – 19, 2020 Germany's Cultural Cities & the Romantic Road with the Oberammergau Passion Play.
 (This Play happens only once every 10 years since 1634).
 Please RSVP to the CAA Office in Prince Albert if you plan to attend the Travel Presentation at 1-306-764-6858

Serena Saskatchewan, a natural family planning service, invites you to our annual gala fundraiser "Une Nuit à Paris" on **Saturday, February 9, 2019** at Our Lady of Lourdes in Saskatoon. For more info or to reserve your FREE tickets, visit <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/une-nuit-a-paris-a-fundraising-gala-tickets-53617859461> or email sask@serena.ca by January 31st. The gala will include a French catered banquet and wine, silent auction, and **guest speaker Fr. Stefano Penna "Authentic love in a sexually confused world"**.

World Day of the Sick

<https://www.padiocese.ca/pastoral-care>
 World Day of the Sick will be on **February 11, 2019**. To see posted Blessings and Prayers, or to access a poster, please follow the above link.

OUR LADY OF CONSOLATION PARISH, Melfort, SK

Join us for a *retreat* on **February 16, 2019** at Our Lady of Consolation Parish from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The Great Story of Jesus: A Retreat in Nine Acts. This is a Forming Intentional Disciples Event. Lunch will be provided. For more information call 306-752-5518.

ST. EUGENE PARISH, Nipawin, SK

Join us for a *retreat* on **March 16, 2019** at St. Eugene Parish from 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The Great Story of Jesus: A Retreat in Nine Acts. This is a Forming Intentional Disciples Event. Lunch will be provided. For more information call 306-862-4373.

ST. ODILON PARISH, Rosthern, SK

February 24 & 25, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. Join us for a Parish Mission.

Could there be more to our faith experience, than what we have come to know? Dynamic speaker and author Ken Yasinski will be leading a two-day parish mission at St. Odilon Parish designed to help answer life's most meaningful questions: 1) Why have I been created? 2) Where is Joy found? 3) Does my Catholic faith matter? This mission is Catholicism in everyday simple language that will make relevant the timeless truths of our faith. Come be inspired to live your full potential in life. Want a free introductory talk by Ken! Text the word FREETALK to 1-855-969-5300.

Prince Albert Catholic Education Foundation Inc.

We are pleased to announce that the Prince Albert Catholic Education Foundation Spring Gala and Silent Auction will be held on Friday March 1, 2019 at St Joseph Parish Hall. Cocktails 6:30pm, Dinner 7:00pm, Entertainment by Prince Albert Children's Choir. Tickets are \$35.00 each or \$280.00 for a table of 8. Contact Jean at 306 764 4099 or at 306 961 5662 leave a message.

MARRIAGE PREP

Couples planning on being married this year (2019), please speak with your priest and contact Shannon Bailey at 306-445-2179 for registration details. Marriage preparation dates are Friday **March 29** and **Saturday March 30, 2019** at St. Vital Parish, Battleford.

NATIONAL WEEK FOR LIFE AND THE FAMILY

<https://www.padiocese.ca/social-justice>

The National Week for Life and the Family (**May 12-19, 2019**) is an initiative of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (www.cccb.ca). The theme of the Week for 2019 is: "Listening to the Gospel as a Family". This year's resources were developed by the Catholic Organization for Life and Family (COLF). These links can also be found on our website at the above link.

Vocation Corner ~Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time – C

A Vocation View: The Lord says: "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you; before you were born I dedicated you." Always listen to an Old Friend.

Prayer: For those called to celibacy for the sake of the kingdom as priests, sisters and brothers, that they will be encouraged to follow the Lord, faithful to His choice of them, we pray to the Lord.

Action: Since the call of the first disciples, some followers of Jesus have sought a different way to live their faith. In the early church groups of widows gathered to dedicate themselves to prayer and good works. Others craved solitary prayer, so they fled to the desert to commune with God and guide others in the pursuit of holiness. Monasteries, cloisters, and religious houses eventually came into being, and religious life as we know it began to take shape. Reflect on your call.



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Le 3 février - 4^e dimanche du temps ordinaire
February 3rd 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Une Parole provocante... et la vôtre?

Après son baptême dans le Jourdain, près de Jéricho en Judée, Jésus revient en Galilée. Il s'établit dans la maison de Pierre, à Capharnaüm, une petite ville en bordure du lac de Génésareth, réputée pour être cosmopolite, car située sur une route commerciale névralgique. De là il rayonne en prédicateur itinérant, s'arrêtant dans les synagogues pour y enseigner les Juifs. L'évangéliste note que Jésus remporte un certain succès : sa renommée se répand, on fait son éloge, on l'écoute avec étonnement. Les choses vont se gâcher à Nazareth, dans la synagogue du petit village où Jésus a grandi.

Rappelons que Jésus y a lu un passage du prophète Isaïe : *L'Esprit du Seigneur est sur moi... Il m'a envoyé porter la Bonne Nouvelle aux pauvres... apporter aux opprimés la libération, annoncer une année de bienfaits accordée par le Seigneur* (Is 61,1-2). Jésus entend faire de ces paroles l'inspiration de l'Évangile : *Cette parole de l'Écriture, c'est aujourd'hui qu'elle s'accomplit* (Lc 4,21). Il faudra les considérer comme la clé de lecture de sa mission prophétique. Quand on lit le passage d'évangile de ce dimanche (Lc 4,21-30), Jésus a dû en dire davantage puisque les gens se posent la question : Pour qui se prend-il, ce fils de Joseph qu'on a vu grandir? Jésus en rajoute. Excusez l'expression, mais il faut dire qu'il « a couru un peu après le trouble », en évoquant la figure des prophètes Élie et Élisée qui ont agi en faveur de non juifs : une femme de Sarepta et un général syrien Naaman. La foi de ces deux païens dévoile l'incrédulité des gens de Nazareth. Il s'ensuit une collision entre le projet missionnaire de Jésus et la révélation des intentions secrètes du cœur humain.

Aujourd'hui encore, la parole de Jésus nous questionne par sa vérité. Elle nous oblige à plonger au fond de nous-mêmes et à évaluer les tendances de notre manière d'être et d'agir. Nous sommes plus ou moins réfractaires au message évangélique. Il nous arrive parfois de succomber à la tentation de choisir ce qui nous convient et nous dérange le moins, au risque de résister à la dimension prophétique et évangélique de notre agir. Et on peut avoir la surprise de découvrir cette inspiration chez des personnes qui ne se réclament pas de la foi chrétienne mais se dévouent corps et âme comme proches aidants, ou sont engagées dans la promotion de la justice, ou l'éducation populaire, ou la défense de l'environnement, ou toute autre action au service de la dignité humaine.

Yves Guillemette, ptr