



Our Mission Statement

*Inspired by the Holy Spirit we are a Eucharistic community called by God
To share the love of Jesus Christ and create a welcoming parish of renewal and mission.*



April 21, 2024 | Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 4:8-12 | 1 Jn 3:1-2 | Jn 10:11-18

Written by
THE
FAITHFUL
DISCIPLE

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE


Several years ago I went to a shopping mall with my six-year-old son, and I could tell he was overwhelmed by the fast-moving crowds; he stuck close to my side. Not long into our trip, he turned a corner and, suddenly, his face lit up. He pointed at a young boy ahead. "That's James! I know him! He's in my class!" he exclaimed, and ran up to talk to him. Out of the sea of strangers was someone he *knew*, and who knew him. That changed the whole experience for him. Today's readings are all about that kind of knowing. In the Gospel Jesus tells us that, like a good shepherd, he knows his flock and they know him. How comforting it is to know that Jesus not only knows each one of us, but he willingly chose to lay down his life for each one of us as the ultimate sacrifice of love. But how do we get to know our Good Shepherd better? By immersing ourselves in Scripture and prayer and seeking a personal relationship with him. If we stay close to the Lord, we'll know his voice when we hear it – in the quiet of our prayer, in the everyday promptings of the Spirit in our decision-making, and even, in the midst of all the noise, as the calming and guiding voice leading us along the right path.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Being known is one of the most fundamental human and spiritual needs. When my son recognized his friend, he also instinctively recognized – without being able to articulate it – this need, in the midst of the anonymity of the mall. And his reaction was so pure: "I know him, and he knows me!" But he didn't leave it at that; he went to engage with his friend. He *encountered* his friend. This is what Christ desires for, and with us – not just to know us, to simply recognize us from afar, but for us to want to encounter him! We are meant to be in community; Jesus is always here for us: in the Church, in the sacraments, in Scriptures and in our hearts.

PRAY Spending time in prayer and reading the Scriptures are essential in order to get to know the voice of Jesus. Read the Gospels this week, even a chapter a day, and contemplate what passages stand out for you. Pray about it at Mass. The Scriptures and the sacraments are how Jesus speaks to us, like a good shepherd speaks to his flock so the sheep will know his voice and follow it.

APRIL 21	APRIL 22	APRIL 23	APRIL 24	APRIL 25	APRIL 26	APRIL 27
10a Mass 12p Mass 1-4p Adoration 7pm Mass	9a CWL Quilters 7P RCIA	8:30a Mass 7p Faith Formation Committee	8:30a Mass 6:30p Children's Liturgy Training 7p Adoration	8:30a Mass 1:30p Senior Cards 6p First Communion Mass 	8:30a Mass 9-12a Adoration	11a-12p Confessions 5p Mass

See the financial statement for the first quarter at holyspiritsaskatoon.ca



2024 AGM and Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, May 5 at 12pm

following a special 11am Mass

PLEASE NOTE THERE WILL NOT BE MASS AT 10AM OR 12PM ON MAY 5

WE PLEDGE 5%

St. John Bosco Wilderness Camp is an invitation to all people to live, learn and share with each other in the natural environment that God has provided, while developing a greater awareness and responsibility towards it. The summer camp is for youth aged 8 to 17, giving the opportunity to experience God through nature and fellowship with other younger people. Through this medium, campers are encouraged to grow physically, mentally and spiritually and to realize God in all aspects of life. Financial assistance is available to families who wish to experience summer camp. Thank you for your support. www.johnboscocamp.com

LET US PRAY

- ◆ For the sick and all those that care for them, today we pray for: Gary Boechler, Vera Wolkosky, Elizabeth Lesko, Teresa Hydromako, Miriam Yalbir, Betty Anne Tomney, Bob Kudel, Quinn Gorman, Trev Yager, Jeff Haugen, John Bohnke
- ◆ For all those who have died, today we remember: Nadira Jarjis

We pray to the Lord

Congratulation to those who have been baptized in the past few months.

To each child – a very special welcome to Holy Spirit Parish! And to each family who had their child baptized – thank you for letting us share in your joy!

Julia Selasi Panisson Kpogo

Oliver Daniel Eidness-Hodges

Anna Olivia Guzman

Abram Matthew Basan

Santiago Carter

Mckenzy Lazatin

Richard Gerald Casavant

Sydney Carter

Miller James Dale Maxemniuk

Noah Nathaniel Centeno

Selene Carter

Scarlet Anna Schaan

Louie Alexander John Cowan

Enzo James Roy



Vacation Bible School We are beginning preparations for the Vacation Bible School for this August 12 to 16, and are excited that we will be doing an Olympics themed program based on the Commandments, the Beatitudes and the Fruits of the Spirit! It is going to be a great week!

We invite all adult and youth, aged 12 and up, to join us as leaders and as part of the team! **Our preliminary planning meeting is set for Thursday, May 2 at 7:00pm** Please contact Lynn Ieremondi@rcdos.ca or (306) 374-1425.

Furniture and household items needed for two girls from Ukraine.

Please contact Kelly at 306-374-1425 or email kwormsbecker@rcdos.ca



Quiet Bags for children 2-5. We are so blessed to have a parish filled with young children. What a gift! To encourage and support these children and their parents, we will be assembling some Quiet Bags that for use during Mass. We are looking for donations of new and gently used small, quiet toys. Items can be dropped off at the office or at the Hospitality Desk.



“Here I am Lord, Send me!” CWL is open to all women of the parish 16 years and older. **Please join us for our next general meeting on May 14. Mass at 7 pm, meeting to follow.**

Thank you to the parishioners of Holy Spirit Parish and to the residents of Scott Forget Towers for your generous donations to the CWL Clothing Depot last weekend We were able to deliver 8 SUV's full of clothing and household items. Our next clothing drive will be in the fall. If you have items to donate beforehand, please feel free to deliver them to the Clothing Depot at 619 – 20th Street, West Monday to Friday from 10 am to 2 p.m.

The Provincial CWL Council offers a Social Justice award to women between 18 to 35 years of age. Please check out the bulleting board or cwlsk.ca for more information and application forms.

Saturday May 4 The BIG SHRED is back! McClure United Church and McClure Place, in collaboration with Shred-it Mobile Shredding and Recycling, will be hosting another confidential shredding event. All funds raised will support the important work of the McClure Place Foundation. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

MASS TIMES

Saturday 5 pm

Sunday 10 am, 12 noon, 7 pm

Weekdays, Tues. - Fri. 8:30 am

ADORATION

Wednesdays 7 pm

Fridays, 9 am - 12 pm

Sundays, 1 - 4 pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 11 am - 12 noon

or by appointment.



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MARRIAGE PREPARATION Nicole Gursky at 306 229-0384 or email ngursky@sasktel.net

Please visit holyspiritsaskatoon.ca for more information about faith formation.



If you need prayer, support, a visit (with the Eucharist or otherwise), Anointing of the Sick, or assistance with funeral planning, Ministry of Care is just a phone call or email away.

Please contact **Kelly Wormsbecker** Pastoral Associate- Ministry of Care

kwormsbecker@rcdos.ca or call 306-374-1425



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Melina Palendat 306-668-2520

holyspiritcwl@gmail.com



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 8905

Eric Lautsch

SirKnightEric@outlook.com

WAYS TO DONATE TO HOLY SPIRIT PARISH

- 1. Sign up for Pre-Authorized Giving** Registration [forms](#) are available at the church office, online on our parish website, or via email. Donate using debit or credit card.
- 2. Interac e-Transfer using online banking:** send e-transfer to finance@holyspiritsaskatoon.ca (it is directly deposited, no password needed). Please put your full name and envelope number in the message box along with any special offering designation.
- 3. Parish Offertory:** <https://dscf.ca/parish-offertory/>
- 4. Mail envelopes to the church:** 114 Kingsmere Place, Saskatoon, SK, S7J 3V7
- 5. Drop envelopes off at church:** Put envelopes into the office door mail slot.
- 6. Place envelopes in the offertory basket at Mass**



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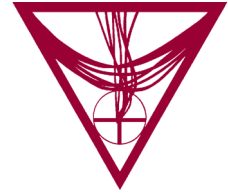
You may also download the FORMED app for iOS and Android devices.

The cost to you is absolutely free: our parish has a subscription for the entire year.

Are you new to the parish? Has your information changed?

Fill out this [form](#) online

Or contact the office (306) 374-3190 or info@holyspiritsaskatoon.ca



Holy Spirit Parish Financial Stewardship
Quarter 1 Summary – Income and Expense

Total Income	<u>247,319.65</u>
Total Expense	<u>230,511.41</u>
Net Ordinary Income	16,808.24

Regular collections are trending upwards, which is needed to support all of the church ministries, pay for expenditures related to the building and grounds and all other day to day operating expenses.

During 2024 Building and grounds expenditures will include:

- Tree pruning and other arborist related work,
 - Completion of the fence on the west property line,
 - Micro-surfacing of the parking lot,
 - Replacement of two 40+ year old roof top air conditioners,
 - Major project work to replace the rectory roof,
 - Major repairs to the roof section beneath the NE Stained glass windows,
- Upgrading of the oldest cedar shake fascia.

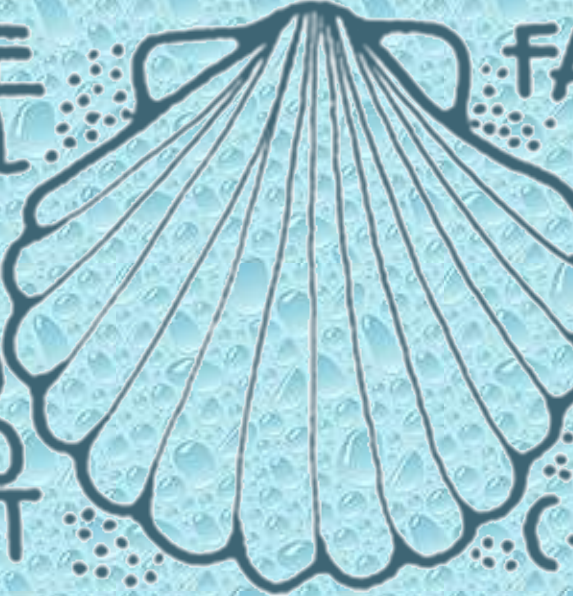
So far in 2024, we have replaced all of the original windows in the rectory with new triple pane windows, replaced the projector in the hall and other expenditures that were deemed necessary.

The support of all parishioners is vital in order for Holy Spirit Parish to function well into the future.

Thanks for your continued support.

Holy Spirit Parish

• MAKE ALL WHO ARE BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST FAITHFUL IN OUR CALLING TO BE YOUR CHILDREN



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*To each child – a very special welcome to Holy Spirit Parish! And to each family
who had their child baptized – thank you for letting us share in your joy!*

Child's Name

Parents

Julia Selasi Panisson Kpogo

Livingstone and Josiane

Abram Matthew Basan

Kevin and Irish

Richard Gerald Casavant

Richard and Nicole

Noah Nathaniel Centeno

Joald and Veronica

Louie Alexander John Cowan

Alexander (Sandy) and Reina

Oliver Daniel Eidness-Hodges

Jordan and Stephanie

Santiago Carter

James and Sophia

Sydney Carter

James and Sophia

Selene Carter

James and Sophia

Enzo James Roy

James and Hawa

Anna Olivia Guzman

Edan and Edith

Mckenzy Lazatin

Ronnie and Joana Marie

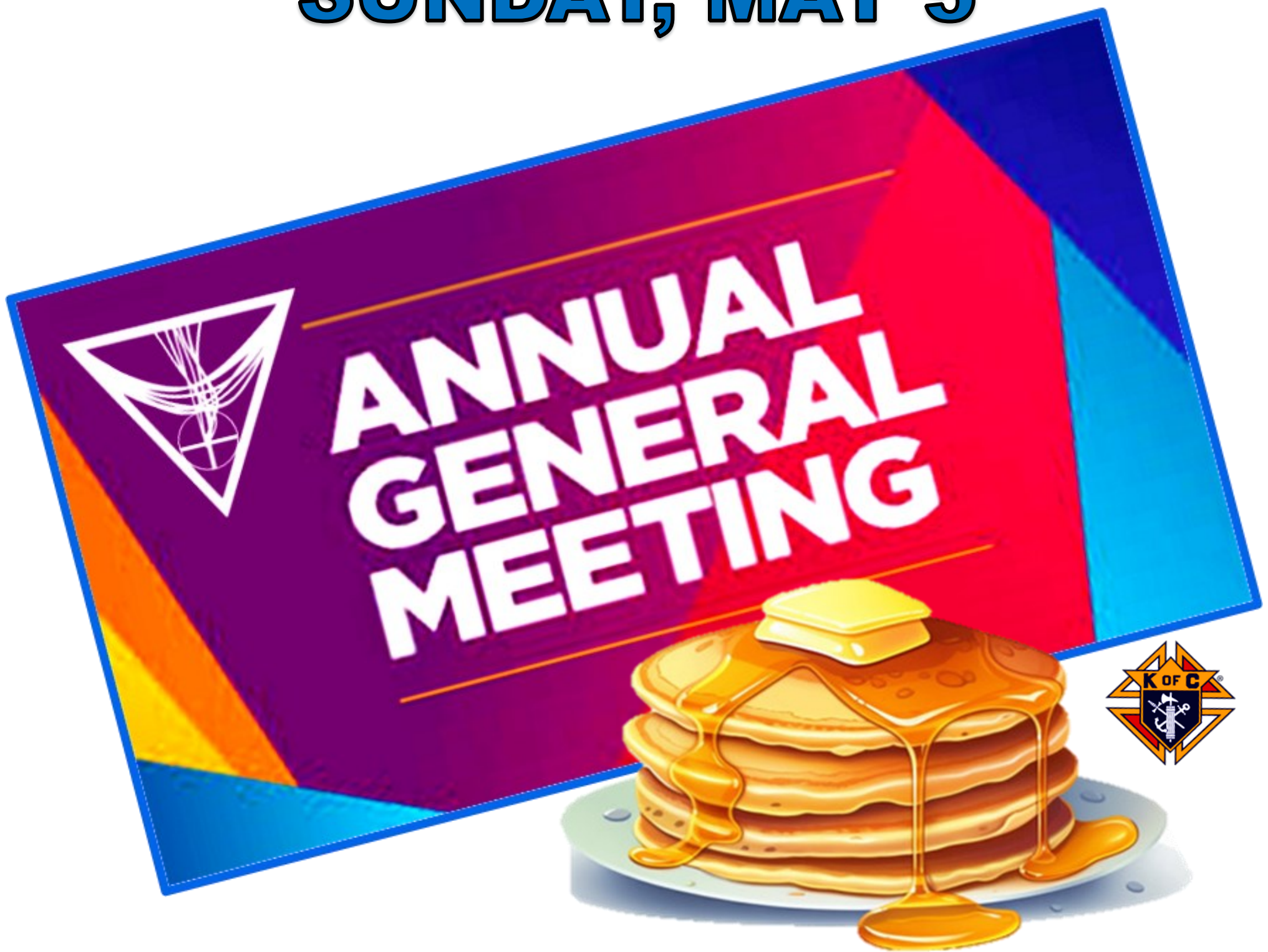
Miller James Dale Maxemniuk

Jesse and Kelley-Anne

Scarlet Anna Schaan

Matthew and Rochelle

**YOU ARE INVITED TO
ATTEND
HOLY SPIRIT PARISH AGM
SUNDAY, MAY 5**



SPECIAL MASS TIME: 11 AM

(No 10 am or 12 noon Mass)

***. Pancake breakfast hosted by
KofC (silver collection)***

. AGM to follow



Will be provided during the AGM Meeting!

All are Welcome!

Vacation Bible School

AUG 12-16

*We invite all adults and youth,
aged 12+, to join us as leaders
& as part of the team!*

*Our preliminary planning
meeting is set for*

Thursday, May 2 at 7:00pm

Please contact Lynn

leremondi@rcdos.ca or

306 374-1425.

WE'RE HOSTING



VBS THIS SUMMER

SAVE THE DATE

FAMILY DAY
SUNDAY JUNE 2, 2024

Plans underway for a GREAT day of fun for families
at Holy Spirit Parish.

We invite you to join us in creating the party!!

Volunteer sign-up sheets are posted by the
Connection Corner with Lynn.



Diocesan Bulletin

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April 21, 2024 - Fourth Sunday of Easter
World Day of Prayer for Vocations

<https://rcdos.ca>

*In all things we are rooted in Christ,
in His desire to bring God's love to all peoples.*

Upcoming Events

Columbus Bosco Homes Annual Joe Kammermayer Memorial Dinner will be held **Thursday, April 25** at St. Patrick Parish Hall, 3339 Centennial Drive, Saskatoon, in support of the Farm School and programs that provide essential support to at-risk children and families in our community. Doors open at 5:30 p.m., dinner at 6 p.m.; tickets are \$50 each. Contact: Lorne Keller (306) 227-7576.

Our Lady of Good Counsel - Catholic Women's League members will celebrate the feast day of the CWL Patroness Our Lady of Good Counsel on **Friday, April 26** at St. Philip Neri Parish, at the corner of Taylor Street and Munroe Avenue, Saskatoon, beginning with Mass at 5 p.m., followed by a potluck supper and an entertaining evening. All CWL members are welcome to attend.

"Building Hope" Regional Assembly 2024 for Development and Peace Saskatchewan-Keewatin Le Pas will be held **April 26-28** at Queen's House, 601 Taylor Street West, Saskatoon. Speakers include Archbishop Donald Bolen, Kathy Nolan, Emily Lukasic, and Mary Duran. **Sessions are free** either in-person or on Zoom (or \$60 with meals or \$100 with meals and accommodation). Find the agenda, and Zoom link at: <https://forms.gle/R997G7cK4YdG4q2i9> or contact Michael LeBlanc at mleblanc@devp.org or (306) 205-2334 for more information.

After Abortion Talking Circle – Abortion is a complicated topic physically, emotionally and spiritually. Silence for many is the only option. If abortion is part of your story, either directly or as a partner or support person, come to a safe place for an evening of talking or just listening, to be held at 7 p.m. **Monday, April 29**. For info, call / text (306) 665-7550 or e-mail: contact@saskatoonpregnancyoptions.com.

Women's Vocation Discernment Nights are held on the first Thursday of each month, at 7 p.m. at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, 1235-12th Street East, Saskatoon. The next event will be **Thursday, May 2** for any young women who are open to discerning God's call for their lives through prayer, formation discussion, and Eucharistic Adoration. Contact Sr. April Mireau at aprilmireau@gmail.com or (306) 531-9937 or Sr. Malou Tibayan at mtibayan@rcdos.ca or (306) 371-7434.

Good Shepherd Sunday 2024

Priests' Pension and Retirement Fund

An annual diocesan appeal to support our Priests' Pension and Retirement is again underway. Thank you for supporting our priests in their retirement years, honouring their service among us!

Ways to give

- Give online at dscf.ca/priest-pension-fund
- Drop off your donation in the parish offertory collection.
- Mail your donation marked "PP&R" to: Diocese of Saskatoon Catholic Foundation, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon, S7S 1H1.
- Call the Catholic Foundation to make your donation: (306) 659-5851 or (306) 659-5837.



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DONATE ONLINE

Bishop's Dinner – "A Grateful Gathering of People of Mission" will be held **Thursday, May 2** at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon, with guest speaker Gordon Martell, including cocktails at 5:30 pm. a gala dinner at 6 p.m., followed by entertainment, awards, and silent auction. Tickets \$175; see: dscf.ca/bishopsdinner or call (306) 659-5851 for more information.

"I will never forget you." – Saskatchewan Pro-Life Association March for Life will be held in Regina **Thursday, May 9** from Holy Rosary Cathedral to the Legislature Building. The annual event begins at 10:45 a.m. at the Cathedral, 2104 Garnet Street, Regina, with praying of the Rosary and celebration of Mass, followed by the march at 12:15 p.m., arriving at the Legislature Building for a program at 1:15 p.m. For more information, contact (306) 352-3480 or e-mail: info@saskprolife.com or see the website at: www.saskprolife.com.

Marriage Enrichment - Date Night: An adult faith Date Night for married couples will be held 7 p.m. **Saturday, May 25** at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon. Tickets are \$20/ couple; register online at: <https://form.jotform.com/231799371565267> or call adult faith coordinator Astrid Alas at (306) 659-5858.

Message Board

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Prairie Symposium for the Common Good April 29-30:

Two public lectures will be held at St. Thomas More College, 1437 College Drive, Saskatoon. **“Everyone is Needed: Building the Common Good through Dialogue and Friendship”** will be presented by Dr. Meghan Clark, PhD; Associate Professor of Moral Theology, St. John’s University, New York, NY, at **7 p.m. Monday, April 29** in the Fr. O’Donnell Auditorium, sponsored by the Leslie and Irene Dubé Chair in Catholic Studies at St. Thomas More College. **“Sharing the Creator’s Earth: The Meeting of St. Francis of Assisi and Sultan, Al-Malik al-Kāmil as a Model of Reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples”** will be presented by Sr. Dawn M. Nothwehr, OSF, PhD; Professor of Catholic Theological Ethics, Catholic Theological Union, Chicago, IL, at **7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 30** in the Fr. O’Donnell Auditorium, sponsored by the Ayotte Lecture on Faith and the Environment at St. Paul’s College, Manitoba. No registration is necessary for these in-person events. For more information, please contact Gertrude Rompré at grompre@stmcollege.ca.

Follow-Up Sessions to Spring Congress on Making Every Sunday Matter: **“Implementing a Name Tag Sunday”** is a free webinar **Wednesday, May 8** presented by Daniel Pettipas – join at either 1:30 p.m. or 7 p.m. May 8. Participants will receive a hand-out, e-mailed with the link. Register at <https://form.jotform.com/240995039733061>. **“Prayer Ministry Training” in-person workshop Tuesday May 14** will be presented by John and Tracy Connelly at the Cathedral of the Holy Family (Bishop Klein room) in Saskatoon, beginning with a light supper at 5:15 p.m., followed by a presentation at 6:30 p.m. about the foundations of prayer ministry and healing in scripture and the tradition of the Church, and the current practice in the Church, as well as step-by-step practice of prayer ministry. Register online at <https://form.jotform.com/240995333402051>. For more info, contact Marilyn Jackson, Director of Ministry Services: mjackson@rcdos.ca or (306) 659-5836. (*Evangelization and Catechesis is supported by the Bishop’s Annual Appeal*).

CWL Clothing Depot AGM – The CWL Clothing Depot is holding its Annual General Meeting at 7 p.m. on **Monday, April 29** at St. Peter the Apostle Parish, 1121 Northumberland Avenue, Saskatoon. All Catholic Women’s League members are invited to attend.

Saskatchewan CWL Social Justice Award for young women between the ages of 18-35 years is a \$1,000 award to finance participation in a reputable social justice activity. **Deadline to apply is May 10.** Contact Mary Nordick at m.nordick@sasktel.net or (306) 374-5612.



Feminine Genius 2 – Women’s Breakfast with Sr. Malou Tibayan

8:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 15

Cathedral of the Holy Family

123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon

<https://form.jotform.com/231799056145261>

or contact Sr. Malou Tibayan at (306) 371-7434

or Adult Faith Coordinator Astrid Alas at (306) 659-5858.

Millennium Pro-Life Cross Foundation Annual General Meeting will be held 7 p.m. **Wednesday, April 24** at Sts. Peter and Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church, 10th St. and Munroe Ave., Saskatoon. The 100-foot steel cross located northeast of Aberdeen, SK on Hwy 41, was established by the Knights of Columbus as a millennium project, providing a visible witness, inviting people to come and pray for respect for life and for victims of abortion. All are welcome to become members of the Millennium Pro-Life Cross Foundation. For more information, attend the April 24 meeting, or see www.prolifemillenniumcross.ca or contact John Starosta: john.starosta@sasktel.net or (306) 381-6351 or Joseph Bayda at baydajoe@gmail.com.

Diocesan Prayer - Heavenly Father, bless your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers and sisters. Give those You have called to the married state, and those you have chosen to live as single persons in the world, the special graces that their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of Your Son so that in Him, with Him and through Him we may love You more deeply and serve You more faithfully always and everywhere. - *World Day of Prayer for Vocations*

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Communications is supported by the Bishop’s Annual Appeal.

All are welcome to attend
the joyful celebration
of the ordination of
Luke Tran
to the Transitional Diaconate
6 pm Friday, April 19
St. Mary Catholic Church, Saskatoon



Bishop Mark Hagemoen and diocesan seminarian Van Tam (Luke) Tran

UCWLC National Scholarships 2024



The Ukrainian Catholic Women's League of Canada offers two scholarships:
The **Vera Buczynsky Ukrainian Language Studies Scholarship** for **\$1,000** is offered to a person who is a member of a Ukrainian Catholic Church in Canada who is enrolled in Ukrainian Language Studies at the post-secondary level. The **Mary Dyma Religious Studies Scholarship** for **\$1,000** is offered to a lay woman who is a member of a Ukrainian Catholic Church in Canada who is enrolled in Religious Studies at the graduate level.

Criteria and applications for both scholarships are available online at www.ucwlc.ca and can be submitted electronically to the: Vera Buczynsky Ukrainian Language Studies Scholarship Committee OR Mary Dyma Religious Studies Scholarship Committee at nationalscholarships@ucwlc.ca

Sharon Tkachuk: Chair - National UCWLC Scholarship Committee

Spring
Concert

Folk
Spirituals
Sacred Songs
Vivaldi Choruses
with Orchestra

MELODIA SINGERS

Director Phil Siebert

With the St. Paul's Children's Choir

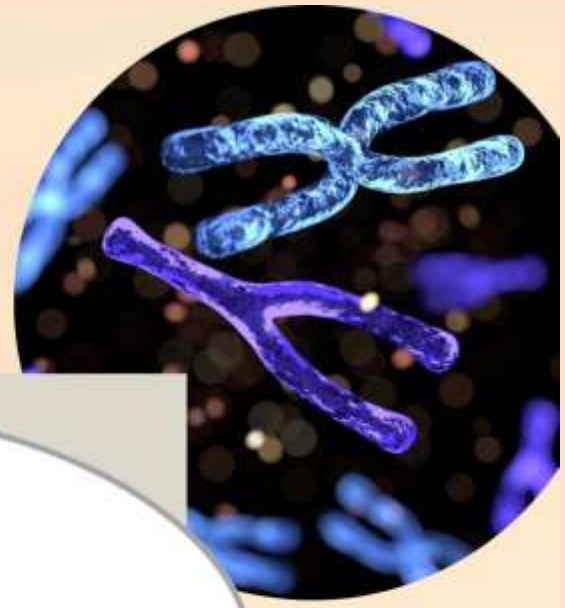
Saturday, April 20
7:00 pm

St. Paul's Co-Cathedral
720 Spadina Cres. E

Admission \$15 Children \$5
Tickets at the Door

melodiasingers.com





Sexual Difference *and the* Ordering of Nature

**Tuesday, April 23
7:30-9:00pm**

**A presentation on
the nature of sex,
not as a *spectrum*,
but as a *binary reality*.**

By delving into
the genetics and
science of sex,
the concrete reality
of the two sexes is
reaffirmed.

Admission by donation

Presenter:
Clement Ng



Location:

ST. THERESE 
INSTITUTE OF FAITH AND MISSION

650 Ursuline Ave.
Bruno, SK

in **"The Gallery"**
(use bell tower
entrance)



THE PRAIRIE SYMPOSIUM FOR THE COMMON GOOD 2024



ST. THOMAS MORE COLLEGE
UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN
FR. O'DONNELL AUDITORIUM

APRIL 29, 7:00PM Public Lectures APRIL 30, 7:30PM

THE
Leslie & Irene Dubé
CHAIR FOR CATHOLIC STUDIES



*Everyone is Needed: Building the
Common Good through Dialogue
and Friendship*

DR. MEGHAN J. CLARK

Associate professor of moral theology at St John's University (NY),
Dr. Clark is a senior fellow of the Vincentian Center for Church
and Society and serves as a faculty expert for the Holy See's
Mission to the United Nations.

AYOTTE Lecture on Faith
and the Environment



*Sharing the Creator's Earth: The Meeting of
St. Francis of Assisi and Sultan, Al-Malik
al-Kāmil as a Model of Reconciliation with
Indigenous Peoples*

DAWN M. NOTHWEHR, OSF

A Rochester, Minnesota Franciscan, recognized as a leading Catholic
environmental ethicist, Sr. Dawn received the Franciscan Federa-
tion's "Inspiration for the 21st Century Award" for her contribution
to Franciscan theological education.

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"THE BIG SHRED"

Confidentially shred your Papers that are taking up space.

May 4

The BIG SHRED is back! On Saturday May 4 the Church and McClure Place, in collaboration with Shred-it Mobile Shredding and Recycling, will be hosting another confidential shredding event. We are looking for volunteers to work the event from approximately 8:00 AM to noon on May 4. All those interested should email Jim Gillis at jimgillis@sasktel.net, or phone him at (306) 270-5541.

All fund raised will support the important work of the McClure Place Foundation. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

Jim Gillis, Chair, Resource Development Committee,
McClure Place Association Inc.

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"I will never forget you."

March for Life Regina, SK

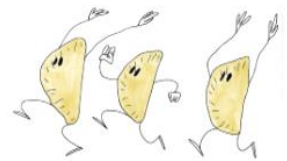
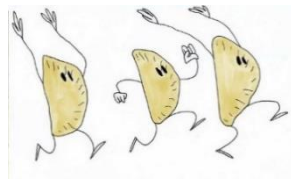
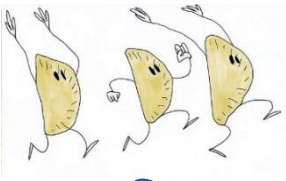
**March from Holy Rosary Cathedral to the
Legislature Building**

09 May 2024 at noon

- 10.45 am Rosary & Mass
- 12.15 pm March leaves the Cathedral.
- 1.15 pm Program Legislature.



Phone: (306) 352 - 3480
Email: info@saskprolife.com
www.saskprolife.com



Saints Peter and Paul Ukrainian Catholic Parish

(on the corner of 10th & Munroe Avenue, Saskatoon, SK)

Perogy & Cabbage Roll Fundraiser Supper

Date: Sunday, May 5th, 2024

Time: 5:00 p.m.

Ticket Prices:

Adults: \$25.00

Children 6-12 years: \$10.00

Children under 6 years: Free

Plate includes: perogies & mushroom sauce, cabbage rolls, sausage, dessert & beverage. Gluten Free available.

ADVANCE TICKETS ONLY:

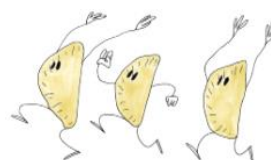
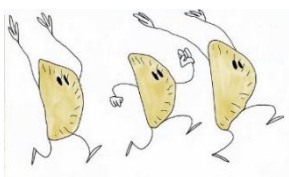
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- Tickets sold after Divine Liturgies on Saturday evenings and Sunday mornings (April 13/14, April 20/21, and April 27/28)
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BISHOP'S DINNER

A GRATEFUL
GATHERING OF
PEOPLE OF MISSION

GUEST SPEAKER:
GORDON MARTELL

MC:
STEVE CHISHOLM

LOCATION:
HOLY FAMILY CATHEDRAL
123 NELSON ROAD

TIME:
5:30 PM - 6:00 PM

COCKTAILS

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

DINNER

7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

ENTERTAINMENT/PRESENTATIONS
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FOCUSING ON TODAY'S
MINISTRY FOR TOMORROW'S
FUTURE

Bloom Where You are Planted

Dinner With Our Bishop

This Evening's Menu

Slow Roasted Beef
Herb crusted and finished with silky gravy

Mediterranean Chicken Breast
Served in a creamy roasted red pepper & garlic
pesto parmesan sauce

Mashed Potatoes
Whipped with garlic & butter

Roasted Seasonal Vegetables
With butter & subtle herbs

Caesar Salad
Lettuce tossed in rich garlic & parmesan
dressing with croutons and lemon

Caramel Carrot Cheesecake
Cheesecake on graham crumb topped with
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NAME TAG SUNDAY

MAY 8, 2024 Choose either 1:30 pm or 7 pm

DANIEL PETTIPAS

Join us to learn how easy it is to implement a NAME TAG SUNDAY in your parish. Participants will also receive a webinar hand-out, emailed with registration link.

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Daniel is the Coordinator of Evangelization & Adult Faith Formation at St. Anne's Parish in Saskatoon. With a BA in Religion & Culture, he is passionate about growing parishioners into passionate parish leaders through dynamic relational ministry and empowering the whole parish community to take up the mission of Jesus Christ to make disciples of all nations.



PRAAYER MINISTRY TRAINING

MAY 14, 2024

JOHN & TRACY CONNELLY

Light Supper at 5:15 pm, session begins at 6:30 pm
Bishop Klein room, Cathedral of the Holy Family

John currently works as a Conference speaker, Retreat leader and Ministry Consultant. With a B.A. in Psychology, Tracy is a Catholic Life-Coach offering spiritual accompaniment to women and families. With experience in Diocesan Evangelization & Catechesis and Catholic Youth Ministry, John and Tracy offer practical faith-filled teaching that can be applied to daily life. They have been married for 28 years and have raised 8 children ranging from ages 11 -27. They currently enjoy small-town life in Bruno, SK.

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"THE THIEF COMES ONLY TO STEAL AND KILL AND DESTROY,
I CAME THAT THEY MAY HAVE LIFE AND HAVE IT ABUNDANTLY

-JOHN 10.10

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BREAKFAST TALK
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Discover more
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KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Sr. Malou Tibayan

Verbum Dei Missionary

May 15, 2024

8:30 am-10:00 am (*doors open at 8:00 am*)

Holy Family Cathedral

123 Nelson Rd, Saskatoon, SK

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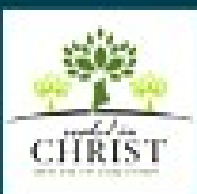
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AT 7 PM

2024

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St. Theresa Parish & Shrine—Wakaw

Saturday, June 8th, 2024

Camper Overnight Parking Available

For Information Email: sttheresaparish@gmail.com

Bring Your Own Lawn Chairs—If Possible

Schedule:

4:30 p.m.— Doors Open

Come Visit Our Church & Religious Articles Store

*Reduced prices on several items including hand-crafted crosses embedded with original church trinity window stained glass, antique framed prints & Christmas items.

Enter The Store Door Prize

Centennial History Books For Sale—\$20 each

5:00—7:00 p.m.

Multicultural Food Booths Open

5:30-7:30 p.m.

FREE Outdoor Concert!

7:30— 8:30 p.m.

Candlelight Procession, Adoration & Rosary

CENTENNIAL & PILGRIMAGE

Sunday, June 9th, 2024

St. Theresa Parish

Shrine of the Little Flower

314 Main Street, Wakaw, SK

Schedule

8:30 a.m.—Registration & Sale of Centennial History Books

9:00 a.m.—Outdoor Way of the Cross

9:45 a.m.—Guest Speaker: Christy Dupuis—Missionary & Evangelist



10:30 a.m.—Individual Confessions & Private Prayer/Reflection

11:30 p.m.—Outdoor Eucharistic Celebration

Presider and Homilist—Most Rev. Bishop Stephen Andrew Hero

12:30—Lunch Provided (Donations Welcomed)

2:00 p.m.—Healing Service & Blessing of Religious Articles

2:45 p.m.—Eucharistic Exposition & Procession

3:00 p.m.—Adoration & Blessing of Those Present

3:15p.m.—Refreshments & Farewell

RELIGIOUS ARTICLES STORE OPEN:

8:30—9:00 am, 10:30—11:15 am & 12:30—1:45 pm



HOPING YOU CAN JOIN US!



Bringing Home the Word

Fourth Sunday of Easter (B)

April 21, 2024

The Good Shepherd

Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

For many of us, our only connection with sheep is with illustrations of the cuddly white creatures found on holy cards. However, that image strays from the facts. Sheep are not household animals. They live outdoors; they lie down in grass, dirt, and mud. Furthermore, unlike many other animals, sheep cannot clean themselves. I'm not denigrating sheep, just putting aside any fanciful view of their nature.

Raising sheep was an important occupation in the ancient world. In fact, the royalty's governance of people was often described as shepherding. David was told: "You shall shepherd my people

Israel" (2 Samuel 5:2). Later, when the royalty were not faithful to this charge, God declared: "I myself will pasture my sheep" (Ezekiel 34:15). This startling characterization of God became a characterization of Jesus.

Grime and animal smells, the blood of births and deaths, inclement weather, and the threat of predators mark the life of a committed shepherd. Human comfort was secondary to the needs of the sheep. Sheep actually learn to recognize the voice of the one who feeds them, cares for them, protects them. The shepherd's voice seems to say: *I am here for you because you are mine*. As "the Good Shepherd," Jesus is totally committed to us, his sheep. He attends to our needs, willing to risk his own security in order to save us. His care for us seems to say: *I am here for you because you are mine.* †

Sunday Readings

Acts 4:8-12

[Peter said,] "He is 'the stone rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone.'"

1 John 3:1-2

See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God.

John 10:11-18

[Jesus said,] "I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep."

God declared: "I myself will pasture my sheep."



A Word from Pope Francis

How beautiful and comforting it is to know that Jesus knows us one by one, that we are not unknown to him, that our name is known to him! We are not a "mass," a "multitude" for him, no... He knows each of us with our own story... Each of us can say: Jesus, knows me!

REGINA CAELI, ROME, APRIL 25, 2021



REFLECTION QUESTIONS



- How do you relate to the image of Jesus as a shepherd?
- Where do you hear the voice of Jesus who protects, knows, and loves you?

Being Love for One Another

Paula D'Arcy

I was exhausted, hungry, and out of sorts. I had just cleared customs in Atlanta after a series of flights from Europe that caused me to miss a full night's sleep. Now the flight to get me back home was delayed. I had another six hours to wait.

I went to my gate area, delighted to find it empty, hoping for a nap, when an elderly lady pushing a wheelchair approached me. She was bone weary, confused, looking for her gate and a flight to Charleston to visit her daughter. I sighed, helped the woman into the wheelchair, and started walking, looking for video monitors. The last flight to Charleston had already left. I forgot my own weariness. What on earth was she going to do?

I trudged on until we found an



information booth. There was a long line, but leaning on the edge of the booth was a young flight attendant, ready to go home, his shift over. He caught my eye and smiled. "What's wrong?" he asked. I explained. He looked at the sweet woman

in the wheelchair, almost asleep. He looked at me. Then looked right into me. "I think," he said slowly, "I think you've done your part. I think the rest is up to me. I won't leave her, I promise you. Even if she needs a room for the night, I won't leave her until she gets on a plane for Charleston." I said goodbye to the woman and turned to watch the young man wheel her down the walkway until they were out of sight.

On the surface, it was a simple encounter. But it was the way this young man had responded—looking right into my eyes. In that look, we were no longer three strangers. We were three human beings whose paths had momentarily crossed. He took it seriously: We are here for one another. And in that moment of love, he showed me the way to our true home. †

From *Daybreaks: Daily Reflections for Lent and Easter* by Paula D'Arcy, available at Liguori.org

Wisdom from Catholic UPDATE

From "Easter Springs to Life" by Diane M. Houdek

The psalm most often read at funeral liturgies is Psalm 23, "The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want." We know we need God. When Jesus says he is our shepherd, we sense his intimate care for us, his flock. We recognize his voice, knowing he will lead us to abundant pastures and lifegiving water. And we know he laid down his life to keep us safe from danger and the finality of death. We can let go of many of the stresses, large and small, of daily life. We can trust that with his guidance, we will discover where we can go safely—and where we can't. By following the voice of our shepherd, we learn the true meaning of Easter. †

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Lord Jesus, amid many voices demanding our attention, help us recognize your voice, trust your love for us, and follow you, we pray. Alleluia! Amen!

The Redemptorists

WEEKDAY READINGS

April 22–27

Monday, Easter Weekday:

Acts 11:1–18 / Jn 10:1–10

Tuesday, Easter Weekday:

Acts 11:19–26 / Jn 10:22–30

Wednesday, Easter Weekday:

Acts 12:24—13:5a / Jn 12:44–50

Thursday, St. Mark:

1 Pt 5:5b–14 / Mk 16:15–20

Friday, Easter Weekday:

Acts 13:26–33 / Jn 14:1–6

Saturday, Easter Weekday:

Acts 13:44–52 / Jn 14:7–14

Bringing Home
the **Word** 

April 21, 2024

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Invest time each week to
expand your vocabulary and
deepen your faith.

21 April 2024

WORD OF THE WEEK

Evangelist *vi-ˈvan-jə-list*

One who announces Good News, particularly the message of the gospel. Often refers exclusively to the four gospel writers Mark, Matthew, Luke, and John. The New Testament also uses this term in reference to Philip, the deacon, and Timothy, a worker with Paul.

Pronunciation: <https://tinyurl.com/Take5-Evangelist>

CONTEXT

Evangelizers take on the “smell of the sheep” and the sheep are willing to hear their voice.

—Pope Francis, *Evangelii Gaudium*

We are all **evangelists**, but we almost always **evangelize** about the wrong things.

—Matthew Kelly

Saint Juan Diego, the peasant to whom Our Lady of Guadalupe appeared, is essentially the **evangelizer** of an entire hemisphere. —USCCB.org

WHY IT MATTERS

All Christians are summoned to the role of **evangelists**, a term first used in reference to the gospel writers in the third century. As followers of Jesus, our common vocation is to bring Good News to the poor, sick, lonely, imprisoned, and socially marginalized. The words of the four primary **evangelists**—Mark, Matthew, Luke, and John—instruct us in the mission we're invited to share.

From *Evangelii Nuntiandi* (Evangelization in the Modern World): The world is calling for **evangelizers** to speak to it of a God whom the **evangelists** themselves should know and be familiar with [122].

RELATED WORDS

Mission | Vocation | Gospel | Proclamation

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

What's an evangelist?

Evangelist translates from Greek as "messenger of good tidings." All baptized persons are called to be such messengers. Isaiah speaks of the "beautiful feet" of those who bring Good News. Ephesians describes apostles, prophets, and **evangelists** as central players in the church. Biblically, **evangelist** is not an exclusive term.

By the third century, the formal list of **evangelists** is reduced to the four gospel writers, Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John. They concretized the Good News the church would proclaim going forward.

By the fourth century, the symbology of the four **evangelists** became standardized as man, lion, ox, and eagle. Facing the four directions, these extraordinary creatures are four and yet unified in movement. They also burn like hot coals. Matthew, whose gospel emphasizes Jesus' humanity, is represented by the man. Mark highlights Jesus' divinity and kingship, so is identified as the lion. Luke holds up the sacrificial role of Jesus and so becomes the ox. John is the eagle as his gospel soars with a transcendent perspective on Jesus as the Christ.

—Alice Camille, from *Questions Catholics Ask* <http://tinyurl.com/QCA-Evangelist>

REFLECTION OF THE WEEK

FEAST OF MARK, EVANGELIST (APRIL 25)

I've got Good News

Mark was an **evangelist**, one who brings Good News. He was also one of the four **evangelists** who are credited with writing the gospels. Mark's gospel is the shortest, but it packs a punch with its message of the suffering servant Jesus who endured defeat and death so that we all might be saved.

READINGS: 1 Peter 5:5b-14; Mark 16:15-20 (555 <https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/042524.cfm>). "Go into the whole world and proclaim the Gospel to every creature."

FAITH IN ACTION

Mark's mission of sharing the Good News of our salvation didn't stop with him. It extends to all who hear and believe the gospel. Bring the Good News to someone around you today.