

Second Sunday of Lent

March 16, 2025

Immaculate Conception

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MASS TIMES: Mar. & Apr.

Major Saturday 5 p.m.
Dodsland Saturday 7:30 p.m.
Luseland Sunday 9 a.m.
Kerrobert Sunday 11 a.m.

Collection: \$510

| Date | Reader | Offertory |
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| March 15, (Sat.) 5 pm | Ray | M Scherr |
| March 29, (Sat.) 5 pm | Aimée | G & S Stang |
| April 5, (Sat.) 5 pm | Sharon | S & A Stang |
| April 12, (Sat.) 5 pm | Cole | R & B Wack |
| April 18, (Good Friday) | Vicki | |

Stations of the Cross – Major – Wednesday – 5 pm

REFLECTION ON THE GOSPEL: Luke 9:28-36

Carefully worded, Luke's account of the transfiguration is placed at the eve of Jesus' journey to Jerusalem. For Luke, Jerusalem is the central place of faith where Jesus spoke his first recorded words, where he completes his ministry, suffers his passion and rises, appears to the apostles, ascends into heaven, sends his Spirit, where Peter preaches his first sermon, and where the great commissioning takes place. For Luke the transfiguration then opens up the entire mystery of the incarnation – God the Word-made-flesh – and of God's salvation for all in Jesus Christ.

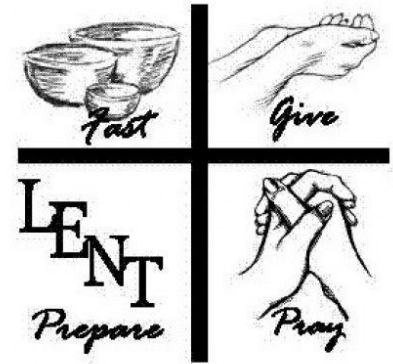
1. Jesus' face was radiant: why, in your opinion, do we so often hide our real face from one another?
2. If you were to witness the events at Mount Tabor, to actually see the "dazzling white" gown of Christ would your relationship change with Jesus, and how?

LENTEN RECONCILIATION TIMES

| DATE | PLACE & TIME | DATE | PLACE & TIME |
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| March 27 th -Thurs. | Unity – 7 pm | April 9th – Wed. | Major – 7 pm |
| April 1 st – Tues. | Kerrobert – 7 pm | April 9 th – Wed. | Biggar – 7 pm |
| April 8 th – Tues. | Luseland – 5 pm | April 10 th – Thurs. | Denzil – 7 pm |
| April 8 th – Tues. | Wilkie – 7 pm | April 11 th – Fri. | Macklin – 7 pm |

Easter Triduum Schedule

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| Holy Thursday – April 17th | Luseland | 5 pm |
| | Kerrobert | 7 pm |
| Good Friday – April 18th | Kerrobert | 3 pm |
| | Major | 5 pm |
| Holy Saturday – April 19th | Luseland (Easter Vigil) | 8 pm |
| Easter Sunday – April 20th | Dodsland | 9 am |
| | Major (First Communion) | 11 am |
| | Kerrobert | 1 pm |



MAJOR CWL FEES

Our annual dues are once again owing. This year the CWL fees are \$40.50. We will accept either a cheque to Aimée or Blanche or we do accept e-transfer to majorcwl@yahoo.com. Thank you for continuing support of our local CWL.

A LENTEN DAY OF PRAYER AND RECONCILIATION

On Friday, March 28: During the "24 Hours for the Lord" annual event established by Pope Francis, from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday, March 28, priests will be available for confessions all day at two locations in Saskatoon: The Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, and St. Paul Co-Cathedral, 720 Spadina Cr. E.

JOURNEY THROUGH LENT

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops is again offering a "Journey Through Lent" video series to provide spiritual inspiration and guidance on how to prepare well for the Easter season. This year's presenters are Most Rev. Michel Proulx, O.Praem., Bishop of Bathurst (in French), and Most Rev. Gary Franken, Bishop of St. Paul (in English). The first videos are now available on the CCCB website:

In English: <https://www.cccb.ca/announcement/journey-through-lent-video-series-weekly-reflections-for-the-lenten-season-2>

In French: <https://www.cecc.ca/annonce/serie-video-cheminer-ensemble-durant-le-temps-du-careme-reflexions-hebdomadaires-pour-le-temps-du-careme>

CALLED AND GIFTED

Explore what gifts the Holy Spirit has given you! A Called and Gifted introductory workshop will be held from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Saturday, March 22, presented by the Cathedral of the Holy Family and open to all those interested. Cost is \$80. Find online registration at:

<https://form.jotform.com/250085439325255>. The Called and Gifted discernment process from the Catherine of Siena Institute begins with an introductory workshop. God has distributed His gifts in accordance with the purpose and plan He has for each one of us to share in the building up of His Kingdom and His people. Whether in our homes, parishes or workplaces, these gifts (charisms) are indispensable to our accomplishing God's purposes. For more information about Called and Gifted see <https://rcdos.ca/called-and-gifted> (Called and Gifted is supported by the Bishop's Annual Appeal.)

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

Overall, the uproar, racket and din, Lord, help us to listen to you. Show us your dazzling glory hidden in the hum-drum of our everyday wonderful lives. AMEN

PUNS FOR TODAY

1. The fattest knight at King Arthur's table was Sir Cumference. He acquired his size from too much pi.
2. I thought I saw an eye doctor on an Alaskan island, but it turned out to be an optical Aleutian.
3. She was only a whiskey-maker, but he loved her still.
4. A rubber-band pistol was confiscated from an algebra class, because it was a weapon of Math destruction.
5. No matter how much you push the envelope, it'll still be stationery.

THE WIT & WISDOM OF YOGI BERRA

1. "If you can't imitate him, don't copy him."
2. "Slump? I ain't in no slump. I just ain't hitting."
3. "I always thought that record would stand until it was broken."
4. "Why buy good luggage? You only use it when you travel."
5. "I didn't really say everything I said."
6. "The towels were so thick there I could hardly close my suitcase."
7. "The other teams could make trouble for us if they win."
8. "If you come to a fork in the road, take it."
9. "You can observe a lot by watching"