

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER May 18, 2025 Immaculate Conception 306-834-2269

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MASS TIMES: May & June

Luseland Saturday 5 p.m.

Dodsland Saturday 7:30 p.m.

Major Sunday 9 a.m.

Kerrobert Sunday 11 a.m.

Collection: \$360

REFLECTION ON THE GOSPEL: John 13:31-33a, 34-35

May 25, (Sun.) 9 amVickiJ. ZimmerJune 1, (Sun.) 9 amRayJ & M BaierJune 8, (Sun.) 9 amAiméeL & C BaierJune 15, (Sun.) 9 amSharonD BazylinskiJune 22, (Sun.) 9 amColeD Chotowetz

During the Last Supper, Jesus gives us one last commandment: "love one another." Reading this section now in the resurrection light brings to the foreground God's glorification of the Son where death is destroyed by life. In turn, the Son's victory over death glorifies God the Father.

Date

- 1. How is your life nourished by love of God?
- 2. How has loving brought out the best in you and others?
- 3. How does your parish community love one another?

PRIESTS' PENSION AND RETIREMENT FUND APPEAL

April 26-27, marks the beginning of the annual Priests' Pension and Retirement Fund Appeal across our diocese. Throughout our lives, our priests have been there during the most sacred and significant moments — baptizing children, celebrating weddings, guiding through times of loss, and nourishing faith through the sacraments and their dedicated service. Even in retirement, many continue to offer pastoral care, celebrate Mass, and support our parishes in countless ways. This appeal is an opportunity to show appreciation for all they've done and continue to do — by helping ensure their retirement years are lived with dignity, comfort, and care. Watch for a letter in the mail or an e-mail message from the Diocese of Saskatoon Catholic Foundation with details or see the Foundation newsletter, posted online at: https://dscf.ca/wp-content/uploads/2025/04/2025-PPR-PACKAGE-.pdf or give online at: Every gift, no matter what the size, helps. Thank you for your generosity.

CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES MAY 18TH

Today we celebrate 5 young men who are becomes adults in our church. Please continue to pray as they journey with the Spirit: Adam Fischer, Luke Laturnus, Ty Ostrowski, Tristan Stang, Jake Thompson.

JUBILEE YEAR 2025 DIOCESE OF SASKATOON PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY

This trip is from Nov. 3 to 13, 2025, includes visits to Assisi, Florence, Venice, Rome. A \$200 deposit is required per person by May 30 to secure pricing, payable to St. Patrick Parish, Saskatoon by cash or cheque. For e-transfer call the parish for details. For more information about this trip contact Fr. David Tumback at St. Patrick's (306-384-1100) or Fr. Bassim Shoni at Sacred Heart Chaldean Church (306-477-0122). Prices: \$4,950 Canadian per person based on double occupancy / \$1,000 Canadian single supplement. Pilgrimage includes round-trip air fare, four-star hotel accommodation, daily tour buses, tour leader, priest spiritual director, and more.

JUBILEE 2025 – OBTAINING A JUBILEE INDULGENCE:

Resources about criteria for Jubilee indulgences are posted at: https://rcdos.ca/jubilee-2025/.

Cathedrals: The Cathedral of the Holy Family, 23 Nelson Road, Saskatoon, and/or St. Paul's Co-Cathedral, 720 Spadina Cres. E, Saskatoon, are designated as sacred sites to visit for the Jubilee Year indulgence. To visit one of these active parish sites as part of obtaining a Jubilee indulgence:

- · Review the Mass and liturgical schedule on the parish websites.
- · For individual visits, it is not necessary to alert the parish about your planned pilgrimage if you are simply attending a regularly scheduled Mass or confession time.
- · Contact the parish before making any plans for group visits outside of regularly scheduled Mass and confession times, or for special arrangements.
- · A pilgrimage group wishing to celebrate Mass and/or confessions will be asked to bring their own priest to celebrate, and at a time agreed to by the pastor.
- **St. Peter's Abbey:** The Benedictine Abbey at Muenster, SK is also designated by the bishop as a sacred site to visit for the Jubilee Year indulgence. Please contact the abbey Guest Master at: guestmaster@stpeters.sk.ca or call 306-682-1775 about possible visits and celebrations as part of obtaining a Jubilee indulgence.

Pilgrimage sites/shrines: The following locations have been designated by the bishop as sacred sites, which can be visited as part of obtaining a Jubilee indulgence:

- ·St. Anthony Church, Grosswerder, SK (annual pilgrimage June 13)
- Holy Rosary Shrine and Church, near Reward, SK (annual pilgrimage July 13, 2025) more details below.

HOLY ROSARY SHRINE AND CHURCH

The church is at Reward, SK located 3 kilometres south of the hamlet of Reward, SK. Pilgrimage schedule on July 13:

- · 1 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Children's activities and family scavenger hunt
- ·2 p.m. Adoration and Confessions
- · 3:15 p.m. Rosary with Marian hymns,
- · 4:00 p.m. Mass with Bishop Mark Hagemoen presiding, followed by supper
- · 5:30 p.m. Casual soccer game

Summer Mass Schedule at Holy Rosary Shrine site at Reward, SK, will also be celebrated at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 24, June 7, June 21, July 5, July 19, Aug. 2, Aug. 16, Aug. 30, Sept. 13.

Note: Resources and information about obtaining a Jubilee Indulgence for visiting a number of sacred sites in the diocese, including pilgrimage sites, Saskatoon cathedrals, and St. Peter's Abbey available at: https://rcdos.ca/jubilee-2025.

ANNIVERSARY TEA FOR FR. PHANEUF

In Thanksgiving for 60 years of ordination to the ministry of priesthood, you are invited to celebrate with Rev. Fr. Denis Phaneuf at a come-and-go tea 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday June 8 in the community room at the new Colombian Village residence, 3012 Louise Street, Saskatoon. You are also invited to visit the new Divine Mercy Chapel.

BLUMENFELD CEMETERY

The Blumenfeld Heritage Committee is starting the process of restoring its cemetery (at the historic Saints Peter and Paul Church, located 16 km south and 6.4 km east of Leader, SK). If you or someone you know has a loved one buried there, please contact the committee pertaining to a donation to, or upgrades that could be made to this sacred place. For more information contact Kendra Volk at avolk@sasktel.net or 1-306-662-8593 or Karri Wagman at karriwagman.kw@gmail.com or 1-306-628-8083 or visit "Blumenfeld & District Heritage Site" on Facebook or send mail to Blumenfeld; Box 104 Leader, SK, SON 0V0

WORDS OF WISDOM

- 1. Be gentle with the Earth.
- 2. Read community bulletin boards at the grocery store and elsewhere. You'll find all sorts of interesting things there.
- 3. The next time you're standing next to a police officer, firefighter, or paramedic, tell them that you appreciate what they do for the community.