

THIS WEEK:

Confessions & Rosary always 30mins. before 7:15am Lauds (Morning Prayer)

Currently all intentions have been offered: Mass Intentions may be requested by contacting [Fr. Young](#)

SIGN-UP FOR MASSES (CLICK HERE)

TUESDAY
Oct. 20
8AM
St. Margaret Mary Alacoque
(Int. Patrick Sellinger)



WEDNESDAY
Oct. 21
8AM
Latin Mass
St. Hillary
(Int. Joe Gartner)



THURSDAY
Oct. 22
8AM
St. John Paul II
(Int. Tim Hudec+)



FRIDAY
Oct. 23
8AM
St. John of Capistrano
(Int. Tim Hudec+)



SATURDAY
Oct. 24
Eucharistic Adoration
3-5pm
5pm Mass
(Int. Rita-Roger Lemay)

SUNDAY
Oct. 25
10:30am Mass
(Int. Pro Populo)
12 Noon Mass
(Int. Tim Hudec+)

OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH

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Pastoral Message

Dear Parishioners and friends of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Saskatoon. With growing numbers and many new families joining the parish in recent months - after careful consideration, I have decided that it is necessary to add another Mass time on Sundays. I hope that this will help to safely accommodate the most amount of people to attend every weekend. ***I have set up a free online-registration system in which you will see the weekend mass times*** (Saturday evenings and Sunday mornings). Having pre-registered, upon arrival you will no longer need then to sign-in as you enter the Church; simply clean your hands and find a seat with your family in the Church or overflow gym area. ***Weekday masses still can be attended with no pre-registration.*** Please note that the Sacred Music at the Noon Mass will be of a more Solemn Chant traditional-style by priest and choir. This may appeal to those who prefer a bit more of a contemplative environment. I encourage you to consider attending periodically at Noon or Saturday evenings to help spread out our numbers. As you see, you are free to register till the end of the Liturgical Year (late November). **If you need any assistance with the registering or have other questions: feel free to call/text or email me** (see above for my contact information).

The common theme of today's readings is the nature of our obligations to God and country. The readings show us how, with God's help, we can be virtuous citizens of both earth and and more importantly, to be zealous citizens of Heaven. The readings show us how, with God's help, we can be ideal citizens of both earth and Heaven. In these days we have a time of elections - it is important to be active and informed citizens; discerning right representatives in the electoral system. Reward virtue, strive to encourage good leaders to public service, and promote those who will serve the common good. Pray for our leaders too: for conversion and faithfulness to the office entrusted to their care.



Render unto Caesar what belongs to Caesar;

and to God, what belongs to God.

-Mt 22:15-21

TOTUS TUUS EGO SUM MARIA

~ Fr. G. Young

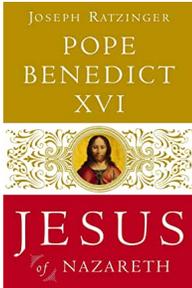
RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Are you or is someone you know a Catholic adult who never received his or her Confirmation? Are you or is someone you know an adult who comes to Church but isn't Catholic and would like to be? **RCIA meetings are every Tuesday (7pm) starting Oct. 6.** To become a full member of the Catholic Church or would like more information about the process, we'd love to have you as a member of our Parish's RCIA Program. For more information please contact Fr. G. Young (639-471-3246) or gyoung@rcdos.ca.



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SYMPOSIUM - JESUS OF NAZARETH



Coming this Fall...join together with your spouse, family, and friends in reading through Pp. Benedict's Jesus of Nazareth. A great introduction to theology and Scripture. For some, it might be a difficult work to begin with, so the talks will attempt to help guide you through. Fr. G. Young will host a series of reflections drawing from this work to accompany our reading. Read along at home with prescribed readings and come together for the periodic evening talks. If you are interested in participating and/or in need of a copy of the

book, contact Fr. G. Young who will place an order of books. Symposium dates TBD.

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL (BAA) BEGINS: The theme of this year's Appeal is **'Proclaim Christ – Reaching Out In-Service.'** The BAA Video can be viewed on our Facebook Parish Page - or here: <http://www.dscf.ca/baa>.

CHILDREN'S CATECHESIS CORNER

"Give... to God what is God's." For help in breaking open the word of God with your children, go to thebetterpart.net and click on the appropriate age group for your child(ren.)

Thank you again on behalf of our Bishop for the support you give to the needs of the local Church proposed to us by our Shepherd. Though we may not be the 'largest' parish - Our Lady of Lourdes has always shown itself to be the most generous.

I see this is too in the strength of our families and the reverence given to our worship and praise of God. I am humbled by your witness and cooperation with God's grace.

We are currently taking registration for children ready to prepare for the **Sacraments of Confession and First Holy Communion.** Any children who this year will be 7 or older can be registered. Resources will be provided by the parish for parents to help teach the kids at home as well as coming together as a class on Saturday mornings starting later this month. Contact Carolyn (carolyn.leblanc@altemira.com) or Fr. Geoff. **Classes begin Saturday, Oct. 24 9.30am-11am.**