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Tuesday, FEB 20	7:00 PM Intentions of Scheltgen Family
Wednesday, FEB 21	9:30 AM + TOM DELORME by Norm / Lynn Rogers
Thursday, FEB 22	7:00 PM + BRONIE HUSKA by the Family
Friday, FEB 23	9:30 AM PRAIRIE VILLA / + ESTHER SABANSKI by Rose Tymkiw
Saturday, FEB 24	7:00 PM Mass for Doreen Stenglar & Family by Pauline Chrusch
Sunday, FEB 25 9:00 AM	~ MOSSBANK ~ PRO POPULO / FOR THE PEOPLE
11:00 AM	~ ASSINIBOIA ~ PRO POPULO / FOR THE PEOPLE
Tuesday, FEB 27	7:00 PM + MARGARET LANGLOIS by Walt, Carole & Helen
Wednesday, FEB 28	7:00 PM Mass for Lillian Donkin & Family by Pauline Chrusch
Thursday, FEB 29	7:00 PM + EDWARD LANGLOIS by Walt, Carole & Helen;
	Knights of Columbus Meeting after Mass
Friday, MARCH 1	9:30 AM EAST SIDE COURT / + JAYLA NORDGULEN by Lorne & Debbie Buztynski
Saturday, MARCH 2	7:00 PM + JAYLA NORDGULEN by Lorne & Debbie Buztynski
Sunday, MARCH 3 / 9:00AM	~ MOSSBANK ~ PRO POPULO / FOR THE PEOPLE
11:00 AM	~ ASSINIBOIA ~ PRO POPULO / FOR THE PEOPLE

All through Lent, Stations of the Cross will be prayed before Sunday Morning Mass, at 10:30 AM. Leaders will be: FEB 18 / Finance Committee; FEB 25 / Knights of Columbus; MARCH 3 / Parish Council; MARCH 10 / CWL; MARCH 17 / CWL; MARCH 24 / Knights of Columbus; MARCH 29 (Good Friday) / Parish Council.

Alpha is an opportunity to gather weekly to enjoy a free meal, a faith-based video, and small-group discussion. The goal is growth in our community and in our own understanding and love for the Father, the Son and the Spirit.

Meetings are Wednesdays at 5:30 pm in our KC room. Sessions last about 90 minutes. There is no charge. This group will meet every Wednesday until March 13.

Second group meets on Saturdays at 12 noon. Please contact Gail Delorme. 306 640 5111

Our parish will be hosting a **Share Lent Development & Peace workshop** on Saturday, **February 24th** from 1:00 - 3:00 in the K of C room.

It will be a good opportunity to learn more about the amazing things our Canadian D & P are doing to help the people of the Global South. Refreshment will be served. Everyone welcome!

It helps to know how many will be in attendance, so please -\_sign\_the sheet at the church entrance, email: susanmr@sasktel.net, or mleblanc@devp.org

World Day of Prayer is Friday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2:00 PM Service in our church, with lunch afterward, in our hall. Our parish is hosting. ALL ARE WELCOME.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING before Mass on Sunday, MARCH 10th

FRIDAY, MARCH 15<sup>th</sup>: St. Patrick's Day Lunch FOR ALL. CWL will prepare Soup / Sandwich / Dessert. More details to follow.

The Chrism Mass will be held on Monday, March 18 at 2:00 PM at Holy Rosary Cathedral. Anyone interested to accept the oils there, please contact Fr. George.

FROZEN MEALS For Sale by the Parish: For your yummy convenience ... Individual portions of turkey meals \$5.00 each. Contact Rita Walters cell #306-640-7463

Please consider helping as altar servers, youth, families, adults - ALL are needed, Please &Thank You!

Help is needed on the Parish Council. Please prayerfully consider this service to YOUR parish, a very important duty. There are information pages at the back of the church so that you can know what duties are involved. Also the parish is in need of a Deanery Rep.

THANK YOU FOR ALL DONATIONS! FEB 3/4: Maintenance \$170.00; Regular Collection \$1290.00; Canadian Church Needs \$230.00; FEB 10/11: Maintenance \$220.00; Regular Collection \$1873.00; Canadian Church Needs \$100.00;

We are all encouraged to offer stipends to the priest, usually \$10.00 to say a daily Mass for our intentions, maybe for the beloved dead, for good health, for special, undisclosed intentions, etc. Please look for specially marked envelopes at the back of the church and drop them in to the collection basket or office. Please also specify if any preferred dates for your Mass.

Any cheques to be made to Fr. George Thattuparampil personally. Thank You!

LENTEN RETREAT / ST. GEORGE'S PARISH ASSINIBOIA

Sunday, MARCH 3	11:00 AM / SUNDAY MASS;
	Brunch / Lunch after Mass for ALL;
	6:30 PM / Adoration and 1 Talk;
	8:30 PM / Refreshments
Monday, MARCH 4	6:30 PM / Talk with Adoration;
	8:30 PM / Refreshments
Tuesday, MARCH 5	9:00 AM Morning Mass;
	6:30 PM / Talk;
	Confessions for all Parishioners;

**Preacher: Fr. Oliver** 

There will be specially marked envelopes to help out with the costs of this Lenten Retreat, at the back of the church.

Tax receipts will be issued in early 2025. THANK YOU for ALL donations!

## ST. LOUIS CATHOLIC CHURCH MOSSBANK:

FRIDAY, FEB 23: Stations of the Cross;

FRIDAYS, MARCH 1, 8, 15, 22: Stations and Bible Class;

HOLY WEEK: MARCH 28 HOLY THURSDAY: 4:30 PM; MARCH 29 GOOD FRIDAY: 12:30 PM;

MARCH 30 SATURDAY / EASTER VIGIL: 5:00 PM;

With All Best Wishes for a Happy Easter!

## **Finance Council News Letter**

A huge thank you to all who donated to make the yearend income receipts exceed the expenses to create a positive net amount!

The Finance Council was created to "take" the need to discuss money items away from the discussions at parish council. Prior to its creation, parish council was spending most of their meeting discussing church finances and very little time was left to discuss faith issues. When the hall was built, a building committee was created but the committee no longer exists. The Finance Council is responsible for maintenance of the parish hall, rectory and church.

The Finance Council is also responsible for fundraising. The members of the Finance Council are looking for individuals who might have ideas with regard to fundraising. As well, the Council would welcome individuals who are willing to lead fundraising events. (Some ideas have been put forward, but require someone to "take the lead" to implement the event!) Call Fr. George 1-306-727-3280; Ben Pasloski 306-640-7449; Bev Monea 306-640-8522

DID YOU KNOW: The utility amount paid for the hall, church and rectory was \$ 23,750.24 for 2023