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Tuesday, NOV 4	7:00 PM For Special Intentions by Bernie Chevrier & Leanne Beatty
Wednesday, NOV 5	9:30 AM + WANDA PAWLOWSKI by Lucille Pana;
	11:00 AM / EAST SIDE COURT;
Thursday, NOV 6	10:00 AM / HOSPITAL ;
	11:00AM / PRAIRIE VILLA ++ Deceased Relatives - RANDLES & ROGERS
	by Norm & Lynn Rogers
	7:00 PM + ADRIENNE DELORME by St. George's CWL
Friday, NOV 7	7:00 PM + CLAUDE ST. YVES by Irene Montgomery
Saturday, NOV 8	7:00 PM + LEONARD SCHELTGEN by Ken & Claire Schuweiler
Sunday, NOV 9 9:00 AM	~ MOSSBANK ~ PRO POPULO / FOR THE PEOPLE
11:00 AM	~ ASSINIBOIA ~ PRO POPULO / FOR THE PEOPLE
Tuesday, NOV 11	7:00 PM + PAUL SILZER - ANNIVERSARY by Lorraine Silzer
Wednesday, NOV 12	9:30 AM For Deceased Relatives and Friends of the LAPAIRE FAMILY
	by the Lapaire Family;
	11:00 AM / EAST SIDE COURT; ************* FINANCE MEETING 7:30 PM
Thursday, NOV 13	10:00 AM / HOSPITAL ;
	11:00 AM / PRAIRIE VILLA ++ Deceased Relatives - RANDLES & ROGERS
	by Norm & Lynn Rogers;
	7:00 PM ++ Deceased Members of C W L by St. George's CWL;
	************** C W L MEETING ************
Friday, NOV 14	7:00 PM Cecile & Lisa Choquette – Health - by Andre & Doris O'Reilly
Saturday, NOV 15	7:00 PM + ADRIENNE DELORME by Irene Montgomery
Sunday, NOV 16 9:00AM	~ MOSSBANK ~ PRO POPULO / FOR THE PEOPLE
11:00 AM	~ ASSINIBOIA ~ PRO POPULO / FOR THE PEOPLE

## If anybody needs anointing of the sick, call Fr. George CELL 1-306-727-3280

OCT 18, 19: Maintenance 25.00; Regular Collection \$1206.00; Propagation of the Faith \$175.00; OCT 25, 26: Maintenance \$150.00; Reg Collection \$1888.00; Propagation of the Faith \$550.00; THANK YOU FOR ALL DONATIONS!

\*\*\*\* Lord our God, give eternal rest to your faithful departed, Philomene Brochu, and peace to those who remember and mourn her.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Wednesdays, after 9:30 AM Mass, will be the showing of Season 5 of "The Chosen"

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* All Souls Day is Sunday, November 2nd. After the 11:00 am Mass, (weather permitting) Father George will have a special blessing for the departed souls of our loved ones, at Mount Hope Cemetery. Please gather at the cemetery at that time.

\*\*\*\*\* SAVE THE DATE! St. George's Parish Fall Supper will be Sunday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4 – 7 PM. Adults: \$20; Children 7-12: \$10; Children 6 and under: FREE. Home Delivery Available: Before NOV. 1–Call 642-4398 and leave a message. Take-Out Available –Day of Supper –Call 640-7463

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* LORNE KWASNICKI 85<sup>th</sup> Birthday Come & Go Tea Saturday, NOV. 8<sup>th</sup>, 2 – 4 PM, in the Knights of Columbus Room in our parish. Everybody Welcome!

~~~~ St. George's CWL will, once again, be hosting a <u>Nativity Exhibit- "O Holy Night"</u> at the beginning of Advent, <u>Friday</u>, <u>November 28 - Sunday</u>, <u>November 30</u>, <u>2025</u>.

We are hoping to gather as many Nativity items, such as creches, banners, ornaments, special Advent calendars, etc., as possible. If you, as parishioners, would consider lending your items, and asking others if they would, as well, we would greatly appreciate it!

All items must have the owners NAME and PHONE NUMBER one them. They will be carefully catalogued and returned.

We ask that you give your items to any CWL member OR bring them to the church hall by 6:00 pm on Thursday, November 27th.

<u>The Nativity Exhibit dates and times:</u> Friday, November 28: Noon - 9:00 pm Open to the public. Saturday, November 29: 10:00 am - 7:00 pm Open to the public. Sunday, November 30: Noon - 2:30pm Open to all members of St. George's Parish for a luncheon, viewing and Advent crafts for the children

\*\*\*\*\*\*Please join the Archdiocesan Reverence for Life Commission for coffee and conversation on Thursday, November 20<sup>th,</sup> in the Church of Our Lady Parish Hall in Moose Jaw. This will be a time to share the work, successes, challenges, and hopes that we have for the prolife movement in our communities. We will network and connect with others, as well as hear what the Archdiocesan Reverence for Life Commission has done. The commission wants to hear from you and share a bit about Reverence for Life Month and some of the past work they have done. This gathering will help the commission learn where we can best put our efforts to come alongside what you are already doing in your communities. For more information or if you have questions, please contact Tashia Toupin at ttoupin@archregina.sk.ca.

We will be gathering at 7:00 pm on Thursday, November 20<sup>th</sup>, at Church of Our Lady Parish Hall, 566 Vaughn St. Moose Jaw. Thank you!

## Dear Members of St George's Parish,

It is urgent that we, as Christians, educate ourselves, and show support for, the issue that is to be debated in our House of Commons in November! It is the private member's Bill C-218 put forward by Member of Parliament Tamara Jansen.

Ms. Jansen will be presenting her petition that <u>our government NOT go ahead with allowing MAID (EUTHANASIA)</u> be granted on the grounds of mental illness alone!

There is an excellent website called <u>www.nomaidformentalillness.ca</u>. It has great info and a petition.

We need to bombard our member of parliament (Steven Bonk), our minister of health (Marjorie Michel), and our prime minister (Mark Carney) with <u>letters supporting Bill C-218</u>, <u>and sign the</u> petition on the above website!

Please take a copy of the the papers in the foyer of the church and act before it's too late!!

~~~~As there will soon be Holy Communion received under both species again in our parish, more ministers are needed for this. Please reach Lynn 306-642-7803 or Rita 306-640-7463.

For serving as a minister of Holy Communion, during the liturgy, this is a General Security position, not a High Security position. Some forms need filling out, if you have not done so already in our parish.

~~~~The parish now has an active and eager Welcoming Committee. If you are new to our parish, or know someone who is new to our parish, please contact Laureen 306-642-8663. Also help / information with this, will be much appreciated from our greeters as they notice and reach out to newcomers to our parish. Thank you to all who will help this to be a success! There are forms at the back of the church for newcomers to our parish, whether you want envelopes or not etc.

## Our Religious Freedoms are on the chopping block!

In December of 2024, Finance Minister Chrystia Freeland put forth a *recommendation* that the Income Tax Act be amended to disallow income tax deductions for advancement of religion. This means contributions to churches, synagogues, mosques, temples or organizations sponsored by religious organizations could no longer give income tax receipts.

Losing tax status means fewer donations that fund countless charitable efforts, serving thousands of Canadians daily.

This has not become a bill yet, so is important that we express our concern BEFORE it comes before the House of Commons. This could happen this coming TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2025, as the budget is scheduled to be tabled then!

## WHAT CAN YOU DO?

- 1. Go to <a href="https://citizengo.org">https://citizengo.org</a> Inform yourself, and SIGN the PETITION!
- 2. Take copies of the letters from the church entrance, and send them to Prime Minister Mark Carney, Member of Parliament Steven Bonk, and Minister of Finance Francois-Philippe Champagne. Mail them (No stamp necessary) ASAP!
- 3. Spread the word! Tell your friends, and families. This does not concern our church only. Our voices matter!!

Beat the Christmas rush! Start to collect items for gift box/boxes for impoverished children of our world. Please consider joining this movement. This program, not only gives gifts to children who live in poverty, it is a program to spread the word of JESUS.

Samaritan's Purse - OPERATION Christmas Child Box materials are in the church entrance. It is a good activity to have your children or grandchildren participate with you. If you feel it is too difficult to fill a box, there's alternatives. You can go to the Dollar Store, and they will do it for you. Or, you can donate money, to help with shipping and education costs. Lastly, please pray! There's prayer bookmarks with the materials.

Collection deadline is Sunday, November 16th