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**JANUARY 25, 2015**

**THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

( Unless otherwise mentioned, all weekday Masses are at 9 AM )

<b>Monday, JAN 26</b>	_ NOELLA & PHILIPPE LALONDE by Rita Lesperance
<b>Tuesday, JAN 27 9:00 AM</b>	_ EUGENE LESPERANCE by Emile & Doraine Desautels
⇒ ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ <b>7:30 PM</b>	Finance Council Meeting
<b>Wednesday, JAN 28</b>	_ MARJORIE SCHMIDT by Tony Schmidt
<b>10:30 A M</b>	ROSS-PAYANT
<b>Thursday, JAN 29</b>	_ JOSHUA CROOKS (ANNIVERSARY) by Mark & Doreen Crooks
⇒ ⇒ ⇒ <b>7:00 P M</b>	KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING ⇐ ⇐ ⇐ ⇐ ⇐
<b>Friday, JAN 30 9:00 AM</b>	_ MARIE BLANCHE LESPERANCE by Lea Lesperance
<b>7:30 PM</b>	Prayer Service – MARJORIE KARST
<b>Saturday, JAN 31</b>	FUNERAL MASS for MARJORIE KARST
<b>2:00 PM</b>	
<b>7:30 PM</b>	<b>SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA</b>
<b>Sunday, FEB 1 9:00 AM</b>	<b>SUNDAY MASS ~ WILLOW BUNCH</b>
<b>11:00 AM</b>	<b>SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA</b>
RECONCILIATION: Before Mass or by appointment	⇒ ⇒ Visit the Archdiocese of Regina : <a href="http://www.archregina.sk.ca">www.archregina.sk.ca</a> For the latest events and new stories
MARRIAGES : Contact priest at least 6 months prior	
BAPTISMS : Contact priest 2 months prior	
House Blessings By Appointment	
Fr. Joy Montague, Administrator	Tel: 642-4439 Fax: 642-3633 Parish CELL Phone 640-9546
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Pastoral Care Group Co-ordinator	Mary Chipak Tel: 642-3583
Bulletin Submission Thursdays by 2:00	Email: <a href="mailto:st.georges.bulletin@gmail.com">st.georges.bulletin@gmail.com</a>
Parish Secretary Thursdays after 2:00	Sherryl Lariviere Office Tel: 642-4439

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Fundraiser Luncheon : Sunday, Jan 25<sup>th</sup> after**

**11:00 AM Mass :** \$10.00 per plate; 12 & under = \$5.00;

being done to help pay for a bed for Emile Letilly (who had a leg amputated) in Providence Place; KC 's doing the meal – ALL are welcome

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**Please pray for the repose of the soul of MARJORIE KARST.**

Prayer Service will be at 7:30 PM Friday, JAN 30 / 15 and

Funeral Mass will be at 2:00 PM Saturday, JAN 31 / 15

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On January 28, 1988 the Supreme Court ruled that abortions could be done for any reason up to the time of birth. Thus every year on the last Sunday of January people are invited to wear a Green Ribbon to show their concern for the lives of the thousands of un-born babies that have been ended by abortions. Green ribbons are available at your church. You are invited to wear one to show that you care about the lives lost through abortions.

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**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time: Jan. 25<sup>th</sup>**

There is a certain urgency in today's Gospel as Jesus calls His first disciples – Andrew and Simon, James and John. Each one follows Jesus immediately, unhesitatingly abandoning nets and boats and father and fellow-workers.

To what is Jesus calling me – at this moment, in these circumstances?

What will I need to abandon in order to follow Him?

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**ALL ARE WELCOME to the Prayer and Life Workshops**, a series of meetings to deepen our faith. Meetings focus on prayerful reading, spiritual healing and contemplative prayer. Tuesdays 3-5 PM KC ROOM at St. George's

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**BUILDING FUND:** Within our campaign period, we have received

**\$ 32,504.00 M A N Y T H A N K S ! Please continue giving ...**

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*In consideration for others, PLEASE remember : scented products including laundry soaps, hair sprays, lotions do bother some people's health.*

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*Wanted: rosaries - good or broken ones. Place them in the box at the back table. These are to be repaired, if needed, & sent to the northern missions. Thank you very much.*

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*You are invited to **SERENA Canada's 60th Anniversary Social** in Saskatoon on Saturday, February 7, 2015 at Sts. Peter and Paul (1202 - 11th Street East): 5:00pm Divine Liturgy, 6:00-9:00pm Catered Ukrainian Banquet, Guest Performers: Yevshan Ukrainian Folk Ballet Ensemble, Tickets \$25/person, Contact [sask@serena.ca](mailto:sask@serena.ca) to reserve your tickets.*

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***Yearend Tax Receipts have been prepared.** Tax receipts DO include donations made to Annual Appeal, IF your cheques were made to the parish or otherwise processed by the parish. Thank you so much for ALL donations !*

**Stewardship Corner:Your Faith in Action**

*The Eucharist is "a stewardship meal" and the entire liturgy is a stewardship experience. We are given the Word; we receive the Word. We present our gifts and ourselves. Through the Eucharist, we receive the gift of Christ himself; we become one with Christ. Stewardship is how we respond and share that gift. It is an everyday occurrence. To find out more about stewardship, see :*

*[www.dscatholicfoundation.ca/parish-stewardship-resources](http://www.dscatholicfoundation.ca/parish-stewardship-resources)*

*Thank you for continuing to bring your used postage stamps, Campbell's soup/products labels and zip top pull tabs from cans.*

**The Special Intentions of Pope Francis**

*Dear Heavenly Father, during this month we pray that you bless all those from diverse religious traditions and all people of good will, that they may work together to produce real peace in our world. Lord, we also pray that during this year dedicated to consecrated life, you would renew all religious men and women with the joy of following Christ. Fill all in the consecrated life with zeal, especially as they strive to serve the poor.*

**Saturday / Sunday Ministries**

<b>Saturday, JAN 31</b>	
Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Irene Klein Rita Walters
Rosary Leaders	Maureen Beauchesne Mary Chipak
Readers	Janice Erfle Al Farwell
Communion Ministers	Irene Montgomery Anette Pryce
Cross Bearer	PLEASE
Candle Bearers	VOLUNTEERS
Altar Servers	PLEASE
<b>Sunday, FEB 1</b>	
Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Michel & JoAnn Girardin
Rosary Leaders	Irene Clermont Rita Walters
Readers	Lorne Kwasnicki David Malcolm
Communion Ministers	Ken Kachuik Vicki Kachuik Philip Kachuik
Altar Servers	Davin Karst Kaitlin Feeley Sarah Feeley
Children's Liturgy	Ashley

**Church Finances**

Saturday Collection JAN 17 - \$ 560.00

Sunday Collection JAN 18 - \$ 996.25

**Thank You !**

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# Good News!

January 25, 2015

**THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Jon 3:1-5, 10 / 1 Cor 7:29-31 / Mk 1:14-20

Whether he knew it or not, Jonah was one of the most powerful prophets in Israel. He had scarcely started on his journey through Ninevah when the entire city under the direction of the king expressed sorrow for their sins and turned God's judgment to mercy. I think we all hope we might be that effective in our jobs.

If we to continue to read the book of Jonah, though, we find that he wasn't so happy about this turn of events—he felt it made him look weak. Did he not predict the destruction of Ninevah if they failed to repent?

But for now, we see a people so moved by the Word of God that they immediately change their behavior. In Mark's Gospel, Christ's invitation is just as compelling for the four fishermen who abandon their nets and their father by the sea and immediately change their direction and their lives.

I have a hard time imagining the words that would make me drop everything to follow a completely different path. Certainly I've taken the advice of friends and family or have responded to circumstances that demanded a new direction, but only after reflection and prayer—but it took considerably longer than a single moment.

The power of the Good News, however, is unlike any other to those who are opened to it. When we really hear God's voice, our hearts yearn to be in his presence and, though not always easily, our souls and minds bend to his will.

How is God's Word calling *you* to change today?

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