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Peace be to you!

MAY 24, 2015

PENTECOST SUNDAY

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

Pentecost is the birthday of the Church and a new presence of God among us.

Monday, May 25 _ UBALD & ANNTONETTE HEATCOAT by Lorraine Silzer
9:00 AM

Tuesday, May 26 M A S S
9:00 AM

Wednesday, May 27 M A S S
10:30 AM ROSS-PAYANT

Thursday, May 28 SPECIAL MASS INTENTION by Mark Crooks
7:00 P M KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING ⇐ ⇐ ⇐ ⇐ ⇐

Friday, May 29 M A S S
9:00 AM

Saturday, May 30 M A S S
9:00 AM

7:30 PM SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA

Sunday, May 31 **9:00 AM SUNDAY MASS ~ MOSSBANK**
11:00 AM SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA
Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

RECONCILIATION: Before Mass or by appointment

MARRIAGES: Contact priest at least 6 months prior

BAPTISMS: Contact priest 2 months prior

House Blessings By Appointment

Fr. Joy Montague, Administrator

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www.archregina.sk.ca

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Sunday, May 31st : Christina Attard, Development Director from the Archdiocesan Office, will speak at 11:00 AM Mass. **SPEAKER AND POT LUCK MEAL ARE CANCELLED ***** For now at least, No more Pot Luck Meals after Mass last Sundays of the months.**

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Padre Roland Dubourt, originally from Ponteix, now in Tanzania, East Africa, has worked for 30+ years, helping to develop the poorest areas in Africa. Money is needed for desks in a school recently built in rural Tanzania. Any cheques are to be made payable to St. George's Parish, and the cause, clearly marked. *Please see display at the back of the church.*
⇒⇒We will remit all monies after Sunday, MAY 31st as a cut-off / deadline.
Thank you so much for ALL donations !

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REDISCOVER CATHOLICISM Books : Please accept as a gift from the parish these spiritual guide books, at the back of the church.

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CWL - June 4th Mass - 6:00pm Reader – Lynn Supper - 7:00pm
Caterer-Darlene Corman Dessert- Lynn Rogers & Jackie Simard (Please sign attendance list- back of church) Or call Irene 640-7808 Deadline-June 1st

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Please reserve **Sunday, JUNE 7th** for **Y O U R PARISH PICNIC !!!** after 11:00 AM Mass, outdoors, hopefully, at Kinsmen Park. Please call Gail Delorme 306-642-3787 to offer help with FUN FOR ALL activities. Hamburgers / hot dogs, drinks, etc. Adults pay a toonie; Children pay ... z-e-r-o

Nepal Earthquake You can contribute to these much-needed relief efforts by donating to Development and Peace. Your contribution will be matched by the Canadian Government until May 25th, 2015. You can make a donation online at www.devp.org; by phone at 1 888 664-3387; or by sending a cheque made out to Development and Peace (please indicate Nepal Earthquake) to : Development and Peace, 1425 René-Lévesque Blvd. West 3rd Floor Montreal QC H3G 1T7.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING
after 7:00 PM MASS

Thursday, May 28, 2015

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Note to Parishioners : We are all encouraged to offer stipends to the priest, usually \$10.00 to say a 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. Any cheques to be to Fr. Joy Montague personally. Thanks
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OptionS Pregnancy Campaigns

The 2015 OptionS Pregnancy campaigns run from Mother's Day, May 10, 2015 (Oops! Time slipped away!) to Father's Day June 21, 2015. All funds raised go to the OptionS Pregnancy Center which provides a place where woman can come and not be judged for being in an unplanned pregnancy. The Center strives to let the woman know she is valued and cared about no matter what her choice. At OptionS they have found that a woman can make a better decision for herself and her

baby when she realizes her self-worth. The outreach program provides services to women in southern Saskatchewan and Regina area.

Your financial contribution through our 2 campaigns will continue to help us reach the lives of women in Southern Saskatchewan with truth, compassion, and informed choices about their pregnancies.

The 24 Hour Support Line:
306-757-3344

Services are free to clients. The Centre is a non-profit organization.

Bouncing Baby Bottle Campaign

Please pick up your baby bottle for collecting money after Mass.

Bouncing Baby Shower

New and gently used items for newborn to 2 years old are appreciated.

Please place your baby items in the bassinet at the back of the church. Thank you for Your Continued Support!

Hosted by the CWL.

Note: These campaigns will be extended to the end of June.

Saturday, MAY 30	
Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Jean-Marc & Glenda Rossignol
Rosary Leaders	Ron Scheltgen
Readers	Janice Erfle Ron Scheltgen
Communion Minister	Rita Walters
Cross Bearer	PLEASE
Candle Bearers	VOLUNTEER
Altar Servers	PLEASE
Sunday, MAY 31	
Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Maureen Beauchesne Gaylene Guillemain
Rosary Leaders	Irene Clermont Rita Walters
Readers	Melanie Delorme Tara Pedersen
Communion Ministers	Walter Agopsowicz Carole Agopsowicz Brian Bebeau
Altar Servers	Alex Kwasnicki Alyssa Kwasnicki Josh Martel
Children's Liturgy	Tammy Franks

**Communion Ministers,
please, as you come in, pick up
crosses to wear from the small table
at the back of the church and replace
them there after Mass.**

Church Finances

Saturday Collection MAY 16 - \$ 663.00
 Sunday Collection MAY 17 - \$ 903.91
 Seminarians / Vocations - \$ 75.00

Thank You!

Good News!

MAY 24, 2015

PENTECOST (B)

Acts 2:1-11 / 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25 /
 Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

When our children were toddlers, we played a game called Typhoon. It wasn't much—we looked intently into their eyes and then blew into their faces and said, "typhoon." Whether it was the breath blowing past them or the word itself, I am not sure, but they always widened their eyes, looked startled for a minute, and then started laughing.

The memory of this game comes unbidden when I read that Jesus blew on the disciples and commanded them to receive the Holy Spirit. I can imagine that their eyes widened and they looked startled for a minute. Maybe one or two of them were tempted to laugh, but the enormity of what Jesus said next sobered them quickly. There was power in the Spirit Jesus breathed out: a power to forgive sins.

The Church uses this passage (among others) to support Christ's institution of the sacrament of reconciliation, and so it is. In our reflection, though, we should not forget that we all are called to forgiveness in our relationships with one another.

While our forgiveness is not sacramental, it is a measure of our life in the Spirit that is poured out on the world at Pentecost. One of our great temptations is not to forgive but hold others bound because of our anger, fear, or plain stubbornness.

Remember, though, that forgiving others frees us as much as it frees them. In forgiving, we are no longer bound by hate, resentment, or feelings of vengeance. Rather, we show ourselves transformed in Christ by this immense gift of love.

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