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**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST THE KING**

**Nov 21, 2010**

**Schedule of Masses**

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

**PARISH MISSION Tues to Thurs Nov. 23, 24, 25 7-9 PM**

<b>Monday, Nov 22 9:00 AM</b>	† TERRY MULVENA by Ruby Jalbert
~~~~~ 7:00 PM	MASS & KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING
<b>Tuesday, Nov 23 9:00 AM</b>	‡ MEDARD HUYS by Eugene & Irene Clermont
Also 7:00 PM	† TINNIE SHIMSHA by Anne Mehain
<b>Wednesday, Nov 24</b>	Parish Mission
~~~~~ 9:30 AM	† MARGARET KARST by Mary Kesslering
Also 7:00 PM	Ross-Payant
<b>Thursday, Nov 25</b>	Parish Mission
7:00 PM	NO DAILY MASS
<b>Friday, Nov 26</b>	† ROSE DEAUST by Roland Audette
11:00 AM	Prairie Villa
<b>Saturday, Nov 27</b>	† BOB KARST by Marjorie Karst
~~~~~ 9:15 AM	ESC
7:30 PM	<b>SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA</b>
<b>Sunday, Nov 28 9:00 AM</b>	<b>SUNDAY MASS ~ WILLOW BUNCH</b>
11:00 AM	<b>SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA</b>
	<b>FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b>

RECONCILIATION : Before Masses or anytime by appointment

MARRIAGES : Contact priest at least 6 months prior

BAPTISMS : Contact priest 2 months prior

House Blessings By Appointment



Fr. Joy Montiague, Pastor

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Parish CELL Phone 640-9546

St. George's Parish Hall

Tel: 642-4633

Hall Reservations & Information

Rita Walters Tel: 642-4398 ( home )

Pastoral Care Group Co-ordinator

Mary Chipak Tel: 642-3583

Bulletin Submission Thursdays by 2:00

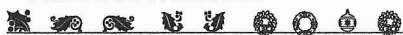
Email: [st.georges.bulletin@gmail.com](mailto:st.georges.bulletin@gmail.com)

Parish Secretary Thursdays after 2:00

Sherryl Lariviere Office Tel: 642-4439



**FAMILY ADVENT PREPARATIONS**  
 Church Hall Lunch Available  
 Sun., Nov. 21 after 11 AM Mass  
 Make - Advent Wreaths &  
 Jesse tree ornaments



Please pray for **Garrett Roy**, son of David and Christine ( Topola ) OGLE, who is being baptized at St. George's on Sun., Nov. 21<sup>st</sup>. May the grace of the Holy Spirit help him and his family to grow in holiness and faith.

**SPIRITUALITY OF WAITING –**

Advent is a time to be present to ourselves (our own time), to others (called to communion), to Jesus (the source of our life). When we were created there was imbedded in our very being a 'longing' and a 'waiting'. We are always in the process of becoming, a process of moving from something to something. Waiting in expectation is the foundation of spiritual life. This Advent we wait for the One who comes to us in smallness, weakness and hiddenness.

- Waiting is Active
- Waiting is Patient
- Waiting is Open-Ended
- Waiting is Hope

**PARISH MISSION Spirituality of Waiting** ⇐⇐⇐⇐⇐  
**"ADVENT" EVENT**

Holy Waiting Holy Longing  
 Tues to Thurs Nov 23, 24, 25 7-9 PM  
 With Vivian Bosch & Fr. Ed Hengen as presenters  
 Everyone Welcome

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**Religious Calendars in French or Polish or English :**  
**\$5.00 each** – please put money into the little wooden church at the back

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**CWL Christmas Party**

Thursday, December 2, our regular meeting night.  
 Mass at 5:30PM; Supper at Andy's 6:30PM,  
 Followed by a social and dessert at the Parish Centre.  
 CWL members and guests: each bring a \$5.00 wrapped gift, for an adult, for a gift exchange.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MASS & MEETING:**

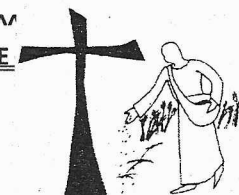
Monday, Nov. 22 7:00PM \*\* \*due to Parish Mission

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 The **CWL** will once again be helping out the Valley Native Ministry during the Advent season. This year Sr. Bernadette Feist has requested Funds to purchase "St Joseph's Picture Books" which are a Catholic series on topics such as Mass, sacraments, prayers, rosary, parables, miracles, etc. They sell for \$1.95. We have created a Toonie Tree and will have paper books for sale @ \$2 a book. You can put your name on the book, or your children /grandchildren's name. The money raised will be sent to Valley Native Ministry along with the 'tree' for them to see. The tree will be located in the foyer of the church and someone will be present at masses to collect the toonies. **EVERYONE IS INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS ADVENT PROJECT.**

Thank you for your interest in our Valley Native Ministry which is a part of Canadian Missions in Canada (CMIC)

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**COMMITMENT TO THE FUTURE**



Parish Goal = \$ 19,356  
 Collected = \$ 8,885

The call of the Commitment to the Future is a call for growth in faith – to believe in the promise extended by God through the words of Scripture. Respond in faith, knowing and trusting that God recognizes your sacrificial willingness to live in the message of the Gospel. Commit to the Future !

Please read THE ARCH page 7 about this year's Appeal. It's a 4-month campaign- all funds to be in by Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>. Amounts will be included on tax receipts that will be issued from the Parish early 2011. Rebates to parishes will be paid out as of Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>.

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**STEWARDSHIP Bulletin Bits - on Sunday Readings :**  
**Nov. 21 :** Today we celebrate Christ the King and are reminded that all was created through Him and for Him. Does my stewardship of blessings entrusted to me give evidence that Christ is Lord of my life ?

**SINGING FOR SUPPER Concert Wed., Dec. 1 7:00PM**

**NO Meal – Concert Only Prince of Wales Centre**

**Advance Tickets Only – NO tickets at the Door**

**Final day of ticket sales is November 30<sup>th</sup>.**

**Tickets from Sherry I / Office / back of church**

**\$20.00 – Adults \$15.00 – Seniors (65 + )**

**\$15.00 – Students (Ages 13-18) \$10.00 (12& under)**

**All Proceeds to Assiniboia Food Bank**



# Good News!

**November 21, 2010**

**Our Lord Jesus Christ the King**

2 Sm 5:1-3 / Col 1:12-20 / Lk 23:35-43

Today we celebrate Our Lord Jesus Christ the King. He doesn't look like a king to the people around him. The inscription Pilate put over Jesus' head was designed to be sarcastic, to create a laugh. Jesus announced that the kingdom of God was at hand. The Roman executioners taunted him—fine, have your kingdom right here on this wood. And so he did.

There was no way Roman crucifixion could mean anything but defeat. Jesus was hung on the cross, cursed by the law, left to die with his vision of a "reign of God." The gibbet was a place of shame. Isn't a king supposed to know triumph? *But he did.*

What does a condemned criminal think about in his last hours? To one side, Jesus hears a voice that condemns him again: "Why don't you help? Are you the Messiah?" (What had this man heard? Had *he* ever hoped Jesus was able to save?) But from another cross, we hear a dying man speak with prophetic insight. He trusts Jesus. He asks Jesus to remember him. *And he will.*

In the clouded scene on Calvary Hill, we see the mixture of light and darkness that surrounded Jesus through his life, came to his trial, and accompanied his death.

But we celebrate him as King today, because in him God "delivered us from the power of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins."

He is risen from the dead.

May the grace and peace of our Savior be with you!

*Dan Finucane*  
*sundaybulletins@liguori.org*

Liguori Publications is deeply grateful to Dan Finucane, whose thought-provoking, gracefully written meditations have given us new insights into the Sunday readings for the last three years. We wish him all the best.

**HELP WANTED – Your Parish is in need of more sacristans; if interested, please call Rose Delorme 642-5137 or 640-8824 ☎**

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**New Missals for sale - the back of the church \$4.00  
One version is a special issue for youth – also \$4.00**

**Books For Sale at the Masses / from Church Office:**

**History of the Archdiocese of Regina \$30.00 each**

**The 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary history books are done !!**

**Great for Christmas gift- giving! ☺ ☹ ☺ ☹**

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At the Archdiocesan Regional Resource Centre in Swift Current we have a good selection of VHS tapes, books and DVDs relating to the Advent and Christmas Seasons. We have just recently received 'The Donkey's Tale', 'Advent with Saint Nicholas', and 'Following Jesus Through the Church Year' on DVD, among many others. Please drop in or call Val at 773-0026 and leave a message to borrow from our library or browse available titles.

**Seeking Light in the Darkness: A Service of Prayer to Address the Issue of Clergy Sexual Abuse in the Church** - In the spirit of our Advent journey, inviting Christ to come and illuminate our troubled hearts, all are invited to a time of prayer to initiate a deeper awareness of the reality of clergy sexual abuse within our faith community on **Tuesday, November 30 at 7:30 p.m. at St. Jean Baptiste Church, 2517 25th Ave. Regina**

**Saturday / Sunday Ministries**

**Saturday, Nov 27**

Ushers / Collection Please Volunteer  
 Greeters & Offerings Gene & Sharon Bergeron  
 Rosary Leaders Irene Marcenko Mary Chipak  
 Readers Ron Scheltgen  
 Communion Ministers  
 Cross Bearer Rita Walters

**Candle Bearers**



Altar Servers Emily Koller Sara Kesslering

**Sunday, Nov 28**

Ushers / Collection Please Volunteer  
 Greeters & Offerings Carole & Walt Agopsowicz  
 Rosary Leaders Aime Morin Hazel Major  
 Readers Shirley Delorme Maureen Ellis  
 Communion Ministers  
 Cross Bearer Alyssa Kwasnicki  
 Candle Bearers Sarah Feeley Kaitlin Feeley  
 Altar Servers Christina Franks Alex Kwasnicki

**Church Finances**

Saturday Collection Nov 13 - \$325.00

Sunday Collection Nov 14 - \$1287.34

**Thank You !**

# dear Padre

November 21, 2010

## Should we extend our hands when we pray the Our Father?

*I went to Mass at my sister's parish. When the assembly prayed the Our Father, they extended their hands the same way the priest does. We don't do this at my parish. Are we supposed to?*

*Cheryl*

Dear Cheryl,

In both the *General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM)*, where the guidelines for liturgical celebrations are set forth by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, and in the *Sacramentary*, the book the priest uses at the altar to follow the rubrics (rules) of the Mass, the priest is directed to extend his hands during the Our Father as a sign that the prayer is offered to God. Neither book mentions gestures required for the assembly.

When the assembly at your sister's parish extended their hands along with the priest, they were showing a sign of unity. In some parishes, members of the assembly join hands with those next to them, also a sign of unity.

If we encounter a difference in the liturgy and we're certain it is contrary to the faith or good morals, it's important to deal with the issue charitably. Sometimes the proper authority has discerned and given permission for the difference, or maybe it's an option our own parish simply hasn't chosen to exercise. In all things, we should remain charitable and respond with open hearts to our bishops in union with the Holy Father, who have been chosen by Providence to guide us in our worship that it may always be true.

**Bob Lindsey, CSSR**