

# ST. MARK PARISH



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**MASS TIMES:** SUNDAY MASS: **11:00 a.m.**

WEEKDAY MASS: Tues. to Fri. 9:00 a.m. \*See weekly schedule

Office Hours: Tues to Fri. 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

\*(May be closed during weekday morning Mass)

**July 23, 2017 - 16th. Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**July 30, 2017 - 17th. Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## SACRAMENTS

### RECONCILIATION:

Before Weekday Mass or please call Fr. Jim to book appointment.

### BAPTISMAL PREPARATION:

*Baptism Preparation* will resume again in the fall. We are asking all parents who want to have their children Baptized to participate in a three evening preparation program. **The next three evenings will be Wednesdays, Sept. 20, 27 & Oct. 04.**

### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION:

A special invitation to those children who will be in grade two (or older), in September, to become part of the group preparing for Reconciliation, Confirmation and Eucharist. Look for the first meeting date sometime in mid September. or give Fr. Jim a call at the parish office 764-4637

### MARRIAGE:

Please allow six to eight months for preparations. Please contact Fr. Jim.

## Upcoming Permanent Diaconate Ordinations

Tues July 25 - Diaconate Ordination of Brian McLane and Mike Hardwicke at St. Eugene, Nipawin

Thurs Aug 10 - Diaconate Ordination of Lynn Ryan St. Michael, PA

Thurs Sept 14 - Diaconate Ordination of Greg Bobbitt at St. Odilon, Rosthern

Note: Fr. Jim will be on holidays from Mon. Aug. 21 to Mon. Sept. 04

### Our Values

*We believe in:*

*Meeting the spiritual and social needs of all parish members  
by the exemplifying values, principles, beliefs and faith of Christ.*

*Continuing the redemptive act of Christ*

*by proclaiming the good news.*

*Reverence*



### Weekly Schedule for July 23 to 30

Sat. July 22 5:00 p.m. Mass in Candle Lake

Sun. July 23 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. James - Confirmation and Feast Day celebrations  
 11:00 a.m. Sunday Celebration of the Word with Communion at St. Mark

Mon. July 24 Fr. Jim's Day Off

Tues. July 25 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 Birthday Blessings for Maurice Marsollier  
 From Vic and Maria Case  
 7:00 p.m. Fr. Jim in Nipawin for Permanent Diaconate celebration

Wed. July 26 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 IMO Zachary Cook  
 From Vanda Bzdell  
 5:00 p.m. Fr. Jim at Supper for Deanery Priest

Thurs. July 27 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 IMO Charles Broomfield  
 From PA Catholic School Div Staff

Fri. July 28 **10:00 a.m. Mass at Good Shepherd *\*\*please note***  
 For Sophie Tenaschuk  
 From Melva

Sat. July 29 2:00 p.m. Congratulations to Bryce Laewetz and Jennifer Falconer who will be married today.  
 5:00 p.m. Mass in Candle Lake

Sun. July 30 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. James  
 11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 For All Parishioners

### Weekly Schedule for July 30 to Aug. 06

Sat. July 29 5:00 p.m. Mass in Candle Lake

Sun. July 30 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. James  
 11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 For All Parishioners

Mon. July 31 Fr. Jim's Day Off

Tues. Aug.01 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 IMO Shirley Ruskowski  
 From Teddy and Family

Wed. Aug.02 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 For Increase in Vocations and Religious Life  
 7:00 p.m. Mass at St. James

Thurs. Aug.03 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 IMO Denise Smith  
 From Darsey  
 10:00 a.m. Fr. Jim doing internment at Memorial Gardens

Fri. Aug.04 9:30 a.m. Mass at Carment Court  
 IMO Pat Claudia  
 From Emily and Family

Sat. Aug.05 1:00 p.m. Fr. Jim celebrating a Wedding in St. Brioux  
 5:00 p.m. Mass in Candle Lake

Sun. Aug.06 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. James  
 11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 For Gregory and Teresa Smith  
 Congratulations to Gregory and Teresa Smith who will be renewing their vows at Mass

MINISTRIES	July 30, 2017	Aug. 06 2017
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**Mass Intentions:** Now that Fr. Jim will no longer be at St. James; more Mass Intentions are available at St. Mark. A few Sundays and Wednesdays in Aug. Sept. and Oct. are available. Please contact the parish office if you would like to offer a Mass In Memory of a Loved one or for a Special Intention.



**Good News:** Barry Tkachuk is a seminarian for our diocese. He will be at St. Mark for a month (July 15 to August 16<sup>th</sup>) ***Please make a point of welcoming him and inviting him for lunch/supper.***

Throughout the months of July and August; our Parish Bulletin will be for two week periods.

<b>SUNDAY CONTRIBUTIONS</b> <i>Our gifts to God and our gifts to our Parish.</i>		
	July 09	July 16
Envelopes	\$1215.00	\$ 855.00
Loose	\$ 174.36	\$ 115.95
Building	\$ 85.00	\$ 5.00
<i>Going away for summer holidays? Your parish expenses don't take a holiday; so please remember to "catch-up" your missed Sundays. Thank You Enjoy your summer!</i>		

Our prayers and condolences to the family of Roger Gallerneault who recently passed away May He Rest in Peace.



**Save The Date - "Meet and Greet" our Seminarians** - The Vocations Commission has been planning a "Meet and Greet" of all our seminarians, on **August 8**, at Sacred Heart Cathedral. The event will begin with Mass at 5:00 pm, celebrated by the Most Rev. Albert Thévenot M. Afr., followed by a *barbecue* hosted by the Knights of Columbus. There will also be a short presentation by each of the seminarians, followed by a time of fellowship.



**St. Laurent Shrine August 15 2017 celebrations will be:**

6:00 - 6:30 pm -- Marian Prayer / Rosary  
 6:30 - 7:15 pm -- Talk by Father Mark Blom OMI  
 7:30 - 8:30 pm -- Celebration of Eucharist and Candlelight Procession

**76th Annual Pilgrimage, Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes** - St. Anthony's Parish, Rama. August 14 & 15. The 'Travelling' Statue of Our Lady of Fatima (Across North America, it is one of the only stops in Sk) will be there & 2 statues from Italy - St. Mother Theresa & St. JP II will officially be revealed and placed at the Shrine. The 76<sup>th</sup> Pilgrimage entails mass in English, Ukrainian and Polish, Confession, Adoration, and you can take part in the Living Rosary, the Candle Light Procession and meet thousands of Catholics from across Canada. Please see poster in church foyer for more details or web site at [Ramashrine.ca](http://Ramashrine.ca)

**"Each one of us is precious; each one of us is irreplaceable in God's eyes."**

Pope Francis  
 @Pontifex Twitter  
 June 25, 2017



If you would like to decorate our church and share flowers from your garden; please bring them to the office Friday mornings or early Sunday mornings before Mass.

**Camp Aurora Borealis** Conquest Catholic boy's camp, ages 10-16, will be held from Aug. 13-18<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at Blackstrap Camp, South of Saskatoon. Join King David, as he rises as ruler of Israel and experiences his call to be a servant of God, through daily Mass, sports, battle campaigns, teamwork, and leadership training. For info call Garth at 306-981-3803 or visit [www.auroraborealisyouth.com](http://www.auroraborealisyouth.com)



Summer is quickly upon us, and one of the greatest summer events in Prince Albert is **the PA Exhibition** (August 1 - 5). The **Knights of Columbus** have operated a **food booth** at the PA EX for a number of years. They are looking for **volunteers** to help in the food booth. As a courtesy to those who are volunteer, they **are providing day passes** on the day you helping. If you are interested in helping the Knights, please call Albert Lafond at 764-9638 NOTE to Brother Knights: the pre-fair booth cleanup is July 25 at 7:00 p.m.

**Have a God Day** 



**Stewardship Corner July 23 2017 16th. Sunday in Ordinary Times**

*"The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a man who sowed good seed in his field...He who sows good seed is the Son of Man, the field is the world, the good seed the children of the kingdom."* - MATTHEW 13:24, 37-38

As children of God, we are all "good seeds," blessed by God with the potential to accomplish much good in the world. We fulfill God's plan when we share our talents and our financial gifts to help build God's kingdom on earth. Through our stewardship we sow "good seeds" on earth to ultimately help each other get to Heaven!



The Knights of Columbus are happy to assist people to attend Mass. If you would like to attend Mass, but are unable to drive or do not have transportation available, the **Knights of Columbus will provide taxi service at no cost to you.** Please phone Garfield Hendrix at 306-763-8584. He will call the cab company to arrange the pick-up places, times and payments. This helps all parishioners live out the gospel values.



**Stewardship Corner July 30 2017 17th. Sunday in Ordinary Times**

*"We know that all things work for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose."* ROMANS 8:28


Do you really trust God? Do you believe that all things work for good? Faith is a challenge for everyone at times. Putting our trust in God, in everything we do, means that God's plan for our lives may be different than our plan. When one door closes, another one opens. Trust in God, His plan is always better.




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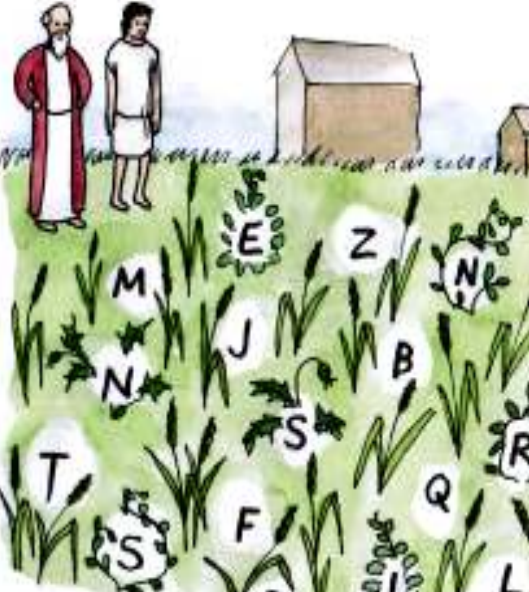
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What did the weeds in today's parable represent?  
Find all the letters that are in the weeds and  
unscramble them to find out.



The weeds are any plant  
that doesn't look like this.

**The Kids' Bulletin**

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 23rd, 2017



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