

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)

September 16, 2018 - 24th. Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. MARK PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY

All parishioners are invited to have their pictures taken. **Another date has been added - Thursday September 20.** If you have not already booked your photo session; please sign up for your photo date and time in the foyer after Mass; or contact the parish office. *Everyone is encouraged to be a part of our parish directory.* If you have your photo taken, you will receive a free copy of the parish directory. *There is no cost involved;* unless you choose to purchase additional pictures.

St. Mark Parish Fall Supper

589 - 9th. Street East

Please use the CHURCH ENTRANCE
(Elevator available on south side)

**Sunday,
September 30, 2017**

4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Menu: Turkey and all the trimmings,
meatballs, homemade cabbage rolls,
buns. Top off your meal with pie!!

Cost: Adults: \$15.00
Seniors (65yrs. +): \$13.00
Children (6-12 yrs.): \$7.00
Preschoolers (5 & under): "Free"
Family rate: \$40.00
(2 adults & 2 children or more)

****Takeout meals available at the above cost****

Welcome Everyone!!!!



ST. MARK PARISH FALL SUPPER

Donation and Volunteer sheets If you did not receive one; please pick one up from the ushers. Please return sheets into offertory baskets or to the Parish Office. Please *return your donation sheets along with your name even if you are unable to donate this year* so that the phoning committee will not need to interrupt your day with a phone call. Thank You for your generosity to our parish.

Fall Supper Work Bees:

Mon. Sept.28—10:00 a.m. Cabbage Roll Making
Sat. Sept.29—9:30 a.m. Food and kitchen preparation.
Hall set up. Lunch provided.

Many volunteers are needed for these work bees. If you can donate even a few hours of your time; please contact Lorraine Tremblay

Sat. Sept. 29—9:30 a.m. **General Clean-up & Repairs to church and hall; and Set Up Tables for Fall Supper.** Please come out and help tidy OUR PARISH indoors and out and set up tables for Fall Supper. Lunch Provided.



Weekly Schedule for September 16-23, 2018

Sun. Sept. 16	9:00 a.m.	Mass St. James
	11:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Mark
		IMO Jack & Pauline Graves From Judy Perreault
Mon. Sept. 17	Fr. Jim's day off	
	7:00 p.m.	2nd. Evening for Baptism Preparation
Tues. Sept. 18	9:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Mark
		For Fr. Kendrick Beler From Fr. Jim
	2:00 p.m.	Small Faith Christian Community gathering
	7:00 p.m.	Parish Council mtg.
Wed. Sept. 19	9:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Mark
		IMO of Ray Erdman From Melva Chestolowski and family
	7:00 p.m.	Mass at St. James
	7:30 p.m.	St. James PPC mtg.
Thurs. Sept 20	9:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Mark
		IMO Sophie Tenaschuk From Mary Erdman and family
Fri. Sept. 21	11:00 a.m.	Mass at Riverbreeze
		For Fr. Kendrick Beler From Ernie and Lorraine Tremblay
Sat. Sept. 22	10:00 a.m.	Altar Server Practice
	2:30 p.m.	Fr. Jim in Nipawin for an internment
	5:00 p.m.	Mass at Candle Lake
Sun. Sept. 23	9:00 a.m.	Mass St. James
	11:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Mark
		IMO Candace Bernier From Maurice and Helen Lafond Congratulations to Cole Sharp who will be baptized today Parish Photo after Mass - <i>everyone smile</i>

Children's Liturgy resumed last Sunday. Our aim is to give our children, a meaningful experience of church; all the while helping them to grown in the faith of the Catholic Church.

We are looking for parents who can help as leaders for the Children's Liturgy Ministry. Training will be provided. Please listen to the Spirit speaking in your heart. Please contact Jeremy or Megan Mewis for more information and to volunteer.

All money the children donate to the "Gold Box" at the foot of the altar, is used to sponsor a child in Haiti through Chalice.



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.

SCENT FREE - There has been a request by parishioners to make our Sunday gathering scent (perfume) free. Unfortunately in our attempt to present the best of who we are to the Lord, we are preventing people from even attending our services. Please consider others when you are getting ready Sunday morning.

MINISTRIES September 23, 2018

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Small Faith Christian Community Gathering Tuesdays from 2:00 to 3:00pm beginning this Tues. Sept. 18. *Everyone welcome to attend - reflect on the Gospel readings and pray. No registration required, just come.*

Wanted: Keyboardists, musicians and singers for St. Mark Choir! If you know of someone who has a talent to share and might be interested - please share this information!

Parish Photo Sunday - Sunday, September 23. You are part of our parish family - please stay after Mass and be part of our Parish Photo.

RCIA or Rite of Initiation of Adults

is the way people join our church. If you, or someone you know, is interested in becoming Roman Catholic; please phone Fr. Jim at 306 764-4637 immediately. We would like to begin the process ASAP. Thank you.

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

SACRAMENTS

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

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION: Baptism is the foundation for all the other sacraments. All parents looking to have their children baptized are required to participate in a baptismal preparation program. **Baptism preparation classes Sept. 17 & 24 at 7:00p.m.** To register for baptism classes; please call the Parish Office.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION: Our faith journey is a lifetime commitment. A major step along the way is the preparation for the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and Eucharist. We will be preparing next year's class with an initial meeting on **Monday, October 1, 7:00pm** in the basement of St. Mark Church. If your child is in grade two, or has not yet received their first communion, be sure to attend this meeting.

MARRIAGE: Please allow six to eight months for preparation. Please contact Fr. Jim.

Save the date for Upcoming events

- Mon Sept 17 & 24 - Baptismal Preparation
- Sept 17, 18, 19 and 20 - St. Mark Photo Directory picture taking sessions
- Sat. Sept 22 10:00-1:00 - Altar Servers' Practice
- Sun. Sept. 23 after Mass- Parish group photo of all parishioners.
- Fri. Sept 28 - Family Video evening (at Rectory) *All welcome!*
- Sun Sept 30 - St. Mark Fall Supper
- Sun Sept 30 - International Life Chain Prince Albert SK
- Mon Oct 1 7:00p.m. - 1st. Parent/Child evening for Preparation for Confirmation/1st. Communion
- Fri/Sat Oct 12/13 - Diocese of Prince Albert Gospel Jamborees
- Fri. Oct. 26 - Greatest Day in the history of the universe
- Sat. Oct 27 - Fall Diocesan Pastoral Council (DPC) mtg.



SUNDAY CONTRIBUTIONS

	Sept 09	Sept 02
Envelopes	\$1460.00	\$1415.00
Loose	\$ 253.50	\$ 232.20
Building	\$ 75.00	\$ 225.00

Vocation Corner Twenty - fourth Sunday of the Year – B

A Vocation View: We do not advertise an easy life. But then no life worth living is an easy life. Jesus said: "If you wish to come after me, you must deny yourself, take up your cross, and follow in my steps." Pray for the gift of being able to accept your vocation

Prayer: That those called to give their lives for the sake of the Gospel as priests, deacons and in the consecrated life, will glory in the cross of Jesus Christ, we pray to the Lord.

Action: A painter and musician happened upon a spray-painted image of a cross on a walk along a Mexican road. He took a picture of what he saw: a haunting, rough, wild, desolate, but ultimately hopeful image of this universal Christian symbol. The man with the camera was simply out on a hike, but he has the discerning eye of an artist, so he sees things others might not. It is a talent cultivated over years of practice and a reminder to all of us to pay attention—for even the stones cry out the glory of God (cf. Luke: 19-40). Insights and sparks of enlightenment will come to us particularly through spiritual practice and prayer, and in those moments we will know above all else who we are and where we are being called.

The Diocese of Prince Albert is hosting a **Gospel Jamboree, Fri. Oct. 12** at St. Joseph Parish from 5:00pm-8:00 pm. Ken Yasinski speaking on: 1) The Family and the Christian Faith, 2) The Challenges of the Family Today. Entertainment by: the Sundrops Band (Swift Current) & Stephanie Rose. There is no entrance fee, any donations go directly to the diocese. Child care provided, as will food cooked by the Kof C. For more information contact Fr. Millan at 306-763-5677

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Prince Albert congratulates retired pastor, **Rev. Herve Vallée, for being chosen to be inducted into the Prince Albert Arts Hall of Fame** for his contribution to the Arts in the community of Prince Albert. **Appreciation event for Fr. Hervé will be Sept. 29, 2018 at E.A. Rawlinson Centre.** This will be a special evening honoring Fr. Hervé's work in the arts in Prince Albert. Tickets available at the E.A. Rawlinson box office. *All are invited to attend.*


Have you ever thought about remembering your parish in your will? The line "I bequeath to St. Mark Parish, in Prince Albert, Saskatchewan the sum of \$_____ (specific amount) or _____ % (a percentage) of the residue of my estate to be used for its general purposes at the discretion of the Parish Council," will insure that the parish has the resources to serve future generations. Please share your intention to support your Church with your family. Your bequest is a witness to them of the importance of your faith in your life, and sharing this information will assist them in honoring your wishes and your memory in the future.

St. George's Ukrainian Catholic Church Annual Fall Supper Sun. Sept. 16 from 4:00 to 6:00pm. 751 - 14th. St. W. Turkey, Meatballs, Perogies, Cabbage Rolls, and more. Adults \$15. Children \$7. Elevator Available. Everyone Welcome.


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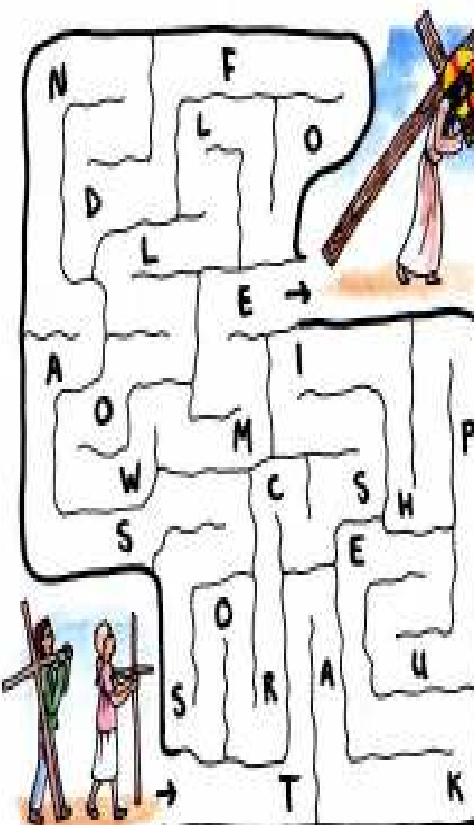

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The Kids' Bulletin
 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 September 16th, 2018
 Mark 8:27-35
 Use the letters that you pass going through the maze
 to fill in the blanks:
 In today's Gospel reading, Jesus tells the
 apostles, "If any man would come after me,
 let him deny himself and

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A maze with letters in various cells. A figure carrying a cross is at the top right. The letters are: N, F, L, O, D, L, E, A, W, S, M, C, S, H, P, S, O, R, A, U, T, K.

Show that You Believe in Jesus!
 James 2:14-18
 HERE, YOU CAN
 PLAY WITH
 MY CARS
 TOO!
 Answer to front page: take up his cross and follow Me.



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