

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 3, 2019

Immaculate Conception

Major

306-834-2269



Pastor

Father Dan Yasinski

Parish Council Chairperson

Gordon Stang

CWL President

Aimée Stang

WE ARE ON THE NET!! www.kldmcatholic.com

Attendants: February 9th

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| Readers | Angela Fischer | Christopher Cook |
| Offertory | Dan & Rose Cowan | |
| Wine Ministry | Cindy Chotowetz | MaryLynn Obritsch |

Attendants: February 16th

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| Readers | Aimée Stang | Blanche Wack |
| Offertory | Kyle & Giselle Cowan | |
| Wine Ministry | Blanche Wack | Garry Walz |

MASS TIMES: February & March

Major Saturday 5:30 p.m.

Luseland Saturday 7:30 p.m.

Dodsland Sunday 9 a.m.

Kerrobert Sunday 11 a.m.

Collection: \$595

Evangelization of Nations: \$160

WEEKLY MASS: There will be mass on

February 5th at 7 p.m. Bible Study on Mary will follow.

GOSPEL READING: Luke 4:21-30

This account marks the beginning of Jesus' public ministry. At first received with admiration by the people in his hometown, this turns to scorn once Jesus makes it clear that he is the fulfillment of Isaiah and that his mission is to all the nations. Already at this bold beginning, they wish him dead, something that will only be accomplished three years later.

1. Is it still true that "no prophet is accepted in his/her hometown?"
2. If you were a devout Jew in the synagogue on this occasion, what would have made you nervous or upset?
3. How do we deal with those who challenge our sinful behavior and arrogant judgments?
4. Does Christ's gospel encounter hostility today?

BIBLE STUDY IN MAJOR

For the last two years we have had a Lenten Bible study. This year will be no different. Our topic will be on Mary, Mother of God. We will begin on February 5th following mass. A sign-up sheet is in the entrance.

There will be no cost to the individual for this program.

CWL NEWS

CWL membership is now due. \$22.00 to be paid by the end of the month. Also, please add your address and phone number to the sheet at the back of the church so we have it correct for the membership list.

Thank you and God Bless you in 2019.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY SCHEDULE

List of Children's Liturgy Teachers per week:

1st week- Sharon Stang

2nd week- Vicki Ostrowski

3rd week- Aimee Stang

4th week- Angela Fischer

5th week- Sharon Stang

If anyone else would like to help us out that would be great. Please let Sharon Stang or Aimee Stang know so we can add you to the list or you could fill in when someone is missing. It would be a great help. **SASK. K OF C**

THERE WILL BE NO BULLETIN ON THE WEEKEND OF February 9 – 10TH.

VOCACTIONS ENDOWMENT

The Catholic Bishops of Saskatchewan have partnered with the Sask. K of C Charitable Foundation to create the Sask. K of C Vocations Endowment. The proceeds from this Endowment will be disbursed on an annual basis equally to each seminarian throughout all Saskatchewan Dioceses and Eparchy to help defray the \$33,000 per year it costs to educate each Seminarian in the province. The provincial launch of the Endowment will take place during a major campaign on the weekend of February 2-3. Please view our website at www.saskkofcfoundation.com for further details and to make a contribution. The Bishops, dioceses, eparchy, Knights of Columbus and Catholic faithful thank you in advance for your generous support of the education and development of Seminarians through prayer and financial assistance.

Ways to donate to the new Vocations Endowment fund:

- **By credit card** online: go to the website: www.saskkofcfoundation.com/donate-now
- **Electronic Funds Transfer:** send transfer to donations@saskkofcfoundation.com (Make question: "Knights of" / Make answer: "Columbus"/ Make message: "Vocations".)
- **Monthly/Quarterly AutoPay:** Make arrangements through the K of C Foundation Office: (306) 631-1610.
- **By cheque:** mail to Sask. K of C Charitable Foundation, Box 61, Moose Jaw, Sk. S6H 4N7 (indicate "vocations".)
- **Legacy - Estate Giving:** Make arrangements through the K of C Foundation Office: (306) 631-1610.
A tax receipt will be issued for all donations!

CALL FOR PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

Bishop Mark has requested that each parish council have a separate Finance Committee. The committee is to be made up of at least 3 members from the parish. If you are interested in serving your parish in this capacity, please speak to Fr. Dan. Thank you for consideration.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR: SEASON OF CREATION:

Bishop Bryan Bayda and the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon extend an invitation to all to join in the celebration of the Akathist prayers in Praise and Care for God's Creation on Sept. 19, 2019 – watch for more details!

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

At times you speak words that are so strange, unlike ones we know, or you tell us to love people in places that we shudder to think about.

Help us to master our smugness, throw off our desire for security, and delight in the new and mysterious.

Let us be your prophets with wide open arms. AMEN

IT IS TAX RECEIPT TIME AGAIN!

The tax receipts from Immaculate Conception are ready for distribution. The tax receipts from the Diocese of Saskatoon have been delayed. We have received an email from Cathy Gilje, Development Manager from the Diocese. Here are the highlights from the email:

- There will most likely be **NO RECEIPTS SENT BY EMAIL** this year. We have had a major breakdown of the part of our software that emails receipts. Please be aware you will be receiving a paper copy.
- We are currently working on generating the paper receipts as quickly as we can. Your parish will be informed when yours are ready for pickup. We will not be mailing out bundles of receipts to parishes unless absolutely necessary, and they will not be mailed until later in February. If you know of someone who will be coming to the Catholic Centre, please let me know when, and we will do our utmost to have your receipts ready for pickup on that day.
- We have developed a new way of receipting that we hope will be more efficient and better for donors. Instead of issuing separate receipts for each fund or collection to which a parishioner makes a gift, e.g. BAA, Priests' Pension, Needs of the Canadian Church, etc., we will now be sending one receipt for their entire giving amount. Along with the receipt will be a report outlining the gift breakdown. So now two pages replace possibly three or more. This will also save postage and envelopes as receipts for some of the smaller or less frequent collections were previously mailed to parishioners.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE WITH THIS MATTER AS WE WORK THROUGH THE GLITCHES IN THE SYSTEM.

JOKE FOR THE WEEK:

Wife: "It's our wedding anniversary in a week, darling. How do you think we should celebrate?"

Husband: "With a minute of silence."