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**6th Sunday in
Ordinary Time
February 12, 2023**

In his book *The Spirit of the Liturgy*: Joseph Ratzinger, the late Pope Benedict XVI, considered the question of whether holy places are still needed, for “*is the whole world not now his sanctuary? Is sanctity not to be practiced by living one’s daily life in the right way?*” Though of course these views have merit, Ratzinger is unequivocal with in his answer:

“After the tearing of the Temple curtain and the opening up of the heart of God in the pierced heart of the Crucified, do we still need sacred space, sacred time, mediating symbols? Yes, we do need them, precisely so that, through the “image,” through the sign, we learn to see the openness of heaven. We need them to give us the capacity to know the mystery of God in the pierced heart of the Crucified. Christian liturgy is no longer replacement worship but the coming of the representative Redeemer to us, an entry into his representation that is an entry into reality itself. We do indeed participate in the heavenly liturgy, but this participation is mediated to us through earthly signs, which the Redeemer has shown to us as the place where his reality is to be found. In liturgical celebration there is a kind of turning around of exitus to reditus, of departure to return, of God’s descent to our ascent. The liturgy is the means by which earthly time is inserted into the time of Jesus Christ and into its present. It is the turning point in the process of redemption. The Shepherd takes the lost sheep onto his shoulders and carries it home.”

Fundraising update:

In early December, members of the Renovation Committee committed to donating their \$500 provincial tax credit cheques toward the renovation fundraising campaign. We are pleased to announce that since that time over \$13,000 in donations have been received in response. For those who have only recently received their provincial cheques, or who have been considering what to do with this unexpected blessing, we invite you to consider joining this initiative of redirecting these funds towards the renovation project. It is not too late, indeed it is never too late. Donations of any amount can be made online at <https://www.stpaulscc.com/donations/>, or by contacting the office directly. Consider also if a pre-authorized giving arrangement might be of interest to you.

Lastly, your generosity is most chiefly needed in the form of prayers. Please keep the renovation project, and our committee in your prayer intentions, that we may be responsive to the Lord’s will, and proceed with wisdom and prudence.

If you haven’t already done so, please be sure to sign up for our mailing list where you will receive updates including any future calls for volunteers, and our soon-to-be-release video series. You can sign up by visiting <https://www.stpaulscc.com/reno/> or by registering at the parish office.

The Renovation committee has produced a video with Father Penna ‘s thoughts on our YouTube Channel: <https://youtu.be/TRTjHfrEFfw>

MONDAY, February 13, 2023

11:00 am - Confessions, Adoration & Rosary
12:10 pm - Mass († **Danilo Makinano**)
6:30 pm - Medjugorje Prayer Group

TUESDAY, February 14, 2023

11:00 am - Confessions, Adoration & Rosary
12:10 pm - Mass (**SI Anne Dejong**)
7:00 pm - Bible Study

WEDNESDAY, February 15, 2023

11:00 am - Confessions, Adoration & Rosary
12:10 pm - Mass (**SI Geri Mercier**)
3:00 pm - Eucharistic Adoration until 5:00pm

THURSDAY, February 16, 2023

11:00 am - Confessions, Adoration & Rosary
12:10 pm - Mass († **Fr. Solomon Menger**)
7:00 pm - RCIA
8:00 pm - Christ the King Prayer Group

FRIDAY, February 17, 2023

11:00 am - Confessions, Adoration & Rosary
12:10 pm - Mass (**SI Joseph & Barbara Ginter**)
5:30 pm - Sto. Nino Prayer Group

SATURDAY, February 18, 2023

11:00 am - Confessions, Adoration & Rosary
12:10 pm - Mass (**SI Anne & Trevin Hujber**)

SUNDAY, February 19, 2023 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am - Mass
10:00 am - Mass
7:30 pm - Vespers
8:00 pm - Mass



Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesdays 3 - 5 pm
Monday to Saturday 11 am - 12 pm

Priest, Prophet, King (PPK) - Catholic Men's Night

will be held **Wednesday, February 15** at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, starting at 7:00 p.m. with adoration and confession, followed at 8:00 pm with a talk by **Michael Raney** speaking on "**Sacred Music and the Second Vatican Council: Finding the Continuity**". The event includes socializing, food and drink.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper and Talk at Our Lady of Lourdes

- Learn how to incorporate the liturgical rhythms of fasting, feasting, and ordinary time in a way that suits your current state in life. The Shrove Tuesday event **Feb. 21** begins with pancake supper at 5:30 p.m. followed by a talk at 7 p.m. featuring Daniel Taylor speaking on "Living the Seasons of the Church."

Western Canadian Catholic Home School Conference

All parents & young adults 14+ are welcome to attend the Western Canadian Catholic Home School Conference, March 9-11 at Providence Renewal Centre, in Edmonton. Theme: Simplicity

Includes daily Mass, Adoration and Benediction and vendors. Three of our speakers are from SK: Leah Sidloski and Dave & Laurice Sidloski. Early bird pricing until Feb 21. Info at: www.wcchsc.net, or contact Veronica at [780-467-8410](tel:780-467-8410) or wcchscreg@shaw.ca

Marriage Preparation



Christ in the Middle meets Tuesday evenings from 7-9pm **April 18 to May 30**. For more info or to register, call Angela at (306) 652-0033

LITTLE SISTER PARISH



For the week of **February 12** we are asking for **CANNED MEAT & BEANS**. Guadalupe Parish always needs Ziplock storage bags. Drop-off bin is in the welcome area. Monetary donations are greatly appreciated. Special offertory envelopes are available in the back of the church.

The Saskatoon K of C host the annual event "In Support of Life" on **Saturday, Feb. 25**, at Holy Family Cathedral.

Cocktails begin at 5:30 p.m., followed by supper at 6:30 p.m. There will be a **silent auction**, and **50/50 draw**.

Tickets are \$40 each. For more info, call Louis Roth at (306) 249-2764 or Murray Geenen at (306) 244-6196.

(*Note: donations are also much appreciated. Donations up to \$2,000 will be matched by an anonymous donor*)

Organizations We Support: Saskatoon Pregnancy Options Centre, Teen Aid, Rachel's Vineyard, Silent No More, NCLN, Alliance for Life

OFFERING for February 5, 2023

Cash Donations	\$ 602.30
Envelope Donations	\$ 6697.85
Pre-Authorized Giving	\$ 2162.50
Renovation	\$ 3862.50