



# Holy Cross Parish

May 14/15, 2011

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## Office Hours:

Monday – Friday 9 a.m.–12 noon, 1- 4 p.m.  
Contact the office to arrange for Baptisms,  
Marriages & Funerals  
Gerein Centre Use: 757-1325  
Pastor's Day Off: Mondays

## 4th Sunday of Easter

**First Reading:** Acts 2:14a, 36b-41

**Second Reading:** 1 Peter 2:20b-25

**Gospel:** John 10:1-10

**Reflection:** How many of us consider ourselves to be good listeners? If we asked our spouse, children, friends, or co-workers, what would they say? A good listener is probably relatively rare. Often in conversation, we are too busy thinking about what we will say next to be truly focused on what is being said to us. This can be very damaging to our relationships with other people. Being a good listener is certainly something we should strive toward.

In our spiritual life, listening is not just something to work on; it is absolutely essential. The Rule of Saint Benedict begins with the words, "Listen, my son, to the master's

instructions, and attend to them with the ear of your heart." If we are to follow Jesus, we have to persevere in our prayer and consistently listen for his voice. Our prayer may at times be a flood of words, but it should not always be so. Our prayer should include undistracted silence that allows God to speak to us in the quiet of our hearts.

### Questions:

**Adults:** *How are you a shepherd to those in your care?*

**Child:** *What will you do this week to show you love those around you?*

**Prayer:** Loving God, may we listen to your voice as you speak to us in many ways during the days and weeks of our lives. May we call upon you -the Source of Life and Divine Love-with love and trust. Accept these prayers which we offer you in the name of Jesus your Son. Amen.

## PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

May 15-22

SUNDAY	9:00 & 11:00 AM 2:00 PM	<b>MASS</b> World day of Vocation 50th Anniversary Tea
MONDAY	7:30 PM	K of C Meeting
TUESDAY	9:00 AM 7:00 PM 7:30 PM 7:30 PM	Staff Meeting <b>MASS</b> (Sr. Grace Garvey) Liturgy Meeting Social Action Meeting
WEDNESDAY	7:00 PM 7:30 PM 7:30 PM	<b>MASS</b> Choir Practice Prayer Group Meeting
THURSDAY	8:00 AM 8:30 AM	<b>MASS</b> Study Group
FRIDAY	8:00 AM 1:00 PM	<b>MASS</b> Whist
SATURDAY	4:15 PM 5:00 PM	Reconciliation <b>MASS</b> (Stan Eberle)
SUNDAY	9:00	<b>MASS</b> - Easter V

**REMINDER: Summer Mass times in effect.**



## WEEKLY READINGS

<b>Mon:</b> Acts 11:1-18	John 10:11-18
<b>Tues:</b> Acts 11:19-26	John 10:22-30
<b>Wed:</b> Acts 12:24-13:5	John 12:44-50
<b>Thurs:</b> Acts 13:13-25	John 13:16-20
<b>Fri:</b> Acts 13:26-33	John 14:1-6
<b>Sat:</b> Acts 13:44-52	John 14:7-14
<b>Sunday - 5th Sunday of Easter: Page 317-320</b>	
<b>1st:</b> Acts 6:1-7	<b>2nd:</b> 1 Peter 2:4-9
<b>Gospel:</b> John 14:1-12	

# PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Donations received on May 7/8, 2011

Envelopes: \$4,730.00

Loose: \$225.00

QVE Sunday Envelope: \$114.00



## Stewardship

**Fourth Sunday of Easter:** Jesus says, "I came that they may have life, and have it to the full." Good stewards are grateful for the gift of life and joyfully share their abundance with others.



## CWL NEWS:

⇒ June 7, Supper at 6:00 p.m. Beef supper by Charlotte's Catering. Tickets \$12 each & can be picked up from Liz Maticka or Dorothy Bresciani before June 1.

**SCHOLARSHIPS:** A \$250 scholarship is available for high school graduates (son or daughter of a Holy Cross Member) as well as a \$750 Diocesan Council Scholarship (son or daughter of a CWL Member). For applications contact the parish office at 757-1325 or Brenda at 789-1248. Closing date for applications is August 15.

## K OF C:

◇ "I Am My Brother's Keeper"

◇ Next meeting will be Monday, May 16 at 7:30 p.m.

**CALENDAR RAFFLE WINNER:** Last weeks winner was Dennis Pageot.



**WHIST:** Please join us for all the fun & fellowship on Fridays, May 20 & 27, 1:00 p.m. Our sponsors are Regina Marine & Minute Muffler.

**NEEDED FOR THE POOR:** Book shelves, dresser, chest of drawers, towels, & sheets. Please call the office to make arrangements for drop offs. Thank you!

**BAPTISM:** Our next baptism classes will be the beginning of June with baptisms happening on Father's Day weekend. If you or anyone you know are in need of having a child baptised, please call the parish office to register.

**A BIG THANK YOU** to all parishioners for making the photo sessions for our Pictorial Directory a huge success! Committee members are: Dorothy Bresciani, Marilyn Dery, Bob and Helen Herauf, Evelyn Houk, Betty Stang, Dorothy White, and Charlotte Dusyk.

After the 9:00 a.m. mass on Sunday, May 22, we will be taking a photo of the congregation at the altar stairs for the 50th Anniversary Pictorial Directory. Mark your calendars so you are a part of history!

Do you have a business? Would you like to advertise your company in the Holy Cross Pictorial Directory? Please call Charlotte Dusyk at 781-2562 for more information, or email her at: [cdusyk@hotmail.com](mailto:cdusyk@hotmail.com)

**Did you know....** While you're visiting other parishes within the Regina Diocese, you can use your Holy Cross envelopes. This way your donations will come back to your home parish of Holy Cross.

## SUMMER MASS TIMES

Effective May long weekend (May 22) through to September long weekend, there will be only one mass on Sunday morning at 9:00 a.m. There will be no change to the Saturday evening mass at 5:00 p.m. Mass on Sunday, September 11 will be at 10:00 a.m.



## 50<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY HISTORY BOOK



The book is 150 pages and contains more than 300 photos, tells the good news of our faith community alive in Jesus Christ. Each parish family is encouraged to purchase a copy for themselves and to promote to former parishioners. Copies may be purchased for \$20 each and are available after Masses in the Gerein Centre or by contacting Ruth (789-2049) or Charlotte (781-2562).

## *You're All Invited!*

Please remember to keep all of the First Eucharist/Confirmation candidates in your prayers as they prepare for their celebration.

The Grade 2 First Eucharist/Confirmation Students will have their celebration on Saturday, May 28 at the 5:00 p.m. Mass

*Everyone is invited to attend.*

*Our Candidates would be honoured to share their celebrations with the Parish Community*

**FIRST EUCHARIST 2010/2011 GRADE 2**  
**Jesus Day Retreat**—May 25 9am-12pm (lunch provided).  
First Eucharist/Confirmation Celebration, May 28, 5:00 p.m.

## PARISH SURVEY

Please take some time to fill in a parish survey and place your completed forms in the designated boxes at each entrance.

A Parish survey can strengthen leadership efforts, save time & money and provide valuable information increasing the ability to plan, strategize and lead.

## Building Fund Raffle for Holy Rosary Cathedral

Holy Rosary Cathedral, parishioners have organized a raffle for the building fund, draw date, July 1. We humbly seek your help, recognizing that the Cathedral is the central place of worship to where the entire diocesan community comes together in celebration of our faith. Our request is for each parish to put forward their best efforts to sell 30-50 books of 10 tickets at \$5.00 each. Visit the diocesan website for details ([www.archregina.ca](http://www.archregina.ca)). For tickets call Gerald 789-6543, Susan 352-3052, or Sheila 551-6498. Tickets are also available after masses. List of prizes is posted on bulletin boards.



Come to hear **FATHER THOMAS NGUYEN**  
as he shares his personal testimony  
**A LIFE OF VOCATIONS**  
**SUNDAY MAY 29TH at 7PM**

**Accompanied by Holy Cross Parish Musicians**

Do you do your part to encourage **VOCATIONS** to the priesthood  
through **prayer and financial contribution?**

Come and learn what you can do to support our **seminarians.**  
Proceeds from our **Silent Auction** will Support our  
**Diocesan Vocations to the Priesthood Fund.**

## 12th ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

**Sunday, June 12**

Aspen Links Country Club (at Emerald Park)

Registration opens 10:30 a.m.

Putting & Chipping Contests, 11:00 a.m.

Texas scramble, Shotgun start, 1:00 p.m.

Banquet, 6:00 p.m.

Aspen Links downstairs

Total cost only \$95.00



### HOLE-IN-ONE PRIZES

Caribbean or Alaska cruise for two, incl. air fare, up to \$7000, from **CAA TRAVEL**  
\$5,000 cash prizes from  
**STHAMANN HOMES**  
**CANADA TRUCK ACCESSORIES**  
**NOVA 3 ENGINEERING LTD, Winnipeg**

*Entry forms located at both entrances or call  
Cal or Joyce Murphy at 789-1983 or Bob or Kathy Liska at 789-4442*



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## Holy Cross CWL 50th Anniversary Tea

Sunday, May 15, 2011

2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Gerein Centre

(Presentation at 3:00 p.m.)

Welcome to all C. W. L. members and parishioners.

Come celebrate 50 years of activity and service to "God and Canada" in our parish.  
50th Anniversary Eucharistic Celebration 11:00 a.m. Mass, May 15.

- Members will participate in ministry
- all members asked to wear CWL pins



## OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

**GLOBAL ALPHA TRAINING STEAK NIGHT!:** Global Alpha is having a steak night fundraiser on Tuesday, May 17 at Creekside Pub. Seating anytime after 5 p.m. Tickets \$20 each, call Therese 737-3024.

**SPIRITUALITY OF SINGLE LIFE:** SOSL is a group of Christian Single Adults. Our goal is to socialize and grow in our Christian faith with other single adults. Next meeting will be at St. Peter's Parish on Saturday, May 21 at 7:00 p.m. We will discuss & watch the movie, "The Ones Left Behind". One of the members will also be sharing from his personal experience of being married and now being a widower. For more information call Dwaine at 596-1755 or Lloyd 527-3109.

**BEST BUDDIES BLUES BAND:** The Best Buddies Blues Band is hosting a fundraising concert with special guest artist Brad Johnner. The concert is on Friday, May 27 at 7:00 p.m. at the Royal Saskatchewan Museum Theatre. Tickets are \$20 each. Please call Lill Lareau at 586-1363 or Leboldus His School 791-7250 for tickets. Money raised will help the band get to Disneyland where they will perform for two days in June.

**ANNUAL TRUNK SALE:** Holy Family is holding its 4th Annual trunk sale in the church parking lot on Sat., May 28, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.. Plan to attend this fun event as either a seller or a purchaser. If you wish to rent space for your sale, please call 949-7678 prior to May 25, cost \$10. Proceeds will go to Iraqi Christian Fund.

**GARAGE SALE:** There is a multi-family garage sale at St. Anne's Parish on Saturday, June 2, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Lunch will be available.

### **ST. MICHAEL'S RETREAT EVENTS & RETREATS:**

- ◆ **Ecumenical Silent Retreat for Women:** May 26-29. "Nurturing the Spirit Within". Focus on prayer and we will attempt to let prayer "out of the box" as we examine & practice methods such as imaginative prayer. Facilitated by Marcia McGovern, Cara Driscoll, & Marilyn Scheske. Cost is \$230.
- ◆ **Six Day Guided Retreat:** June 13-19. "Give them something to eat yourselves" Mt. 14:16. This guided retreat will invite us to enter Matthew's gospel, be fed by Emmanuel and become nourishment for others in a hungry world. Facilitated by Sister Anna Aulie. Cost \$400.
- ◆ **Weekend Gathering for Young Adults:** August 12-14. "The Journey Within" Explore your talents, personality, values and skills. Face your ego and your „shadow“. Facilitated by Marie Kane. Cost \$160.
- ◆ **Summer Solstice:** Enjoy some fun, activities, including activities for kids. Begins at 2 p.m. on Sunday, June 12. A great way to spend Father's Day & welcome summer with family and friends. Admission is by donation. Please pre-register by contacting St. Michael's Retreat at 731-3316 or email office@stmichaelsretreat.ca.
- ◆ **Spirit of the Valley Bike/Walk/Run Event:** Begins Saturday, August 6 at 10:00 a.m. when cyclists leave from NW Regina. A group will also be leaving Regina Beach. In keeping with our Ecumenical spirit, walkers and runners will now participate in a Pilgrimage Walk through Lumsden, stopping at each of the five churches for rest, refreshments and reflection. All participants receive a free t-shirt and

end up at the Retreat House in the scenic valley where they enjoy outdoor activities, lunch, and are invited to an Interchurch Service. This is the main fundraiser put on by "Friends of St. Michael's". Participants can collect pledges or pay an entry free.

- For registration forms and for more information please contact the Retreat House at 306-731-3316 or email office@stmichaelsretreat.ca or www.stmichaelsretreat.ca See bulletin boards at each entrance for more information.

**MOTHER TERESA MIDDLE SCHOOL:** This is the first educational facility of its kind in Canada. We are a private, non-tuition based school that will serve inner city students, grade 6 - 8, who are motivated, marginalized & economically disadvantaged. We are now accepting applications for students entering grade 6 in September 2011. For more information please join us at our Open House on Thursday, May 19, 5:30 p.m. Supper and childcare provided. For more information visit www.mtmschoolregina.com or call 569-6867.

**HELP WANTED:** Camp Monahan is in need of a Head Cook & Assistant Cook. June 30 - August 22, wages include room and board. Experience with quantity food preparation, staff supervision, good organizational skills, and Food Handlers Course. Please submit resume by May 27 to Box 26035, Regina, SK, S4R 8R7 or send by email at: campmonahan@sasktel.net.

**CAMP MONAHAN:** Join the fun this summer. Residential camps for children ages 6-16. Canoeing, swimming, archery, discovery, crafts, fishing, outdoor education and much more. Check out our website for more information & applications. www.campmonahan.ca or call 522-1047.

**IGNITE 2011 FACE II FACE MINISTRIES:** Catholic Youth Camp August 14-19, 2011 in Bruno, SK. For teens in grade 9-12 who are serious about growing in their faith. Registration forms can be found at each entrance or visit www.f2f.ca for more information.

**KENOSEE BOYS & GIRLS CAMP:** If you are between 6 & 14 and want to enjoy your summer to the fullest, Camp Kenosee is the place for you. See bulletin boards at each entrance for more information and registrations forms or visit www.campkenosee.com or email campkenosee@sasktel.net

<b>Ministry Schedule 4th Sunday</b>		
<b>May 21/22, 2011</b>	<b>Saturday 5:00 P.M.</b>	<b>Sunday 9:00 A.M.</b>
<b>ALTAR SERVER</b>	Quinn Bell	Michael Ardelan
<b>CHILDREN'S LITURGY</b>	Lindsay Rice Robin Tocker	Chelsea Graham
<b>MINISTRY TEAM CAPTAINS</b>	Dolores Deis	Katherine Liska
<b>USHERS</b>		Merv Schuster
<b>MUSIC</b>	Joyful Noise	Anthem
<b>COLLECTION COUNTERS</b>	Team 6 Al & Ursula Roesch (Gene Lauman & Vivian Klein)	