

# Participation in MAiD should be voluntary for everyone involved.

Healthcare professionals and residents across Saskatchewan are calling for stronger safeguards around Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD) by supporting two key requests to the Government of Saskatchewan:

- 1) **Protect vulnerable patients** from unsolicited offers of MAiD.
- 2) **Support the right** for healthcare providers to decline participation in MAiD.



Send a letter to the Minister of Health by scanning the QR code or visit:

[www.bit.ly/2025Sask](http://www.bit.ly/2025Sask)

## PROTECT PATIENTS & PROVIDERS: SUPPORT MAiD SAFEGUARDS

Over 50 healthcare professionals, advocacy groups, and the Christian Medical and Dental Association (CMDA) have proposed new legislation to the Minister of Health to strengthen protections around Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD).

**Add Your Voice:** Take two minutes to write a letter to the Government of Saskatchewan. No login or password needed! **VISIT:** [www.bit.ly/2025Sask](http://www.bit.ly/2025Sask)

**Help Build Support:** Host a letter-writing station or share posters, announcements and info cards. **FIND RESOURCES AT:** [www.bit.ly/42GXyFp](http://www.bit.ly/42GXyFp)

## ADVOCATE FOR INCREASED SAFEGUARDS.

Send a letter to the Minister of Health about MAiD.

Scan the QR Code or visit:

- 1 Open your phone's camera app.
- 2 Hold your camera over the QR code and tap to focus.
- 3 Tap the notification bubble to send the letter.



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## SPEAK UP FOR PATIENTS AND HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS

Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD) is now the fifth leading cause of death in Canada, but many are choosing it due to feelings of loneliness, fear, or being a burden, not physical pain. At the same time, healthcare workers are being pressured to participate in MAiD, even when it goes against their beliefs.

We are calling on the Saskatchewan government to make two key changes:

- Do not offer MAiD unless the patient asks for it
- Allow healthcare providers to opt out without fear of punishment

Join us in advocating for compassionate care. Send a letter digitally to the Minister of Health. It takes just a few minutes, with no passwords required! Visit [www.bit.ly/2025Sask](http://www.bit.ly/2025Sask)

## Stand for stronger safeguards

around Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD) to protect patients and providers. It is easy, simple and fast!

Write to the Minister.



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# St. Anne Parish

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**Parish Priest:**  
**FR. GUY AMÉDÉE AINEMON**

**Parish Office Coordinator:**  
Gabriela Büttner

### OFFICE HOURS:

**Tuesday** 10 am to 3 pm  
**Wednesday** 10 am to 3 pm  
**Thursday** 10 am to 3 pm  
**Friday** 10 am to 3 pm

### PARISH SERVICES

**Reconciliation:** 30 min. before every Mass.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Please call the Parish office.

**Baptism:** Please call the Parish office.

**Marriage:** Contact the Pastor at least six months in advance.

### Mass Intentions

If you would like the Holy Mass to be offered for your intentions or the intentions of your loved ones, please call the Parish Office, or write it up and drop it in the donation box in the Church. Mass offering is \$10.

## REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

<b>Saturday Mass</b>	<b>– 5:30 pm</b>
<b>Sunday Mass</b>	<b>– 9:00 am</b>
<b>Tuesday Mass</b>	<b>– 7:00 pm</b>
<b>Wednesday Mass</b>	<b>– 8:30 am</b>
<b>Thursday Mass</b>	<b>– 7:00 pm</b>
<b>Friday Mass</b>	<b>– 8:30 am</b>



May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025  
**6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER**



### MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Catholic Parish of St. Anne, centred in Word and Eucharist, are called to be a caring faith community; coming together to celebrate God's love and truth through the sacraments, and make Christ present to others through loving service.



**Saturday – May 24<sup>th</sup>**

5:30 pm † **Monique Mazerolle**  
requested by Marc Raymond

**Sunday – May 25<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 am **MASS**

**Tuesday – May 27<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 pm † **For the Repose of All Souls  
in Purgatory**  
requested by Irene Jo

**Wednesday – May 28<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 am † **Gertrude & Darrell Lloyd**  
requested by Dorothy Lloyd

**Thursday – May 29<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 pm † **For the Repose of All Souls  
in Purgatory**  
requested by Irene Jo

**Friday – May 30<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 am † **Gertrude & Darrell Lloyd**  
requested by Dorothy Lloyd

We acknowledge that we are in Treaty Four Territory, Traditional lands of the Nehiyawak (Cree), Anishinaabe (Saulteaux), and Nakota people. Homeland to the Dakota, Lakota and Métis people.



### Readings for Sunday, May 25<sup>th</sup>: 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 15.1-2, 22-29  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Revelation 21.10-14, 22-23  
Gospel: John 14.23-29

**Lectors:**

Saturday, MAY 24 – 5:30 pm – TBA

Sunday, MAY 25 – 9:00 am – Rita  
Omodia

### PARISH WEEKLY FINANCIAL UPDATE



#### COLLECTION SUMMARY FOR MAY 18<sup>TH</sup>, 2025

• Sunday Collection	\$0728.00
• Building Fund	\$0085.00

**Total: \$813.00**

### Pope Leo's own explanation for why he chose his name: AI

*Kathleen N. Hattrup -  
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ALBERTO PIZZOLI | AFP / Aletheia / Wikipedia

*Developments in artificial intelligence are posing new challenges for defending human dignity, the Pope says.*

While the Vatican press office offered a brief explanation for why Cardinal Robert Prevost had chosen to be called Leo XIV, the Pope himself gave further details in his first meeting with the cardinals

"There are different reasons for [choosing to take the name Leo], but mainly because Pope Leo XIII in his historic Encyclical Rerum Novarum addressed the social question in the context of the first great industrial revolution.

In our own day, the Church offers to everyone the treasury of her social teaching in response to another industrial revolution and to developments in the field of artificial intelligence that pose new challenges for the defense of human dignity, justice and labour.

### A GIANT SALE with LOCAL VENDORS!

Handcrafted goods, rummage treasures, home-based businesses, books, jewellery, fine dishware, baking, clothing, at Holy Rosary Cathedral, **Saturday, May 31, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.** (corner of Cameron Street and 13th Avenue). Free entrance. Raffle! All are welcome!"



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**MISSION  
TO MEXICO**

The **Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry** is taking a group of young adults on a mission to Cuernavaca, México over Christmas break 2025. The cost will be about \$2500 and fundraising opportunities will be part of the preparation.

Anyone interested in joining us on this initiative **MUST EMAIL US by June 15th** at [oyyam@archregina.sk.ca](mailto:oyyam@archregina.sk.ca)



**COME LET  
US ADORE  
THE LORD!!**

**on Thursday,  
MAY 29<sup>th</sup>  
at 6 pm  
Before 7 PM  
Mass**

**We are ALL  
invited to an Hour of Adoration with  
Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.  
Come and spend some time in prayer  
with the Lord and you will be blessed!**

### GOOD NEIGHBOUR PROJECT

Thank you to all who  
gathered on Tuesday  
evening for Steak  
Night.

*thanks  
FOR YOUR  
support*



And thank you  
especially to Rose  
Romanowich for  
organizing the evening!  
It was great food,  
great comapnay and all  
for a great cause!  
Thank you!  
Anita Hanna



Please keep in your prayers  
**LEVIAH CROOKS-WARREN**  
who will be receiving the Sacraments of  
Confirmation and First Holy Communion  
at St. Anne on Sunday, June 8<sup>th</sup>  
at the 9 am Mass.

"Lord Jesus, I humbly ask that you strengthen me  
with your Holy Spirit through Confirmation and  
nourish me with your Body and Blood through  
Holy Communion. Help me to grow closer to you  
and to live a life worthy of your call."



### Reverence For Life Prayer

O Mary, to you do we entrust the cause of life.  
Look down O Mother upon the vast number of babies  
not born, on the poor whose lives are made difficult,  
on those who are victims of brutal violence, on the  
elderly and sick killed by indifference or misguided  
mercy.

We ask for the grace to accept the Gospel of Life as a  
gift ever new, and the courage to bear  
witness to it. To the praise and  
glory of God, the Creator and  
lover of life.  
Amen!