

# 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

Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Regina  
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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>



## June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025 ASCENSION OF THE LORD



Luke 24.46-53

### 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 31<sup>st</sup>**

5:30 pm **Thanksgiving to God & Holy Intentions of Pope Leo XIV**  
*requested by John & Sharon*

**Sunday – June 1<sup>st</sup>**

9:00 am **MASS**

**Tuesday – June 3<sup>rd</sup>**

7:00 pm **† Carey Sparling**  
*requested by Denise & Kelly Nelson*

**Wednesday – June 4<sup>th</sup>**

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

**Thursday – June 5<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 pm **Thanksgiving to God & Holy Intentions of Pope Leo XIV**  
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**Friday – June 6<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, June 1<sup>st</sup>:  
ASCENSION OF THE LORD**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 1.1-11  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Ephesians 1.17-23  
Gospel: Luke 24.46-53

**Lectors:**

Saturday, MAY 31 – 5:30 pm – Brian Sipe  
Sunday, JUN 1 – 9:00 am – Chidera Ekediegwu

**PARISH  
WEEKLY FINANCIAL  
UPDATE**



**COLLECTION SUMMARY FOR MAY 25<sup>TH</sup>, 2025**

- Sunday Collection \$1172.00
- Building Fund \$0105.00
- Education of Seminarians \$0030.00

**Total: \$1307.00**



**We recommend to your prayers Mrs. Caroline Katherine (Carey) Sparling who passed away on May 15, 2025.**

**The Sparling Family have been longtime parishioners.**

**A Celebration of Life for Mrs. Sparling will take place at St. Anne Parish on Saturday, May 31, 2025 at 11:00AM.**

**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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<https://archregina.sk.ca/archdiocese-of-regina-bulletin/> OR <https://archregina.sk.ca/>



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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 15<sup>th</sup>** at [oyyam@archregina.sk.ca](mailto:oyyam@archregina.sk.ca)



Please keep in your prayers  
**LEVIAS 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."



**GIVE THE GIFT OF PRESENCE**

Have you ever thought you would like to give back to those seniors who worked diligently to make our world a better place?

**If the answer is YES,** consider assisting at Santa Maria Senior Citizens Home in Regina.



**YOU CAN:**

1. Become a member of the Santa Maria Foundation Board or
2. Become a member of the Santa Maria Local Advisory Council or
3. Volunteer with recreation or Spiritual Care.

Contact: Kelly Chessie, Executive Director,  
[kelly.chessie@saskhealthauthority.ca](mailto:kelly.chessie@saskhealthauthority.ca)  
call: (639) 625-7094 for information on how YOU can enhance the lives of Seniors.

**Host a Letter Writing Station**

after Mass, in your community, or within your network.

Write the Saskatchewan Minister of Health to call for stronger patient & provider safeguards around MAiD in Saskatchewan.



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**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!