

# St. Anne Parish

Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Regina

**Pastor:**

(Vacant)

**Pastoral Assistant:**

Shannon Novak  
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Donovan Novak

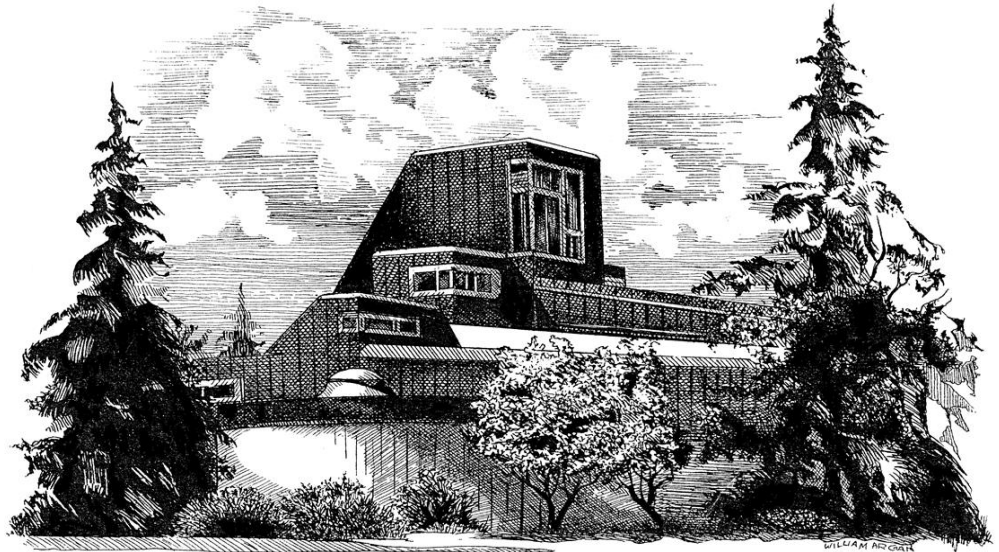
**Office Hours:**

Monday - Friday  
8:00AM - 12:00PM  
1:00PM - 4:30PM

[office@stannesregina.com](mailto:office@stannesregina.com)

**Mass Schedule:**

Tuesday	<b>NO MASS</b>
Wednesday	<b>NO MASS</b>
Thursday	<b>NO MASS</b>
Friday	<b>NO MASS</b>
Saturday	5:30PM
Sunday	10:00AM



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FEAST of the BAPTISM of the LORD  
January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020



***Through our baptism, we are called  
to a life of discipleship.***

The Spirit of God descends upon Jesus at his baptism and marks the beginning of his public ministry. At our baptism, through water and the Holy Spirit, we are sanctified and made children of God. By the grace of this sacrament, we are awakened to the power of the Spirit in our own lives.

***Weekly Mass Intention/s***

Saturday, January 18 – Mass of Repose  
+ **Marge Mengel** by Ken & Pamela Mengel

# ST. ANNE PARISH NEWS

## Sacrament Preparation @ St. Anne

If you are interested in having your child in Grade 2 (or higher) receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and First Eucharist, please contact Shannon at [tnovak@sasktel.net](mailto:tnovak@sasktel.net) or 306-585-1609 to register or for more information. Preparation classes will begin this January.

## Social Justice Committee

Our prayer for this New Year: May your life be filled with peace, joy and love. May God's blessings shower upon you and bestow each of you with a holy, healthy and peaceful new year. Let us pray for each other: Lord, may we live each day in the most loving ways--to see God in each person we meet; to serve each person in need and to rejoice in the beauty of this world. May we protect and share each gift our most loving God has given us. God bless us one and all!

## CWL News

St. Anne CWL will be hosting a Soup and a Bun Social for all the parish on **Sunday, January 26**, after Mass. All are welcome! Bring a friend!



## Good Neighbor Project

We were able to end 2019 in a very happy way. Your donations provided 2 more families with toys, books, coloring books and crayons, scribble pads and construction paper, puzzles and stuffed animals for 6 little children. Thank you for your donations!

## Refugee Support

Patrick, Prince, Audri and Tony have celebrated their first Christmas in Canada and they seemed to enjoy some of our traditions--hot chocolate, a Christmas tree with decorations and lights, parties, sweets and the generosity of those who donated for their enjoyment. They are filled with gratitude. Please remember them in your prayers as they await and work toward the programs, services and jobs that they need to fully integrate into Canadian life.

## Friends of the Outside

Friends on the Outside (FOTO) is a support system of the Archdiocese of Regina for previously incarcerated men and women to grow in friendship, self-respect, and spirituality. We achieve this by promoting the dignity of all people regardless of past sins, race, creed, or anything else. This is a place where Christ is met in the faces of our brothers and sisters, in a very real and tangible way.

We are currently collecting used Catholic literature, Saint cards, Missals, etc. for FOTO. If you have materials to give away, please drop off your donations in the basket found in the gathering area.



## Financial Update – December 28/29

Collection summary for last weekend (including Christmas) were as follows:

- Sunday Collections	\$3,814
- Building Fund	\$1,550
- Refugee Fund	\$1,240
- Our Neighbour	\$100
- Christmas Offering	\$2,365

2019 is at a close. You still have time to make your final 2019 gift to St. Anne. Tax receipts will be sent out early in the new year.

Here are the ways you can give:

- Sunday collection – make sure you are registered as a parishioner and have envelopes so that we know to give you a tax receipt. Then, each Sunday (or Saturday), place your envelope with cheque or cash in the collection basket.
- Automatic deposit – all you need to do is provide a void cheque and indicate the amount and frequency (weekly or monthly). You can give this information to the office or just throw it in the collection basket, and it will make it's way to the office.
- E-transfer – send e-transfer donations to [office@stannesregina.com](mailto:office@stannesregina.com).

Giving is incredibly important when it comes to building a healthy parish and funding the work of the Church.

- Trevor Novak  
Finance Council Chair



## Prayer Shawl Ministry

Over the centuries, shawls (a handmade warm wrap that goes over the shoulders and around the arms) have come to symbolize shelter, peace, and spiritual sustenance. People in our parish have created shawls with prayers offered for the person who will wear it. They are for anyone who would like one as a gift of comfort, hope, and peace. If you or a loved one is in need of prayers, comfort and spiritual strength please contact the parish office at 306-586-0449 and we will arrange to get one to you.



## Moved to a New Address or Have a New Phone #?

Please remember to update the parish office with your new contact information. Thank you.



## January 12, 2020 - Baptism of the Lord

And a voice came from the heavens, saying, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." (Matthew 3:17)  
Two thoughts come to mind when reading this. First, God, Our Father, is so generous, that he gave his only son, whom he really loves, to us so that we can have eternal life with him in heaven. God, Our Creator, really loves us, too! Second, Jesus was obedient to his Father's will, even to the point of death. This is a reminder that our own lives are pure gifts from God and meant to serve God and others.



### DivorceCare for MEN

Are you a man who has been separated or divorced and who is suffering? Do you know someone who is?? Find HELP, HEALING and REAL HOPE for your future. Join with others and 'grow' through the pain of divorce together. Starting **Sunday, January 12, 2020**, from 7pm - 9pm. Contact: Deacon Kevin Harty 306-537-7192 or [deacon@christtheking.ca](mailto:deacon@christtheking.ca). Because no one should go through separation or divorce alone.



### Cuernavaca Project Needs Volunteers

If you are interested in building a school in Cuernavaca, Mexico, we have a group of volunteers going to Cuernavaca from **January 17 – 25, 2020**. For more information on this project or to volunteer call Joan at 306-533-1648.



### GriefShare

It hurts to lose someone, but you don't have to go through the grieving process alone. Weekly sessions: **Tuesdays 2pm – 4pm, January 21 – April 7, 2020** at Christ the King Parish Centre (3239 Garnet St, Regina). GriefShare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. Our sessions are led by people who understand what you are going through and want to help. You'll gain access to valuable resources to help you recover from your loss.

What others are saying: "I am thankful to find a group that that knows how I feel"; "Helped me simply get through each day"; "GriefShare literally saved my life!"; "I am thankful to find a group that knows how I feel". For more information, or to register, contact: Linda Lucyk, Pastoral Care Coordinator 306-539-6889 [lindalucyk@sasktel.net](mailto:lindalucyk@sasktel.net).

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### SOURCE Regina

**Sunday, January 19**, @ Resurrection Parish (3155 Windsor Park Road, Regina). Starts with free supper at 6pm, followed by a talk, musical adoration, praise & worship, and confession. All high school students and young adults are welcome to attend! [www.facebook.com/SourceRegina](http://www.facebook.com/SourceRegina)



### Week of Prayer for Christian Unity January 19-26, 2020

The 2020 theme, "They showed us unusual kindness" (Acts 28:2), remembers the historic shipwreck of St. Paul on the island of Malta and calls us to a greater generosity to those in need.

You are invited to join in prayer with other Christians on **Sunday, January 26**, 3pm at All Saints Anglican Church, (142 Massey Road, Regina). Our preacher will be Pastor Joel Russell MacLean (First Baptist, Regina). All are welcome. As an island nation, boats are an important part of Maltese life. The Scripture reading in this service describes a perilous sea voyage by the Apostle Paul. A boat is also symbolic of the sometimes-tempestuous journey Christians make together towards unity.

We encourage you to observe this Week of Prayer keeping a specific focus on Christ's prayer "that all may be one... so that the world may believe" (John 17:21). Whether we gather together in joint services or in our own churches, in prayer groups or individually, let our prayer be for the unity that Christ wills, as Christ wills. Suggested resources for the Week of Prayer are available at <https://www.weekofprayer.ca/2020-wpcu-resources>

### Eight Days of Biblical Reflection:

#### Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2020

**Day 1:** Reconciliation: Throwing the cargo overboard. Acts 27:18-19,21; Psalm 85; Luke 18:9-14

**Day 2:** Enlightenment: Seeking and showing forth Christ's light. Acts 27:20; Psalm 119:105-110; Mark 4:35-41

**Day 3:** Hope: Paul's message. Acts 27:22,34; Psalm 27; Matthew 11:28-30

**Day 4:** Trust: Do not be afraid, believe. Acts 27:23-26; Psalm 56; Luke 12:22-34

**Day 5:** Strength: Breaking bread for the journey. Acts 27:33-36; Psalm 77; Mark 6:30-44

**Day 6:** Hospitality: Show unusual kindness. Acts 28:1-2, 7; Psalm 46; Luke 14:12-24

**Day 7:** Conversion: Changing our hearts and minds. Acts 28:3-6; Psalm 119:137-144; Matthew 18:1-6

**Day 8:** Generosity: Receiving and giving. Acts 28:8-10; Psalm 103:1-5; Matthew 10:7-8 Prayers and reflections for these 8 days are available online at <https://www.weekofprayer.ca/2020-wpcu-resources>

## PARISH MINISTRIES

**Saturday, January 18<sup>th</sup> 5:30PM**

**Welcomers:** Devri & David Robertson

**Lectors:** Murray Beitel & Laurie Beitel

**Cup Ministers:** # Ray Clark & Jocelyn Stephenson

**Host Ministers:** \* Roberta Walsh & June Krogan

**Gift Bearers:** Stephenson Family

**Altar Servers:** Rachel Duczek & Adam Duczek

**Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup> 10:00AM**

**Welcomers:** Lydia Descalchuk & Dickie Osiowy

**Lectors:** Ebere Obasi, Blanche Bellerive

& Rose Romanowich

**Cup Ministers:** # Trevor Novak & Darrin Bailey

**Host Ministers:** \* Shannon Novak & Claire Obasi

**Gift Bearers:** Dickie Osiowy & Lydia Descalchuk

**Altar Servers:** Simon Bailey & Luke Bailey

## PARISH COUNCIL

### Pastoral Council

Chairperson: Larry Tessier (Interim)

Vice-Chairperson: Denise Nelson

Past-Chair: David Kopriva

Liturgy: AVAILABLE

Social Justice: Anita Hanna

Hospitality: Patricia Kopriva

K of C: Brad Breit

CWL: Anita Hanna

Youth & Family: Braden Novak

Communications: Debbie Bailey

Member at Large: AVAILABLE

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### Liturgy Committee

Chairperson: AVAILABLE

Environment: Shannon Novak

Music Ministry: Marilyn Wappel

Altar Servers: Adam Ward

Children's Liturgy: Kim Schaan

Lectors: Roberta Walsh

Extra-Ordinary Ministers: Roberta Walsh

Gift Bearers: Rochelle Kramer

Greeters: Phyllis Kaiser

Sacristans: Roberta Walsh

### Finance Council

Chairperson: Trevor Novak

Vice Chairperson: Dick Graham

Finance: Michele Arscott

Building & Grounds: AVAILABLE

**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.*

**ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH - OR - HAVE CHANGED YOUR ADDRESS?**

Please fill out this form and place it in the collection basket or contact the office at 306-586-0449.

**Last Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **First Name(s)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_ **Postal Code** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-Mail** \_\_\_\_\_

**I require Collection Envelopes:** ☐ Yes ☐ No