

# St. Michael's — St. Benedict — Canadian Martyrs

Cudworth

St. Benedict

Middle Lake

## Roman Catholic Parishes

July 6<sup>th</sup> (14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time) – July 13<sup>th</sup> (15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)

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### Sunday Mass times June:

Saturday 5<sup>PM</sup> St. Benedict  
Sunday 9<sup>AM</sup> Canadian Martyrs  
Sunday 11<sup>AM</sup> St. Michael's

### Weekday Mass times (year round):

Tuesday 6:30<sup>PM</sup> Haven  
Wednesday 10:30<sup>AM</sup> Nursing Home  
Wednesday 1:30<sup>PM</sup> Bethany  
Friday 9<sup>AM</sup> St. Michael's

**Low-gluten communion hosts are available. Please see Fr. before Mass.**

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sat: 11<sup>AM</sup> - 12<sup>PM</sup> (noon) – St. Michael's  
Sat: 4:30<sup>PM</sup> - 4:55<sup>PM</sup> – St. Benedict (only when Mass falls on Saturday)  
By appointment: Contact Fr. Benjamin directly on his mobile

### Eucharistic Adoration:

**St. Michael's:** Every Friday from Mass: 8<sup>AM</sup> to 9<sup>AM</sup> (Except for 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month, when it is after Mass: 9:30<sup>AM</sup> to 12<sup>PM</sup>)  
**St. Michael's Haven:** Every first Tuesday of the month, 5:30<sup>PM</sup> to 6:30<sup>PM</sup>

**Marriage Prep:** Please contact Fr. Benjamin at least one year prior to the desired date of marriage.

**Mass Intentions:** Please contact Fr. Benjamin directly. Suggested donation: \$10.00  
Fr. Benjamin is available on his mobile at any time outside Mass times for EMERGENCIES and to administer the sacrament of the **Anointing of the Sick.**

To request Communion to the Sick, Baptism, or Funeral, please call Fr. Benjamin at the office, or directly on his mobile.

**Reminder:** You can request the sacraments when you are in ANY hospital.

St. Michael's Sunday Masses can be followed at 91.3FM

### **ALL MASS INTENTIONS July 5<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup>**

#### **July 5<sup>th</sup> – First Saturday**

**9<sup>AM</sup> - Rosary**

**9:30<sup>AM</sup> - Mass**

St. Michael's: In reparation for the offenses and blasphemies against the Immaculate Heart of Mary

**July 5<sup>th</sup> - Saturday 5<sup>PM</sup>**

St. Benedict: Alphonse Schlosser+/ John & Audrey van der Gracht

**July 6<sup>th</sup> - Sunday 9<sup>AM</sup>**

Canadian Martyrs: Rick Evans+/ Teresa & Ivan Richardson

**July 6<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 11<sup>AM</sup>**

St. Michael's: Richard & Yolande Dierker+/ Vince & Tammy Dierker

**July 8<sup>th</sup> – Fr. Benjamin away for Clergy BBQ**

**July 9<sup>th</sup> -Wed. 10:30<sup>AM</sup>**

Cudworth Nursing Home:

Clarence Palchinski+/  
Doreen Regnier

**July 9<sup>th</sup> – Wed. 1:30<sup>PM</sup>**

Bethany: Gerald Saxinger+/  
Donavin Reding

**July 11<sup>th</sup> -Friday 9<sup>AM</sup>**

St. Michael's: Jeff Trischuk & Family/ St. Michael's Parish

**July 12<sup>th</sup> - Saturday 5<sup>PM</sup>**

St. Benedict: John Lange+/  
Benita & Ed Rieger

**July 13<sup>th</sup> - Sunday 9<sup>AM</sup>**

Canadian Martyrs: Gary Schmidt+/ Donald & Anne Loeffelholz

**July 13<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 11<sup>AM</sup>**

St. Michael's: Audrey Reaser+/ Kathleen Zolinsky

### July is the Month of the Precious Blood

The month of July traditionally honors the Most Precious Blood of Jesus. It is the blood of Christ, the Lamb of God, which cleanses us from sin—therefore the Church developed a devotion to Jesus' physical blood and its mystical power, just as it did for His Sacred Heart from which His blood poured out on the Cross. The Precious Blood of Jesus courses through the Church spiritually, giving eternal life to the Body of Christ through the sacraments. Many saints had a devotion to the Precious Blood of Jesus, especially St. Catherine of Siena. Devotion to the Precious Blood spread widely through the preaching of Saint Gaspar del Bufalo, who was a 19th-century priest and the founder of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood. This devotion was later approved and recommended by the Holy See. The feast day of the Most Precious Blood of Jesus is July 1st.





**ST. MICHAEL'S** -503 Main Street,  
Cudworth, SK. S0K 1B0  
Mass Time – July: Sunday 11<sup>AM</sup>

*Together we listen, receive, believe,  
and serve from the heart of Jesus*

**Parish Council:** Fr. Benjamin Ezekwudo 2<sup>nd</sup>. **Term:** Grace Jungwirth (Chair), Glen Lingel (Vice Chair), Teresa Richardson (Secretary), Vince Dierker (K of C Representative), Stuart Kolla (Maintenance), Kyle Slobodian 1<sup>st</sup>. **Term:** Don Kolla, Catherine Mazurkewich, Audrey van der Gracht, Ida Rose Wilde  
**Finance Committee:** Catherine Mazurkewich (Chair), Derreck Kolla, Michael Wilde, Lee Hauber  
**Cemetery Committee:** Don Kolla (Chair), Ida-Rose Wilde, James Hauber, Raymond Jungwirth– For all cemetery related information: Teresa Richardson **Parish Covenant of Care Coordinator:** Grace Jungwirth

**Knights of Columbus & Parish Council**  
– Summer Break

CWL – Next meeting:  
Tuesday, September 16<sup>th</sup> @ 7:15



**There were 16 large wooden rosaries found in the church sacristy. We are trying to determine where they came from. If you have any information, please contact the rectory office at (306) 256-3218.**

**June Finances 2025**

Sunday Collections	\$ 4,619.75
Preauthorized Giving	\$ 1,274.50
Parish Recovery	\$ 1,331.34
St. Boniface yearly Mass	\$ 685.00
Other income (funeral, one time donation, sales of tables/chairs, Conexus interest)	\$ 2,602.98
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$ 10,513.57</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 8,373.55</b>
<b>Profit for June</b>	<b>\$ 2,140.02</b>

***Festival of Faith***

Featuring Fr. Ron Rolheiser, OMI, and other local speakers will be held at St. Philip Neri Parish in Saskatoon from July 9 to 15. All are welcome: attend one or more free sessions; childcare available. Find schedule, event information and online registration link on the parish website at <https://stphilipneriparish.ca/> or call (306) 343-0325.

**Sunday Mass Ministries**

**11<sup>AM</sup> – Sunday, July 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Rosary:** Vince **Ushers:** Garry, Edward, Leonard  
**Servers:** Chelsea, Brady  
**Readers:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Garry, 2<sup>nd</sup> – John v.  
**Prayers of the Faithful** – Heide  
**Offerings:** James & Kim  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Vince, Barbara, Morris  
**Counters:** Dennis, Sylvia

**11<sup>AM</sup> – Sunday, July 13<sup>th</sup>**

**Welcomers:** Jim & Liz  
**Rosary:** Phil **Ushers:** James, Clarence  
**Servers:** Cael, Gage, Brooke  
**Readers:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Kim, 2<sup>nd</sup> – James, **POF**– Doreen  
**Offerings:** Bernadette, Vince, Tammy  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Danny, Roger, Clarence  
**Counters:** Danny, Ann, Elaine

**11<sup>AM</sup> – Sunday, July 20<sup>th</sup>**

**Welcomers:** Garry & Catherine  
**Rosary:** Glen **Ushers:** Danny, Darrel  
**Servers:** Brianna, Nora  
**Readers:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Don, 2<sup>nd</sup> – Bernadette, **POF**– Kathleen  
**Offerings:** Edward & Leonard  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Heide, Vince, Barbara  
**Counters:** Garry, Catherine, Heide

**11<sup>AM</sup> – Sunday, July 27<sup>th</sup>**

**Welcomers:** John & Audrey  
**Rosary:** Vince **Ushers:** Garry, Edward, Leonard  
**Servers:** Brianna  
**Readers:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Heide, 2<sup>nd</sup> – Barbara  
**Prayers of the Faithful** – Morris  
**Offerings:** John & Audrey  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Morris, Danny, Roger  
**Counters:** Dennis, Sylvia

**11<sup>AM</sup> – Sunday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**Rosary:** Phil **Ushers:** James, Clarence  
**Servers:** Cael, Gage, Brooke  
**Readers:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Teresa, 2<sup>nd</sup> – John K.,  
**Prayers of the Faithful**– Catherine  
**Offerings:** James & Kim  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Clarence, Heide, Vince  
**Counters:** Danny, Ann, Elaine

**Thanks be to God**

## *Through the Tender Love of the Holy Family*

Jesus, Mary, Joseph, in you we contemplate the splendor of true love, to you we turn with trust. Holy Family of Nazareth, may families never again experience violence, rejection and division: may all who have been hurt or scandalized find ready comfort and healing.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, graciously hear our prayer. Amen

Bless our families Lord as they begin their summer holidays. Keep them safe from physical harm, and bind them together with that same tender love of the HOLY FAMILY!

### **St. Michael's Parish invites all kids age 5 and up to join in the Rise and Shine Summer camp**



### **Pilgrims of Hope**



July 21, 22, & 23<sup>rd</sup> ~ 1-4PM each day

\$10 Registration per person; Register online: [gracejungwirth@gmail.com](mailto:gracejungwirth@gmail.com)

Consider registering your children and grandchildren for this beautiful summer camp experience!

## **Pilgrimages and Sacred Sites in the Jubilee Year**

The Catholic Bishops of Saskatchewan have each designated several sacred sites where pilgrims can obtain a Jubilee Indulgence in 2025, if they also fulfill the conditions laid out in Catholic teaching. These sacred sites include the following places in and around the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon.

**The Cathedral of the Holy Family**, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon

**St. Paul Co-Cathedral**, 720 Spadina Crescent East, Saskatoon

**St. Peter's Abbey**, Muenster, Saskatchewan

### **Prairie Pilgrimages and Shrine Sites**

**Reward Pilgrimage – Sunday July 13<sup>th</sup>** Holy Rosary Shrine and Church is located 3 kms south of Reward, SK. [srpetermary@stpaulcathedral.ca](mailto:srpetermary@stpaulcathedral.ca) or 306-986-3885.

**Carmel Pilgrimage – Sunday July 20<sup>th</sup>** The Shrine of Our Lady of Mount Carmel is located about 5.2 km north of Carmel, SK. • 9:45 am - An hour with Mary - Marian hymns, Rosary, Sacrament of Reconciliation); • 10:45 am - An hour with God's family - Mass with Bishop Mark Hagemoen; blessing of the fields; blessing of the sick • 12:00 noon - An hour with our diocesan family - lunch (concession available) and quiet time with the Blessed Sacrament • 1:30 p.m. - An hour with the Lord - Stations of the Cross, adoration and blessing with the Blessed Sacrament

**Jubilee Walking Pilgrimage to Mount Carmel – Sunday, Aug. 17** Pilgrims will walk from St. Augustine Church in Humboldt starting at 9:00 am Aug. 17, and from St. Bruno Church in Bruno (time to be announced), to the Shrine of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, accompanied by prayer, song, and fellowship. Confessions will be held at the shrine site at 4:00 pm, with Mass celebrated at 5:00 pm, followed by testimonies and praise and worship

**St. Laurent Pilgrimage – July 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>** - August 15<sup>th</sup>/September 8<sup>th</sup>

The historic Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes at St. Laurent is located 12 km directly east of Duck Lake; or take the road east from the statue landmark on Highway 11 [www.saintlaurentshrine.com](http://www.saintlaurentshrine.com)

**Saint Philomena Walking Pilgrimage to Rama** – August 11<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> St. Philomena Walking Pilgrimage is a supported walk starting Aug. 11 at St. Mary Church, Yorkton, enroute to the Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes, at Rama, SK, [www.stphilomena.ca](http://www.stphilomena.ca), or contact [dave@stphilomena.ca](mailto:dave@stphilomena.ca) or 306-728-5525.

**80th Annual Rama Pilgrimage** – August 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes is located at St. Anthony Church, 104-1st Street North, Rama, SK.

**Pilgrimage to Millennium Pro-Life Cross** – September 14<sup>th</sup> The Millennium Pro-Life Cross is located 10.8 km northeast of Aberdeen, SK. [Pro-Life Millennium Cross | Annual Pilgrimage](#)



## ST. BENEDICT

10 1<sup>st</sup> Street South (Church Avenue)  
St. Benedict, SK S0K 3T0

Mass Times:

July: Saturday 5<sup>PM</sup>

August: Sunday 9<sup>AM</sup>

### The Feast of St. Benedict will be celebrated on July 12<sup>th</sup> @ 5<sup>PM</sup>

There will be blessing of the graves after Mass. Tea and snacks will be served too, all welcome!

#### Sunday/Saturday Mass Ministries

5<sup>PM</sup> – Saturday July 5<sup>th</sup>

Ushers: Laverne     Sacristan: Laverne

Cross Bearer: Colleen   Servers: Draude's

Readings & Prayers of the Faithful: VeraLucia

5<sup>PM</sup> – Saturday July 12<sup>th</sup>

Ushers: Reg     Sacristan: Reg

Cross Bearer: Reg

Readings & Prayers of the Faithful: Tim

5<sup>PM</sup> – Saturday July 19<sup>th</sup>

Ushers: Laverne     Sacristan: Laverne

Cross Bearer: Colleen   Servers: Draude's

Readings & Prayers of the Faithful: LeeAnn

5<sup>PM</sup> – Saturday July 26<sup>th</sup>

Ushers: Reg     Sacristan: Reg

Cross Bearer: Reg

Readings & Prayers of the Faithful: VeraLucia



#### Prayer

God of peace, teach us to be peacemakers, to welcome the stranger, and to seek common ground with those who seem different from us. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen. *The Redemptorists*



## CANADIAN MARTYR'S

1<sup>st</sup> Street North  
Middle Lake, SK S0K 2X0

Mass Times:

July: Sunday 9<sup>AM</sup>

August: Saturday 5<sup>PM</sup>

#### READERS / COLLECTION:

Sun. July 6<sup>th</sup> @ 9<sup>AM</sup>     Tim & Janine

Sun. July 13<sup>th</sup> @ 9<sup>AM</sup>     Andrea & Gloria

Sun. July 20<sup>th</sup> @ 9<sup>AM</sup>     Marj & Janice

Sun. July 27<sup>th</sup> @ 9<sup>AM</sup>     Tim & Janine

#### CHURCH MAINTENANCE:

Sun July 6<sup>th</sup>     Dorian & R. Baker

Sun July 13<sup>th</sup>     Chris & Debbie

Sun July 20<sup>th</sup>     Kenny & Hap

Sun July 27<sup>th</sup>     Tim & Allen

Sun August 3<sup>rd</sup>     Matthew & Ken P

#### CHURCH CLEANERS:

**July:** Janice Martin &

Michelle Brockman

**August:** Adel Zimmer &

Diane Jenkins

Please maintain any flowers, solar lights, and anything else placed in the cemetery at a grave site. Please try to place objects in a way as not to impede the cemetery grass mowing and maintenance for the volunteers looking after the cemetery.

It can add a lot of time and effort on the volunteer's part if items left at grave sites are left to deteriorate. Thank you, God Bless!



### Jesus Youth Saskatchewan Pilgrimage

Sunday, Aug. 3 at Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine at St. Laurent (near Duck Lake), a designated pilgrimage site for the Jubilee Year of Hope. Gather at 2<sup>PM</sup> Aug. 3; adoration and confessions 3<sup>PM</sup> at Grotto; Mass at 4<sup>PM</sup>, followed by a potluck meal. RSVP to:

[contact.sk@jesusyouth.ca](mailto:contact.sk@jesusyouth.ca) or online at:  
<https://forms.gle/4aMRdmqc1Kqj5qWV6>.

### Happy Canada Day weekend!



As we celebrate this beautiful country and all we've been given, we are reminded of how much we have to be grateful for not only for our blessings, but for the trust we place in the One who provides them. In the **Parable of the Sower**, Jesus teaches us that the seed the Word of God falls on all kinds of ground, but only takes root and bears fruit in good soil. We are like that soil, called to be open, trusting, and prepared to receive what God gives.

## 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday: Spreading the Gospel

*“All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, ... I am with you always, until the end of time.”*(Matthew 28: 18-20)

In the gospel, Jesus sent out 70 disciples ‘on ahead of him, two by two, into every town and place where he himself was about to come’ (Luke 10:1). Today more than ever, the call to be missionaries is very urgent. We are the new disciples of Jesus. Every Christian who professes the name of God shares in this mission: the priest as well as the congregation, the parents as well as the children. The call is still coming to each person in his or her own life-uniqueness and at his or her own level.

Each of us should have the mind and heart of a missionary. We should be open to the needs of others. The young people must be open to corrections and to learn the best route to happiness. Parents must wake up to their responsibilities and do more by the witness of a good Christian life. Priests must be prepared to teach more by their lifestyles than by what they preach.

There was a youth rally in England and young people from many nations were discussing how the Christian "Good News" might be spread. They talked about propaganda by way of the print and electronic media, by pamphlets and radio sermons. They talked about video productions.

Then a girl from Central Africa spoke. She said, "When we want to bring Christ's message to a village, we don't send them preachers or books. We choose a good Christian family to go and live there. Their Christian example usually changes the village."

There is an old saying: "Words push; examples pull."

Any good Christian is a walking Bible, even though he or she has never quoted a verse. In fact, good Christian example may be the only Gospel illiterate people can read.

~ **William Barclay**

To be an apostle is to be one who is sent. One doesn't have to be somekind of genius or superhuman person to be able to do the work of Jesus. There is a difference between an apostle and a genius. The difference has little to do with talent or intelligence; it has everything to do with purpose and commitment.

Many Christians have a lot to distract them and prevent them from accomplishing this evangelization task. When Jesus Christ sent his disciples in pairs, he instructed them to do away with all distractions and personal obstacles to enable them have an effective apostolate. We too should learn from the instruction given to the apostles and apply such in our lives.

Unfortunately, a few who are into missionary work are only after their personal gain. Many are posing to be missionaries, but they are wolves in the garb of shepherds. These situations before us make the work of evangelization difficult and worrisome.

But we should not loose faith in the face of all these, far from it. Rather we need the Holy Spirit in order to carry out our mission work to the fullest. The Holy Spirit is the greatest source of strength and inspiration for every missionary.

**Prayer:**

**Thank you, Jesus**

**Thank you, Lord**

Fr. Benjamin Ezekwudo