

Sunday Mass Times July:

Saturday 5^{PM}

St. Benedict

Sunday 9^{AM}

Canadian Martyrs

Sunday 11^{AM}

St. Michael's

Weekday Mass Times - Year Round:

Tuesday 6:30^{PM}

Haven

Wednesday 10:30^{AM}

Nursing Home

Wednesday 1:30^{PM}

Bethany

Friday 9^{AM}

St. Michael's

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



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

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sat: 11^{AM} - 12^{PM} (noon) – St. Michael's

Sat: 4:30^{PM} - 4:55^{PM}– 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: 8AM to 9AM

(Except for 1st Friday of the month, when it is after Mass: 9:30AM to 12PM)

St. Michael's Haven: Every first Tuesday of the month,
5:30PM to 6:30PM

Reminders:

- **Marriage Prep:** Please contact Fr. Benjamin at least one year prior to the desired date of marriage.
- Fr. Benjamin is available on his mobile at any time outside Mass times for **EMERGENCIES** & 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.
- You can request the sacraments when you are in ANY hospital.

Mass Intentions for July 11th - July 26th

July 11th Saturday 5PM St. Benedict:

Mathilda Renneberg+/St. Benedict Parish

July 12th Sunday 9AM Canadian Martyrs:

Armella Hoeber+/Anthony & Irene Richardson

July 12th Sunday 11AM St. Michael's:

Roger Reaser+/Harley & Lori Schlosser

July 14th Tuesday 6:30PM Haven:

NO MASS, Fr. Benjamin is away

July 15th Wednesday 10:30^{AM} Cudworth Nursing Home:

NO MASS, Fr. Benjamin is away

July 15th Wednesday 1:30^{PM} Bethany:

NO MASS, Fr. Benjamin is away

July 17th Friday 9AM St. Michael's:

NO MASS, Fr. Benjamin is away

July 18th Saturday 5PM St. Benedict:

Louise Kurja+/Kimberley MacPherson

July 19th Sunday 9AM Canadian Martyrs:

Deceased Parishoners+/Janine Schmidt

July 19th Sunday 11AM St. Michael's:

Alain Regnier(healing&peace)/Doreen Regnier

July 21st Tuesday 6:30PM Haven:

Nash Slobodian/CWL

July 22nd Wednesday 10:30^{AM} Cudworth Nursing Home:

Roger Reaser+/Doreen Regnier

July 22nd Wednesday 1:30^{PM} Bethany:

NO MASS due to Rise and Shine Camp

July 24th Friday 9AM St. Michael's:

Earl Kurtenbach+/Phil & Terry Medernach

July 25th Saturday 1PM St. Benedict:

Wedding Mass 

July 26th Sunday 9AM Canadian Martyrs:

Armella Hoeber+/Joe Hoeber

July 26th Sunday 11AM St. Michael's:

Denis George Dierker+/Vince & Tammy

Please contact Fr. Benjamin directly for Mass Intentions. Suggested donation \$10

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ST. MICHAEL'S

503 MAIN STREET, CUDWORTH SK. S0K 1B0

JULY MASS TIME: 11AM

Sunday Mass Ministries

11AM – Sunday, July 12th

Welcomers: Garry & Catherine

Rosary: Vince **Ushers:** Darrell & Garry

Screens: N/A **Servers:** Briana

Readers: 1st – Verik, 2nd – Teresa

Prayers of the Faithful – Lee

Offerings: John & Audrey

Eucharistic Minister: Barbara & Roger

Counters: Garry, Catherine & Heide

11AM – Sunday, July 19th

Welcomers: Jim & Liz

Rosary: Glen **Ushers:** Edward & Leonard

Screens: N/A **Servers:** Cael, Gage, Brooke

Readers: 1st – James 2nd – Tammy

Prayers of the Faithful – Catherine

Offerings: James & Kim

Eucharistic Minister: Heide & Kathleen

Counters: Dennis & Sylvia

9AM – Sunday, July 26th

Welcomers: John & Audrey

Rosary: Phil **Ushers:** James & Clarence

Screens: N/A **Servers:** Camryn, Brady

Readers: 1st – John V, 2nd – Don

Prayers of the Faithful – Kim

Offerings: Tammy & Vince

Eucharistic Minister: Morris, Clarence

Counters: Ann, Elaine

11AM – Sunday, August 2nd

Welcomers: Garry & Catherine

Rosary: Vince **Ushers:** Darrell & Garry

Screens: N/A **Servers:** Chelsea, Nora

Readers: 1st – Barbara, 2nd – Garry

Prayers of the Faithful – John K

Offerings: Bernadette & Roger

Eucharistic Minister: Barbara, Roger

Counters: Garry, Catherine, Heide

DID YOU KNOW ?



Our parish offers a direct deposit option for monthly or weekly parish offertory/collection, making it easier to contribute to our local parish!

For assistance setting this up please contact the office.

This is a great way to continue to support our parish during the busy Summer months.

RISE AND SHINE SUMMER CAMP

REGISTER NOW!

**ALL GOD'S CREATURES
GREAT & SMALL**

JULY 20, 21 & 22
1-4 P.M. EACH DAY
AGES 6 - 12

\$10 REGISTRATION PER PERSON

REGISTER ONLINE:

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Knights of Columbus: Next Meeting Sept 10th

Rosary: 7PM **Meeting:** 7:30PM



Parish Council: Next Meeting Sept 16th



CWL: Next Meeting Sept 15th

Parish Council: Fr. Benjamin Ezekwudo 2nd. **Term:** Grace Jungwirth (*Chair*), Glen Lingel (*Vice Chair*), Teresa Richardson (*Secretary*), Vince Dierker (*K of C Representative*), Stuart Kolla (*Maintenance*), Kyle Slobodian 1st. **Term:** Don Kolla, Catherine Mazurkewich, Audrey van der Gracht, Ida Rose Wilde, Chris Jungwirth **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

World Day for *Grandparents & Elderly*

July 26th

The celebration of the World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly is an opportunity to rediscover that the Church is called to be a mother to all and that at any age it is always possible to recognize ourselves as sons and daughters of God. May this day, therefore, be an inspiration for everyone, especially the young, to revive the beautiful custom of visiting their grandparents, the elderly members of the family and even those who have no one to visit them. Bring them, through this message and your presence, the closeness and affection of the Pope. Ensure that the words of the prophet, "But I will never forget you," take the form of a tender and affectionate encounter. "In an era that favors speed and fragmentation, the human person still yearns to receive care and recognition from attentive minds, kind words and hands capable of tenderness. The digital culture multiplies connections and offers new opportunities for interaction; yet, the human heart retains an irrevocable need for genuine closeness" (Encyclical Letter, Magnifica Humanitas, 239).

[Read Pope Leo's full message here](#)

JUNE Financials

Sunday Collections	\$6,495.00
Preauthorized Giving	\$1,177.50
Donations towards 2025 Deficit	\$1,300.00
Parish Recovery	\$1,351.12
St. Boniface yearly mass	\$1,147.10
general donations, funerals, funeral	\$2,028.24
Total Income	\$13,498.96
Total Expenses	\$8,747.56
Profit for June	\$4,751.40
as of July 9 towards 2025 Deficit	\$1,845.00

Thank you to those who donated on behalf of the memory of Roger Reaser, a total of \$550 included in the June Financials.

Thank You

Diocesan Prayer:
May agricultural communities struggling with climatic conditions worldwide together find wisdom to mitigate the challenges.
We pray to the Lord



Congratulations on the

BAPTISM

of

Danna Emylie Ocbina

the daughter of

Darwin & Anna Ocbina



WE REJOICE WITH

Joseph Mitchell Gerein

&

Dayle Ann Loeffelholz-Yuzak

ON THE SACRAMENTAL SOLEMNIZATION
OF THEIR MARRIAGE



ST. BENEDICT

10 1ST STREET SOUTH (CHURCH AVENUE) ST. BENEDICT, SK. S0K3T0

JULY MASS TIME: SATURDAY 5PM

AUGUST MASS TIME: SUNDAY 9AM

THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

ARE OUR LETTERS FROM HOME.



Saturday/Sunday Mass Ministries

5PM- Saturday July 11th

Ushers: Laverne Sacristan: Laverne

Cross Bearer: Colleen Servers:

Readings & Prayers of the Faithful: LeeAnn

5PM- Saturday July 18th

Ushers: Reg Sacristan: Reg

Cross Bearer: Reg Servers: Draude's

Readings & Prayers of the Faithful: Vera Lucia

1PM- Saturday July 25th

Tristina & Leo's Wedding Mass



9AM -Sunday August 2nd

Ushers: Reg Sacristan: Reg

Cross Bearer: Reg Servers: Draude's

Readings & Prayers of the Faithful: LeeAnn



CANADIAN MARTYR'S

1ST STREET NORTH MIDDLE LAKE, SK. S0K2X0

JULY MASS TIME: SUNDAY 9AM

AUGUST MASS TIME: SATURDAY 5PM

Readers/Collection:

Sun. July 12th @9AM.

Tim & Janine

Sun. July 19th @9AM.

Andrea & Gloria

Sun. July 26th @9AM.

Marj & Lynne

Sat. August 1st @ 5PM.

Tim & Janine

Church Maintenance:

Mon July 6th.

Kenny & Hap

Mon July 13th

Tim & Allen

Mon July 20th.

Matthew & Ken P

Mon July 27th

Dorian & R. Baker

Mon August 3rd

Chris & Debbie

Church Cleaners:

July: Janice Martin & Michelle Brockman

August: Adel Zimmer & Diane Jenkins



Save the Date

2026 ANNUAL
MILLENNIUM
CROSS
PILGRIMAGE

September 13,
2026
3 pm

LIVING ROSARY AND
GUEST SPEAKER:

FR. BASSIM SHONI
PASTOR, SACRED HEART,
CHALDEAN PARISH
SASKATOON

*Join us at the Cross to pray and together
build a culture of life!*

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!

15th Sunday: Teaching in parables

"Every happening, great and small, is a parable whereby God speaks to us, and the art of life is to get the message." Malcolm Muggeridge

Parables was Jesus' favourite method of teaching. Among the Rabbis at the time of Jesus there was an attitude almost of reverence towards the parable. So, when Jesus adopted this method of teaching he was following a tradition. But why teach in parables?

Once there was a famous Rabbi who loved to illustrate a truth by means of a story. One day his students asked him why he adopted this approach. He replied, the best way to answer your question is through a story.

There was a time when **Truth** went around naked and unadorned. But people shied away from him, and gave him no welcome. So, **Truth** wandered through the land, rebuffed and unwanted.

"One day, feeling dejected, he met **Story** strolling along happily dressed in a multi-coloured robe.

"**Truth**, why are you so sad?" **Story** asked.

"I'm sad because everybody avoids me," **Truth** replied.

"I know why everybody avoids you," said **Story**. Here, borrow my robe, and see what happens.

'So, **Truth** donned **Story's** multi-coloured robe, and lo, everywhere he went, he was welcomed.'

And the Rabbi concluded, 'The fact is, people are unable to face the *naked Truth*; they much prefer the *Truth disguised*.'

~ **F. McCarthy**

Sometimes, truth can be so painful that we are not able to take it straight. We have to dress it up. We have to adorn it. A parable makes a bitter truth more palatable.

A story has another great advantage. Just as a penny candle can help a searcher to find a gold coin or a priceless pearl, so a short parable can contain a great truth and enable us to penetrate to the heart of that truth.

What is Jesus saying to us in his parable of the Sower?

The word of God is to the human heart what a seed is to the earth. Just as soil is barren without seed, so our lives are barren without the word of God. The word of God is a pure and lasting fount of spiritual life.

Through his word, God is continually calling us to a better and more fruitful life. Happy those who make the voice of God the most important voice in their lives. God doesn't speak to us like a dictator to his subjects. He speaks to us as a Father speaks to his children. His word is as gentle, as weak, as defenceless as a seed falling into the soil. Yet that word is more effective than the word of the most powerful dictator - it can change people's hearts.

God also sends us his word to bring us forgiveness, protection, endurance, hope, and comfort. Besides, God's word inspires us to do good or produce something beneficial to many.

Whereas some people generally are open to God's word, others are usually not receptive to it. Today's gospel presents us with four scenarios of the reception of the word of God:

- Some seeds fell along the path, representing those who do not understand the word that is proclaimed (Matthew 13:4, 19).
- Some seeds fell on a rocky ground, representing those who immediately receive the word with joy but soon give up because of persecution (Matthew 13:5-6, 20-21).
- Some seeds fell among thorns, representing those who initially embrace the word but later allow the cares of this world and the delight of riches to choke the word (Matthew 13:7, 22).
- Other seeds fell on good soil and yielded good harvest, representing those who fully receive and practice the word (Matthew 13:8, 23).

In truth, God doesn't speak to us only in the Sacred Scriptures. He also speaks to us through the events of our lives. But it is the words of scripture that help us to interpret what God is saying to us in those events.

Prayer:

Thank you, Jesus

Thank you, Lord