

ST PIUS X PARISH, IMPERIAL ST PATRICK'S PARISH, YOUNG ST ANN'S PARISH, WATROUS



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THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, January 25	5:00 pm	St Pius X	
Sunday, January 26	9:00 am	St Patrick	For the Parishioners
	11:00 am	St Ann	
Tuesday, January 28 St Thomas Aquinas (M)	9:00 am	St Ann	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	9:30 am		Mass
Friday, January 31 St John Bosco (M)	9:00 am	St Ann	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	9:30 am		Mass

PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

Saturday, February 1	5:00 pm	St Ann	
Sunday, February 2	9:00 am	St Pius X	For the Parishioners
	11:00 am	St Patrick	

Diocesan Prayer Intention: *Reverence for Life Sunday, Jan. 26:*

Almighty God, giver of all that is good, we thank you for the precious gift of human life: For life in the womb, coming from your creative power, for the life of children, making us glad with their freshness and promise, for the life of young people, hoping for a better world, for the life of people who are disabled, teaching us that every life has value, for the life of the elderly, witnessing to the ageless values of patience and wisdom. Like Blessed Mary, may we always say "yes" to Your gift. Help us to realize the sacredness of human life and to respect and cherish it from conception to its natural end. And bring us at last, O Father, to the fullness of eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord.



Every Thursday
At St Ann's

(except January 30 is
moved to January
29)

Doors open at 6:30 pm
Bingo starts at 7:00 pm
Coffee and snacks available

The World Day of Consecrated Life is marked each year on Feb. 2, the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. Bishop Mark Hagemoen will celebrate Mass at 11 a.m. **Sunday, Feb. 2** at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon, praying for all consecrated religious women and men, with fellowship afterwards. Everyone is welcome to join in person at the Cathedral Feb. 2 or to pray live or later via live-stream video at <https://saskatoonmass.com>.

After Mass, there will be a time of fellowship in the hall.

Pope Saint John Paul II instituted this day of prayer for women and men in consecrated life in 1997. The Feast of the Presentation is also known as Candlemass Day; a day on which candles are traditionally blessed, symbolizing Christ who is the light of the world. So too, those in consecrated life are called to reflect the light of Jesus Christ in our world. *We thank God for the witness and service of consecrated men and women around the world and in the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon!*

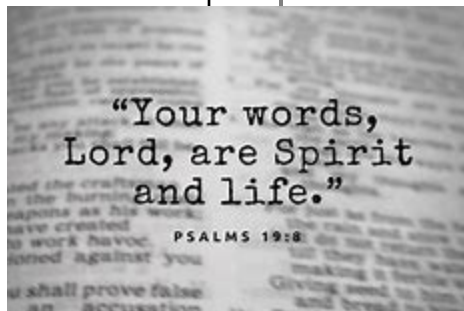
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Thrift on Main, Watrous, gratefully accepts donations Wednesday through Saturday, 10 am to 4 pm. Profits from this store are distributed throughout

the communities, including St Ann's.

Store shopping hours are Thursday through Saturday, 10 am to 4 pm. Come take a look—you might find something you have been looking for!



Reverence for Life - Bishop Mark Hagemoen of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon each year declares the last Sunday of January as a day of prayer for Reverence for Life, coinciding with the anniversary of the Supreme Court's Morgentaler decision which removed all legal limits to abortion in Canada. Bishop Hagemoen will celebrate Mass on **Reverence for Life Sunday, Jan. 26** at 9 a.m. at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon. The [bishop's message](#) for Reverence for Life Sunday can be found on the diocesan website at: <https://rcdos.ca>. Let us pray that life will be respected at every age and stage, from conception to natural death.

Prayer:

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AMEN

Are you new to our Parish? Please put a note in the collection plate with your name and phone number.

Would you like to e-transfer your weekly/monthly donation?

For St Ann's, please use the email address: sawatrous@rcdos.ca

For St Pius X, please use the email address: sawatrous@rcdos.ca

For St Patrick, please contact Denise Dewey

Would you like to be added to the email list?

Mass Intentions are always welcome.

Contact us via email (sawatrous@rcdos.ca) or phone (306 946-7961).

