CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF

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



APRIL 12/13 2025

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No Weekday Masses on Tuesday, April 15 or Friday, April 18. Weekday Masses resume Tuesday, April 29.



Palm Sunday		
Saturday, April 12	5:00 pm	St Patrick
Sunday, April 13	9:00 am	St Ann
	11:00 am	St Pius X
Holy Thursday		
Thursday, April 17	4:30 pm	St Pius X
	6:30 pm	St Patrick
	8:30 pm	St Ann
GOOD FRIDAY		
Friday, April 18	12:00 noon	St Patrick
	3:00 pm	St Ann
	6:00 pm	St Pius X
EASTER VIGIL		
Saturday, April 19	9:00 pm	St Ann
EASTER SUNDAY		
Sunday, April 20	9:00 am	St Patrick
	11:00 am	St Pius X

Diocesan prayer: Lord Jesus Christ, help us to let go of all that is not important in our lives, so that we may concentrate on you, and on following you as faithful missionary disciples.

Easter Triduum Schedules for many parishes across the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon are posted at: https://rcdos.ca/lent-and-easter/ to assist in planning your celebration of the sacred and solemn days of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday, and Easter Sunday!

Common Date for Easter - The World Council of Churches has published a Faith and Order paper, "Towards a Common Date for Easter "as an encouragement to churches and Christians to work with one another in their own contexts for a common celebration of Easter. Fresh impetus to explore the hope of a common date for Easter comes in 2025, when all Christians will celebrate Easter on a common day. Eastern and Western churches have used different calendars to calculate the date of Easter since the 16th century, and only rarely do they coincide. The new publication contains four contributions from different church traditions on the search for a way to celebrate Easter on a common date every year that were presented at a webinar organized by the Commission on Faith and Order on "Easter 2025: Celebrating Together to Strengthen Unity."

- •"Towards a Common Date for Easter", edited by Sandra Beardsall and Martin Illert is at https://www.oikoumene.org/resources/publications/towards-a-common-date-for-easter
- •A webinar "Easter 2025: Celebrating together to strengthen unity" can be found at: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tvQvguCw858



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including St Ann's.

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Last Bible Discovery Session St Ann's is hosting a session on April 16. Sessions start at 7:00 pm. Everyone is welcome to attend one or more session.

Stations of the Cross - Fridays at 6:00 pm at St Ann's

"The Passion of The Christ" film (2004) will be shown during Holy Week 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 16 at the Roxy Theatre, 320-20th Street West, Saskatoon (Rating is Restricted-18A); tickets \$12. See: https://ticketing.mymagiclantern.ca.

Please *note change to Easter Vigil time* at St Ann's.



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



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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).