



May 31, 2026

CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY FAMILY

MOST HOLY TRINITY



You may say, and I hope often, “I love you”. Now those words started somewhere inside you. The more that “love” is experienced inside, you would eventually articulate it outwardly, words, songs, poems, gestures. Love cannot stay as a thought or feeling. It just has to come outside. The more intensely it is experienced, the more it “urges” expression.

I am remembering, smilingly, the first time I verbally expressed love to my second girlfriend. (I’m not telling you about the first one.) So I said the big three words! Yup, right out loud. Her response convinced me I would never do that again. She, naturally, asked me “why”. Now I could more easily have told her why I “liked” her, but explaining the “why” of “love”! Impossible!

Liking is logical, reasonable, factual. Love moves from “like” and moves inside where logic takes a place on the bench. Her natural question left me wordless and left her laughing and a bit impatient.

Now to the mystery of God which I will explain clearly and perfectly, the Trinity! I have figured it out, but, unexplainably. You will find it difficult to understand if “love” has been sitting on the same bench for a long time. It begins with the infinite, unconditional Lover. That’s a toughy and that Love cannot keep it inside the Divine Self. “Revelation” is the big Idea, it just has to be. The inside infinitely is “Creating.” So two big words, revelation and creating. This is Who God Does. The Son is the fleshly expression. It is a word spoken in human terms. The Infinite came right out and said It. The urgency revealed and continues

revealing. The Creator continues doing Its Being.

So far we have the Speaker and the Spoken. What is known as the Spirit is the Love within this Infinite and the finite. Assisting the Word’s being heard and lived. The urgency of Love is the completion of the revealing/creating Love Who is God. The Spirit urges the continuing of the creative and revealing Love. The unconditional Spirit both urges expression and then assists the receivers of the creative revelation to allow that Love into the souls of the beloved.

I could not say in words my experience love for dear Beverly, I was and am too conditional. My words never could have totally convinced her, I am sure. She would want to have clarity, surety and more explanations. God as Speaker, Revealer, Creator, says it and does so through this Spirit. The Speaker, the Urgency for expression and then the Word, creation. The Urgency is as infinite as the Speaker and the Spoken. The Trinity is One Love having a lot of work to do, including our accepting the ongoing, always creating and revealing of being so loved and created. God keeps saying It and the Spirit urges our acceptance.

Dear Beverly, she never could understand me, and maybe you don’t either. It is all mystery. Yes, God so loves the world that God sends His Son into the world to let us know who we are and what we are to reveal and create.

—Fr. Larry Gillick SJ



DISCIPLESHIP PATHWAY



LANDSCAPE PLANTING – CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

This spring we are undertaking some exciting new landscape work near the Cathedral entrance. As this project develops, we are looking for more volunteers to help bring these plans to fruition. Whether you're available for one weekend to help move some dirt, willing to plant some flowers and shrubs, or if you're able to help with ongoing weeding and maintenance, we look forward to having you join us. Contributions towards new plantings are also welcome. See the information package in your email for more information. Please leave your contact details at facilities@hollyfamilycathedral.ca or with the parish office.

It's time for First Communion!

Over the coming weeks, about **115** of our youth will receive their First Communion!

- **May 31st** at 9am & 11am
- **June 7th** at 9am & 11am
(and a few at 6:30pm)
- **June 10th** at 7pm



Please pray for all our candidates, and get ready to welcome them and their families. Mass will be a little busier than usual for the next couple weeks.



The Solemnity of

Corpus Christi

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

June 7, 2026

Procession after 11am Mass

Testimony by: Dr. Tyler Wist (Knights of Columbus)
Talk by: Quin Kleiboer (Rural Catechesis Coordinator)

BELOVED

FIRST FRIDAYS

June 5th, 2026 7:00 – 9:00PM

ADORATION
CONFESSION
FORMATION



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Bukas Loob Sa Diyos
Open in Spirit to God

Saskatoon Prayer Group

Marriage Encounter

A Spiritual & Enchanting Weekend Retreat for

Husband & Wife

JUNE 12, 13, & 14 | Cathedral of the Holy Family

June 12 Friday - 5:30 pm REGISTRATION

*Talk starts at 6pm

June 13 Saturday - morning till evening

June 14 - morning till afternoon (w/ Sunday mass)



for couples & includes all meals, snacks and materials

Spiritual Director: Fr. Joe-nel Penino

Assisted by: BLD (Open in Spirit to God) VANCOUVER

Contacts / Inquiry:

Clint & Richie Elimanco – 306-880-5051 | clint.elimanco@gmail.com

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Let all that you do be done in love. 1 Corinthians 16:14

June 2026

PARISH NEWS



Thank you to all our parishioners for your continued support of our events!

As our Columbian Year comes to a close, we invite all members and their families to our **Year-End Party on Tuesday, June 9th at Blackstrap Youth Camp**. All members, spouses, and children are welcome. **Supper will be served at 6:00 p.m.** Come enjoy an evening with your fellow Brothers and their families.

Join Council 8215 of the Knights of Columbus—helping men become better husbands, fathers, and Catholics. For information, contact Wayne Koshman at (306) 381-3330 or koshmanw@gmail.com.

God Bless all our Brother Knights and their families!



HUMANITY. Love one another. Catholic Women's League members go beyond charitable acts with compassion, love, sympathy and tolerance, seeking out issues of injustice. Come share the love. **Join us for our next meeting on June 10, 2026** for our year end baby shower for Pregnancy Options Center. All enquiries can be sent to cofhcwl@gmail.com.

- Donations of the following items are appreciated: diapers & wipes, formula & baby food, new baby clothes (Newborn - 2T), receiving blankets, toys for babies and toddlers, new baby and mom toiletries, new nursery furniture. Small items may be placed in the bin in the welcome area that will be available 1 week before the meeting, or brought to the baby shower.
- Please pray for the health of all pregnant women and for those women who would like to start families.

MINI GOLF NIGHT - A "WHOLE" IN ONE

Over 30 youth and volunteers gathered at Mar's Mini Golf for a "wholesome", exciting and laughter-filled evening to celebrate the end of the school year together. From friendly competition on the mini golf course to epic battles at the arcade, it was a wonderful night of community, friendship, and fun. A heartfelt thank you goes out to all of our amazing Youth Ministry volunteers for their dedication, support, and service throughout the year. If you would like to sign up for future youth events or are interested in volunteering in Youth Ministry, please contact conchita@holyfamilycathedral.ca.



KG to Grade 5

Cathedral of the Holy family Presents

Kids Camp

A WORLD OF FUN AND FAITH

EVERY SUNDAY IN JULY

1 PM TO 4 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Registration closes **JUNE 21**

SCAN TO REGISTER

\$10

EACH KID

\$20

2 OR MORE KIDS



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WEEKLY LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Sunday Mass Times

Sunday: 9:00am, 11:00am, & 6:30pm

Weekday Mass Times

Monday - Saturday: 12:15pm

Wednesdays: 7:30pm

Mass @ Sherbrooke: Fridays at 10:15am

Reconciliation

Thursday: 7pm - 8:30pm

Friday: 11am - 12noon

Saturday: 11am - 12noon

Eucharistic Adoration:

Musical Adoration: Every Thursday 7pm - 8:30pm

1st Friday: **BELOVED** 7pm - 9pm

Rosary & Devotion to Our Lady of

Perpetual Help: Wednesdays @ 6:45pm

Rosary: Saturday 11:45am - 12noon

*If you are unable to attend
regular Reconciliation times,*

Clergy, Staff, & Council Members

Bishop of Saskatoon - *Most Rev. Mark Hagemoen*

Pastor Rector - *Fr. Gerard Cooper*

Associate Pastor - *Fr. Joe Nelo Penino*

Faith Formation Minister - *Andy Korvemaker*

Coordinator of Evangelization to Families - *Conchita Fonseca*

Financial Secretary - *Linda Bobowski*

Facilities Manager - *Jim Nakoneshny*

Administrative Assistant - *Regene Sumalinog*

Pastoral Council Chair - *Jonas Taillon*

Finance Council Chair - *Denis Sirois*

Contact us!

Baptism (Infants): andy@holycathedral.ca

Christian Initiation (RCIA): andy@holycathedral.ca

Confirmation & First Eucharist: hfsacraments.ca

Covenant of Care: Parish Office: 306-659-5800

Marriage: gcooper@rcdos.ca

Reconciliation by appointment: info@holycathedral.ca

Communion to Homebound: info@holycathedral.ca

Facility Rentals: jim@holycathedral.ca

Mass Intentions next week

Monday, June 1

12:15 pm Mass for *†Donal Sirois*

Tuesday, June 2

12:15 pm Mass for *†Stan Leffler*

Wednesday, June 3

12:15 pm Mass for *†Denis Mercier*

7:30 pm Mass for *†Cristina Cortezano*

Mass Intentions next week

Thursday, June 4

12:15 pm Mass for *Dave & Diane Murza
& Family*

Friday, June 5

12:15 pm Mass for *Concheta Fonseca*
10:15 am Mass @ Sherbrooke for
†Margaret Paiva

Saturday, June 6

12:15 pm Mass for *†Evelyn Durrette*

Please Include in your Prayers

This list is for those who are in need of prayer, whether they be sick or well, living or deceased. If you would like your name or a name of a loved one to be listed, please call the parish office: 306-659-5800

+Toribio Ramos

Rosalind Matchett

Isa Glodoveza

+Pius Ojong Okpa

Melissa Go

Pilar Glodoveza

+Braydon Bretzer

Nori Cheong

Joelle Buckle

+Peter Fashola

Russ Gill

Maryan Principe & Family

Jannette Magdugo

Rose Friske

Lucas Hilderman

Perry Antosh

Ben Friske

Sharon Therens

Zenitha Joppa Atebe

Hyacinth Fonseca

Eileen Materi

Sophie Irlbeck

NON-CATHOLICS ATTENDING HOLY MASS: WHAT SHOULD THEY OBSERVE?

For Catholics: the mass is a sacred encounter with God, it is centered on the Eucharist where we encounter the real, substantial, true, and sacramental presence of Jesus Christ. **For non-Catholics** attending Mass, the Church warmly welcomes you as our brothers and sisters. At the same time, there are important guidelines to observe.

The Dos

1. Be respectful and reverent inside the church, which is a place of prayer and worship.
2. Follow the posture of the congregation if comfortable, as standing, sitting, and kneeling are normal parts of Catholic worship.
3. Listen attentively to the readings and homily. The Word of God is central to the Mass.
4. Feel free to sing or pray quietly. Full, conscious, and active participation is welcome and deemed necessary but never forced.
5. Observe and learn respectfully about the Catholic faith and tradition.

The Don'ts

1. Do not receive Holy Communion, as the Eucharist is reserved for Catholics in full communion with the Church.
2. Do not feel pressured to perform Catholic prayers or rituals unfamiliar to you.
3. Do not talk loudly inside the church.
4. Do not enter the sanctuary or altar area, which is reserved for clergy and ministers.
5. Do not treat the Mass as an ordinary gathering, for it is sacred worship.

In the Celebration of the Mass, You Will Witness:

Scripture readings from the Bible (Liturgy of the Word); A homily explaining the Word of God; Prayers of the Faithful; Eucharistic Celebration (Liturgy of the Eucharist); Moments of silence and worship

Non-Catholics are not outsiders in God's house. The Church invites all people to come, observe, pray, and seek the truth while respecting the Sacred Mysteries celebrated at the altar. **"My house shall be called a house of prayer for all nations." — Mark 11:17**



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