



ST PETER'S PARISH, MUENSTER, SK
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MASS TIMES:

Weekends: See Ministry Schedule below for dates and times

Tuesday's: Wolverine Heights at 8:15am

CONFESSION:

Half Hour before 7pm Saturday Mass

Half Hour before 9am Sunday Mass

November 16, 2025

33rd Sunday in OT

World Day of the Poor

Covenant of Care Coordinator: Myrna Britz

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First Reading (Malachi 3:19-20): The day of justice is coming, says the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm (Psalm 98:5-9): Sing praise to God, who rules with justice.

Second Reading (2 Thessalonians 3:7-12): Paul urges the community to follow his example and to earn their keep.

Gospel Reading (Luke 21:5-19): Jesus predicts the destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem and warns his followers that persecution will come before the end time. Jesus is assuring his followers that God is present to all believers, even in times of trouble. As disciples of Jesus, we try to follow his example, trusting in God's mercy and protection, even when we are facing difficulties.



"You will be hated by all because of my name, but not a hair of your head will perish"

Ministry Schedule

Date Time	1 st & 2 nd Reader	Communion Minister	Mass Servers	Ushers	Intentions & Announcement	Music	Sacristan	Children's Liturgy	Gift Bearers
Nov 16 9am	George	Jim	Kira, Hudson, Kayson	Mike Chad	Laurie	Choir Christy	Laurie		Kare Loehr
Nov 23 11am	Myrna	Rose	Maci, Olivis, Leia	Roger Wilbert	Myrna	Choir Sheryl	Julie Doug		Raelene Rude
Muffin Sunday – Nov 23 – Group 1: Teresa Wassermann, Julie Hofmann, & Christy Waldner									
Nov 29 Sat. 7pm	Keith	Brian	Kira, William	Jim Kim	Myrna	Myrna	Teri	N/A	Anita Renneberg
Dec 7 9am	Brian	Laurie	Maci, Olivia, Keith, Jessica	Dan Chad	Mary	Choir Christy	Mary		Brent & Krystal Puetz

PARISH FINANCES

To meet our expenses, we need weekly donations of **\$975**. Your donation is greatly appreciated. If you are unable to bring your weekly donation to church, you can mail them to St Peter's Parish, Box 107, Muenster, SK S0K 2Y0 or **E-transfer to** mbritz@rcdos.ca

Thank you!

Mass Collections: Nov 2: \$665

Nov 9: \$605

Bazaar Total to date: \$15,300



Celebration of Baptism

Thompson Russell Britz received the sacrament of baptism on November 9.

Congratulations to the parents; Janessa and Trevor Britz.

Thompson, may your life be blessed with joy and love, may angels guide you from above, may your heart be kind and spirit strong to see the good and right from wrong. Amen



This bulletin is posted on our website www.muenster.saskatooncatholic.ca.

It will be emailed to those who have provided their contact information.

Deadline for bulletin entries is end of day Thursdays.

Email Myrna at mbritz@rcdos.ca

NEW PARISHIONERS:

Are you new to our Parish? We want to meet you!

Please contact Myrna Britz if you would like Collection Envelopes

Confirmation: St Peter's Parish invites and welcomes you and your grade 6 student (or older) to prepare for the sacrament of Confirmation. Your child will need to have completed the sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion to participate in preparing for the sacrament of Confirmation. Confirmation classes will begin January 2026. Please register your child by **Friday, November 28/25**. Registrations can be sent by email to kbergermann@sasktel.net, or by text to 306-231-5251. Thank you!

2025-2026 Sunday Missals are at the back of the church. \$5.00 each. Please put payment in the envelope by the missals or in your Sunday Collection envelope. Thanks.

First Reconciliation Classes will be held at the Church at 7:00pm on Sunday, November 23.

Christmas Choir is practicing on Sunday's from 7pm – 9pm and welcome anyone who is interested in joining. 100% attendance at practices is NOT expected! For more information, please contact Christy Waldner or any choir member.

Holy Trinity Church Pilger is having a Potluck, Bingo and Raffle Draw on December 7, 2025, following the 11:00 am Mass. Raffle Tickets available from Parishioners.

Blankets needed: Mission and Outreach Ministry at St. Mary Parish in Saskatoon is seeking donations of blankets, new or gently-used for those sleeping on the streets, as well as parkas, toques, mittens, etc. E-mail jnunes@rcdos.ca or --www.stmarysoutreach.com.

Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast: Sunday, November 16/25 at St Augustine Parish Hall from 9:30am – 12 noon. Proceeds to Council Charities. \$10/person \$25/family.

A Special Invitation to Families with Young Children: You are welcome here! Children are an important part of our parish, and we are so excited to have you and your family worship with us. We want to help parents and their children to feel welcome just as they are, whether they are seasoned church goers of first-time visitors. The presence of children is a gift to our church and we want to welcome young children and encourage their parents.

In Loving Memory: We remember the faithful departed, *Richard Muench*. Eternal life grant unto him O Lord!



St Peter's Parish Committees				
<u>Pastoral Council</u> Chair: Mike Britz Secretary: Curtis Strueby Vice-Chair: Lloyd Bernhard Members: Christine Bergermann, Rick Bergermann, Brent Puetz, Fr Colin/Fr Frank		<u>Finance Committee</u> Chair: Jim Wassermann Secretary: Marina Haeusler Members: Claude Britz, Marvin Renneberg, Doug Hofmann, Myrna Britz, Fr Colin/Fr Frank		<u>Liturgy Committee</u> Chair: Teresa Wassermann Secretary: Julie Hofmann Members: Mary Thoen, Laurie Szautner, Christy Waldner, Teri Schindelka, Fr Colin/Fr Frank
<u>Pastoral Care Rep:</u> Sheryl Korte	<u>Youth Rep:</u> Christine Bergermann	<u>Grounds & Maintenance Rep:</u> Rick Bergermann	<u>Cemetery Committee Reps:</u> Garry Lochr & Lloyd Bernhard	<u>Lay Presider:</u> Myrna Britz
<u>Muffin Sunday Group 1:</u> Teresa Wassermann, Julie Hofmann, & Christy Waldner		<u>Muffin Sunday Group 2:</u> Rose Haeusler, Joyce Kimmen, Mary Thoen & Laurie Szautner		<u>Muffin Sunday Group 3:</u> Loyola Frank, Teri Schindelka, Susanne Bernhard & Theresa Schroeder
<u>Vitality Committee:</u> Chair: Sheryl Korte. Secretary: Teresa Wassermann Members: Jim Wassermann, Laurie Szautner, Donna Lee Bergermann. Christy Waldner, Ashtyn Bergermann, Krystal Puetz, Heather Strueby, Fr Colin/Fr Frank				

Running on Empty? Try Prayer

Imagine you're familiar with the following scenario. It's 6:30 a.m., and you become conscious of the bleeping alarm replacing that dream you were having about something weird and wonderful. The duvet feels warm and comforting, and, although you placed your running kit on the chair by the bed last night in preparation, you really don't want to get up! Now you have to make a decision, a choice—either stay where you are and drift back into delicious sleep or get up, put your kit on, close the front door behind you, and run. The more often you make the choice to run, the more often you'll make the choice to run in the future. In other words, the choice to run becomes easier.

If we apply what I've written about running to prayer, the parallels are obvious: to benefit from prayer, it has to be regular, it has to be consistent, and it requires discipline. Like running, prayer is a *choice*—nobody is forced to pray. The choice to pray stems from a desire to know God more intimately, to deepen the relationship we have with him.

In the Christian tradition, we know God as "Father," a term that implies relationship and intimacy. We know what it is to have parents, and we know what it is to have a relationship with our parents: we talk to them; we listen to them; we want to tell them our worries and concerns; we want to share our joys with them. It's in prayer that we establish and maintain an intimate relationship with God our Father. God desires that intimate relationship with us: he created us; he gave us life, and, therefore, we are his children. If God is truly our Father, then it makes sense to have a relationship with him, and this relationship, like any relationship, is sustained and deepened through communication, which is simply what prayer is: talking and listening to God. †

...James McShane