

MARCH 31ST , 2024

**EASTER
Sunday**

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SACRED HEART -LOON LAKE

ST. ANTONINUS-PIERCELAND

ST. BONIFACE -GOODSOIL

	TIME	LOCATION	MASS INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
Mon. April 1			No Mass Scheduled	
Tues. April 2	7:00 pm	Pierceland	+Leonard Niedermaier	Theresia Grundner
Wed. April 3	10:00 am	Care Home	Family of Alice Abraham	Alice Abraham
Thur April 4	11:00 am	Goodsoil	Funeral Mass +Laurent Aubin	
Fri. April 5		Goodsoil	No Mass—Clergy Days	
Sat. April 6	5:00 pm	Loon Lake	For Peace in the Holy Land	St. Boniface C.W.L.
Sun. April 7	9:00 am	Goodsoil	+Joe Greschner	Michelle Schreiber
	11:00am	Pierceland	For All Parishioners	
	3:00 pm	Goodsoil	Divine Mercy Hour	

St. Boniface

MINISTERS

LIST April 7

St. Antoninus

Commentator- Isabelle W.

Eucharistic Minister- Audery

Readers- Nadyne G. Louise H.

Readers - Susan Susy

Greeters - Trevor & Collette H.

Music- Aguilar **Mono-** Shannon

Gift Bearers - Gail B. Theresa S.

Gifts - Bud and Sharon

Eucharistic Minister—Brian S.

Servers- Brian

Servers— Bob R. Henry Dom

Greeters— Bev

Rosary—Leona V. L.

Rosary—Barb **Cleaning—** Susan

Month of the Holy Eucharist- The month of April is traditionally dedicated to devotion to Jesus in the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. The Catholic Church teaches that the Blessed Sacrament is the real and living presence of Christ—**His Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity**—received into our souls with every reception of Holy Communion. Our Eucharistic Lord is the source and summit of our Christian life, the ultimate proof of His infinite love for us.



Easter Time, like Christmas Time, is too big for just one day: it overflows into an entire period of liturgical time, lasting fifty days. The first eight days, the Octave of Easter, is a time of special celebration, lasting until the Second Sunday of Easter. In the early Church, the neophytes—those who had been baptized at the Easter Vigil—wore their white garments throughout this week...

During the Masses of this week, we hear the Gospel accounts of the appearances of the risen Christ to his disciples, and we begin reading from the Acts of the Apostles, which we will hear throughout Easter Time. The Resurrection changes everything: it made fearful disciples fearless, and doubters believers. It can do the same for us.

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GOODSOIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prince Albert Diocesan CWL 100th Annual Convention on **April 20** in North Battleford.

Deadline to register is April 12. Contact Bev Lutter.

Divine Mercy Sunday is the 1st Sunday after Easter, **April 7th**. There will be Divine Mercy Hour at 3:00pm

April Cleaners— Dennis/Marty Hetlinger, Dave/Joan Hill, Ken/Ellie Huber

PIERCELAND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cleaning for April—**Susan Logan –780-812-6878** Marcey Rawlake, Marla L’Heureux, Trisha Rawlake-Cattell, Kim McRae, Beverly Rawlake, Amber Rawlake

Called and Gifted presentations by Dr. Mary Martin. The sessions on April 6 in Prince Albert and **April 7 in North Battleford replace the Extended Deanery meetings** usually held in the spring. **Bishop Stephen is inviting everyone to attend**, especially members of Parish Pastoral Councils, Parish Finance councils, Liturgy committees, and Youth



leaders. These sessions will help those in **parish leadership understand their gifts** and how the Called & Gifted Discernment Process is a tool to aid in forming parishioners as missionary disciples. Please **register by April 2, 2024**. Please note that the Sunday in-person event in North Battleford, also available on Zoom, has been **moved to a new time to accommodate**

Divine Mercy celebrations. It will take place from **4:00 pm to 6:00 pm**. Please see the poster at the back of the Church for registration details.

Vocation Corner—Easter Sunday

A Vocation View: Christ has become our Paschal Sacrifice. Your ultimate purpose, to live and to breathe, is the eternal Jesus. Go forth to announce to the world - Christ, our hope, has risen, Alleluia!

Prayer: That more men and women will joyfully answer the call of the Lord to proclaim His life, death and resurrection as priests, deacons and in the consecrated life, we pray to the Lord.

Action: WHAT IS A SECULAR INSTITUTE? Single or married lay men and women, and also some priests, belong to secular institutes. They make a commitment to live the “evangelical counsels” of poverty, chastity, and obedience. Members do not necessarily live together as a Community.

Their goal is to be a transforming Christ-like presence in society.



Think of what is above. (Colossians 3:2)

Today is a day of great joy and celebration. That’s because Jesus Christ, who suffered a cruel death and rose from His tomb, is now risen in glory. And now that you are “raised with Christ,” He invites you to enter into His joy (Colossians 3:1).

You may feel full of joy today. But what if you don’t? What if you feel weighed down by worries and burdens? There is still a way that you can experience Easter joy. How? By faith.

As St. Paul writes in today’s second reading, “Think of what is above” (Colossians 3:2). By faith, you can recall that God loves you, that He is with you, and that He has won the victory over death and sin—including all of your own sins! Scripture promises that “there is no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus” (Romans 8:1). That’s you! “When Christ your life appears, then you too will appear with Him in glory” (Colossians 3:4). That’s you!

Recalling these truths can lead you into another experience of Easter joy: the joy of serving the Lord and His people. Peter must have been overjoyed when Jesus told him, “Feed my lambs” (John 21:15). His failures and sins—even his denial of the Lord—had been washed away! Now he could participate in the mission of the risen Christ. As you serve Jesus today—by loving others, by sharing your faith, or by joyfully preparing a family meal—believe that, just like Peter, you are also participating in Jesus’ mission. And that is a true and certain path to joy.



Easter joy is not just about gathering for Mass or enjoying a feast or wearing a special outfit—you know that! It comes about through faith and service, and it can last all year long. So set your heart on “what is above” today (Colossians 3:2). Then hear Jesus say, “Come and share in My joy!”

“Jesus, I rejoice in your resurrection!”