



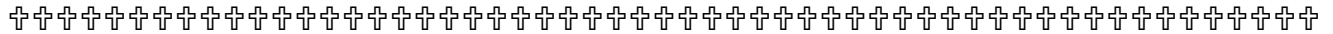
DID YOU KNOW that **2025 will be a JUBILEE YEAR** in the Church? The Holy Father has asked us to make 2024 a Year of Prayer in preparation for the Jubilee Year. The Holy Father encourages us to highlight the importance of both communal prayer and individual prayer this year.



To learn about the Jubilee Year "Pilgrims of Hope" -

visit: catholicyc.ca/blog/yearofprayer

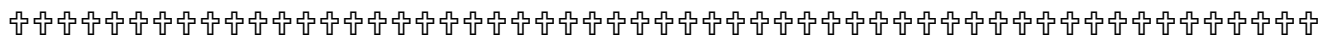
Watch here for more information on The Year of Prayer and The Jubilee Year.



OUR EVENTS



The Feast of St. Joseph is on Tuesday, March 19. Mass will be at St. Ambrose at 7 pm.



OUR LARGER COMMUNITY

Assumption Charismatic Prayer Group will be hosting a pot luck every **FIRST WEDNESDAY** of the month in the hall at Our Lady of the Assumption church in Lethbridge. Doors open at 5:30 pm, supper is at 6 pm, and praise and worship begins at 7 pm. All are welcome!

The next potluck will be Wednesday April 3, 2024.



St. Francis Xavier Chaplaincy is a ministry in the Diocese of Calgary that fosters faith, formation and fellowship among young adults within the Diocese through 3 Chapters: 1) University Students, 2) Young Professionals, and 3) Young Families.

For more information follow us on Instagram @sfxc_leth or call Fr. Santiago at 403-327-8931.



The Annual General Meeting of the Lethbridge People of Praise Society, who host the Live-In Retreats, will be held on Saturday, March 16 at St. Joseph's School in Coaldale. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m., followed by praise and worship, a guest speaker, the business meeting along with voting for new Core Members and will conclude with fellowship over a potluck lunch. *A minimum of 25 in attendance is required to have a quorum*



Come & See

Priestly Vocations Night - Have you ever thought God might be calling you to be a priest? Come to the Priestly Vocations Night with Fr. Derek Remus. Mass at 5 pm, followed by Evening Prayer, supper, presentation on discerning a vocation, and prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. When: **Saturday, Mar 16, from 5 pm to 9 pm** at St. Luke's, Calgary.



Just a reminder that this week's Penitential Services are:
St. Peter's Parish, Milk River on Wed. March 13 at 7 pm.



OUR LARGER COMMUNITY



The Pope's Prayer Intention for March 2024: For the new martyrs—We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

The Pope video can be found here: <https://thepopevideo.org/>

From Holy Spirit Catholic School Division—School Registration Fall 2024:

Families of Continuing students will get an email to update registration the week of Jan. 15-19/24. **New Student Registrations for Holy Spirit Roman Catholic School Division begins Feb. 1, 2024**, including Early Learning for 3 & 4 year olds, Kindergarten for age 5 on/before Dec. 31, 2022. French Immersion is also available in our school Division. Please register on line, or for more info see www.holyspirit.ab.ca or visit your neighborhood school.



Ukrainian Easter Traditions at the Martha Center—Join us for a fun day of learning and reflecting on Ukrainian Easter traditions. Baking Paska and making Krashanky and Pysanky are some of the most treasured Ukrainian Easter traditions. Our hope is that you will leave the Centre inspired, nourished and with freshly baked Easter bread and beautifully decorated eggs. Cost: \$105.00

(All materials and lunch included). Saturday, March 16, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm. Facilitator: Irena Olas. Call: 403-328-3422 to register.



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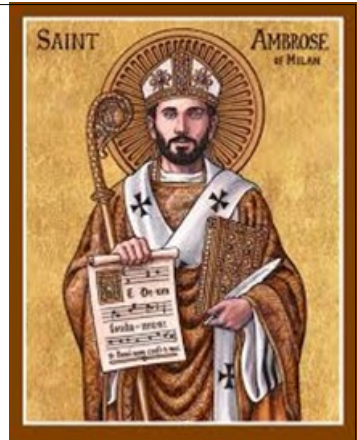
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OUR PARISHES

St. Ambrose, Pray for us.
Feast Day: December 7



St. Ambrose Parish

Sunday Mass: 9:00 am and 4:00 pm

Weekday Masses: Tuesday 7:00 pm, Thursday 8:45 am

Adoration: Fridays 7:00—8:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Tuesdays 6:00—6:45 pm
Fridays 7:00—8:00 pm

Rosary: Mondays at 10:00 am with CWL

Sacrament Prep. Inquiries: First Reconciliation, First Communion, Confirmation questions? Please contact our Sacramental Prep Coordinator, Sylvia, at 403-394-6234.

This Week in our Parish: March 10—March 16

Sunday, March 10: Sunday Mass 9 am & 4 pm
The Chosen starts 5 pm



Thurs. March 14: Mass 8:45 am with SJS gr. 6-9

Mon. March 11: CWL Rosary 10 am

Fri. March 15: Youth-led Mass practice 12:22 pm

Tues. March 12: Reconciliation 6—6:45 pm
Mass 7pm

Soup & Bun 6 pm

Stations of the Cross 7 pm

Adoration & Reconciliation 7:30 pm

Wed. March 13: SJS practice 9:15 am & 2:45 pm
CWL Meeting 7pm Foyer
*K of C meeting 7 pm Olde Rectory

Sat. March 16: First Reconciliation 10 am



Pastoral Care Ministry: Please phone the team listed below on Saturday March 16 if you wish to receive Holy Communion after the 9 am Sunday Mass on March 17, and please remember to have another person present with you when the Pastoral Care Ministers arrive.

March 17 Team: Bonnie 403-345-4596 and Diann 403-345-4945



St. Ambrose CWL NEWS: Meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month (except July & August).



IMPORTANT MESSAGE

From Fr. Ian: Due to some parish keyholders not coming forward to register keys, both parishes will be forced to re-key the buildings at the considerable expense of the parishes. Parishioners who have church, hall, rectory, or any other parish keys and have not registered them since 2021 need to please contact the office and have those keys registered. If you had a key and lost it, please also let us know. Otherwise, re-keying will be done after Easter. This is an insurance issue so please help your parish!

Thank you to all who have registered keys!

Hello—Jesus is calling! All of our parish Ministries are looking for new members—councils, committees, liturgical ministries. We prayerfully ask that you consider giving some of your time to helping in a ministry! The response to Stewardship Sunday was very poor and we need help! Not sure what is a good fit for you? Speak to some of those who are serving and get more information, or come and talk with Roisin at the office. Your gifts and talents will be much appreciated!



The next Youth-led Mass is next Sunday, March 17, at the 4 pm Mass. To participate, please call Pat Mastel at 403-892-4207. Bless you for supporting our youth by attending this Mass.