

## Prayer for the young and our families with Kateri

Oh, most humble Kateri  
I seek your love and prayers.  
I turn to you for your inspiration.

May I know the power of humility; the strength of seeking God's will in everything I do this day; the compassion to care this way for those who are weak and in need of help; and the faith to forgive those who walk a hurtful violent path.

Pray with me Kateri that through us, God our Creator will comfort the orphan, watch over the neglected child, and wait with the youth who go astray.

You lost your parents and found others along the way to care for you and guide you. May all parents and grandparents stay healthy, seek the selfless love of Jesus, and give where giving is most needed. May they make wise decisions and heed daily the Wisdom of the Great Spirit.

Your spirit was strong and your love for Jesus is deep.  
May I trust that Christ will turn my weakness  
Into His strength and meekness; so that whatever comes to me this day, I may choose to do God's will and faithful will I stay. AMEN

David Shulist S.J



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### **3rd Sunday of Easter**

Three times during the Passion Peter denies Jesus. He is afraid, and the suffering and dying came as an unbearable shock. The cross is not what the disciples hoped for or expected. And it isn't a disembodied, abstract idea. It happens in space and time, to real people in real relationships. Judas, the high priests and Pilate make choices that threaten everything. Jesus bleeds and loses breath. Most of the disciples flee. And the bruised body of the Messiah needs to be buried. A violent and oppressive killing was always intended to end things: the Lamb is slaughtered and so is hope.

Just like the Passion, resurrection is completely unexpected and deeply embodied. The tomb is empty. Some see Jesus, and others understandably doubt that this could possibly be true. The trauma makes them forget what they have known before. And Jesus helps them with fishing and breakfast. Jesus asks three times if Peter loves him. The work of rising is a healing of the pain of dying.

Resurrection is the power of love and hope in the face of destruction and violence. Jesus calls Peter back and sends him out again, in spite of the denial and betrayal. It will not be without a struggle, but still we are all called and sent- to follow him to our own crosses and rising. Leah Perrault, Swift Current, SK,(Living with Christ)

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Parish Office Hours Tuesday & Thursday: 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM

**Masses for the Lord’s Day**

**Sunday: 12:30 PM.**

**Weekday Mass Schedule**

**Monday: 12:00 PM.**

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS Please contact the parish office.

THE HOLY ROSARY is recited half hour before all Weekday Masses

**Sacraments and Pastoral Needs**

Baptism: Please contact the parish office at least one month before the baptism date (622-5138).

First Communion (Grade Two and older): Please register with school or with the parish office. Families will be contacted with requirements and other information.

Confirmation (Grade Eight and older): Please register with school or with the parish office. Families will be contacted with requirements and other information.

Marriages: Please contact the parish office at least **six months** before the wedding date. Preparation will be required for the couple.

Reconciliation (Penance): Please make an appointment with one of the priests. (622-5138).

Sacrament of the Sick (anointing): please contact the parish office (622-5138) **or in the Regional Hospital, the on-call priest is available in an urgent need.**

Funerals: Please contact the parish office to arrange a funeral (622-5138).

Meeting

Parish Council Meeting Thursday  
June 8,2025 with Bishop  
Compeau. 6:30 pm at Kateri

We too often want to get back to normal, to the same old, same old. But that’s the whole point of Easter; there is no same old anymore. Everything is new. We might be living in a Good Friday kind of world, but we are of Easter.

Jesus asked Peter, Do you love me, feed my sheep?



**This Week in Our Parish**

**Monday: May 5th<sup>th</sup> ,2025**

**Mass 12:00 p.m.**

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**AA meeting Sat May 10th ,2025,  
8:00pm**

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**Sunday: May 12th ,2024**

**12:30 pm mass**

**Last Sunday’s Collection: \$713.00**

*Prayer meeting Wed, at  
Kateri 7 pm. all are  
welcome look forward to  
meeting you there.*

**THE SIGN OF THE CROSS IN OJIBWE  
LANGUAGE**

**Od ijinikasowining Weossimind,**

**(In the name of the Father,)**

**gaie Wegwissimind,**

**(and of the Son,)**

**gaie Wenijishid-Manito.**

**(and of the Holy Spirit.)**

**Mi ge-ing (Amen)**

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