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## <u>Lord's Day Eucharist: Saturday at 5:00 pm</u> <u>Sunday at 9:00 am & 10:45 am</u> P: 306-842-2129 F: 306-842-7818

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## <u>Parish Team</u>

<u>Pastor</u>: Rev. Gerry Bauche <u>Emergency</u> #861-3011 <u>Administrative Assistant</u>: Janice Seitz (Mon. – Thurs) <u>Parish Life Coordinators:</u> MaryAnn Flaaten/Wendy Pitre <u>Youth Minister</u>: Paula Reich 842-4288 <u>Caretaker</u>: Rani Roettger <u>Hall Convener</u>: Josie Klein 842-4481

<u>Sacraments</u>					
<u>Baptism</u> :	Contact the office				
<u>Reconciliation:</u> Fri. 11:30 – 12:00					
Sat. 4:00 – 4:40					
<u>Matrimony</u> :	Contact Fr. Gerry at least				
	8 months prior to wedding				
<u>RCIA</u> :	Contact the office				

## Parish Organization Contacts:

Parish Council Chairperson – Camille Goski 306-842-0321 R of C Grand Knight: Ron Klein (842-6192) Weyburn K of C Mtgs: Executive L Directors – 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of every month, General Mtg. – 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of every month (Sept.-June) Weyburn CWL – General Meeting – 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month (Sept. – June)

In today's gospel, we learn an incredible lesson about what happens when we act out in faith, even amidst opposing people.

The blind man (Bartimaeus) called out to Jesus, because he knew that Christ could heal Him, and He believed that Christ would. He had faith. And even when people around him tried to hush him, the man was not deterred. He continued to cry out with courage and conviction.

In turn, Jesus gave the man his sight back, and the gospel tells us that the man then followed Jesus "on the way."

Christian discipleship begins with a faith response to Jesus. He has called us to Himself, and we must choose how we will respond. We must take ownership of the faith He has blessed us with and choose to live in faith, to live for Him — even when we face opposition.

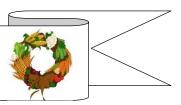
We give Jesus our lives. We live boldly and courageously, giving our time, talents and treasure to serve Him, in the myriads of opportunities God gives us every day because, like Bartimaeus, we believe!

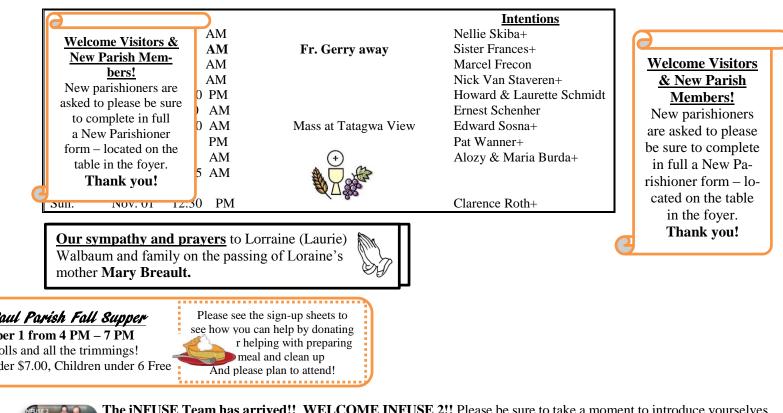
One of the myriads of opportunities the Lord gives us to boldly and courageously live our faith is by giving to the Archdiocesan Annual Appeal in as many ways as we can, monetarily, or by spiritual contribution, offering time to pray our devotional prayers every day for the 8 weeks of campaign. With our gifts, we are investing in the continuous building of God's Kingdom in our part of the world for our generation and for the next. By generously giving of yourself you follow the Lord as boldly and courageously as Bartimaeus whose boldness of faith in Jesus led to the healing of his blindness, and by his clear sight he followed the Lord to Jerusalem and beyond.

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30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time October 24 & 25, 2015







The iNFUSE Team has arrived!! WELCOME INFUSE 2!! Please be sure to take a moment to introduce yourselves and welcome Zy, Brian, Kody, Julia, Lisa, Corina & Natalie to our Parish! Thank you to all those families who are providing Host Homes for the team! There are still dates available to host these wonderful young adults...don't miss the opportunity of this most rewarding experience!! Host Home Information Sheets are in the church foyer.

**Our Youth Masses** have begun and we invite all youth to come join us in providing ministries for the Youth Masses. We are looking for Readers, Hospitality participants, and musicians and singers for our Contemporary

Music Group "Lyric". Youth Masses will be at the Saturday 5 pm mass on October 31, November 7, 14, 28, and

December 12. They will resume again after the Christmas break. The "Lyric" music group practices at 4 pm before





Sacramental Prep Sessions for First Reconciliation for candidates (typically Grade 2/3) and parents will be held October 26 or 27, Nov. 9/10, Nov. 30/Dec. 1 at 6:30 pm (please plan to attend either the Monday or Tuesday evening session). For further information, please pick up an information sheet from the parish office.

the Youth Masses. If you are interested in participating, please contact Paula Reich.

**Baptism Preparation Classes** are scheduled for: **Saturday, November 14** and **Saturday, March 19**, from 9 am - 12 pm at the church. Please call the office to register for the class that best suits you. Expectant parents are welcome to attend! **Please note:** Certain criteria must be met when choosing godparents. For complete information regarding this very important decision go to our website: <u>www.stvincentdepaul.ca</u>



**Living Generously – Experiencing the life that is truly life!** Our spiritual life is more than a decision, it is a journey. Matthew 13:15 says, "For this people's heart has become calloused; they hardly hear with their ears, and they have closed their eyes. Otherwise they might see with their eyes, hear with their ears, understand with their hearts and turn, and I would heal them." Join us at the church, for a thought-provoking 5 week cinematic journey beginning **Wednesday**, **October 28<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM for 5 weeks.** Please sign up in the foyer!!



<u>ACTS: The Spread of the Kingdom Bible Study</u> will begin **Tuesday**, **October 27<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM** in the Slezak RM; this 20 week study builds on The Bible Timeline and Matthew by showing how Christ's Kingdom on earth is empowered to carry out his work in the world. The Acts of the Apostles provides an historic framework for understanding the rest of the New Testament. Paul's letters in particular come alive in a new way when they are read within the context of the Acts narrative.



Knights of Columbus: - General Membership Meeting Oct. 26th @ 7:30 PM, reflection 7:15 PM.

<u>CWL Memberships (\$30.00)</u> for 2016 are now due and can be dropped in the collection basket. Please mark envelope "CWL Dues".



A Funeral Choir practice will be held Monday, November 2 @ 10 AM.

Join Us for The CWL Rummage Sale & Tea Room "Serving homemade pie & ice cream" Saturday, Nov. 7, 9 am– 4 pm at Upper McKenna Hall.

Donations gratefully accepted: gently used clothing (on hangers), children's clothing (does not need to be on hangers), games & toys, tools, ornaments, dishes, pots & pans, jewelry, home décor and small appliances. We are unable to accept large & heavy items such as TVs, furniture, old computers, or exercise equipment. Drop off time for items is **Friday Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> between 9:30 am – 6 pm in the Upper Hall.** 



Mark Your Calendar for our next Parish Mission!!! November 23, 24 & 25..... "The Fullness of Purpose" with Ken Yasinski. Since 1999, Catholic speaker and author Ken Yasinski has been communicating the Catholic faith with clarity and passion. His life's mission is to help ordinary people experience an extra-ordinary life, through Christ and His Church. He is a husband, father, author, founder of Face to Face Ministries, and a Lighthouse Catholic Media speaker. This is sure to be an amazing Parish Mission – please spread the word!!



<u>The Following Funeral Lunch teams</u> will be called first to serve the next funeral lunches: T4 (Marilyn & Ev), T6 (Doreen & Joan) & T1 (Rose & Emily).



<u>Stewardship Meal Outreach Program</u>: Do you know someone struggling with a burden or illness, someone with a new baby or someone in need of some nourishing meals?? If so, please call the office to see about providing them with a few delicious meals. We have prepared, frozen meals, ready to go in the slow cooker.

5/6 Club - Tuesdays - 6:30 - 8 pm. For Tweens in grade 5 and 6!! See you there! Bring a friend! &up!Club – Wednesdays - 6:30 - 8 pm. For youth grades 7 and up! See you there! Bring a friend! tivities will include...crazy fun games...fun activities...prayer...discussion...song...praise and worship... refreshments...road trips!...sleepovers in the youth room... outreach to people in need...come on out!!!





<u>mittee</u> invites you to attend the Advent Liturgical Workshop - an evening workshop to assist Liturgy teams to prepare for the season of Advent and the Celebration of Christmas. This workshop, led by Fr. Ron Andre, is free and will held on **OCTOBER 29 at 7 PM** at Holy Family Church, 1021 McCarthy Blvd. N., Regina. No registration required. Everyone is invited to attend.



The Holy Rosary Challenge Girls Club is hosting a fair trade sale in support of the Cathedral!

Ten Thousand Villages is bringing Fair Trade back to Regina for two days only! Coffee, chocolate, jewelry, Christmas items, handmade gifts made from recycled and sustainable materials from around the world. Saturday, November 21: 1 pm - 5 pm, Sunday, November 22: 10 am - 9 pm. Holy Rosary Cathedral Auditorium, Regina. A portion of the sales will go to Holy Rosary Cathedral.

Stewardship Focus: Eucharistic Minister: Offering the body and blood of Christ. Each new Day is God's gift to you What you do with it is your gift to God	Liturgy and Worship is the focal point of our Catholic Faith, where we come together as Catholics to celebrate the fundamental beliefs of our Faith. Our worship is enriched when members of the parish participate in vari- ous ministries. These ministries provide many opportunities for the sharing of our time and talent and for giv- ing back the gifts God has given us. Stewardship opportunity: To assist the celebrant at Mass in the distribution of Communion and the Cup. Talent/Gift to offer: An attitude of reverence toward the Sacrament and a willingness to help the people of God share in full communion. Time commitment: Eucharistic Ministers undergo a brief training session prior to starting the ministry. After training, they serve approximately once a month at a scheduled liturgy. At each liturgy, one or two ministers also purify the communion vessels in the priests' sacristy after Mass. Treasure/Blessing received: An opportunity to participate in offering the true presence of the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ as well as fostering a reverence for the graces received in the Eucharist. **New Eucharistic schedule will be prepared in the next few weeks. If you would like to be part of this min- istry please contact Wendy or Mary Ann at the parish office. ** Thank you!
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New Phone #

Email Address:

	This Week's Ministry – October 24 - 25		Ministries	Next Week's Ministry – October 31 – November 1	
Sat. 5:00	D'Arcy Megenbir, John Megenbir		Readers	Glenda Zackrisson, Lloyd Zyla	
Sun 9:00	Claire Kuhn, Ed Kuh	n		Colleen Gallinger, Cecile Sellinger	
Sun 10:45	Jerome Sidloski, Andrea Sidloski			Val Wing, Jennifer Woodard	
Sat 5:00	Wendy Sidloski Dorothy Lawrenz Adolph Hoffart	Betty Van Staveren Alice Schneider Stella Hoffart	Eucharistic Ministers	Jo Martin Janice Seitz Delois Sunde	Stephen Zackrisson Brian Winter Dave Creurer
Sun 9:00	Yvonne Kerr Doreen Verbeurgt Marcel Bauche	Rocky Sidloski Anne Gutzke Carol Anderson Lynn Colquhoun Hilarion Pohl		Cecile Sellinger Lavine Broccolo Christine Marcotte	Lloyd Zyla Jean Janoski Joe Janoski Cheryl Anderson Jean Woodard
Sun 10:45	Wes Lonoway Camille Goski Roger Marcotte	Terry Lonoway Danette Kaip Yvette Bauche Elaine Nielsen		Stella Hoffart Gordon Rutten Bonnie Sidloski	Judy Van Betuw Val Wing Helene Gordon Danette Tracey
Sat 5:00	Joan Davis, Jade Hayes		Children's		
Sun 9:00	Richards Family		Liturgy		
Sun 10:45	Cody Vilcu			Nicole & Ciera Bendtsen	
Sat 5:00	Dominic Soles, Emily Soles		Servers	Emily & Jacelyn Williams, Krystalynn Lascelle	
Sun 9:00					
Sun 10:45	Wes Lonoway, Camille Goski, Roger Marcotte		Acolytes	Stella Hoffart, Gordon Rutten, Bonnie Sidloski	
Sat. 5:00	Roberto Roman		Computer/	Chad Fingler	
Sun. 9:00	Carole Milo		Projector	Barry Briltz	
Sun 10:45	Verna & Kevin O'Neill			Tristen & Cole Crooks	
Sat 5:00	Harry & Carole Plemel, Chad & Claire Fingler, Chad Klein, Sean Galvin, Shane Williams		Hospitality	Mike Moser, Jim Wanner, Rhonda Baudria, Jean Reich	
Sun 9:00	Darrell Yakimowski, Michael, CJ, & Rylie Mainil, Yvonne Kerr, Juliet Ostrea			Jerry & Janie Jordens, Ken & Susan Kot, Denis Tremblay, John & Shannon Tuchscherer	
Sun 10:45	Ron & Joanne Wormsbecker, Aimé Isabey. Pat & Loretta Benning, Willie & Adele Nimegeers			Terry Lonoway, Ron Miller, Larry & Emily Stadler, Charlene Keen	
	Jeff & Mary Flaaten, K	Jeff & Mary Flaaten, Kevin & Verna O'Neill Counters Deana Mainil, Randy & Janet Schiller			

FROM PASTOR'S DESK:

As we continue reflecting upon Pope Francis' recent Encyclical, "On Care for Our Common Home", Chapter IV is focused on "Integral Ecology" whereby the inter-connectedness among everything is emphasized, so that we address the issues and problems in our environment and facing society as a cohesive whole, and not as isolated parts. "Nature cannot be regarded as something separate from ourselves or as a mere setting in which we live. We are part of nature, included in it and thus in constant interaction with it." [139] We are not simply dealing with separate and distinct problems, environmental on the one hand and social on the other; but "one complex crisis which is both social and environmental. Strategies for a solution demand an integrated approach to combating poverty, restoring dignity to the excluded, and at the same time protecting nature." [139] Pope Francis encourages that we "give researchers their due role, to facilitate their interaction, and to ensure broad academic freedom. Ongoing research should also give us a better understanding of how different creatures relate to one another in making up the larger units which today we term 'ecosystems.' We take these systems into account not only to determine how best to use them, but also because they have an intrinsic value independent of their usefulness. Each organism, as a creature of God, is good and admirable in itself; the same is true of the harmonious ensemble of organisms existing in a defined space and functioning as a system. Although we are often not aware of it, we depend on these larger systems for our own existence. We need only recall how ecosystems interest in dispersing carbon dioxide, purifying water, controlling illnesses and epidemics, forming soil, breaking down waste, and in many other ways which we overlook or simply do not know about." [140] In this perspective, economic growth which has tended "to produce predictable reactions and a certain standardization with the aim of simplifying procedures and reducing costs" needs to be brought into "the service of a more integral and integrating vision," so that "the protection of the environment is an integral part of the development process and cannot be considered in isolation from it." [141]"If everything is related, then the health of a society's institutions has consequences for the environment and the quality of life." Whether it is injustice, poverty, violence, or the loss of freedom, anything which weakens our human institutions will have negative consequences on the environmental by displacing people and putting pressures on other parts of our society. [142] Are there not more humane and just ways to address these issues that does less damage to the earth, so that it might rightly sustain the life of all people. *{To be continued....}*