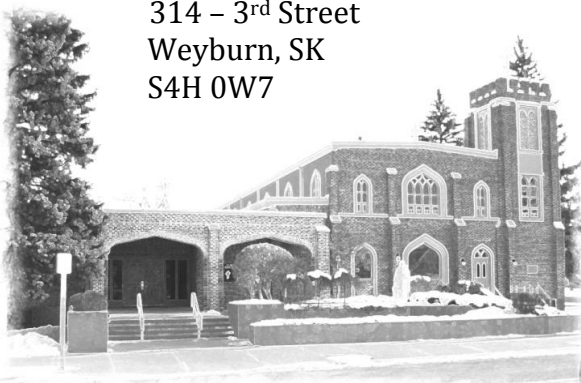


# St. Vincent de Paul

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Weyburn, SK  
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Lord's Day Eucharist: Saturday at 5:00 pm  
Sunday at 9:00 am & 10:45 am

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Office Hours – 8:30 to Noon & 1:00 to 4:30

Mission – St. Mary's - Tribune

### Parish Team

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

### Sacraments

Baptism: Contact the office  
Reconciliation: Fri. 11:30 – 12:00  
Sat. 4:00 – 4:40  
Matrimony: Contact Fr. Gerry at least  
8 months prior to wedding  
RCA: Contact the office

### Parish Organization Contacts:

Parish Council Chairperson – Camille Goski 306-842-0321 Parish Finance Chairperson – Marcy Labbie  
K of C Grand Knight: Ron Klein (842-6192) K of C Faithful Navigator: Jim Wanner (842-4014) CWL President: Camille Goski (842-0321)  
Weyburn K of C Mtgs: Executive & 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)

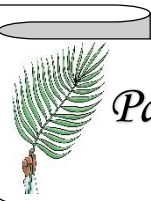
### Good News!

On Palm Sunday, we gather as a Church to celebrate Jesus' coming into Jerusalem and hear the story of his passion and death. Each Gospel writer tells the story a little differently. Each one lifts up different faces and characters, and through their eyes we watch what unfolds.

Luke's Gospel is the only one that mentions the women who followed Jesus from Galilee (23:55–56). We know nothing about these women other than where they came from, but two things stand out: These women temporarily set aside their Passover preparations to care for a man who had been publicly condemned as a criminal, and they were willing to look their beloved Jesus' death full in the face. They watched while Joseph Arimathea lay him in the tomb and made sure that Jesus would be cared for even in death. They saw where he was buried and laid out and then went to prepare the spices and oils that would anoint his body and honor it.

Today, these women are examples of the countless anonymous disciples who quietly challenge culture and politics to follow the Lord's call. We rarely notice them, even now, but they are in our churches and our neighborhoods, willing to do what needs to be done, even if it means suffering, sacrificing, or looking rejection and death in the face. As we enter Holy Week, these people just might be the companions we need.

Mary Katharine Deeley [sundaybulletin@liguori.org](mailto:sundaybulletin@liguori.org)



*Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord*  
*March 19 & 20, 2016*

**Eucharistic Services**

Mon.	Mar. 21	9:00 AM	
Tues.	Mar. 22	9:00 AM	
Wed.	Mar. 23	9:00 AM	
Thurs.	Mar. 24	8:00 PM	Holy Thursday
Fri.	Mar. 25	9:30 AM	Communion Service at Weyburn Special Care Home
		3:00 PM	Good Friday Service
Sat.	Mar. 26	10:00 AM	Communion Service at Tatagwa View
		8:00 PM	Easter Vigil
Sun.	Mar. 27	9:00 AM	Easter Sunday
		10:45 AM	Easter Sunday
<b>St. Mary's</b>			
Thurs.	Mar. 24	6:00 PM	Holy Thursday
	Mar. 25	1:00 PM	Good Friday Service
Sun.	Mar. 27	12:30 PM	Easter Sunday

**Intentions**

Heather Robertson  
Jerome & Valerie  
Nimegeers  
Wade Kot



**Welcome Visitors & New Parish Members!**

New parishioners are asked to complete a "New Parishioner" form, located on the table in the foyer. **Thank you!**

**Our Sympathy and prayers to**

Brian (Donna) Winter and family on the passing of Brian's mother **Pauline Winter**.

**Prayers for the Sick:** Michelle Kapell, Norbert Wilkes, Wanda Dorosz, Darren Polasek, Laura Ullrich, Paul Moldenhauer, Stan Mickalishen, Jeannie Lemieux, Don Sturgeon, Lara Horack, Michael Clemens, Carmelo Lozada Clase, Joseph Jacob, Roger Marcotte, Laurette Fradette, Eileen Walkeden, Joseph Tokarz



**HOLY WEEK MASS SCHEDULE**

	<u>St. Mary's</u>	<u>St. Vincent de Paul</u>
<i>Holy Thursday – Mar. 24</i>	<i>6:00 pm</i>	<i>8:00 pm</i>
<i>Good Friday – Mar. 25</i>	<i>1:00 pm</i>	<i>3:00 pm</i>
<i>Easter Vigil – Mar. 26</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>8:00 pm</i>
<i>Easter Sunday – Mar. 27</i>	<i>12:30 pm</i>	<i>9am &amp; 10:45 am</i>

*Liturgical Ministers are needed throughout Holy Week, please see the signup sheets and assist where you are able.*

**Holy Week Readings**

- Holy Thursday – Exodus 12: 1-8, 11-14  
- 1 Corinthians 11:23-26  
- John 13:1-15
- Good Friday – Isaiah 52: 13-53:12  
- Hebrews 4:14 – 16; 5:7-9  
- John 18: 1-19:42
- Easter Vigil – Vigil Readings
- Easter Sunday – Acts 10:34, 36-43  
- Colossians 3: 1-4  
- John 20: 1-18



**Decorating the Church** for Easter will start at 10:00 AM on **Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup>**. Please share an hour of your time to lend a hand! No experience needed!

**Blessing of Foods** will be held on **Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup> @ 2:00 PM.**



**Holy Thursday** is the beginning of the Easter Triduum, which celebrates the Mass of the Lord's Supper. A special feature of this Mass is foot washing and the Adoration that follows.



**The Good Friday Service** with communion will be celebrated at the church at **3:00 PM**, this is a most meaningful service as we journey to Jesus death on the cross; other opportunities of devotion for Good Friday begin at **10:00 AM at the church**, with a procession carrying the cross in prayer, through the streets of Weyburn.



**Easter Vigil** marks one of the most important celebrations of the entire church year, as the church gathers in darkness to celebrate the resurrection; darkness becomes light; grief turns to joy. At this Mass we will also renew our Baptismal promises.



**Easter Sunday** we continue to celebrate the glorious resurrection of Jesus Christ at our Sunday Eucharist Celebrations



**Syrian Refugee Families.** Thank you to all that have contributed towards the Syrian Refugee families by way of attending the Spaghetti Supper Fundraiser as well as donations of cash and household items! We have an up to date list of items that we are still in need of – we ask that you please look at the sheets in the foyer and put your name beside what you would like to donate and then bring to the office – within the week. We would like to have the lists filled and items delivered well before the end of the month. Thank you again for your generosity!



Jeena Johner, Jayla Kaip and Kailee Bell wish to thank all those who donated to the Cuernavaca Project - their **mission trip to Mexico**. Your donation and conversation is truly a blessing on this journey.



**Pasta Supper and Pro-Life Presentation** "A Catholic Woman's Journey to Planned Parenthood and Back"

**Thursday, April 7 - 5:30 at McKenna Hall. Cost is \$16.00 – Adult and \$8.00 – child.**

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a pasta supper, followed by a presentation from Ramona Trevino, hosted by the Social Justice Committee. Don't miss this powerful testimony! If you would like to read a copy of her book contact the church office as we have a few copies. For more info please visit <http://www.redeemedbygracebook.com/>



**Do you need a gift for First Communion, Confirmation or another special event?**

The St. Vincent de Paul Parish Religious Articles Shop will be setting up in the Church lobby on Saturday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, Sunday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> & Sunday, April 10<sup>th</sup>. Please stop by to check out these very affordable products. \*Please remember that items may also be purchased at any time by visiting the parish office during regular hours.



**CWL: General Meeting – March 21<sup>st</sup> at 7 PM.** The rosary will be recited prior to the meeting, beginning at **6:30 pm** in Lower McKenna Hall.



**Knights of Columbus:** Next General Meeting **Mar. 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm** beginning with Mass at 7:00 pm.



**Sandy Bay** – Fr. Joseph has been very grateful for all the support and donations for Sandy Bay. He is also encouraging his parishioners to do more fund-raising to help themselves. Their bake sales have been very successful, thanks to all your donations. He has made a request for cake mixes, pie filling & jello. It would be wonderful if we can give the support he needs to achieve his goal. Also, monetary donations are always gratefully accepted and very much appreciated!



**Parish Council** has been having discussions regarding the baptismal font and whether or not it should be removed to make the foyer more accessible. They would appreciate hearing parishioners thoughts regarding this matter. Please express your thoughts with written submissions which can be dropped off at the parish office.

**St. Vincent de Paul Parish Annual General Meeting** will be held on Sunday, April 24th following the 10:45 Mass at McKenna Hall. Please plan to join us for lunch followed by the meeting.

**Small groups for ladies and men between the ages of 20-40.** This is an amazing way to build relationships, experience a deepening of faith and form healthy and holy friendships. **Women's Group – Apr. 10 & 24, Men's Group – Apr. 3 & 17.** - Each will be held in the Slezak Room. For further info text James or Leslie 306-861-4032.

**The Following Funeral Lunch teams** will be called first to serve the next funeral lunches: T3(Shirley), T4 (Marilyn & Ev) and T1 (Rose).



**High School Youth Group:** Calling all youth in Grades 10-12!!!! Come join the NET team for a night of Adoration!!! April 10th 6:30-8:00pm!!!!

**7 and Up Club:** Calling all youth in grades 7 and up. Come join us for a fun night on Wednesday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> at the Youth Room of the church. Join us from 6:30-8:00 pm for games and snacks. It will be a blast!!

**5/6 Club - Tuesdays** - 6:30 - 8 pm. For Tweens in grade 5 and 6!! See you there! Bring a friend!

**CRAVE Kids Club!!** For grades 2, 3 & 4 **Tuesdays and Wednesdays ...from 3:45 – 5:00** in the children's Liturgy Room. **Due to limited space, children should be registered before attending.** Contact Elise at [elisewinter@hotmail.ca](mailto:elisewinter@hotmail.ca)

**JR High Overnight Retreat!!!!** Youth grades 7-9 are invited to an amazing wknd retreat with the NET team at Mother Teresa Center, Kenossee Lake. Retreat will run **Saturday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>**, (leaving at noon) to Sunday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> (at 3:00pm). We will be having talks, dramas, skits, fun activities and much more! Registration fee is \$20/person.

**High School Overnight Retreat!!!!** For grades 10-12. Come join us on **Saturday April 30<sup>th</sup>**, leaving at 12:00pm - Sunday May 1<sup>st</sup> ending at 3:00pm. The retreat will be held at Mother Teresa Center, Kenossee Lake. There will be talks, dramas, skits, fun activities and more! Registration fee is \$20/person. Hope to see you all there!!!



**Holy Family RCSSD #140 St. Michael School Kindergarten Registration April 4–8**

For the 2016- 2017 School Year. Children must be 5 years of age by Dec. 31, 2016

To register stop in at the school office or call the school @ 306-842-2860

PreK & Kindergarten Information Night **April 26 @ 6:30 pm** Pre-Kindergarten registrations are also accepted at this time. Students must be aged 3 or 4 and space is limited. Contact the School for more information:

**School information can be found at [www.holyfamilyrcssd.ca](http://www.holyfamilyrcssd.ca)**



**6<sup>th</sup> Week in Lent**

**Work of Mercy focus:** "I was in prison and you visited me."

There are all different kinds of prisons. We usually think of jail but a prison can be anything that keeps you feeling alone, stops you from leaving your space, or limits you from growing. For example, someone who is in a care home and does not get any visitors is in a prison of loneliness as is a child who is always alone on the playground.

	<b>This Week's Ministry – March 19 - 20</b>	<b>Ministries</b>	<b>Next Week's Ministry – March 26 - 27</b>
<b>Sat. 5:00</b>	D'Arcy Megenbir	<b>Readers</b>	As Per Sign Sheet
<b>Sun 9:00</b>	Peter Broccolo, Jean Woodard		Carol Reeve, Pat Wolensky
<b>Sun 10:45</b>	Jerome Sidloski, Karen Sidloski		Val Wing, Jennifer Woodard
<b>Sat 5:00</b>	Jo Martin                      Stephen Zakrisson Janice Seitz                    Brian Winter Delois Sunde                    Dave Creurer Lloyd Zyla	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	As Per Sign Sheet
	Cecile Sellinger              Jean Janoski Lavine Stepp                    Joe Janoski Christine Marcotte            Cheryl Anderson Jean Woodard		As Per Sign Sheet
<b>Sun 10:45</b>	Stella Hoffart                Judy Van Betuw Gordon Rutten                Val Wing Bonnie Sidloski                Helene Gordon Danette Tracey		As Per Sign Sheet
<b>Sat 5:00</b>	Darcy Pouteaux	<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Holly Ferguson
<b>Sun 9:00</b>	Christie McKenzie		Ingri Roman
<b>Sun 10:45</b>	Michelle Walkeden, Karissa Vilcu		Carol Storey, Mia Vilcu
<b>Sat 5:00</b>	Jordan & Joshua Zackrisson, John Barretto, Ethan Petlock	<b>Servers</b>	As Per Sign Sheet
<b>Sun 9:00</b>			As Per Sign Sheet
<b>Sun 10:45</b>	Stella Hoffart, Gordon Rutten, Bonnie Sidloski	<b>Acolytes</b>	As Per Sign Sheet
<b>Sat. 5:00</b>	Chad Fingler	<b>Computer/ Projector</b>	As Per Sign Sheet
<b>Sun. 9:00</b>	Barry Briltz		Marleen McNaughton
<b>Sun 10:45</b>	Crooks Family		Don Kraft
<b>Sat 5:00</b>	Paula Reich & Youth Group	<b>Hospitality</b>	As Per Sign Sheet
<b>Sun 9:00</b>	Jerry & Janie Jordens, Ken & Susan Kot, Denis Tremblay, John & Shannon Tuchscherer		As Per Sign Sheet
<b>Sun 10:45</b>	Terry Lonoway, Larry & Emily Stadler, Ron Miller, Charlene Keen		As Per Sign Sheet
	Harry Plemel, Nick Coroluick, Shirley Mondor	<b>Counters</b>	Sherry Dreis, Kerry Dolter, Richard Wick

#### FROM PASTOR'S DESK:

As Holy Week begins with Palm/Passion Sunday, we are entering the most solemn week of the Christian year, as we reflect and meditate upon the ultimate sacrifice of Christ's life given on the cross for the forgiveness of our sins and the salvation of souls worldwide. However, long familiarity with the Passion narratives can dull our awareness of the acute suffering that Christ endured for our sake; which happens in part when the full length of the Passion account is read both on Palm Sunday and Good Friday. To its credit the Church has designed a very appealing and successful liturgy for Good Friday, which ensures that many people hear the Passion according to St. John, in addition to those present at Palm Sunday, hearing either the Passion of St. Matthew, St. Mark or St. Luke (which are very close to each other, with a few alterations and addition of details). Just because we are familiar with something, and especially the Word of God, does not mean we can become apathetic and listen only half-heartedly, rather than with our full attention and concentration. Although we have seen something or heard something many times before, this does not mean that we have exhausted its potential to touch our hearts in a new way with something that we had not noticed before. Christ's suffering is redemptive for the whole world, and St. Paul both in the second letter to the Corinthians (1:3-7) and in the letter to the Colossians speaks of how our own suffering is joined to that of Christ in accomplishing His mission to the world. "It makes me happy to suffer for you, as I am suffering now, and in my own body to do what I can to make up all that has still to be undergone by Christ for the sake of His body, the Church." (1:24) Here St. Paul is not suggesting that Christ's suffering was incomplete in itself, and needs to be added to, or topped off as it were to make it fully effective for the salvation of the world. Nor is St. Paul implying that his own sufferings and that of others increases the value of the redemption of Christ, as it is already complete and total, and its value cannot be increased. What St. Paul is saying here, is that as Christ suffered to establish the kingdom of God, so too everyone who continues Christ's work and mission must also share in His sufferings. The nature of Christ's mission to the world involves suffering and so must His disciples be ready to take up their cross daily in His footsteps and in the imitation of His example. Thus the redemptive of Christ gives value to our own suffering as we join it to His suffering undergone for the salvation of the world. This is the aspect of our own human journey and suffering that is being lost and ignored by the promotion of euthanasia because it is looked upon as being of no value and no benefit to anyone. This flies in the face of the martyrdom of all those who gave their life nobly for Christ and others, who teach us the value and gift of life lived fully for God and neighbor.