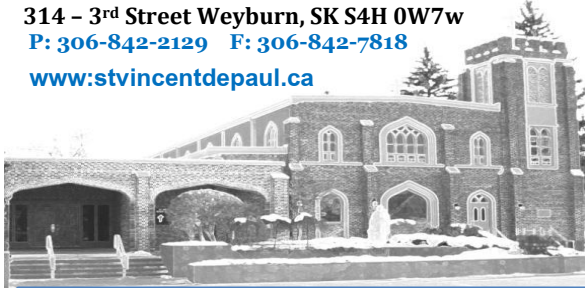


# St. Vincent de Paul

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## Lord's Day Eucharist:

*Saturday - 5:00 pm*

*Sunday - 9:00 am & 11:00 am*

*Reconciliation: Fri. 11:30 - 12:00 Sat. 4:00 - 4:40*

*Mission: St. Mary's - Tribune - Sat. 7 pm*

*Office Hours: Tuesday - Thursday 8:30- 4:30 Friday 8-4*

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**Youth Ministry Team:** Paula Reich **Hall Convener:** Angelo Fresnido 842-4481 **Caretaker:** Rani Roettger

**Sacraments** Baptism & RCIA: Contact the office Matrimony: Contact Fr. Francis at least 6 months prior to wedding



*6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
February 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>, 2017

## **GOOD NEWS:** The Law of Love

The Jewish religious authorities of Jesus' day were often literalists in their interpretation of the Law of God. Jesus, however, gave a deeper meaning to the Law. He placed his focus on the goal of the Law: Love.

In this Sunday's Gospel reading, Jesus explains that we fail to fulfill the Law when our so-called obedience isn't motivated by love.

Jesus completely fulfilled the true meaning of the Law. In doing so, he took upon himself our disobedience and died for us in the most generous gift of love.

As his followers, we also are to be generous with love. Obeying all the commandments -- truly obeying them -- requires loving God with our whole heart, all the time, and loving others as ourselves.

Jesus explains how to transform literal interpretations of God's laws into the Law of Love. In each example, he shows that we are to choose the most loving approach to every problem, no matter how difficult.

His first topic is anger: Sinful anger is judgmental and we are judged by this sin. Jesus provides the remedy: Go and do whatever is necessary to be reconciled. This, he points out, is even more important than worshiping God. How genuine can our worship be if anger has replaced love in our hearts, since God is love?

Another example is lust, which is a counterfeit of love because it treats others as objects. And divorce from a valid marriage is a failure to love as Christ loves, who taught that love makes sacrifices and endures hardships. Remarriage, he says, furthers the sin because it's unloving to the spouse of the original union.

Jesus extends this teaching to every area of life. Breaking an oath is unloving. Lying and never intending to keep the commitment is unloving. In fact, the entire Sermon on the Mount, of which this Gospel reading is a part, explains how to love.

## **Questions for Personal Reflection:**

Were you ever treated unlovingly because of another person's legalism? How did that experience hide the true nature of Jesus? What habits or addictions do you have that are unloving toward yourself? How do they affect others?



## Welcome Visitors & New Parish Members!

New parishioners are asked to please be sure to fill out a new parishioner form – located in the foyer!



### Readings for 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Leviticus 19.1-2, 17-18    1 Corinthians 3.16-23  
Matthew 5.38-48



### God of love and hope be with us as we ask for your blessing on those who are in need of our prayers, especially:

Michelle Kapell, Wanda Dorosz, Darren Polasek, Stan Mickalishen, Jeannie Lemieux, Don Sturgeon, Michael Clemens, Laurette Fradette, Eileen Walkeden, Carmelo Lozada Clase, Lynn Koloski, Shirley Woodard, Tom Deutscher, Joe Maas, Roy Sidloski, Graham Dean, Yvonne McNeil, Alex Halyk, Tanis VanDeSype, Wayne Martin, Tony Seitz, Rose Schultz, Ida Hoffart, Joanne Wormsbecker, Xavier Haider.

### Upcoming Eucharist Celebrations

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| Mon. Feb. 13   | 9:00 AM – (Lay Service)  |
| Tues. Feb. 14  | 9:00 AM – Beatrice Johnstone+  |
| Wed. Feb. 15   | 9:00 AM – Ed Dzuba+  |
| Thurs. Feb. 16 | 9:00 AM – Minnie St. Onge+   |
| Fri. Feb. 17   | 12:10 PM – Florence Dalgliesh+   |
| Sat. Feb. 18   | 10:00 AM @ Tatagwa View<br>5:00 PM – John Wawro+<br>7:00 PM @ St. Mary's |
| Sun. Feb. 19   | 9:00 AM –<br>11:00 AM - Bernie & Alice Kot                               |



There is a promise of marriage between **Brenna Moser and Blair Gaab** on February 18, 2017 at St. Vincent de Paul Parish.



### Join us Sunday - February 12<sup>th</sup> for a lively afternoon of **bowling!** Meet at the bowling

**alley at 3 PM!!** Supper and prayer will follow in the church basement. Please text Tristen and let her know how many will be joining the fun - 861-1544! **No charge for this FUNDAY!** Family Fundays will be held the 2nd Sunday of each month! Mark your calendars for future Fundays - March 12, April 9, and May 14th! Watch for details on FB or text 861-1544 to receive updates!



**Donations gratefully accepted:** Ammar & Madiha Handel, one of the Syrian Refugee families is expecting a baby in the near future. The CWL are planning to host a baby shower and would like to purchase some baby essentials for the family. Any parishioners that would like to help with this cause are invited to leave their cash donations in the donation jar in the foyer.



**90 Days To Fatima:** Heard the buzz about the upcoming 100th anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima but not sure what its all about? At the front doors of the church you can pick up a brief fact sheet on Our Lady of Fatima. Further, if you would like to prepare for the anniversary by making special devotions and sacrifices to Our Lady, you will find a guide to a 90 day preparation on the reverse of the fact sheet. Our Lady of Fatima: pray for us!



**Sacramental Prep** for Reconciliation will take place **Sunday, Feb. 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM** in the church.



**Baptism Preparation Classes** are scheduled for **March 4<sup>th</sup> & May 6<sup>th</sup>**. Please call the office to register for the date that works best for you! Certain criteria must be met when choosing Godparents. For complete information regarding this very important decision go to our website: [www.stvincentdePaul.ca](http://www.stvincentdePaul.ca). And please share this with anyone you know that this may pertain to.



**Children's Liturgy teacher needed!** We now have a vacant spot for the Saturday 5 PM Mass. If you are able to help out, please call the office ASAP. (The lessons are prepared and ready – a very easy and rewarding way to share your time!)



Do you like to sing? Play a musical instrument? All our choirs eagerly welcome new members! An Organist or Pianist is needed to fill in from time to time at the 9 AM Mass. For further information please talk to Jean at 842-0059 or Lynn at 842-7583.



**CWL:** The next Executive meeting will be **Monday, February 13<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM**. The general meeting will be on **Monday, February 20<sup>th</sup>** beginning with Mass at 6:30 PM. Memberships (\$30.00) for 2017 are due, please mark “*CWL Dues*” on your envelope and leave in the collection basket.

- As a Christian organization, we oppose Euthanasia, Assisted Suicide and any end-of-life treatment and instead, promote a Support system of proper Palliative and Hospice Care. We encourage everyone to read and pay close attention to the insert in this weeks bulletin: “*Caring not Killing.*”.



**K of C – Feb 13: General meeting, 7:30 pm**, to vote on the following motions:

**1:** Resolution to the 2017 Saskatchewan State Convention to create a recognition pin and medal for Past Financial Secretary; **2:** 2016 / 2017 Council budget;

Contact Br Pete Broccolo for a copy of these, and other, documents from the Jan 23 meeting.

- Feb 19: 1st Degree Initiation at Weyburn. All Catholic men over 18 are asked to join - contact any KofC for more information.

**The Bishop Klein Assembly #1526** will hold a supper meeting in Montmartre on **Thursday, February 16**. Supper is at 7:00 p.m. We will car pool and leave McKenna Hall in Weyburn at 5:30 p.m. Anyone attending please contact Armand at 306-848-0377 by Sunday, February 12.

(NOTE: The St. Patrick’s Day celebration will be held on Thursday, March 16, Details to follow.)

**Funeral Lunch Groups:** The following groups are next in line for upcoming funerals: Donna & Renee, Marilyn & Ev, and Rose & Emily.



**Buy – A – Shingle:** Thank you for your generous donations totaling **\$40,419.55!** Donations for the roof fund will graciously be **accepted until the end of March 2017**.



**5/6 Club** meets Weekly on Tuesdays from 6:30 - 8 pm **7-9 Club** meets Weekly on Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8 pm.

**Spiritual Paint Classes** are held on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month from 4-5 pm in the Youth Room.

**Youth Service Team** meets on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month from 4 - 5 pm in the Youth Room.

**The Teen Timeline Bible Study** meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month from 4-5 pm in the Youth Rm.

**World Day of the Sick February 11, 2017:** It has now been two years since the Supreme Court of Canada overturned the existing laws against physician assisted suicide (PAS) and euthanasia. During these past two years, alongside Catholic dioceses and organizations across the country, and often joined by other Christian communities and religious traditions, we have sought to express and articulate the reasons for our opposition to PAS and euthanasia. **If you have questions about Euthanasia, be sure to read the Saskatchewan Bishops letters in Response to Euthanasia and Physician Assisted Suicide.** You will find a link to the letters in the slide show on the front page of the Archdiocesan website. (<https://archregina.sk.ca/news/2017/02/07/sask-bishops-respond-euthanasia-and-physician-assisted-suicide>)

**Holy Trinity Parish Pro-Life Speaker/Presentation:** Did you know that there are over 5 million pro-life voters in Canada? Do you want to start seeing pro-life legislation passed in Canada? Find out how you can make a difference nominating and electing pro-life candidates in your riding as well as how to help elect a pro-life Prime Minister in the next four years! Join us on **Wednesday, February 22nd** from 7-8:30pm at Holy Trinity Parish Hall to hear national pro-life speaker Alissa Golob from RightNow Canada ([www.itstartsrighnow.ca](http://www.itstartsrighnow.ca)) talk about how we can start winning politically in the pro-life movement!

**Employment Opportunity:** CONTRACT OFFICE SERVICES/EXEC SEC – EXEC DIR: The Sask Knights of Columbus and KofC Charitable Foundation are looking for an experienced Office Professional to maintain their provincial office. Service Commitments, which vary week by week, month by month, are estimated to be about 1000 hours per year. An independent contract for service or an employment relationship will be considered. Expression of interests are due by end of day Friday February 17, 2017. More information and details for submitting an expression of interest can be found at the Sask KofC website <http://www.kofcsask.com/> or the Foundation website <http://www.saskkofcfoundation.com/>



**GOSPEL JAM** – Zion Lutheran Church, Weyburn – **Sunday, February 12<sup>th</sup> @ 2:00 PM**

Please join us for an informal afternoon of music to sing along to, or just sit, relax and enjoy the music!

**Parish Council Co-Chairpersons** – Lynn Colquhoun and Ken Kot      **Parish Finance Chairperson** – Marcy Labbie

**Parish Council Members:** Omer Marcotte, Bernie Kot, James Richards, Lynn Colquhoun, Pat Wolensky, Ken Kot, Don Vatamaniuk, Jim Wanner. **Parish Council meets on the last Thursday of each month, excluding July.**

**K of C Grand Knight:** Randy Schiller (861-1863)      **K of C Faithful Navigator:** Jim Wanner (842-4014)

**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)

**CWL President:** Fran Messer (842-6259) **Weyburn CWL** – General Meeting – 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month (Sept. – June)

Thank you for finding a sub to fill in when you cannot be here!

### Stewardship of Time & Talent for February 11 & 12

|  | Sat. 5:00 PM   | Sun. 9:00 AM  | Sun. 11:00 AM  |
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| <b>Readers</b>   | Janice Seitz   | Connie Regier<br>Shannon Tuchscherer  | Doris Aasen<br>Glenda Shupe  |
| <b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>   | Wendy Sidloski<br>Dorothy Lawrenz<br>D'Arcy Megenbir<br>Alaina Flaaten<br>Alice Schneider<br>Stella Hoffart<br>John Megenbir | Connie Regier<br>Gloria Fong<br>Rhonda Renz<br>Susan Kot<br>Marion Brown<br>John Tuchscherer<br>Diane Borys | Bonnie Sidloski<br>Camille Goski<br><b>Vacant</b><br>Gary Sidloski<br>Shirley Mondor<br>Daryl Fleck<br><b>Vacant</b> |
| <b>Acolytes</b>  |  | Don Bohn<br>Frank Porte   | Bonnie Sidloski<br>Camille Goski   |
| <b>Children's Liturgy</b>  | Darcy Pouteaux   | Ingri Roman   | Sanela Bacic   |
| <b>Power Point</b>   | Randy Schiller   | Carole Milo   | Don Kraft  |
| <b>Hospitality</b>   | Chad Klein, Shane Williams, Sean Galvin, Chad & Claire Fingler   | John Nikolejsin<br>Lorne & Colette Horack,<br>Julian Goski, Dick Michel                                     | Ron Wormsbecker,<br>Aime Isabey, Pat & Loretta Benning, Lise Soles   |
| <b>Counters</b> Randy Schiller, Janet Schiller, Vic Plante, Jean Reich |  |   |  |

### Stewardship of Time & Talent for February 18 & 19

|  | Sat. 5:00 PM<br>Youth Mass   | Sun. at 9:00 AM  | Sun. at 11 AM  |
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| <b>Readers</b>   | Ingri Roman  | Claire Kuhn<br>Lynn Colquhoun  | Shirley Mondor<br>Wendy Pitre  |
| <b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>                             | Jo Martin<br>Lloyd Zyla<br>Mary Ann Piwarski<br>Stephen Zackrisson<br>Brian Winter<br>Dave Creurer<br>Janice Seitz | Yvonne Kerr<br>Doreen Verbeurgt<br>Marcel Bauche<br>Anne Gutzke<br>Carol Anderson<br>Lynn Colquhoun<br>Hilarion Pohl | Mel Van Betuw<br>Ken LeBlanc<br><b>VACANT</b><br>Jelsen Varghese<br>Bonnie Sidloski<br>Yvette Bauche<br>Elaine Nielsen |
| <b>Acolytes</b>  |  | Bruno Tuchscherer<br>Richard Wick  | Mel Van Betuw<br>Ken LeBlanc   |
| <b>Children's Liturgy</b>                                | Joan Marcotte-Davies   | Tara Kurtz   | Michelle Walkeden  |
| <b>Power Point</b>                                       | Youth  | Barry Brilltz  | Jennifer Woodard   |
| <b>Hospitality</b>                                       | Mike & Darla Moser,<br>Jim Wanner, Rhonda Baudria, Jean Reich  | Frank & Eveline Porte,<br>Hilarion Pohl, Sami & Joe Ballenas,<br>H. Jensen & E. Gray                                 | Terry Lonoway, Larry & Emily Stadler, Ron Miller, Charlene Keen  |
| <b>Counters</b> Dave Creurer, Rob Labbie, Darren Woodard |  |  |  |



*In today's Gospel, part of his Sermon on the Mount, Jesus does not speak of replacing the law of the Old Testament. He goes beyond it. He obliges his followers to work at being holier than even the strictest of Pharisees. But the work is not accomplished by following a religious "law", it requires growing in love for other human beings. Followers of Jesus know they are required to be good stewards of others. In what way will you exercise good stewardship over other people this week?*