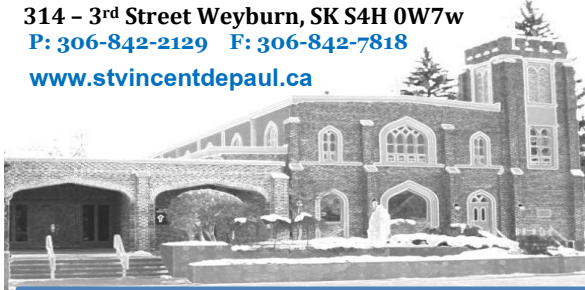


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## Lord's Day Eucharist:

**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

**Pastor:** Rev. Francis Plapampil 306-842-2055 Email: [franplap@hotmail.com](mailto:franplap@hotmail.com) **Administrative Assistant:** Janice Seitz Email: [secretary@stvincentdepaul.ca](mailto:secretary@stvincentdepaul.ca)

**Parish Life Coordinators:** MaryAnn Flaaten & Wendy Pitre Email: [stvincent@sasktel.net](mailto:stvincent@sasktel.net)

**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



*2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent*  
*March 11 & 12, 2017*



## **GOOD NEWS: The Transfiguration for your life today**

Atop Mount Tabor, the pure light of Christ was revealed, as seen in this Gospel reading. The Father said, "This is my beloved Son; *listen to him.*"

The transfiguration is repeated every time we listen to him and allow our faith to be enlightened more today than it was yesterday. Now it is we who are transfigured! We are transformed into our true identity. What is our true identity? It's our innermost being, which was created in the image of God and baptized into the likeness of God.

We enjoy life much more when we live according to our true identity. For example, how do you feel when you're impatient? Not so good, right? That's because God is patient (see 1 Corinthians 13:4-7 for a description of his true identity and yours), and when we are patient, we are much happier.

During Lent, by humbly examining how Christ-like we are and repenting from our sins, we let his light consume the darkness within us.

Jesus left his mountaintop experience to fulfill his calling. Following Christ, we too leave our mountaintops to do what God has gifted us to do. Although there is, as the reading from Timothy points out, hardship in living a holy life, we can be comforted by the fact that after every Calvary there is always an Easter. We can rely on "the strength that comes from God."

Listen. Can you hear what God is saying about you? It's the same words he spoke about Jesus on Mount Tabor: "This is my beloved child; listen to him/her." What are you saying as Christ's partner in ministry?

**Questions for Personal Reflection:** What's going on in your life that you would like Jesus to transfigure? What will you do this week to expose it to Jesus' healing light?



## Welcome Visitors & New Parish Members!

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

Upcoming Eucharist Celebrations			
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Mon.	Mar. 13	7:00 PM	– Kathy Williams+
Tues.	Mar. 14	9:00 AM	– Hannah Souster
Wed.	Mar. 15	9:00 AM	– Bernard Neumeier
Thurs.	Mar. 16	9:00 AM	– Emile Istace+
Fri.	Mar. 17	7:00 PM	– Special Intentions
Sat.	Mar. 18	10:00 AM (Tatagwa View)	
		5:00 PM	– Valda Goski+
		7:00 PM	(St. Mary's)
Sun.	Mar. 19	9:00 AM	– Alice Kot
		11:00 AM	

**Our Sympathy and prayers** to Mary Ann (Jeff) Flaaten and family on the passing of her sister **Patty Johnstone** and to Linda (Don) Bohn and family on the passing of her brother **David Wanner**.



**Readings for 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent:**  
Exodus 17:3-7   Romans 5:1-2, 5-8  
John 4:5-42



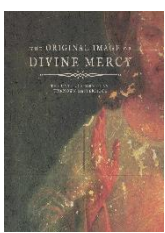
**God of love and hope be with us as we ask for your blessing on those who are in need of our prayers, especially:** Michelle Kapell, Wanda Dorosz, Darren Polasek, Stan Mickalishen, Jeannie Lemieux, Don Sturgeon, Michael Clemens, Laurette Fradette, Eileen Walkeden, Carmelo Lozada Clase, Lynn Koloski, Tom Deutscher, Joe Maas, Roy Sidloski, Graham Dean, Yvonne McNeil, Alex Halyk, Tanis VanDeSype, Tony Seitz, Rose Schultz, Ida Hoffart, Joanne Wormsbecker, Larry Stadler, Alice Kot, Vic Tremblay.



**Please join us for the Stations of the Cross** on Friday evenings during Lent @ 6:30 PM. The Rosary will be prayed at 6 PM and Mass will be celebrated after the Stations.



**Lenten Soup-er Fridays** – sponsored by P.L.U.R.A. churches, will be held at **Grace United Church** on Fridays throughout Lent. There will be a brief worship service with singing and mediation, followed by a light lunch donated by participating churches. Everyone is welcome. A free will offering will be taken. Mar. 17 – All Saints Anglican, Mar. 24 – Zion Lutheran, Mar. 31 – Knox Presbyterian, Apr. 7 – Grace Untied.



**Movie Showing: The Original Image of Divine Mercy:** The Spiritual and Adult Faith Formation Committee is showing The Original Image of Divine Mercy movie on **Sunday, March 19 at 3pm and 7pm** at McKenna Hall. This documentary recounts how the painting was commissioned under the eye of St. Faustina as well as its "lost" years during communist persecution of the Church. Features interviews with Bishop Robert Barron, Jim Gaffigan, Harry Connick Jr., Cardinal Dziwisz of Krakow and many other prominent Catholic personalities. Free admission, all are welcome! Watch the trailer here: [www.divine-mercyfilm.com](http://www.divine-mercyfilm.com).



**A Lenten Fish Fry** will be held by the Knights of Columbus on Thursday, March 23rd from 5 PM – 7 PM at McKenna Hall. Please mark your calendars and watch for more detailed information.



**Drivers are needed** to help bring the Warda family to the **11 AM Mass on Sundays**. A sign-up sheet is located in the foyer. Thank you in advance!



**The Parish AGM** will be held on **Sunday, March 26<sup>th</sup>**, following the 11 AM Mass. Please join us for lunch at the hall, with meeting to follow. AGM booklets can be picked up in the church foyer.



**Parish Council seeking new members.** The terms of **FOUR** Parish Councillors are ending this month and Parish Council is actively seeking new members. This is your opportunity to be a leader in our Parish community. Please prayerfully consider if you, or someone you know, may be called to serve in this capacity. More information on what Council does along with nomination forms are available for pick up from the church foyer.



**Join us Sunday March 12<sup>th</sup> for Sunday Funday!** Meet at Tom Zandee Sports Arena for a fun afternoon of skating! Free supper to follow at 5 PM in the church basement!



**Volunteers are needed** with events taking place at McKenna Hall in the next few weeks. The sign-up sheets can be found on the table near the font. Please see where you may be able to lend a hand. Thank you!!



**Celebrate 100 Years of Fatima!** For the months of May to October on each evening of the 13th at 7:00, we will have a special night of prayer and learn about our Blessed Mother's Apparitions at Fatima, Portugal and how it relates to our lives. The Blessed Mother has asked us to pray for the world! Our own lives are changed and are blessed when we pray for others.



**2016 Donation Receipts** are ready to be picked up from the foyer. Thank you for your continued support of our parish. RE donations to the Archbishops Appeal / Commitment to the Future – if your cheque was made out to the “Archdiocese of Regina”, or to the “Archbishop’s Appeal”, or paid by credit card - your receipt will be issued from the Archdiocese, otherwise it will be included on the receipt from SVDP.



**The Bishop Assembly #1526** will celebrate St. Patrick's Day on **Thursday, March 16th, 2017** at McKenna Hall. Social at 6:00 P.M. Roast Beef Supper at 7:00 P.M (\$25.00 a person). Entertainment to follow. Any questions please call Armand and leave a message. NOTE: Tuxedo Dress (Formal)



**Buy – A – Shingle:** Thank you for your generous donations totaling **\$44,929.55!** Donations for the roof fund will graciously be **accepted until the end of March 2017.**



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

**Responding to Euthanasia and Assisted Suicide** - A series of short locally-prepared videos about “Finding the Gifts in a World of Choices” was produced in Saskatchewan under the direction of the Saskatchewan bishops’ advisory committee, thanks to financial support from the Saskatchewan K of C Charitable Foundation. The first two videos – one focused on Palliative Care and another focused on Care for the Elderly – can be found online on the Archdiocese of Regina website, Reverence for Life page: <https://archregina.sk.ca/pastoral-services/reverence-life>

**'Surviving Transitions'** is a conference for anyone who has suffered the death of a loved one. It is hosted by the Regina Deanery Pastoral Council and will take place at Holy Trinity Parish, 5020 Sherwood Dr. It begins Friday March 31st at 7:00 pm with a session entitled 'Alive Again!' and is facilitated by Kelly Walker, our conference speaker. There is no charge for Friday's session. Registration for Saturday's sessions is \$25.00 and includes lunch IF registered by Monday, March 27th. NOTE: Late/last minute registrations DO NOT include lunch. To register contact: [isufferedloss@gmail.com](mailto:isufferedloss@gmail.com) or 306-352-1651. Saturday's sessions begin with registration/coffee from 9 - 10 am, followed by the conference

**SERVICE FOR VICTIMS OF SEXUAL ABUSE**

Sunday, March 19, 2017 @ 7 PM  
St. Cecilia Parish, 5020 – 7<sup>th</sup> Ave. Regina

**St. Peter's CWL invites everyone to “Irish Melodies”** at St. Peter's Church Hall (100 Argyle St., south side doors) on Sunday, **March 19 at 2:00 p.m.** Come and sing along with Free Spirit! There will be a free will offering, a 50/50 draw, and refreshments! Proceeds go to St. Peter's CWL.

**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 Tuesday of the month from 4-5 pm in the Youth Room.



**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)

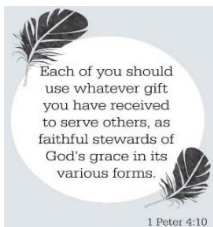
### Stewardship of Time & Talent for March 11 & 12

	Sat. 5:00 PM	Sun. 9:00 AM	Sun. 11:00 AM
<b>Readers</b>	Wendy Sidloski	Peter Broccolo Jean Woodard	Jerome Sidloski Karen Sidloski
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Wendy Sidloski Dorothy Lawrenz D'Arcy Megenbir Alaina Flaaten Alice Schneider Stella Hoffart John Megenbir	Connie Regier Gloria Fong Rhonda Renz Susan Kot <b>Vacant</b> John Tuchscherer Diane Borys	Mel VanBetuw Ken LeBlanc <b>Vacant</b> Gary Sidloski Shirley Mondor Daryl Fleck <b>Vacant</b>
<b>Acolytes</b>		Bruno Tuchscherer Richard Wick	Mel VanBetuw Ken LeBlanc
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Holly Ferguson	Christine McKenzie	Mia & Karissa Vilcu
<b>Power Point</b>	Chad Fingler	Barry Britz	Crooks Family
<b>Hospitality</b>	Brian Winter, Sophie Gall, S & G Zackrisson Rhonda Baudria	Jim Parsons, Dwayne Hoffman Willie & Adele Nimegeers	Ron Wormsbecker, Pat & Loretta Benning, Aime Isabey, Lise Soles
<b>Counters</b> Harry Plemel, Nick Coroluick, Shirley Mondor			

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

	Sat. 5:00 PM	Sun. 9:00 AM	Sun. 11:00 AM
<b>Readers</b>	D'Arcy Megenbir	Carol Reeve, Pat Wolensky	Val Wing, Jennifer Woodard
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Jo Martin Lloyd Zyla Mary Ann Piwarski Stephen Zackrisson Brian Winter Dave Creurer Janice Seitz	Yvonne Kerr Doreen Verbeurgt Marcel Bauche <b>VACANT</b> Carol Anderson Lynn Colquhoun Hilarion Pohl	Stella Hoffart Gordon Rutten <b>VACANT</b> Jelsen Varghese Bonnie Sidloski Yvette Bauche Elaine Nielsen
<b>Acolytes</b>		Aime Isabey Ron Klein	Stella Hoffart Gordon Rutten
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Darcy Pouteaux	Ingri Roman	Sanela Bacic
<b>Power Point</b>	Youth	Richards Family	Jennifer Woodard
<b>Hospitality</b>	Chad Klein, Shane Williams Sean Galvin Chad & Claire Finger	John Nikolejsin Lorne and Colette Horack Julian Goski, Dick Michel	Terry Lonoway Larry & Emily Stadler Ron Miller, Charlene Keen
<b>Counters</b> Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten, Kevin & Verna O'Neill			

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



**“Go forth from the land of your kinsfolk and from your father’s house to a land that I will show you.” Genesis 12:1**

God calls all of us to leave behind our old ways and to follow Him, placing our complete trust in Him. Some of the old ways that we may have to struggle to leave behind might be materialism, selfishness and greed. Yet God promises to show us a new land and a better way to live.