

# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH



## Lord's Day Eucharist:

**Saturday 5 pm**  
**Sunday 9 am**  
**11 am**



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

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

### *Welcome Visitors & New Parish Members!*

*Our Parish family warmly welcomes new members. Please fill out a new parishioner form at your earliest convenience. The forms are located on the table in the foyer! As well, if any parishioners have changed information regarding their address, phone number, etc., please let the parish office know!*



*3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter*  
*April 17 & 18, 2021*

### **Good News Reflection: The redemptive power of Christ**

Now that we're a renewed people -- an Easter people -- the scriptures at Mass remind us of the stark difference between living a redeemed life and living in sin. The first reading for this Sunday says: "Repent, therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be wiped away." The second reading says: "Those who say, 'I know him', but do not keep his commandments are liars, and the truth is not in them."

And the Gospel reading says: "Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name...." We are all liars in some way every day, professing our faith with our lips but not always in our behaviors. Our actions often say that we don't truly believe what we say about Christ's love. Our worries might be saying that we don't truly believe that God cares about each and every situation.

Our decisions say that we don't truly believe that Jesus knew what he was talking about when he commanded us to love our enemies and do good to those who hurt us. Our moral relativism says that we don't truly believe he was smarter than us when he gave us his commandments.


How loudly do your actions preach the truth about Jesus? Many of us undervalue what Jesus has done for us, thinking that his death and resurrection is enough to get us into heaven; we neglect the need to humble ourselves under the reality of the need for daily redemption.

God's not expecting perfection from us on this side of heaven's gate. What he does want, however, is our desire to become more and more like Christ every day. As long as we're continually examining our lives and educating ourselves about how we can improve, and as long as we follow through by doing what is necessary to produce changes, God is very pleased with us.


**Questions for Personal Reflection:** What sinful tendencies still enslave you? What will you do this week to turn these over to Christ and his redemptive power?

**Questions for Community Faith Sharing:** What do you do to stay in touch with your need for Christ and his redemptive power? How do you rely on the resurrected life of Christ to overcome sinful tendencies and enter into victorious Christian living?

Upcoming Celebrations			
Mon.	Apr. 19	No Mass	
Tues.	Apr. 20	9 AM	Stan & Edith Zaluski +
Wed.	Apr. 21	9 AM Mass	James Kaip +
Thur	Apr. 22	9 AM Mass	Dennis Bourquist Int
Fri.	Apr. 23	12:10 PM	Paz Pascua +
Sat.	Apr. 24	5 PM @ SVDP 7 PM @ St. Marys	Larry Marcotte + Antony Matthews +
Sun.	Apr. 25	9 AM SVDP 11 AM SVDP	Kasper Bachman + Keith & Lavern Hoffart +



**Fourth Sunday of Easter**  
*Acts 4:8-12*  
*Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28-29*  
*1 John 3:1-2*  
*John 10:11-18*



God of love and hope be with us as we ask for your blessing on those who are in need of our prayers; Ernie Schenher, Sabrina Mainil, Allison Johnson, Gloria Pajota and all those facing an illness or any of life's struggles. Our condolences to Steve and Deanna Martin, and family on the loss of his brother Murray Martin. The thoughts and prayers of your Church family are with you all.

**The new regulations for attendance at Mass!** As of 3:00 PM April 13, the province of Saskatchewan issued a revision of its current guidelines for places of worship which come into effect Friday, April 16th.

With this announcement we are back to 30 people attending Masses. This means we are back to phoning the office from Tuesday -Friday, 8:30-4:30pm, to register for mass once a week. We will start with registering for one week at a time until we are sure everyone has a chance to attend a mass once a week .




**CWL Sunday is the Sunday closest to The Feast Day of Our Lady of Good Counsel, April 26th.**

St. Vincent de Paul CWL supports many local, provincial, national and international charities.

We meet the third Monday of each month from September through June. Involvement with the Catholic Women's League is both rewarding and enjoyable. We invite all Catholic women over the age of 18 to share their gifts and make a difference by joining us. If you are interested in becoming a CWL member, please contact Judy Van Betuw at 306-861-3241. We will be hosting a Reception of New Members in May and would love to include you

**The CWL General Meeting** which was scheduled for April 19, 2021 has been CANCELLED due to increasing numbers of COVID cases in Weyburn. Please watch your email or mailbox for updates on current activities. Stay safe and healthy!

**Sleeping St. Joseph Listen to our prayers;**



You will notice the statue of sleeping St. Joseph on the altar, and feel free to write your problems, requests and prayers to St. Joseph on a small piece of paper and put it under him, throughout the year and he will answer your prayers.

**A Moment with St. Joseph**

Watch the new pamphlet holder by the front doors of the church for an information sheet called "A moment with St. Joseph." Sheets will be updated monthly and will contain brief prayers, facts, Bible verses, and other interesting information related to St. Joseph. Please take one! Over the coming months we hope to grow in knowledge and devotion to this amazing Saint who was the foster father of Jesus and chaste spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. A project of the Spiritual and Adult Faith Formation committee

**Banns for Ordination**

**Rev. Mr. Terrance LINDENBACH** is to be ordained to the Sacred Order of Presbyter for the **Archdiocese of Regina** on **May 14, 2021** at **Holy Rosary Cathedral, Regina**. Please remember him in your prayers. Canon Law obliges Catholics to reveal any impediment to sacred orders to the bishop or pastor.



**Knights of Columbus Meetings:** Bishop Klein Assembly of the Knights of Columbus will be offering a \$1000.00 scholarship again this year. Contact the church office for information on the application forms.



**This Weeks Bible Corner –Apr. 18/19**  
**Revelation III – Private versus Public**

Continuing from last week, although God has nothing more to reveal to us “in His Word”, our understanding of that Revelation continues through the work of theologians and the saints. Some may be wondering where this leaves Marian apparitions. Here the Church makes a distinction between public and private revelation. There will be no new public revelation before Christ returns (CCC#66), but the Church has recognized private revelations, whose role is not to “improve or complete Christ’s definitive Revelation, but to help live more fully by it in a certain period of history” (CCC#67). Marian apparitions are considered private, even though they have a public character. This fits nicely with Mary’s role since she is the “handmaid of the Lord” (Luke 1:38) who points us to her So



**Arise Catholic Women’s Retreat:**

Arise Catholic women’s retreat will be launched online Saturday, May 1. “Arise: Put On the Amour of Light” will feature speakers Heather Khym, Debbie Herbeck, Mary Bielski, Rachel Herbeck, and Bishop Scott McCaig. Register on the website at: <https://arisecatholicmovement.ca>



**Glasses Collection Box:** Thank you to all who have donated glasses! We recently had 96 pairs of glasses which have been brought to Weyburn Eye Care and will be sent off to the Canadian Institute for the Blind. The donation box is located near the front door of the Church. A project of the Social Justice Committee

**Stewardship Bulletin Bit: 3rd Sunday of Easter**

“Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, ‘Peace be with you.’ But they were startled and frightened...” - Luke 24:36-37

Throughout the day we have many opportunities to “see the face of Jesus” in others and to “be the face of Jesus” to others. Do we take that opportunity to provide “peace” to those we encounter or are we afraid of what others will think of us and do nothing? Pray for the strength and courage to live a “God-centered” life and not a “self-centered” life.

**Pope Francis’ Monthly Prayer Intentions - April**

Fundamental Rights. Let us pray for those who risk their lives while fighting for fundamental rights under dictatorships, authoritarian regimes and even in democracies in crisis, that they may see their sacrifice and their work bear abundant fruit. [thepopevideo.org](http://thepopevideo.org)

**Young Adult Small Groups**

Come together around a shared interest (jogging, relationship enrichment, hiking, board games, learning to pray and more!) to meet new people and grow in faith. The Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry will be launching a new round of young adult small groups in mid April. Registration opens on Monday, March 29th at <https://archregina.sk.ca/youth-ministry/young-adult-small-groups> Join us!

**My Gen Rally Update**

March is always the month that our diocesan young church comes together to celebrate the “My Gen” Youth Rally. This year, My Gen will happen on Saturday May 29th and will be a hybrid of a live streamed event AND a gathered (in person) event at multiple host sites around the diocese. We are looking for communities interested in hosting approx. 15 young people and leaders at their parish facilities and grounds. The My Gen committee will provide leadership support for all rally sites. As always, all of these plans are contingent on health guidelines at that time. If your parish is interested in being a rally host site, please contact the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry for further information. [oyyam@archregina.sk.ca](mailto:oyyam@archregina.sk.ca) or call 306-352-1651.

**Prayer:** Thank you for your patience, Jesus! Thank you for kindly explaining things to me a thousand times! Thank you for giving me the strength to get up again and again and again! Amen.

## Stewardship of Time & Talent April 17 & 18, 2021

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 9 AM
<b>Readers</b>	Wendy Sidloski Ingri Roman	Clair Kuhn Lynn Colqohoun	Glenda Shupe
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>			
<b>Power Point</b>	Roberto Roman	Vacant	Val Wing
<b>Hospitality</b>	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten Bonnie & Frank Kaip	Jean Janoski Adele Nimegeers Dick & Audrey Michel	Judy & Mel Van Betuw Gordon Rutten Calvin & Danette Tracey
<b>Counters</b>	Don Kraft, Bev Tourand, Nhar & Demmy Pinon		

## Stewardship Time & Talent April 24 & 25, 2021

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM
<b>Readers</b>	Janice Seitz	Wendy Pitre	Shirley Mondor Connie Regier
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	<b>CWL SUNDAY</b>		
<b>Power Point</b>	Roberto Roman	Vacant	Val Wing
<b>Hospitality</b>	Camille Goski Mary Ann Flaaten	Theresa Istace Eveline Porte Ev Corbin	Judy Van Betuw Fran Messer Marilyn Schuck
<b>Counters</b>	Sherry Dreis, Kerry Dolter, Richard Wick		

**Parish Pastoral Council Members:** Fr. Francis Plapampil, Marga Cugnet (chair), Pat Wolensky, Sarah Ayeri, Brenda Kosior, John Tuchscherer, Vic Messer, Jim Wanner, Val Wing, Wendy Sidloski  
Parish Finance Chairperson – Pam Haupstein

**Parish Pastoral Council Meetings** - the last Thursday of each month.

**K of C Grand Knight:** Aime Isabey (861-3535) aime@sasktel.net

**K of C Faithful Navigator:** Randy Schiller (861-1863) schrjt@sasktel.net

**Weyburn K of C Meetings:** (Sept.-June) Exec & Directors – 2nd Mon. of month, Gen Mtg. – 4th Mon. of month

**CWL President:** Fran Messer (842-6259) **CWL Meetings:** (Sept. – June)  
Executive Meeting – 2nd Mon. of month    General Meeting – 3rd Mon. of month

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**Sacraments: Baptism and Reconciliation** – Contact the parish office

**Matrimony** – Contact the parish office at least 6 months prior

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