

# 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 – 12:00  
Sat. 4:00 – 4:40

## *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!*



*21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
*August 22 & 23, 2020*

## **God News Reflection: Breaking through demonic strongholds**

When Jesus ordained Peter to become the rock upon which he would build his Church, he made a promise. The gates of hell, he said, speaking of the netherworld that belongs to the principalities and powers of darkness (see Ephesians 6), "shall never prevail against it."

Jesus did not say that hell would never win battles against the Church. He said that the gates of hell would not win. Of course they won't: Gates don't attack! Gates protect. Gates hold inside their boundaries whatever has been enclosed by a fence or wall. Do you know anyone who's been imprisoned by their sins? Or by hellish circumstances?

Christians are not called to take a defensive posture against attacks and encroachments from evil-doers. Christians are called to take the offensive -- we are called to attack the very gates of hell, knock them down, and conquer the devils that are trying to drag people into their kingdom of misery and eternal death.

What Jesus did 2000 years ago to free people from evil he still does today through you and me.

For the sinners who want to escape from evil before it's too late, Jesus gave gate keys to Peter when he ordained him as the first shepherd (priest and pope) of Christianity. These keys have been passed from generation to generation through the unbroken line of Catholic priests.

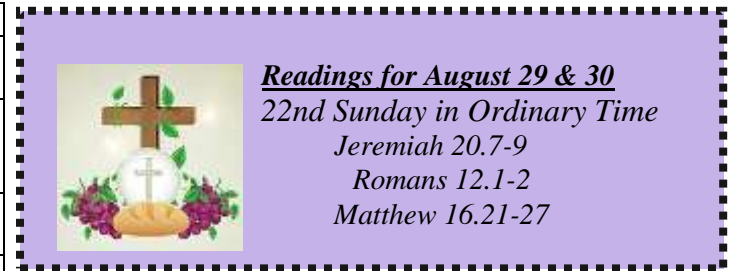
What are the keys? The gates of hell are unlocked by Sacraments; they open the way to eternal life. When a priest "looses" (releases) the grace and forgiveness of God upon a repentant sinner during the Sacrament of Reconciliation, or when a priest "binds" a man and woman together in the Sacrament of Marriage, it's Jesus who's doing it through him.

The supernatural power of the Sacraments conquers evil every time we take them seriously and rely on the graces they provide.


**Questions for Personal Reflection:** Where is there a locked gate in your life, which needs to get blown open so that Jesus can rescue you from some sort of darkness? What will you do this week to utilize the Sacraments more deeply, more profoundly?

**Questions for Community Faith Sharing:** Who do you say Jesus really is, and how do you encounter this Jesus in the Sacraments? Which Sacrament (Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, Reconciliation, Marriage, Ordination, or the Anointing of the Sick) is most powerful for you personally? Why?

Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations			
Mon.	Aug. 24	No Mass or Lay service	
Tues.	Aug. 25	9:30 AM 7 PM Mass	Holy Family Mass (Staff Only) Pete Wodzinsky Sr +
Wed.	Aug. 26	9 AM Mass	Marie Walters +
Thurs	Aug. 27	9 AM Mass	Leona Smiley +
Fri.	Aug. 28	12:10 PM Mass	Stuart Lanoie +
Sat.	Aug. 29	5 PM @ SVDP 7 PM @ St. Mary's	Amy Zyla Anthony Matthews +
Sun.	Aug. 30	9 AM SVDP 11 AM SVDP	Tawsha Klein Sparks + Dick Tollefson +



**Readings for August 29 & 30**  
 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 Jeremiah 20.7-9  
 Romans 12.1-2  
 Matthew 16.21-27



God of love and hope be with us as we ask for your blessing on those who are in need of our prayers, especially: and all those facing an illness or any of life's struggles.

**Parish Pastoral Council** will be looking for new members this fall to replace members whose terms are up. Please consider putting your name in for this. It is a way to give some time back to your parish and share your ideas and expertise. The council acts as a consultative and advisory body to the Pastor in discerning, identifying and evaluating the needs of the parish community so as to find the means that best respond to these needs. Please give your name to one of the council members or the office staff if you would like to run for a position.

**Weekly Donations:** For those who are not yet attending masses, are not on pre-authorized payments and have been asking, donations can either be mailed to the office: St Vincent de Paul 314 3rd St. NE, Weyburn, SK S4H 0W7 or dropped off at the church office.

**Thanks for your Patience:** The seating plan we have implemented at this time is following the government's guidelines for Covid 19. We must follow the guidelines for both social distancing and hand and church sanitizing in order to hold Mass. We are not allowed to sing, as a group, unless the whole church wears masks. Individual couples and families are allowed to sit together and we ask you keep young children in the pews. Our main objective is to keep everyone safe since our prayers have been answered and we are allowed to gather and receive the Eucharist again. Thank you for your patience and understanding as we try to keep up to the ever changing rules and please thank you to our volunteers for helping us get through these trying times.

**Livestream Masses**  
 Masses will be in effect beginning July 7, 2020  
 English Weekday and Sunday Masses are livestreamed at 9:00 AM daily from Resurrection Parish.

French Sunday Mass are livestreamed from St. Jean Baptiste Parish every two weeks  
 For Livestream Links visit  
[www.youtube.com/ArchdioceseRegina](http://www.youtube.com/ArchdioceseRegina)  
 Daily TV Mass offers Mass each day on television and on the internet.

Sunday - 6:00am  
 Monday - Friday 6:00 am & 10:00 am  
 Saturday - 6:00 am & 7:30 am  
 Salt + Light:  
 Sunday - 9:00 am & 8:30 pm  
 Monday - Saturday - 4:30am, 9:00am, 1:00pm, 6:30pm

**Prayer for the Spiritual Act of Communion for those shut in at home and unable to receive communion;**

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things and I desire to receive you in my soul. Since I cannot receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.



**We would like to remind you the dispensation from attending the Sunday Eucharist is still in effect by our Archbishop**

**Job Opportunity:** Due to the resignation of our full time caretaker, the parish is looking for someone interested in a casual position. Please call the office for more information, if you are interested in applying. 306-842-2129



We are in need of new Hospitality ministers for Saturday, 5 PM masses. Please contact the office if you have time to share the gifts God gave you.

**Stewardship Bulletin Bit:**

**21st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

“Or who has given the Lord anything that he may be repaid?” (Romans 11:35)

St. Paul reminds us of a central fact of stewardship. We cannot give the Lord anything - God already owns it all. God made everything. All we can do is return a portion of God’s many gifts back to Him. Sincere gratitude for our gifts opens our hearts to joyful generosity! Through your generous sharing, you just may be the answer to someone’s prayer

**Calling Teens and University students**

Are you looking to meet some new people, look at some of life’s big questions and have a few laughs along the way? Please join us for “Alpha” Online. There will be a few opportunities for us to potentially gather in person as a group, but the majority of the gatherings will happen online. We promise it will be an hour WELL SPENT each week!

So join us Wednesday evenings at 6:30PM. No need to register. Just join us on ZOOM at <https://zoom.us/j/643587934>

If you have any questions contact Michelle at [mbraden@archregina.sk.ca](mailto:mbraden@archregina.sk.ca)

**RCIA** **Are you considering becoming Catholic? Are you a Catholic interested in being confirmed? Are you a Confirmed Catholic who's ready to explore your faith anew?**

Join us in an extraordinary process of learning more about the Catholic faith in an adult learning environment. Join us and discover if you’re being called to become part of this Catholic family. Join us and rediscover the rituals and traditions of the faith you learned as a child. Join us for RCIA! Please call the office for more information or to sign up!

**Help us help our sisters and brothers in the Global South!**

The COVID-19 pandemic has impacted us in many ways here in Canada. In the Global South, the impacts are devastating, as the pandemic is worsening poverty, hunger, conflict and gender inequality. More than ever, your solidarity and generosity are needed to support the work of Development and Peace so we are all recovering together. Our partners are working for a just recovery in their countries so all can live in dignity.

There will be a collection in our parish on August 29 & 30. You can also make a donation [online](#).

Your generosity allows Development and Peace to support over 100 projects in 35 countries in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle East!



**Weyburn Fair Parish Food Booth: K of C Weyburn Council will be doing the following work on the Booth:**

Lighting in the storage shed: Interior light to be wired.

Shelving in the East side counters to be stripped of old linoleum floor lining and painted;

Shingles on the Booth: Replaced;

Shingles on the Storage Shed: Replaced;

Siding on the Storage Shed: Re-painted, or metal-sided.

All Brs. and other interested Parishioners available and willing to assist with this work are asked to contact:

Br. Ray Ball: 306-861-2047 or [ball.family@sasktel](mailto:ball.family@sasktel)

ARCHDIOCESE OF Regina  
**ARCH REGINA CONGRESS 2020**  
 and Archbishop's Appeal Kickoff  
 ONLINE via Livestream  
 More details to follow in August  
 Keynote Speaker: Matt Nelson, Assistant Director of Bishop Robert Barron's Word on Fire Institute  
**SAVE THE DATE!**  
**Saturday, September 19, 2020**  
 Proudly Sponsored by the Archbishop's Appeal  
 ARCHBISHOP'S appeal

## Stewardship & Talent - August 22 & 23, 2020

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM
<b>Readers</b>	Camille Goski Connie Regier	Peter Broccolo Jean Woodard	Ingri Roman Marga Cugnet
<b>Acolytes</b>			
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>			
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>			
<b>Power Point</b>	Fingler Family	Tara Kurtz	Austin LeBlanc
<b>Hospitality</b>	Brian Winter Dorothy Gaab Vacant	Lorne & Collette Horack Willie & Adelle Nimegeers Dick Michel Jean Janoski	Terry Lonoway Emily Stadler Ron Miller Charlene Keen
<b>Counters</b>	Joanne Babiarz, Wendy Pitre, Christie McKenzie		

## Stewardship of Time & Talent - August 29 & 30, 2020

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM
<b>Readers</b>	Patricia Redman Derek Redman	Pat Wolensky	Jerome Sidloski Karen Sidloski
<b>Acolytes</b>			
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>			
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>			
<b>Power Point</b>	Roberto Roman	James Richard	Roberto Roman
<b>Hospitality</b>	Bernice Driscoll Ev Corbin Vacant Vacant	Frank & Eveline Porte Harry Jensen & Elaine Gray Ron & Josie Klein Jim Parsons	Norm Mondor Al Pitre Joe Glab Sheldon LeBlanc Roberto Roman
<b>Counters</b>	Harry Plemel, Nick Coroluick, Terry Biss		

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

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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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**Parish Council Members:** Marga Cugnet (chair), Pat Wolensky, Sarah Ayeri, Brenda Kosior, John Tuchscherer, Vic Messer, Jim Wanner, Val Wing, Wendy Sidloski Parish Finance Chairperson – Dave Creurer

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

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