

# 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!*



**6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**February 15 & 16**

## **Good News Reflection: 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?

Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations			
Mon.	Feb. 17	6:30 PM Lay service	CWL
Tues.	Feb. 18	7 PM Mass	Leo Leydon +
Wed.	Feb. 19	9:00 AM	Bernie & Alice Kot
Thurs	Feb. 20	10 AM Parkway Lodge 10:20 Hilltop Manor 11 AM Crocus Villa	Communion Services
Fri.	Feb. 21	9:30 AM WSCH 12:10 PM	Lay Services
Sat.	Feb. 22	10 AM @ Tatagwa (Lay) 5 PM @ SVDP 7 PM @ St. Mary's	Jeanne Bouvier + Albert Ernst +
Sun.	Feb. 23	9 AM SVDP 11 AM SVDP 7 PM Filipno	Magdalene Pretty +



**Readings for February 22 & 23**  
 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 Sirach 15.15-20, 1 Corinthians 2. 6-10  
 Matthew 5. 17-37

**CWL General Meeting:** General meeting will be on Monday, February 17 - beginning with a Lay Presided service at 6:30 PM at the church - meeting will follow at McKenna Hall.

Donations of canned meat and fruit for the Salvation Army are being collected at this meeting - members and parishioners are welcome to join us in donating to this worthy cause.

**Bible Study: Weekly Reflections and Discussion on**

**Sunday Readings:** are being held, weekly, in the Slezak Room, Wednesday evenings, from 6:30 – 8:30 PM. The goal will be to better prepare us for the Sunday Mass. All are welcome to come and join us in spiritual discussion to help understand the weekly Bible readings.



**We Want to Thank Our Volunteers!** Whether you volunteer for ministries during Mass, one of our church committees, McKenna Hall events, or any of the other countless things that get done by the people of this parish, we are so grateful for all that you do.



As a token of our appreciation, please join us for our **Volunteer Appreciation Supper on Thursday, March 5, at McKenna Hall.** Social starts at 5pm, and supper will be at 6pm. There will also be a toonie bar available. There will be a sign-up sheet at the back of the church or you can RSVP to the office by March

**Ignite Youth Group is held at St. Michael's School!**

Hello Everyone!

The IGNITE youth ministry team from St Vincent de Paul Parish has a few announcements.

Mark Your Calendars!!!!!!

**Fri. Mar 6th: IGNITE ADVENTURES** grade 5/6's @ St Mikes 7-9pm. It's MYSTERY NIGHT!

**Fri. Mar 13th: IGNITE** Games/Sports/Activities for grades 7&up @ St Mikes 7-9pm.

**Sat. Mar 21st: IGNITE SERVICE SATURDAY!!!!**

We will be spending the afternoon cooking freezer meals for those in our community that could use a little love sent their way. Afterwards we will go to 5pm mass then eat supper together and have fun with other activities after supper. This event is open to grades 5&up!!!! St Vincent De Paul Church basement 3pm-8

**March 28/29th Road Trip!!!!!!** For grades 8-9. Mark your calendars. Stay tuned. Details soon!

For more information or questions please email Joan Marcotte Davies: [igniteyouth.jmd@gmail.com](mailto:igniteyouth.jmd@gmail.com)



**Prayer Shawls** We are getting low on shawls. If you would like to knit a prayer shawl we have a **large** supply of wool as well as patterns for the shawls: please stop by the office to pick up supplies.

**Knights of Columbus:** We will be providing a **Pancake Lunch** for all the students at St. Michael's School on **Shrove Tuesday, Feb. 25<sup>th</sup>**, 2020. We are looking for help. There are signup sheets at the back of the church, please sign up if you are available to help.



**Ash Wednesday Services:**

Wednesday, February 26, 2020

St. Michael's School 9:30 AM

St. Mary's Tribune 5:00 PM

St. Vincent de Paul 7:00 PM

A signup sheet is in the foyer for those wishing to help with ministries for the & PM Mass

**2019 Tax Receipts Are now Available**

Receipts can be found in a box, on a table at the back of the church.



Father Francis will be back on February 21<sup>st</sup>! We are excited to have him home with us and know he will be very weary after his long flight home. Please pray that he has a safe and comfortable trip home to us.

**Stewardship Bulletin Bit**

February 16, 2020 – 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 “For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.” (Matthew 5:20)

The scribes and Pharisees lived according to the letter of the law, and they used this to elevate themselves above the other people. Jesus is clear – it’s the love that you have in your heart that will get you to heaven. Simply following church rules out of obligation, not love, does not put you on the path to heaven.

Attending Mass on Sunday and then gossiping about a fellow parishioner on the parking lot is an example of a modern-day Pharisee.



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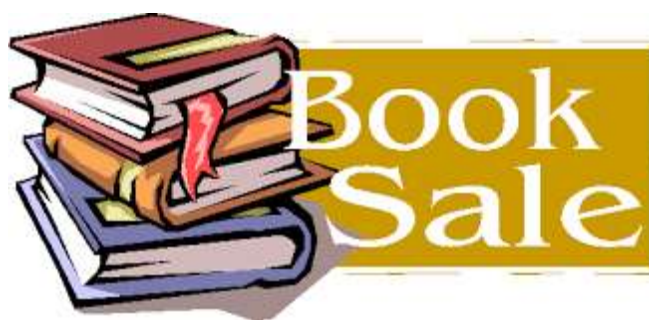
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**Parish Library Book Sale: Feb 15/16 & 22/23**

We are making space for new materials! All items on the library cart are free to take home and keep.

Please consider leaving a donation if you take a book.

All funds collected go towards library materials.

Thank you for your support of the Parish Library.

McKenna Hall Catering is in need of people that will do phoning for the various functions at the hall. We are down from eight to two phoning coordinators. We’d like to thank Evelyn Porte , who recently resigned, for her years of service. Angelo does put sign-up sheets at the back of the church, to cut back on phone calls. Any amount of help is appreciated. For more info contact Angelo 306-848-3586

**The Journey Home: Weyburn Edition**

The Spiritual Adult Faith Formation Committee is hosting a night of local conversion stories on Saturday March 14, 7-8pm, lower McKenna Hall. Some of our local parishioners who have converted to Catholicism will share their stories of faith and their journey into the Catholic Church. Sure to be an interesting and inspiring night. Everyone welcome. Snacks and socializing to follow.

**Sandy Bay Donation:** If any parishioner is driving to Prince Albert and has room for two or three small boxes, Fr. Paucar would be able to take them to Sandy Bay from there. Since bus service is no longer available, the Parish would be very grateful for your help.

**Funeral Lunch Groups:** The following groups are next for upcoming funerals; Marilyn & Ev; Donna & Renee; Fran.

<b>Stewardship &amp; Talent - February 15 &amp; 16</b>			
	<b>SAT 5 PM</b>	<b>SUN 9 AM</b>	<b>SUN 11 AM</b>
<b>Readers</b>	Patricia Redman Derek Redman	Stafford Nimegeers Cecile Sellinger	Inгри Roman Marga Cugnet
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b> First 3 serve bread Last 4 serve cup	Rose Loos Mary Ann Piwarski Joyce Reiser Vacant Roberto Roman Steve Zackrisson Vacant	Chris Marcotte Jean Woodard Susan Kot John Tuchscherer	Judy VanBetuw Val Wing Vacant Danette Tracey
<b>Acolytes</b>	Stella Hoffart Ken Benroy Dave Alcalde	Don Bohn Frank Porte	Bonnie Sidloski Camille Goski
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Joan Marcotte-Davies	Inгри Roman	Leslie Richards
<b>Power Point</b>	Randy Schiller	Tara Kurtz	Austin Leblanc
<b>Hospitality</b>	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten Bonnie & Frank Kaip	Yvonne Kerr Omar & Chris Marcotte John Tuchscherer Richard & Celine Wawro	Judy & Mel VanBetuw Gordon Rutten Calvin & Danette Tracey
<b>Counters</b>	Dave Creurer, Rob Labbie, Darren Woodard		
<b>Stewardship of Time &amp; Talent - February 22 &amp; 23</b>			
	<b>SAT 5 PM</b>	<b>SUN 9 AM</b>	<b>SUN 11 AM</b>
<b>Readers</b>	Glenda Zackrisson Lloyd Zyla	Delores Herring Theresa Istace	Jerome Sidloski Karen Sidloski
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Vacant Chris Mazniuk Mary Janeczko Camille Goski Lynne Garner Betty Vanstaveren Vacant	Theresa Istace Audrey Rydzik Helen Fossenier Pat Wolensky	Judy VanBetuw Val Wing Danette Tracey
<b>Acolytes</b>	Stella Hoffart Zeus Hinalaygan	Richard Wick Vacant	Mel VanBetuw Ken Leblanc
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Elise Winter	Leslie Richards	Vacant
<b>Power Point</b>	Roberto Roman	Mitzi Nicole Recto	Roberto Roman
<b>Hospitality</b>	Yvonne Dzuba Denis Tremblay Jim Wanner	Jerry & Janie Jordens Ken & Susan Kot Jean Janoski	Ron Wormsbecker Aime Isabey Pat & Loretta Benning
<b>Counters</b>	Randy & Janet Schiller, Vic Plante		

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