# 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: <u>Fri.</u> 11:30–12:00pm <u>Sat.</u> 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!



# The big picture:

Very often, the Lord gives us help even when we don't ask for it. We see this in what he did for Simon Peter, James and John in this Sunday's Gospel reading, when he provided a great catch of fish for them.

What's his motive? Was he rewarding these fishermen for lending him one of their boats? Do you think he does good things for you as a reward? Well, it's not a reward. There's a bigger picture.

Note the pattern of Christ's interaction with us as illustrated by this Gospel story:

- 1. First, the fishermen already know Jesus; they call him "Master" because he's a master teacher and they are his students.
- 2. Second, Jesus helps them in an unexpected way.
- 3. Third, Jesus turns the gift into a calling.
- 4. Fourth, the disciples give up everything that could interfere with answering the call.

Whenever God intervenes in our lives, he does it to benefit us and others. We belong to a community, God's family; we are not in relationship with God as isolated individuals. By connecting ourselves to God in prayer, in the Eucharist, and in worship, we are connecting ourselves to everyone else and to his concerns for them.

Our prayers for help are never answered only for our sake. God always sees a bigger picture. And he always cares about everyone who's affected. If it seems like God isn't responding to your pleas, it's because he's working on a bigger plan. He's coordinating how the answer to your prayers will help others -- many others.

God cares very much about your personal needs and desires, but he cares about everyone else, too, whether they ask for his help or not. And he is turning your needs into a calling, a ministry designed specifically for you. This means that the moment you begin asking for help, you are called by God to share his help with others. By thinking beyond ourselves while waiting for our troubles to end, we find peace and hope and value in the hardships we endure. This is the vocation of daily life.

Mon.	Feb 07	No Mass		
Tues.	Feb 08	9:00 AM	Karyn Schutz +	
Wed.	Feb 09	9:00 AM	Brayden Kot (Int)	
Thurs.	Feb 10	9:00 AM	Jean Watling & Family (Int)	
Fri.	Feb 11	12:10 PM	Gerald Dionne +	
Sat.	Feb 12	5:00 PM	Tom Woodard +	
St. Mary's	Feb 12	7:00 PM	Joseph & Florence Ball +	
Sun.	Feb 13	9:00 AM	In Thanksgiving	
		11:00 AM	Lauretta Schmidt +	

# **Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations**

## Community Hot Meal Information

As some folks may not be aware of what the Community Hot Meal is all about here is some information: Our church has joined with 6 other churches in Weyburn to prepare and package meals for those less fortunate in our community. Some of the churches lack manpower to prepare the meals so they assist in packaging the meals. Our church takes its turn once per month on the second Sunday. We have two more turns, Feb. 13<sup>th</sup> and Mar. 13<sup>th</sup>. Approximately 85 meals are delivered each time. I put out the call in the bulletin for pots of soup to be made as well as buns and cookies. Generous volunteers in our church supply me with the needed food. The food is delivered to Knox Hall on the designated Sunday afternoon by 4:30pm. Once all the food has arrived the soup is dished out into 24 oz. Styrofoam containers. Jane and John Smith provide the names and amount of meals needed per order and our workers place soup, buns and cookies in the brown paper bag. A label is attached with the name of the client and drivers deliver the meals around town. The delivery time is between 5 - 5:30 pm. The process is very smooth and in no time the meals are all packaged and delivered while still hot. If you know of someone who could benefit from a meal please contact John Smith at 306-891-4123. He will make contact.

Here is what is required for our next session on Feb. 13<sup>th,</sup> next weekend (thank you to the volunteers who have already stepped forward with pots of soup and buns): 4 pots of soup, 3 dozen cookies (2 per Ziploc bag). If you know you can provide food for Feb. 13<sup>th</sup> please contact Wendy Pitre as soon as possible at 306-861-3473.

Thank you so much to those who have previously donated food! It is greatly appreciated!

 

 Readings for February 12 & 13 , 2022: Jeremiah 17:5-8

 I Corinthians 15:12, 16-20

 Luke 6: 17, 20-26



God of Love and Hope, be with us as we ask for your blessing on those who are in need of our prayers: Jesse Sidloski, Rita Wanner, Becky Waite, Carol Reeve, Margaret Briltz, Linda Kot, Owen

Ashworth, Kristofer Sotropa, and all those facing an illness or any of life's struggles.



**Baptism Preparation Classes** are scheduled for February 12th & March 12<sup>th</sup>. Please call the office to register for the date that works best for you.

#### **Engaged Encounter Weekend:**

Engaged Encounter Weekend, scheduled for February 11<sup>th</sup> to February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022 is a unique experience where couples about to be engaged or who are engaged receive witnessing from two married couples who provide an inside look at married life.

It is a weekend totally dedicated to the engaged couple's future married life.

Father Abello is a priest on that weekend and is happy to answer questions you may have. He can be reached at 306-885-2032.

A Special Collection for "Needs of The Church in

**Canada**" will be taken for the Archdiocese for February 5 & 6. If you do not use parish envelopes and wish to donate to this, place your donation in any envelope and write on the outside, "**The Needs of the Church in Canada**", your name and address. All cheques should be made out to St. Vincent de Paul Church. They can be left in the donation baskets at the entrance or at the office. There will be copies of the Special Collections and their dates at the back of the church for anyone looking for them. Thank you.

#### Stewardship Bulletin Bit: 5th Sunday of Ordinary Time

"Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?' 'Here I am,' I said, 'send me!'" (Isaiah 6:8) Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, "Whom shall I send?" Whether it is someone to take on a new ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or to say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities to help someone in need. God is always talking to us; we just need to pay more attention. When you hear God calling have the courage to walk through the door and say "Here I am, Lord."



Welcome to our Parish Library! Our

Parish is blessed to have a very well stocked library and is open to all parishioners. Our library has books on apologetics, theology, biblical commentary, Catholic

living, Church history, the saints and more, at all reading levels. It also has a selection of DVDs including documentaries on the faith and hit films with Catholic content. There is even a small selection of novels and children's materials. All items circulate with a simple sign out sheet, located on the library cart near the front doors of the church. To find the library, go through the Slezak room at the rear of the church and follow the library sign to the right. Pro libris!



# "Bible Corner" - Revelation VI

- Role of the Magisterium This week, we look at the role of the Magisterium in

relation to Scripture & Tradition. "The Apostles entrusted the deposit of faith to the whole of the Church." (CCCC#15). But, "The task of giving an authentic interpretation of the deposit of faith has been entrusted to the living teaching office of the Church alone, that is, to the successor of Peter, the Bishop of Rome, and to the bishops in communion with him." (CCCC#16). This, "Magisterium is not superior to the Word of God, but is its servant. It teaches only what has been handed on to it." (CCC#86). Next week we look at the analogy of a Three-legged Stool.



**Pope Francis and the Bishops** from all over the world are using synods as a tool to gather the thoughts and opinions of laity as to what our church is and what we need to do going forward.

Canadian Bishops have asked that each parish gather this information to forward to the CCB and then to the Vatican. We need to LISTEN to others, LEARN from others, and then LEAD as a result of that listening and learning.

St. Vincent de Paul will be hosting a Synod meeting on February 19, 2022, at 10am-12pm at McKenna Upper Hall where Father Francis and Pat Wolensky will guide us through what Synod means. We will be gathering with our Deaneries and Parish Councils at the local level to begin this process as we "Walk together to follow Christ". Lunch will be available from 12-1pm. From 1pm-3pm, we will meet with the Archdiocese Pastoral Support Team to go over the draft of the new Parish Pastoral Council Guidelines. Please call the office to register@ 306-842-2129. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.



of pain, loss, stress, healing; or simply to be a symbol of prayers and love for anything else that may be happening in the recipient's life. If you would like to choose a prayer shawl to give to a loved one, please come see us at the parish office



Marriage – Celebrate and Learn! Join the Spiritual Faith Formation Committee for an evening of celebrating and learning more about marriage. We'll be watching a series of

videos that will explain what the Catholic Church teaches about marriage, with discussion and fellowship afterwards. Saturday, February 26th, 7:00pm in the Church basement. Everyone welcome.

	Stewardship & 7	Salent - February, 5 & 6		
	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM	
Readers	Merle St. Onge Janice Seitz	Patsy Ernst Lynn Colquhoun	Carol Toles Glenda Shupe	
Eucharistic Ministers	Wendy Sidloski Derek Redman Stella Hoffart	Richard Wick Marcel Bauche Lynn Colquhoun	Yvette Bauche Elaine Nielsen Vacant	
Children's Liturgy		-	Joan Marcotte Davies	
Power Point	Lloyd Zyla	Gerry Langlois	Mitzy Recto	
Hospitality	Yvonne Dzuba Tiffany Bohn Jim Wanner	Frank & Eveline Porte Harry Jensen & Elaine Gray Jim Parsons	Ron Wormsbecker Aime Isabey Pat & Loretta Benning	
Counters	Don Kraft, Bev Tourand, Demmy	& Nhar Pinon		
	Stewardship of Time	& Talent - February, 12	& 13	
	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM	
Readers	Cecile Sellinger	Stafford Nimegeers	Shirley Mondor Connie Regier	
Eucharistic Ministers	Lloyd Zyla Dave Creurer Janice Seitz	Aime Isabey Ron Klein Susan Kot	Mel VanBetuw Ken Leblanc Danette Tracey	
Children's Liturgy	-	-	Karla Ernst	
Power Point	Roberto Roman	Gerry Langlois	Jacob LeBlanc	
Hospitality	Brian Winter Dorothy Gaab Dave Creurer	Yvonne Kerr Omer & Chris Marcotte Richard & Celine Wawro	Ron & Josie Klein Charlene Keen	
Counters	Sherry Dreis, Kerry Dolter & Richard Wick			

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Pastor: Rev. Francis Plaparampil • 306-842-2055 • franplap@hotmail.com         Office Administrator: Janice Seitz • secretary@stvincentdepaul.ca         Administrative Assistant/Receptionist: Val Wing • stvincent314@gmail.com         Hall Convener: Angelo Fresnido • 306-842-4481 • mckennaweyburn@gmail.com • www.mckennahall.ca				
Caretakers: Dushyant Dave, Jeff Greening				

**Parish Council Members:** Marga Cugnet (chair), Sarah Ayeri, Brenda Kosior, Jim Wanner, Val Wing, Wendy Sidloski, Pat Wolensky, **Parish Finance Chairperson** – Pamela Haupstein

K of C Grand Knight: Aime Isabey (861-3535) aime@sasktel.net K of C Contact: 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Knight, Pete Broccolo; 306-891-9755 - petebroccolo@gmail.com Weyburn K of C Meetings: (Sept.-June) Exec & Directors – 2nd Mon. of month, Gen Mtg. – 4th Mon. of month

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