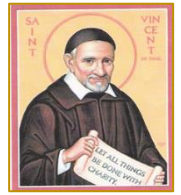


# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH



## 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!*



## June 1 & 2 – The Ascension of the Lord

### **Good News Reflection - Why did Jesus ascend to heaven?**

Imagine how readily people would have converted if he had resumed his public ministry after his resurrection. Even the Pharisees who had seen him die would have fallen at his feet in repentance. However, God's salvation plan for the world was much bigger than that. While Jesus walked the earth, he was but one human. Afterward, by giving himself in the Eucharist to his disciples, he became every human who takes this gift seriously. When we receive Jesus in the Eucharist, we unite ourselves to his mission.

As we see in today's Gospel reading, before he ascended to heaven, Jesus commissioned every disciple -- including you -- for this task. "Commission" means "with the same mission, working together. This commissioning rite is repeated at the end of every Mass, when the Jesus, through the priest, sends us forth to love and serve the Lord to make a difference in the world.

Humanly we are quite inadequate to change the world, so Jesus gave us his Holy Spirit. By uniting our spirit to his Spirit and then relying on God in every situation, adequacy is not the question. It's willingness. Are we willing to put time and effort and spiritual growth into being Christ's hands and feet and voice for the world? Because Jesus ascended to heaven, he has no hands but our hands, and he has no voice but our voice.

Are you unhappy about the evils that exist in this world? God has great plans to bring his kingdom into these situations. Are you concerned about the abuses you see? Immorality on television? Injustices in your workplace? Divisions in your parish or hurtful behavior in your leaders? Jesus is far more disturbed by these evils than you are. And he has a plan. What do you think your part in it could be as you work with him and let *him* work through *you*?

Ever since Jesus ascended into heaven and sent his Holy Spirit to earth, God has chosen to minister to the world through us, first in our homes, then extending his love into our parishes and beyond.

### **Pray in celebration of the Ascension of Our Lord:**

Lord Jesus, fill me with the presence of Your Holy Spirit and with the gifts You want me to use. Show me when and how to use these charisms. And help me to overcome my pride and fears and any other sins that are holding me back from the works that You are calling me to do. I want to be Your hands, Your feet, and Your voice, Lord Jesus. Amen!

### **Questions for Personal Reflection:**

What thresholds or new beginnings are you facing? How are these opportunities for the continuation of the ministry of Jesus?

**We want to celebrate your milestones!** Send us the dates of milestone Birthdays or Anniversaries of either you or your loved ones, and we will announce the special occasion in our parish bulletin!

**We are a Scent-Free building.**

Our many chemically sensitive parishioners appreciate your thoughtfulness by not wearing perfume, aftershave, scented hand lotion, fragranced hair products, essential oils and/or scented products.



**Understanding the Mass: 100 Questions, 100 Answers** by Mike Aquilina.

Do you find Mass boring? Not if you understand what is going on! Mike Aquilina walks readers through 100 of the most common questions about the Mass from the meaning of prayers and practices to explaining the Real Presence. You may be surprised at how much is happening right in front of you every Sunday. Now available in the Parish Library.



**The St. Vincent de Paul Religious Articles**

**Shop** will be wrapping up our Spring lobby sale this weekend on **Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>**. There is a great selection, which includes gifts and cards for First Eucharist and Confirmation.



**Saint Pio is coming to the Archdiocese of Regina!** On **Saturday, June 1<sup>st</sup>**, from **11am until 9pm**, there will be a public veneration of relics from Saint Padre Pio, as part of a North American tour. This will be held at the **Holy Rosary Cathedral in Regina** (2104 Garnet Street). Archbishop Donald Bolen will also celebrate a Mass in honour of Saint Pio at 10am on that day. There will also be a shorter veneration of the relics on **June 2<sup>nd</sup> at Miller High School in Regina from 7:45am to 11:45am**. For more information please call (306) 352-1651 or email [communications@archregina.sk.ca](mailto:communications@archregina.sk.ca).



**Stewardship Bulletin Bit**

*"I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end."* (Revelations 22:13)  
This is a reminder of how we should live our lives 24 hours a day, 7 days a week – putting God first in all that we do. Not only when I am at Mass and parish activities, but when I am in the world, at work or at school. Living gratefully and generously is a lifestyle; it should influence how I make all my daily decisions.

**Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations**

Mon.	June 3	9 AM	Wade Kot
Tues.	June 4	-	-
Wed.	June 5	9 AM	Lay Service
Thurs.	June 6	9 AM 7 PM	Walter & Joy Janeczko + Confirmation & First Eucharist
Fri.	June 7	12:10 PM 12:45 PM 5 PM	Harvey Seitz + 1 <sup>st</sup> Friday Adoration Benediction
Sat.	June 8	10 AM 5 PM 7 PM	@ Tatagwa – Gertrude Friess + Vivian Kelly @ St. Mary's – Gertrude LaRocque+
Sun.	June 9	9 AM 11 AM	Adam Bradley +

**June 8 & 9**

*Acts 2.1-11 • 1 Corinthians 12.3b-7,12-13 • John 20.19-23*



Thank you and welcome to Fr. Tony Dizy, who will be celebrating Mass with us this weekend!

**There are several open spots** on our various schedules for different Mass ministries. For most schedules, the commitment is only about once a month; for some even less. **If you are able to volunteer, please consider lending a hand.** Our church choirs would also appreciate extra voices in their ranks, for those that are more musically inclined. **Please contact the parish office to express your interest!**

**Forget Annual Pilgrimage** at Our Lady of La Salette Shrine in Forget, SK will be on **Sunday, June 9<sup>th</sup>**. This day will include a Holy Hour, Reconciliation, a procession to the Shrine, a recitation of the Rosary, Mass, and a Supper. **For more information on times and details, please see the poster on the church foyer bulletin board, or visit our parish website.** All are invited to come and enjoy a day of faith and fellowship!

**Update on Sandy Bay:** We have been able to establish a location in Saskatoon, the Oblates of Mary Immaculate house, which will keep donations from our parish until Father Heinner or someone from Sandy Bay is able to bring the donations from Saskatoon to Sandy Bay. **If any parishioner is driving to Saskatoon and has room for some bags or boxes that are now stored in the church basement, it would be greatly appreciated if you could deliver some of the donations to Saskatoon. Please contact the parish office if are you able to do this, and they will give you the address.**



**The Baby Bottle Campaign is here!** This campaign is run by *OptionS Pregnancy Center*, whose vision is to bring compassionate help and hope to women, men, and teens who are unprepared for pregnancy; to present sexual abstinence as a positive lifestyle for singles; to provide healing and restoration to those who have been hurt by abortion; and to present Jesus as Saviour and Lord.



**To support this campaign, please pick up an empty baby bottle on your way out of the church.** You can fill it with cash or a cheque, and then return the bottle to the church by **Father's Day, on Sunday, June 16<sup>th</sup>.** Please do not return the bottle to the same bin that you pick them up from, but return it to the parish office. In the event that the office is closed, there will be a basket for the bottles by the office door. This is the biggest fundraiser of the year for OptionS, and the finances and prayer support that they receive enables them to reach more people in our city and province during their times of need.

*If you or someone you know is interested in any of OptionS' programs, or interested in volunteering, please give them a call at 306-757-1371.*

**There is a special collection coming up next weekend, on June 8-9** (Pentecost Sunday). The collection is for **Catholic Missions in Canada**, and there is a special envelope for the collection in the donation envelope boxes.



**Fr. Francis has recently left on another trip to India, and will return soon on June 4<sup>th</sup>.** Please be patient of any Mass changes, particularly for daily Mass. The "Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations" section of the bulletin will have the changes laid out. Please also be welcoming and helpful to the priests who will be celebrating Mass in Father Francis' absence. **Please also remember to pray for Fr. Francis in his travels!**



**Anyone who has a key to either McKenna Hall or the Church,** please contact the parish office and let them know. If you no longer have a regular use for the key, please also drop it off at the parish office.

**Knights of Columbus:** 2019 Sask. State Charity Appeal tickets are now available for purchase from any Knight. Cost is \$1.00 per ticket; books of 10 tickets are available. Brs are to contact Br Pete BROCCOLO (306-891-9755 - [petebroccolo@gmail.com](mailto:petebroccolo@gmail.com)) ASAP to receive books.

**Funeral Lunch Groups:** The following groups are next for upcoming funerals: Donna & Renee, Shirley & Theresa, and Marilyn & Evelyn.

**Confirmation and First Eucharist** will be celebrated at St. Vincent de Paul parish on **Thursday, June 6 at 7pm.** Archbishop Donald Bolen will join us for this celebration. All are encouraged to attend and to keep the confirmands and their families in your prayers. There is also a rehearsal for Confirmation and First Eucharist on **Sunday, June 2 at 6:30pm.**



**The Archdiocese of Regina** has three deacons that will be ordained to the priesthood. Deacon Parker Love, Deacon Anthony Tran Phung, and Deacon Van Chinh Vu will all be ordained on **Friday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.** This celebration will be held in the **Holy Rosary Cathedral in Regina**, and there will be a reception to follow.



**Everyone is welcome** to come to our **1<sup>st</sup> Friday Adoration on June 7.** Adoration will begin after the 12:10pm Mass (at around 12:45pm) and will end with Benediction at 5pm.

**Women's Wellness Retreat:** The second annual *Women's Wellness Retreat* is being offered June 7-9 at Camp O'Neill. This is a weekend to come together in a community of women to "Enrich our minds, strengthen our bodies, and feed our souls". For more information, please go to [www.camponeill.ca](http://www.camponeill.ca) or contact Linda at 306-745-6869 or Shirley at 306-270-8638.

**Members of the 11am Mass Choir** are reminded that there is a choir practice at **3:30pm on June 4<sup>th</sup>.** If anyone is considering joining one of our church choirs, this would be a great opportunity for you to see what it's all about!



**St. Vincent de Paul Parish Trivia**  
**The answer is: B**

Our parish often collects and donates clothes and other items for Sandy Bay, a poor community in Saskatchewan. Make sure to read the update in the bulletin of how we can continue to help this community!

**Make sure to watch the projector screens before Mass to see next week's question!**

<b>Stewardship of Time &amp; Talent - June 1 / 2</b>			
	<b>SAT 5 PM</b>	<b>SUN 9 AM</b>	<b>SUN 11 AM</b>
<b>Readers</b>	Merle St. Onge	Claire Kuhn Lynn Colquhoun	Patricia Redman Marga Cugnet
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b> First 3 serve bread Last 4 serve cup	Jo Martin Lloyd Zyla <b>VACANT</b> Brian Winter Dave Creurer <b>VACANT</b> Janice Seitz	Yvonne Kerr Doreen Verbeurgt Marcel Bauche Lynn Colquhoun	<b>VACANT</b> Bonnie Sidloski Yvette Bauche Elaine Nielsen
<b>Acolytes</b>	<b>VACANT</b>	<b>VACANT</b> Richard Wick	Mel Van Betuw Ken LeBlanc
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Christie McKenzie	Ingri Roman	Danielle Branvold Janene Hoffman
<b>Power Point</b>	Randy Schiller	Carole Milo	Jennifer Woodard
<b>Hospitality</b>	Chad Klein Sean Galvin Steve & Glenda Zackrisson Raeanne Leffler	Frank & Eveline Porte Hilarion Pohl Harry Jensen Elaine Gray	Ron Wormsbecker Aime Isabey Pat & Loretta Benning
<b>Counters:</b>	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten, Kevin & Verna O'Neill		
<b>Stewardship of Time &amp; Talent - June 8 / 9</b>			
	<b>SAT 5 PM</b>	<b>SUN 9 AM</b>	<b>SUN 11 AM</b>
<b>Readers</b>	Janice Seitz	Stafford Nimegeers Cecile Sellinger	Ingri Roman
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Rose Loos Joyce Reiser Mary Ann Piwarski <b>VACANT</b> Roberto Roman Steve Zackrisson <b>VACANT</b>	Chris Marcotte Jean Woodard Susan Kot Shannon Tuchscherer	Judy Van Betuw Val Wing Helene Gordon Danette Tracey
<b>Acolytes</b>	<b>VACANT</b>	Aime Isabey Ron Klein	Stella Hoffart Gordon Rutten
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Deanna Schwindt	Tara Kurtz	Karissa & Autumn Vilcu
<b>Power Point</b>	Fingler Family	<b>VACANT</b>	Roberto Roman
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<b>Counters:</b>	Dave Creurer, Rob Labbie, Darren Woodard		

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**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)

Exec Mtg. – 2nd Mon. of month Gen Mtg. – 3rd Mon. of month

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

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