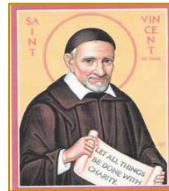


# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH



## 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!*



**May 4 & 5 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter**

## **Good News Reflection - The nature of our calling**

Whenever I read this Sunday's Gospel story, I have to wonder, how did Jesus catch the fish he was barbecuing when the disciples came ashore? Did he have a net, too? Did he buy it in town with the bread? If so, didn't anyone recognize him? Or maybe the fish just jumped out of the water onto the fire! And maybe he turned stone into bread, like Satan had once tempted him to do.

Reflect back upon the miracle of the multiplication of loaves and fish. Same foods: bread and fish. Same miracle! It does not matter how little we have or even whether we have anything at all. God the Creator has an infinite supply and is able to produce an abundance of everything. It's never based on what we have; it's always based on the love he has for us.

What he wants from us is the willingness to do the work of sharing what God provides. In the miracle of feeding the crowd, the disciples were asked to distribute the multiplied food. In the miracle of the huge catch of fish, the disciples were asked to "bring some of the fish you caught" and add it to the meal that Jesus was already cooking.

Afterward, Peter was asked to share the love he had for Jesus with the "sheep". From where does love come? Peter didn't love anybody by his own efforts; none of us do. Peter was created with God's love already in him, as we all were, for we were made in the image of God who is love.

Peter's calling was to share the abundance of God's love, so that the kingdom of God could continue to spread throughout the earth. What is God asking you to do? The answer does not lie in what you have, but in what you are willing to do with what God already has.

## **Questions for Personal Reflection:**

What work for the kingdom of God (the parish, a friend, a community program) have you felt a desire to do but haven't yet done because your net feels empty? Assume that Jesus is asking you to do it; what action can you take this week that will toss your net over the other side of the boat?

**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.

**Unprotected: A Pope, the Pill, and the Perils of Sexual Chaos (DVD)**



Since the 1960's the sexual revolution has done untold damage to millions of lives. Unprotected is a documentary that traces the history of this misery to the widespread use of contraception and a refusal to accept God's design for marriage. **Now available in the Parish Library.**



**From a Mess to a Message: Pro-Life speaker Denise Mounenay**

Weyburn Pro-Life is bringing national speaker and author Denise Mounenay to McKenna Hall on **Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.** Denise is a captivating speaker with an urgent, timely message. She is reaching out to people across Canada and around the world regarding the horrific impact of legal abortion to women, men, families and nations. She is the Founder of *Canada Silent No More* and *Together For Life Ministries*, offering hope and healing to people affected by abortion and pregnancy loss.

Thank you to Fr. Gerry Bauche and to Fr. Sajy Thomas Chakkittamuriyil, who will be celebrating our regular Masses with us this weekend! Thank you also to Fr. Thomas Mutavanattu and to Archbishop Donald Bolen who will be celebrating the Masses for the CWL Convention that begins this weekend!

**Rosary Procession on Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup>:**

In commemoration of May being the month dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Spiritual and Adult Faith Formation Committee is hosting a Rosary procession downtown on **Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup>** following the 5 pm Mass. The procession will take approximately 25 minutes to complete and we will be carrying the Statue of Our Lady of Fatima with us. We will also show a brief video about Our Lady. Snacks, refreshments and fellowship included! Everyone is welcome.



**Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations**

Sun.	May 5	4:30 PM	CWL Convention Mass
Mon.	May 6	3 PM	CWL Convention Mass
Tues.	May 7	-	-
Wed.	May 8	9 AM 10 AM	Lay Service Lay Service @ Bison Manor
Thurs.	May 9	- Communion Services	- 10 AM Parkway Lodge 10:20 AM Hilltop Manor 11 AM Crocus Villa
Fri.	May 10	7 AM 9:30 AM 12:10 PM 6:30 PM 7 PM	Adoration begins @ Weyburn Special Care Home <b>Joe Schuck +</b> <b>Benediction</b> <b>Adoration ends</b>
Sat.	May 11	10 AM 5 PM 7 PM	@ Tatagwa- <b>Viola Pfaff +</b> <b>Pat Johnstone +</b> @ St. Mary's- <b>Jerome Hangen+</b>
Sun.	May 12	9 AM 11 AM	<b>Alphonse Fossenier +</b>

**Readings for May 11 & 12**

*Acts 13.14,43-52    Revelation 7.9,14b-17    John 10.27-30*



**The Weyburn United Way Group** is looking for

youth ambassadors that would volunteer to promote the Weyburn United Way at different functions throughout the city, as well as in schools in the fall. They are looking for five or so energetic youth, Grade 7 and up. They can be friends already, or an individual can also sign up if they enjoy meeting and working with others. This is to take the place of what was formerly known as the "Communion Heroes". If you have any questions or are interested, or know of any youth who may be interested, please call Brian at 306-842-5165.

**Fr. Francis has recently left on another trip to India, and will return on June 4<sup>th</sup>.**

Please be patient of any Mass changes, particularly for daily Mass. The "Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations" section will have the changes laid out. Please also be welcoming and helpful to the priests who will be celebrating Mass in Father Francis' absence. **Lastly, please remember to pray for Fr. Francis in his travels!**

**St. Vincent de Paul Bursary Applications**

are available for any of our parishioners who will be attending a post-secondary educational institution within the next year. This scholarship is for a student who has been faithful in their commitment to their relationship with Christ, as well as in their parish involvement. Application forms can be found in the church foyer, or on the main page of our parish website. **The applications are due on Wednesday, May 15.**



**12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care:** On Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup> there will be 12 hours of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from **7am until 7pm**. There will also be Mass at 12:10pm, as well as Benediction at



6:30pm. Stop by at any point within those hours to spend time with Jesus and to offer up your prayers for those in Palliative Care, and for their loved ones.

**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.

**There will be a “catch-up” Sacramental Prep. Class on Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>** at St. Michael School, starting right at the end of the school day. Parents are welcome to join if they are able; but there will be volunteers helping out in the event that not all parents are able to come.

#### **Stewardship Bulletin Bit**

*“Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, ‘Do you love me?’ and he said to him, ‘Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.’ Jesus said to him, ‘Feed my sheep.’” (John 21:17)*

All of us are challenged to show our love for Jesus and others. Discern how God is calling you to use your time in prayer, your talent in charitable works and your treasure to assist those who in need. Remember that giving is an act of worship and helps advance the mission of our parish and greater Church.

**The Weyburn CWL** is hosting the 96<sup>th</sup> Diocesan CWL Convention in Weyburn on **May 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>**. Many CWL members from other parishes within the diocese will be present, and it is sure to be an amazing couple of days. Please be sure to offer prayers for our Weyburn and Diocesan CWL, as well as for their new theme of “Care for our Common Home”.



**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.

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




#### **St. Vincent de Paul Parish Trivia**

The answer is: A

The vast majority of our parish’s early priests were from the Missionaries of LaSalette.

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

**There is an open spot** on the new **Reader schedule** that just started at the beginning of May. It is for the **11am Mass**, and you would only be scheduled to read about once every two months. **Please contact the parish office as soon as possible if you are willing to fill this position.**

**There is a special collection** next weekend,  May 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>, for the **Education of Seminarians (Vocation Sunday)**. Envelopes for this collection are included in the regular donation envelope boxes.

**Operations Christmas Child Meeting:** Lynette Harris, Regional Manager for Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Northern Ontario will be in Weyburn on **Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup> from 7:30pm to 9pm** to bring us an update on Operation Christmas Child. This event is open to all churches, pastors, children, adults, or families who pack shoeboxes or are interested in Operation Christmas Child. Lynette will be sharing information, inspirational success stories, and an outline of the 12 lesson discipleship program that is voluntarily made available to the children after they receive their box. All are welcome!

#### **An Easter Prayer of Blessing**

May God bless you at Easter  
And keep you all year through.  
May God give you all the faith it takes  
To make your dreams come true.  
May His love and wisdom always help  
To guide you on your way.  
May His light shine down upon you now  
To bless your Easter day.

**Wishing you and your loved ones a blessed and joyful Easter season!**

*“Live a life of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God. “ – Ephesians 5:2*

<b>Stewardship of Time &amp; Talent - May 4 / 5</b>			
	<b>SAT 5 PM</b>	<b>SUN 9 AM</b>	<b>SUN 11 AM</b>
<b>Readers</b>	Camille Goski	Delores Herring Theresa Istace	Leko Family Marilyn Schuck
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b> First 3 serve bread Last 4 serve cup	Jo Martin Lloyd Zyla Mary Ann Piwarski Steve Zackrisson Brian Winter Dave Creurer 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>	Don Bohn Frank Porte	Bonnie Sidloski Camille Goski
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Leslie Richards	Ingri Roman	Danielle Branvold Janene Hoffman
<b>Power Point</b>	Roberto Roman	James Richards	Don Kraft
<b>Hospitality</b>	Sean Galvin Raeanne Leffler Steve & Glenda Zackrisson	Frank & Eveline Porte Hilarion Pohl Harry Jensen & Elaine Gray	Ron Wormsbecker Aime Isabey Pat & Loretta Benning
<b>Counters:</b>	Randy & Janet Schiller, Vic Plante		
<b>Stewardship of Time &amp; Talent - May 11 / 12</b>			
	<b>SAT 5 PM</b>	<b>SUN 9 AM</b>	<b>SUN 11 AM</b>
<b>Readers</b>	Glenda Zackrisson	Peter Broccolo Jean Woodard	Doris Aasen Glenda Shupe
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Rose Loos <b>VACANT</b> <b>VACANT</b> Roberto Roman <b>VACANT</b> <b>VACANT 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>	<b>VACANT</b> Richard Wick	Mel Van Betuw Ken LeBlanc
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Deanna Schwindt	Tara Kurtz	Karissa & Autumn Vilcu
<b>Power Point</b>	Randy Schiller	Carole Milo	Jennifer Woodard
<b>Hospitality</b>	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten Bonnie & Frank Kaip Doreen Franko Bernice Driscoll	Yvonne Kerr Omer & Chris Marcotte John & Shannon Tuchscherer	Terry Lonoway Emily Stadler Ron Miller Charlene Keen
<b>Counters:</b>	Sherry Dreis, Kerry Dolter, Richard Wick		

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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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