

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH



Lord's Day Eucharist:

Saturday 5 pm

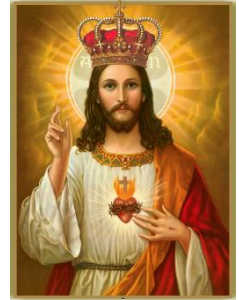
Sunday 9 am

11 am



Mission: St. Mary's – Tribune – Sat. 7 pm

Reconciliation: Fri. 11:30 – 12:00 Sat. 4:00 – 4:40



November 25 & 26, 2017 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Good News Reflection – What does Jesus do as King?

We don't usually think of shepherds as kings, but the scriptures this Sunday describe the kingly powers of the Jesus our Good Shepherd. A good king cares for his subjects the way a shepherd cares for his sheep.

Kings increase the size of their reign and accomplish their work over the whole territory through their subjects. That's why Jesus says, "Whatever you do for one of the least of mine, you do for me."

For example, our Good Shepherd-King wants to distribute food to the hungry, all the way to the farthest reaches of his kingdom. How does he get it done? He gives an abundance of food to some of us and commands us to take it to those who need it.

What happens if we don't fulfill the King's commands? Do the starving people think the King is benevolent? No, they can only see his goodness when we do as he tells us to do.

Look at the people who are around you. Each one is an opportunity to give the King a good name.

What about the people whom you like least of all? What about those who've made you feel angry or intimidated or hurt? Well, ask this: What is he/she hungry for? If the answer's not obvious, ask the Holy Spirit. Observe that person long enough to identify the emptiness or pain or fears that are buried under the surface.

Then ask this: What abundance has God given to me that this "least one" is lacking and needs from Christ our King? Can I show him/her the King's benevolence despite my feelings?

When we say no to opportunities to share what we have, we are behaving like one of the goats whom the Good Shepherd-King separates from the sheep on the way to heaven. And when we say yes, despite the feelings that could make us goat-like, the King's good reputation spreads, and we are all blessed.

Questions for Personal Reflection:

What good things do you have in abundance? How readily do you share them? Who is of least importance to you? How can you take your focus off of what you don't like about them so that you can give them blessings from God?

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Upcoming Eucharist Celebrations November 27 – December 3

Mon.	Nov. 27	9 AM	Lay Service
Tues.	Nov. 28	9 AM	Joy Janeczko+
Wed.	Nov. 29	9 AM	Josef Sidloski
Thurs.	Nov. 30	9 AM	Ed Kuhn+
Fri.	Dec. 1	12:10 PM	Roy Sidloski+
First Friday		5 PM	Benediction
Sat.	Dec. 2	10 AM	Tatagwa Mass
		5 PM	Veronica Bruder+
St. Mary's	Dec. 2	7 PM	
Sun.	Dec. 3	9 AM	
		11 AM	Bernadine VanBetuw+



Readings for: 1st Sunday of Advent

Isaiah 63:16b-17, 64:1, 3-8 1 Corinthians 1:3-9

Mark 13:33-37



Please call the parish office if you have a family member in the hospital and would like a pastoral visit and/or would like to have a family member included in the prayers of the faithful read during Mass.

Funeral Lunch Groups: The following groups are next for upcoming funerals: G5 Fran, G4 Donna & Renee and G1 Rose & Emily.



We welcome into our church and parish family **Tenley Rianne Olson** – daughter of Rhawnie & Joseph, and **Benjamin Franklin Foster** - son of Courtney and Christopher who will be baptized this weekend.

May they grow to know and follow the Lord Jesus, through the grace they have received and the help and prayers of their parents, Godparents and parish community.

Sacramental preparation sessions- Reconciliation:

The remaining dates for sessions are: Nov. 26 and Dec. 3 at 6:30 pm. All sessions take place at McKenna Hall. **First Reconciliation for the children** will be held on **Tuesday, December 5th at 6:30 PM** at the church. Parents are also encouraged to go at that time. Further sessions for sacraments of First Eucharist and Confirmation will continue in the New Year. Watch for dates in upcoming bulletins.



CWL Christmas Social – Monday, **December 4th** with Mass @ 5:30 PM and turkey supper and entertainment to follow at McKenna Hall. For tickets (\$20) call Judy VanBetuw at 842-1583 or 861-3241. Tickets can be purchased from Judy at the Religious Articles Sale this Sunday as well. Please return all sold raffle tickets and money as soon as possible. Place them in a sealed envelope clearly marked **CWL Raffle** and put in collection basket.

Memberships (\$30.00) for 2018 are now due and can be dropped in the collection basket. Please mark envelope **CWL Dues**.

St. Mary's CWL Memberships are due -\$30. Please pay Bernice or Marie.

Bishop Klein Assembly #1526 and Weyburn Council #1731

are jointly hosting a 3rd & 4th Degree Christmas party for members and their ladies on Monday December 11/17 in Weyburn at Upper McKenna Hall. Social at 6 PM, dinner at 7 PM. Alcoholic beverage tickets - \$2 each. Entertainment to follow, provided by Vic Messer of our Assembly. Cost: \$25.00 per person (Clergy and widows are gratis) - tickets are available from - Pete Broccolo (891-9755 or petebroccolo@gmail.com) - Don Bohn (842-6250 or 861-3939 or dl.bohn@sasktel.net) - Bruno Tuchscherer (842-7561 or 861-1997 or brunotuch@sasktel.net)





Advent Reconciliation Service will be held on **Wednesday, December 6th @ 6:30 PM** beginning with a short service. You are invited to come for the service and/or come prior to 8:30 PM to have your confession heard. Priests from the Weyburn Deanery will be in attendance to help celebrate this beautiful sacrament of Reconciliation.



Parish Donations: It will soon be time to prepare envelopes for the New Year. We would encourage you to consider utilizing the preauthorized giving option rather than the envelopes. Please pick up a yellow pre-authorized giving form from the pamphlet rack with information that explains the process and why it is worthwhile for you and the parish.

Religious Articles Shop will be holding a Christmas Lobby sale before and after Masses on Sunday, November 26. Please come check out our meaningful Christmas merchandise.



Family Fun Day – Sunday, Dec. 10 @ 3 PM. Join us for skating at Tom Zandee Rink, then head to McKenna Hall for dinner and an advent activity.



Missals for the new liturgical year can be purchased from the foyer for \$4.00.

On Behalf of Archbishop Donald Bolen, the Archdiocese of Regina and all of the ministries and organizations we fund and support, we would like to thank everyone for their prayers and for their help in the various ministries of the Archdiocese. Thank you for your financial support to this year's Archbishop's Appeal. If you have not already done so, there is still time to make a contribution, as donations will be accepted until the end of December. Your contributions, regardless of size, will ensure that the mission of Christ will continue and that the Church of Christ will grow to touch the lives of others, making the peace and grace of Christ known throughout the Archdiocese of Regina.

SVDP Goal - \$52,703.00

Collected to date - \$34,999.00 = 66.41%

St. Mary's, Tribune Goal - \$1,662

Collected to date - \$775 = 46.63%



Hospitality, Screen System and Collection Counter schedules will all be recurring in the next month. More people joining these groups would be greatly appreciated. Call the office to see where you can share your talents.

Youth Masses: Dec. 2 & 16.
Sport Nights: Nov. 30, Dec. 14.

Advent Youth Rally

December 9, 2017 in the Youth Room!
Come on out and get your heart ready to celebrate the birth of Jesus!

Youth Club Sleepover Blast!!

December 9, in the Youth Room!



Pre-Teen Club meets weekly, on Tuesdays, from 6:30 - 8:00 pm in the Youth Room in the church basement. All children, in grades 5 and 6 are welcome to attend. Join us for fun, games, activities, prayer and great food!

Youth Club meets weekly, on Wednesdays, from 6:30 - 8:00 pm in the Youth Room in the church basement. All youth, in grades 7 - 12 are welcome to attend. Join us for fun, games, activities, prayer and great food!



Welcome Visitors & New Parish Members!

New parishioners are asked to please be sure to fill out a new parishioner form - located on the table in the foyer!

Thank you for finding a sub when you cannot be here!!

Stewardship of Time & Talent - November 25 & 26

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM
Readers	Merle St. Onge	Delores Herring Wendy Pitre	Sandra Marcotte Marilyn Schuck
Eucharistic Ministers First 3 serve bread Last 4 serve cup	Wendy Sidloski Dorothy Lawrenz Alaina Flaaten Alice Schneider Stella Hoffart	Connie Regier Gloria Fong Rhonda Renz Susan Kot John Tuchscherer Diane Borys	Mel VanBetuw Ken LeBlanc Gary Sidloski Shirley Mondor Daryl Fleck
Acolytes		Bruno Tuchscherer Richard Wick	Mel VanBetuw Ken LeBlanc
Children's Liturgy	Deanna Schwindt	Christie McKenzie	Michelle Walkeden
Power Point	Chad Fingler	Barry Britz	Don Kraft
Hospitality	Brian Winter, Jean Reich, Rhonda Baudria, Dorothy Gaab, Steve & Glenda Zackrisson	Lorne & Colette Horack, Willie & Adele Nimegeers, Dick Michel	Judy & Mel VanBetuw, Gordon Rutten, Danette & Calvin Tracey

Counters : Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten, Verna & Kevin O'Neill

Stewardship of Time & Talent - December 2 & 3

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM
Readers	Janice Seitz	Peter Broccolo Jean Woodard	Doris Aasen Glenda Shupe
Eucharistic Ministers	Jo Martin Lloyd Zyla Mary Ann Piwarski Steve Zackrisson Brian Winter Dave Creurer Janice Seitz	Aime Isabey Ron Klein Yvonne Kerr Doreen Verbeurgt Marcel Bauche Lynn Colquhoun	Stella Hoffart Gordon Rutten Jelsen Varghese Bonnie Sidloski Yvette Bauche Elaine Nielsen
Acolytes		Aime Isabey Ron Klein	Stella Hoffart Gordon Rutten
Children's Liturgy	Lise Soles	Ingri Roman	Karissa & Autumn Vilcu
Power Point	Lyric Youth	James Richards	Jennifer Woodard
Hospitality	Chad Klein, Shane Williams, Sean Galvin, Chad & Claire Fingler	Frank & Eveline Porte Hilarion Pohl Sami & Joe Ballenas Harry Jensen & Elaine Gray	Ron Wormsbecker Aime Isabey Pat & Loretta Benning Lise Soles

Counters: Dave Creurer, Rob Labbie, Darren Woodard

Parish Council Co-Chairpersons – Lynn Colquhoun and Ken Kot **Parish Finance Chairperson** – Marcy Labbie

Parish Council Members: Pat Wolensky, Don Vatamaniuck, Sarah Ayeri, Joseph Ball, Brenda Kosior, Vic Plante, John Tuchscherer

Parish Council meets on the last Thursday of each month, excluding July.

K of C Grand Knight: Randy Schiller (861-1863) schrjt@sasktel.net

K of C Faithful Navigator: Peter Broccolo (891-9755) petebroccolo@gmail.com

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