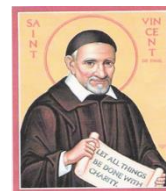


ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH



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!

November 17/18, 2018 – 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Second Coming of Christ?

Do you have an unending problem? Where's Jesus? In this Sunday's Gospel reading, Jesus speaks of his Second Coming. And here he hasn't even finished his first coming! How confusing it must have been to the disciples.

They grew even more confused after Jesus died, was resurrected, and ascended to heaven but delayed coming back. They remembered him saying that "this generation" will not pass away until all these Second Coming events have taken place, yet time passed, the apostles began to die off, and Jesus still had not re-appeared in the clouds. The misery of living in this world continued.

Think of your own unending problem. Don't you wish Jesus would hurry up with his Second Coming and destroy all evil? Notice what Jesus said: "When you see these things happening, know that I am near, at the gates." He didn't pin down a date. He didn't give the disciples -- nor us -- a definitive clue about God's timing. ("Of that day or hour, no one knows, not the angels, not even the Son, but only the Father.") So what *was* he trying to convey?

His nearness!

For the past 2000+ years, we have all been part of "this generation" that will not pass away before his Second Coming. It's the generation of Christian humanity, the Body of Christ on Earth in the form of Church community, the generation of children who have been adopted by God the Father through the sacrifice and resurrection of God the Son.

The final era (the "last days") of salvation began on the first Pentecost and will continue until the Second Coming of Christ. It is the age of the Holy Spirit, when Christ's earthly ministry is continued through us who are empowered by his Spirit.

The lesson in the fig tree is that we can discern when summer is near. In other words, we can discern -- in good times and in bad -- that Jesus is near to us, not in the flesh except during Mass in the Eucharist, but in his Holy Spirit.

Jesus is right now at "the gate" of your next move, your next step on the journey to heaven. A gate is meant to be opened so that we can pass through it. Jesus is opening the gate right now for you -- the gate of holiness, the gate of love. Step through it to live in the fullness of the mission he has planned for you here on earth.

Questions for Personal Reflection:

What problems are you waiting to be rescued from? Is Jesus really taking too long, or is there a bigger, better plan he's fulfilling on your behalf? What do you need to do to become more aware of his nearness, his comfort, his joy and peace to help you endure the long wait?

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.



A Man for All Seasons (DVD)

St. Thomas Moore was the Lord High Chancellor of England, second in power only to the King. In 1530 he opposed King Henry VIII's separation from the Catholic Church and refused to ratify Henry's divorce. Imprisoned as a traitor, Moore was offered multiple opportunities to deny his Catholic faith but remained steadfast up to and including his execution as a martyr. This was the highest grossing film of 1966 and is now available through the Parish Library.

Our Directory picture sessions are booking up fast! The only remaining available dates are December 6-8.

If you are unable to make it to a photo appointment, you can always submit a photo with a small fee, and still get a directory! **We would like to have as many families as possible be a part of this, to make our new directory as complete as we can!**

To book, please go to www.stvincentdepaul.ca, call the parish office, or talk to our volunteers after the weekend Masses.

All picture sessions will be held at the church.

Matt Nelson, Catholic speaker, blogger, author, writer for *Catholic Answers* and Assistant Director of the *Word on Fire Institute*, will be leading an **Apologetics Workshop** at St. Vincent de Paul church. On **Saturday, Nov. 17th from 7-9pm**, Matt's topic will be "A New Apologetics for an Age of Religious Indifference". On **Sunday, Nov. 18th from 2-4pm**, Matt will guide us through the nature of God, Bible interpretation, religion and violence, and the science/religion debate. There is no cost, and everyone is invited. Presented by the Spiritual and Adult Faith Formation Committee.

A Bible Study will be running weekly on **Tuesdays from 6:30 to 8:30 pm** in the Slezak Room, no cost and no commitment. We will gather to reflect on the readings for the upcoming Sunday in order to be better prepared for the Mass.



The Youth Group will be doing **Operation Christmas Child** shoe boxes again this year. Don't forget to bring a toy for a youth of your age and gender, and please also bring \$5 to the next club night! Thank you for your participation!

Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations

Mon.	Nov. 19	6:30 PM (CWL)	Marlene Decker
Tues.	Nov. 20	9 AM	Ken Milatz +
Wed.	Nov. 21	9 AM	Ed Zyla +
Thurs.	Nov. 22	9 AM	Lenard & Mary Ann Piwarski
Fri.	Nov. 23	9:30 AM 12:10 PM	@ WSCH Bernard and Sylvia Brezinski
Sat.	Nov. 24	10 AM 5 PM 7 PM (St. Mary's)	@ Tatagwa Ed, John, and Mary Dzuba + Fallen Soldiers +
Sun	Nov. 25	9 AM 11 AM	Ed Janeczko +

Readings: November 24 & 25:

Daniel 7.13-14 Revelations 1.5-8 John 18.33b-37



YOUTH MINISTRY

Grade 7-12 Club will meet weekly on Wednesdays, from **6:30pm – 8pm** in the Youth Room.

Grade 5-6 Club will meet weekly on Thursdays, from **6:30pm – 8pm** in the Youth Room.

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

Sign-up sheets are in the church foyer for those who would like to have a loved one's name read in their remembrance at a Mass in November.

Come out and join us for a **Sports Night on Tuesday, November 20 from 6-7:30pm**. It will be held at St. Michael's School, and will be full of fun!

McKenna Hall is looking for a **phoning coordinator** to help out with making phone calls and finding workers for McKenna Hall events. For more information, or if interested, please contact Angelo or Margaret at 306-842-4481.



CWL CHRISTMAS SUPPER
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4TH
Mass at 5:30 PM, Supper at 6:30
Program to follow!

Tickets are \$20.00 and will be available at the Nov. 19th General meeting, or contact Fran at 306-861-6900 and she will deliver ticket to you. Tickets must be purchased by **November 22**. **Cash donations for Sandy Bay will also be gratefully accepted at the Christmas Party.**

*A reminder that your \$30.00 Memberships are now due and that raffle tickets are due **November 22nd**. If putting in collection basket please mark **CWL tickets/Membership dues** and **return by November 18th**.*

Most of you are familiar with the ongoing roof repair and renovations starting in July and August of this year. **This was a cost of around \$50 000.**

We are asking the St. Vincent de Paul parish family to share in the cost of these repairs by donating what you can to the Building Maintenance Fund. We are so grateful for all who have and will donate to this.

We are all aware that our homes need continuous repair and maintenance to keep our houses in good shape. Our Parish home is no different, and we must all contribute what we can to see that our church home is kept up to date on the repairs that need doing and that we have funds in place to do this.

Donations can be put in a marked envelope and into the collection basket or left at the parish office. Please make cheques payable to "St. Vincent de Paul Building Fund".

Upcoming CWL Events: The General Meeting will be held on **Monday, November 19th** beginning with Mass at 6:30pm, with the meeting to follow. Those wishing to donate towards the monthly Salvation Army collection are asked to bring personal hygiene products. This meeting will also include a special service of remembrance honoring CWL members who have passed away in the past year.



The Religious Articles Shop Lobby Sale will take place after the weekend Masses on **November 24-25, and December 2.** Please come support your parish and check out the reasonably priced, religious-themed gifts!


The K of C Christmas Party is coming up on **December 10**, with social starting at 6pm and supper at 7pm. Price is \$25 per person (Clergy and wives of deceased Brs. are gratis) and alcohol drink tickets are \$2 each. **Please contact Br. Pete Broccolo (petebroccolo@gmail.com) or 306-891-9755) ASAP to reserve your place.**

Two people are needed to convene one of our parish's **funeral lunch groups.** The group members are already in place – we just need conveners. Your group would only have to work 3-4 times per year. If you would be interested in this area of stewardship, or if you have any questions, please call Renée at 306-842-7271.

A new Eucharistic Ministers schedule will be coming out at the end of this month. If there are any changes that need to be made (people being taken off or put on), please give Andrea a call at the parish office by no later than **November 21st.**

The new 2018-2019 Sunday Missals have arrived and are for sale in the church foyer. Please leave \$4 in the basket beside the missals to cover costs.

Join us for a youth mass on **Nov. 24th at the 5pm Mass** and feel free to sing in the Lyric Choir as well!

 **St. Vincent de Paul Parish Trivia**
The answer is: **D**
Throughout his life, St. Vincent de Paul struggled with and prayed for the release of his extreme anger.
Make sure to watch the projector screens before mass to see next week's question!

Donations envelopes for 2019 are going to be prepared in the near future. Please let the office know if you no longer wish to receive envelopes, want to start using them, or if you would like to switch over to **pre-authorized giving.** It is very easy to set up, and will make donating easier for you and the parish!

Weyburn K of C membership dues are now payable. Emails and letters are being sent to all Brs. with amounts owing and payment details.

There are not enough words in the English language to express our feelings to all of you, our amazing family of St. Vincent de Paul! All of your love, care, prayers, and support is what holds us together when we want to fall apart! If that wasn't enough, you came together to help us out financially as well, in an inconceivably generous way. Now that we're mourning Harvey's loss, your love is continuing to pour out on us in abundance! All of this is an expression of the way that God works through his children to show us His boundless love and generosity. We are more humbled, overwhelmed and eternally grateful than we could ever express. God bless you all! ~Janice Seitz and Family

Power in My Hands - Rosary Movie Event

The Spiritual and Adult Faith Formation committee is screening the documentary *Power in My Hands* on **Sunday, December 9 at 7pm** at Lower McKenna Hall. The film uncovers the beauty, history and power of the Rosary. Starring Biblical scholar Jeff Cavins, NFL quarterback Philip Rivers and Rosary expert Fr. Don Calloway, this is not a film to be missed. Snacks and socializing to follow. All are invited!

Congratulations to Mervin and Mary Joy Martija on the baptism of their son, **Lucho Mitchel.** We are so happy to welcome Lucho into our church family!

Congratulations also to **Leslie Richards** who will be granted her Canadian Citizenship on Nov. 23, and a thank you for all her family does for our parish.

Come join us for Adoration on **Wednesday, November 28th at 7pm.** Hosted by the Youth Group, Adoration will include Praise and Worship music.

Stewardship of Time & Talent - November 17 / 18

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM
Readers	Camille Goski	Peter Broccolo Jean Woodard	Doris Aasen Glenda Shupe
Eucharistic Ministers 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	VACANT Bonnie Sidloski Yvette Bauche Elaine Nielsen
Acolytes	VACANT	Don Bohn Frank Porte	Bonnie Sidloski Camille Goski
Children's Liturgy	Deanna Schwindt	Tara Kurtz	Karissa & Autumn Vilcu
Power Point	Fingler Family	Carole Milo	Jennifer Woodard
Hospitality	Chad Klein Sean Galvin Steve & Glenda Zackrisson	Frank & Eveline Porte Hilarion Pohl Harry Jensen Elaine Gray	Ron Wormsbecker Aime Isabey Pay & Loretta Benning Lise Soles
Counters	Randy & Janet Schiller, Vic Plante, Jean Reich		

Stewardship of Time & Talent - November 24 / 25

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM
Readers	Glenda Zackrisson	Carol Reeve Pat Wolensky	Shirley Mondor Connie Rieger
Eucharistic Ministers	Rose Loos Bruno & Margaret Tuchscherer VACANT VACANT Roberto Roman Kim Hauptstein	Chris Marcotte Jean Woodard Susan Kot Shannon Tuchscherer	Judy VanBetuw Val Wing Helene Gordon Danette Tracy
Acolytes	VACANT	Bruno Tuchscherer Richard Wick	Mel VanBetuw Ken LeBlanc
Children's Liturgy	Karla Ernst	Nataliya and Rosanne Mantei	Dawn Purdue
Power Point	Randy Schiller	Barry Britz	Roberto Roman
Hospitality	Jeff and Mary Ann Flaaten Bonnie and Frank Kaip Doreen Franko Bernice Driscoll	Yvonne Kerr Omer and Chris Marcotte John and Shannon Tuchscherer	Terry Lonoway Emily Stadler Ron Miller Charlene Keen
Counters:	Sherry Dreis, Kerry Dolter, Richard Wick		

Parish Council Members: Pat Wolensky, Sarah Ayeri, Joseph Ball, Brenda Kosior, John Tuchscherer, Val Wing, Vic Messer, Jim Wanner **Parish Finance Chairperson** – Dave Creurer

K of C Grand Knight: Aime Isabey (861-3535) aime@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

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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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