### 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. 11:30-12:00pm

Sat. 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!

# 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time October 30<sup>th</sup> & 31st, 2021

#### **Good News Reflection**

In this Sunday's Gospel reading, Jesus asserted the two greatest commands of the Law. He quoted from the ancient Hebrew scriptures, which we have for today's first reading. And the second reading, from the New Testament letter to the Hebrews, explains how the Law of Love supersedes or fulfills all other laws. Jesus, who loved perfectly and never sinned against anyone, sacrificed himself for sinners. Therefore, we who want to follow him to heaven need to follow in his footsteps of love, by loving God and everyone else whole-heartedly.

Try as we might, though, we love imperfectly; we sin. The best penance, then, is an act of love, especially if it's a sacrifice offered to (or for) those who were harmed by our sin. But the damage we've caused has a ripple effect that goes far beyond anything we can see. This is remedied in the Catholic Church's Sacrament of Reconciliation. Jesus -- through the priest -- accepts our remorse and absolves our sins, while the entire earthly Body of Christ (the Church) -- through the priest -- accepts our penances for the earthly damage that our sins have caused.

Penance is not only an act of love, it's designed to strengthen our resolve to choose love when tempted to sin again. If the priest gives us an easy penance (for example, "Say the Lord's Prayer and three Hail Marys"), if we really want to become holier, we should ask God during those three Hail Marys for a penance that's a more difficult act of love. We should choose a sacrifice, something that requires loving God with our whole heart, soul, and mind as well as loving ourselves and our neighbors just as much.

Saint Anthony Mary Claret said, "The love of Christ arouses us, urges us to run, and to fly, lifted on the wings of holy zeal." How high is your love flying? Zeal is a good measuring instrument of how much we love God.

		Upcoming Celel	brations
Mon.	Nov. 01	No Mass	
Tues.	Nov. 02	***7:00 PM	All Soul's Mass
Wed.	Nov. 03	9:00 AM	Alozy & Maria Burda +
Thur	Nov. 04	9:00 AM	Marlene Price +
Fri.	Nov. 05	12:10 Mass Adoration Benediction @ 4:00 PM	Liliane Kot +
Sat.	Nov. 06	5 PM @ SVDP 7 PM @ St.	Cecile Hall +
		Marys	Antony Plaparampil +
Sun.	Nov. 07	9 AM SVDP	Ed Kuhn +
		11 AM SVDP	Ray Durand +



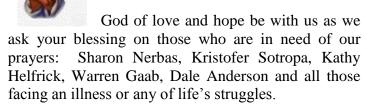
- 2022 CWL fees are now due (\$35.00). They can be put in an envelope clearly labelled CWL FEES and placed in the collection basket at church or dropped off at the church office during regular business hours.
- The CWL Christmas Party is Dec.  $6^{th}$ . Tickets are \$25.00 and are available from Judy Van Betuw at 306-Tickets will also be available at the 861-3241. November CWL General Meeting.
- It is now time for the annual CWL Christmas Raffle. Thanks to local businesses who generously donated some amazing prizes. All CWL members are asked to sell tickets to make our only fundraiser in 2021 a huge success. Ticket stubs and money can be put in an envelope clearly marked "CWL RAFFLE" and placed in the collection basket at the church or dropped off at the church office during regular business hours. For additional tickets, please contact Jean Woodard.
- <u>CWL Rosary at Hilltop Manor</u> New schedules are available starting November 15, 2021. Please pick up from the pamphlet rack

# November 6th & 7th, 2021 1 Kings 17: 10-16

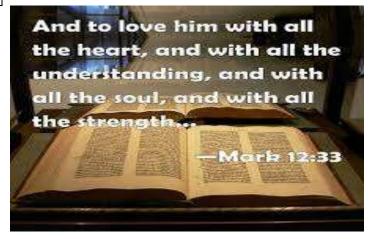
Psalm: 146

Hebrews 9: 24-28

Mark 12: 38-44



Our condolences to the family and friends of John Leveille. The thoughts and prayers of your church family are with you.



### Bulletin Bit -31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

"And 'to love him with all your heart, with all your understanding, with all your strength, and to love your neighbor as yourself is worth more than all the burnt offerings and sacrifices." (Mark 12:33) Of all the gifts that God gives us, the one He wants the most is our heart. He wants us to share out of our love for Him, not out of obligation. Using our talent in parish ministry and contributing money to support our parish mission is important, but it's more important to spend time in prayer with God daily and discern how He is calling us to be generous with all of our gifts. Not just the visible ones, but the invisible ones like love, mercy and forgiveness.

#### **SAFF UPCOMING EVENTS:**

#### **Litany of Loreto**

Starting the month of October the church's marquis sign on the front lawn will be displaying the Litany of Loreto. Each phrase of the Litany will appear on the sign for one week until the entire Litany has been displayed, for a total of 64 weeks. We hope to encourage prayer, devotion to the Blessed Mother, and to evangelize. This is a project of the Spiritual and Faith Formation Committee.

## - Prayers for the dearly departed at local cemeteries

The Spiritual And Faith Formation (SAFF) committee is hosting prayers for the dearly departed at both Weyburn cemeteries on Sunday Nov 7. We will meet at the Canada flag at 2pm at Hillcrest Cemetery to recite some brief prayers, then move to Green Acres Memorial Gardens. Prayers for the departed are especially meritorious during November, which is the month dedicated to the Holy Souls in Purgatory. This event will go forward rain, snow, or shine, so please dress for the weather. Everyone welcome.

The **RELIGIOUS ARTICLES SHOP** has received stock! Christmas cards and Christmas merchandise are now available. We also have Sleeping St. Joseph statues in stock again! Please contact Judy at 306-861-3241 or Eveline at 306-842-1444 to make purchases. The Parish

\*\*\*\*\*We will be having our Lobby Sale on Saturday November 20<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, November 21<sup>st</sup> before and after Mass.

Office can assist you during regular office hours.

<u>Knights of Columbus</u> will be saying the Rosary, in honor of Mary, **today**, October 31st (fifth Sunday) at 2:30 PM.

They invite you to join them.

#### **Annual Appeal**

Jesus encourages us, through the gospel, to trust God with all our hearts, to persevere and believe that good will come in the end. Giving with our hearts is trusting in God's providence, knowing that He will take care of us. Thank you very much to those who have already given. We are very grateful. For those still undecided, please prayerfully consider making a donation this year

### Faithful Departed Mass: All Soul's Day is Tuesday,



**November 2.** At the 7:00 PM Mass we will celebrate in remembrance those that passed away in the last year, whose funerals were celebrated in our parish.

Letters have been sent out inviting family members to join us and to light a candle in memory of their loved one. Those of you who have lost family members in 2021 that are not from our parish will be invited to light a candle after the list of deceased parishioners has been read.

**During the month of November** you are invited to remember the faithful departed that



remember the faithful departed that are close to your heart by CLEARLY PRINTING their name on the provided sheets on the back table in the foyer. Ten names will

be read at each weekend Mass in November. Please show consideration to others by only signing up once. This allows others a chance to have their loved one's name read also.



#### Parish Library Update:

# The devil in the city of Angels: my encounters with the diabolical by Jesse Romero

In his decades long career as a Los Angeles County Sheriff, Jesse Romero encountered murderers, drug addicts, serial killers, and the criminally insane. As a faithful Catholic he recognized the signs of diabolical activity in the crimes being committed up to and including demonic possession. In this book he describes his experiences and tells readers about the spiritual and physical dangers of opening oneself to the occult. Reader discretion is advised. Now available at the Parish Library.

Stewardship Time & Talent October 30 & 31, 2021						
	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM			
Readers	Patricia Redman Derek Redman	Pat Wolensky	Carol Toles Glenda Shupe			
Eucharistic Ministers	Rose Loos Mary Ann Piwarski Roberto Roman	Theresa Istace Pat Wolensky	Carol Toles Aime Isabey Roberto Roman			
<b>Power Point</b>	Lloyd Zyla	Gerry Langlois	Jennifer Woodard			
Hospitality	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten Bonnie & Frank Kaip	Jean Janoski Willie & Adele Nimegeers Dick & Audrey Michel	Mel & Judy Van Betuw Gordon Rutten Calvin & Danette Tracey			
Counters	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten Kevin & Verna O'Neill					
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Readers	Lloyd Zyla	Wendy Pitre	Shirley Mondor Connie Regier			
Eucharistic Ministers	Mary Janeczko Lynne Garner Betty Van Staveren	Don Bohn Frank Porte	Shirley Mondor Stella Hoffart Gordon Rutten			
<b>Power Point</b>	Roberto Roman	Gerry Langlois	Roberto Roman			
Hospitality	Yvonne Dzuba	Frank & Eveline Porte Harry Jensen	Ron Wormsbecker			
	Tiffany Bohn Jim Wanner	Jim Parsons	Aime Isabey Pat & Loretta Benning			

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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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