

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!



28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 10 & 11, 2020

Good News Reflection; How to handle fakers

In this Sunday's Gospel reading, Jesus addresses the problem of fakers, i.e., people who try to win his friendship by being religious and showing up for the banquet of the Eucharist (Mass) while refusing to enter into a genuine relationship with God.

You know the type: They are friendly as long as it works to their own advantage. They do good deeds but only when it's convenient. They perform Catholic rituals perfectly during Mass but at home they don't even take time to pray. Their faith is so shallow that distractions easily keep them away from Mass. When a priest sins, they leave Catholicism. When their relationship with you requires sacrifice or repentance, they abandon you.

Those who have a genuine relationship with God are identified by the presence of God's love within them radiating outward and blessing others, especially when it's not easy to love.

Jesus shows us in today's parable how to handle the fakers. The invitation to join the party is open to everyone, but when people want only the fun of being a child of God and they ignore the hard work of sharing his love with others, God sets up boundaries against them.

Think of the people you've invited to your banquet table, i.e., into a healthy, Godly relationship, but they've tried to reshape it according to their unhealthiness and immorality. We should love them but not within harmful circumstances. We should do our own part to make the relationship healthy, but when others do not do their part, they've already abandoned the relationship.

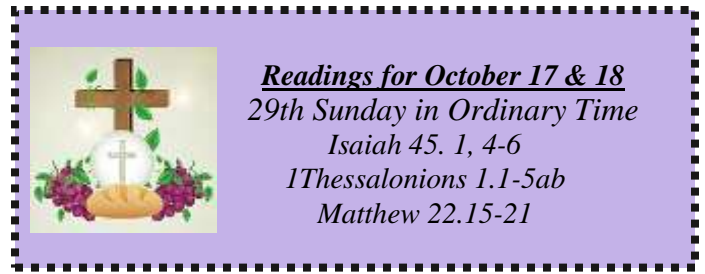
God asks us to carry the cross of doing everything possible to invite them to repentance, conversion, and healing. However, healthy boundaries need to remain in place, and when our efforts are fruitless, eventually God says it's time to let go and move on.

And always, we're to go back out into the byroads to find those who genuinely value Godly friendships.


Questions for Personal Reflection: How many Godly, healthy friendships do you really have? Where can you go to find more people who want to be in a holy, Christ-centered, faith-building relationship with you?

Questions for Community Faith Sharing: What makes a friendship truly good? How do you know when the time has come to say no to an unhealthy, unholy relationship? How have you handled it? Where have you gone to find support and healing and growth?

Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations			
Mon.	Oct. 12	No Mass	
Tues.	Oct. 13	9 AM Mass	Doris Van de Sype +
Wed.	Oct. 14	9 AM Mass	Peter Hoeving +
Thurs	Oct. 15	9 AM Mass	Rose Schultz +
Fri.	Oct. 16	12:10 PM Mass	Garry Borys +
Sat.	Oct. 17	5 PM @ SVDP 7 PM @ St. Mary's	Phillip Ruckaber + All the souls in Purgatory
Sun.	Oct. 18	9 AM SVDP 11 AM SVDP	Andrew Goeres + Alberto Siscar +



Readings for October 17 & 18
 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Isaiah 45. 1, 4-6
 1Thessalonians 1.1-5ab
 Matthew 22.15-21

 Are you considering becoming Catholic? Are you a Catholic interested in being confirmed? Are you a Confirmed Catholic who's ready to explore your faith anew? Join us in an extraordinary process of learning more about the Catholic faith in an adult learning environment. Join us and discover if you're being called to become part of this Catholic family. Join us and rediscover the rituals and traditions of the faith you learned as a child. Join us for RCIA! Please call the office for more information or to sign up!

Archbishop's Appeal Announcement;
 Our financial goal for our Archbishop's Appeal is \$1.6 Million. This amount will help the Archdiocese finance the different pastoral programs and invest in the future of the church through endeavors such as the youth program and the education of clergy and seminarians, deacons and lay apostles. Please prayerfully consider supporting the Archbishop's Appeal this year.



We welcome donations to our Food Bank; Items donated will be taken to the Salvation Army to be distributed to those in need. There are still many people out of work who need our support. There is a large wooden box next to the office door for donations.



Weekly Bible Study will start on Tuesday, October 20, 2020. We will reflect on the readings for the upcoming Sunday. Please join us in the church basement from 6:30 – 8:30 pm. All are welcome to attend.

Father Francis and the Council would like to thank our parishioners for your continued support through these difficult times. For those who are not yet attending masses, and are not on pre-authorized payments and have been asking, donations can either be mailed to the office: St Vincent de Paul 314 3rd St. NE, Weyburn, SK S4H 0W7 or dropped off at the church office.

The Annual General Meeting has been cancelled this year because of Covid 19. If you have any questions or concerns please put them in writing and send them to the office before Sunday, November 15, so they can be addressed at the November Pastoral council meeting and council will get back to you. There are openings on council for anyone interested in investing time into their Parish Pastoral decisions, again , please call the office.

Saskatchewan Provincial Election – The organization Catholic Conscience (<https://catholicconscience.org>) is working with Catholic dioceses across the province to offer information and resources during the Saskatchewan provincial election. The Catholic Action campaign is a non-partisan voter education initiative, centered on educating Catholic voters about Catholic social teaching and how that teaching relates to relevant political issues; along with mobilizing the Catholic community to get out and vote. The first Catholic Action campaign was held during the 2019 federal election, and included a range of resource materials such as “Conscience Cards,” one-page briefs on themes of Catholic social teaching and its relation to relevant election issues, and party platform comparisons from the perspective of Catholic teaching. Catholic Conscience’s latest Catholic Action campaign will help Saskatchewan Catholic voters prayerfully and thoughtfully discern their vote in this provincial election. Find resources and info online at: <https://catholicconscience.org/saskatchewan2020/>

Knights of Columbus: Our 2019 2020 final, and 2020 2021 proposed, budgets were presented at our Sept 28 General Meeting. The proposed one is now a Motion of Intent, for further discussion at our Oct 12 Executive Meeting, and final discussion and voting at our Oct 26 General Meeting. Contact Br Pete BROCCOLO (306-891-9755 or kofcc1731@gmail.com) if you want a copy of the budget printed and handed, or pdf emailed, to you, ASAP.

Sacramental Preparation Registration: We are now open for students in grade two and older. You may register for classes for first Eucharist, Confirmation or any age for Baptism. You can register in person at St. Vincent de Paul Church office or by email at stvincent314@gmail.com. Please register before October 16. Lessons will be virtual for the most part along with at home lessons. You may direct your questions to Pat Wolensky at 842-4626

Stewardship Bulletin Bit: “My God will supply whatever you need...” - Philippians 4:19

God really does provide for those who are grateful and generous. This is very difficult for people that don't live a stewardship lifestyle to believe. People are skeptical and say it's just coincidence. If you are skeptical, try living a stewardship lifestyle for just one month – be generous with your gifts of time in prayer, talent in charitable works and treasure and see how God provides for your needs.



Parish Movie Night: Full of Grace;

The Spiritual and Adult Faith Formation will be hosting a Parish movie night Saturday Oct 17, 7-9pm in lower McKenna Hall. We'll be watching Full of Grace (2015, NR). The film depicts the last days of Our Lady's earthly life as she encourages and motivates the apostles to continue their work in establishing the Church. Seating is limited to the first 25 people. Free refreshments, everyone welcome!

Bulletin Reflection: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Our readings for this Sunday remind us of God's constant invitation for us to God's eternal banquet. But like the guests who were invited in today's gospel, we too sometimes decide to give more importance to our own concerns. The Lord invites us today to look at our own relationship with God. God desires to be in relationship with us and invites us time and time again to respond. We sometimes fail in our response. Like those in the parable who rejected the invitation, we get busy with our own agendas; we ignore God. Or, like the man who shows up improperly dressed, we have the wrong attitude. We may be smug, indifferent or insincere. We cast ourselves into the darkness when we refuse God's offer of friendship.

Let us ask the Holy Spirit to help us become more aware of ways to pay attention to and say our yes to God's invitation to friendship - the "eternal banquet". One of the ways is our giving to the Archbishop's Appeal which goes to further the good works God has entrusted to the church in the Archdiocese of Regina. [Source: Adapted from Living with Christ Oct 15, 2017 and from Appeal 2017 Parish Manual]

World Mission Sunday is on October 18, this year. This is a world- wide celebration of and collection for the missionary Church. The funds raised will go to emergency when disaster strikes, to care for refugees in war torn nations, to establish and support rural health needs and to provide for the daily needs of all the missionaries. Please pray for the missions often and please be generous on World Mission Sunday.



Music Ministry: We invite you to play music or sing or create your own Worship Team. It could even be made up of those in your own household bubble! We could schedule you as frequently as you would like, but it would give a break to those who are called to provide the music most every weekend or when they are away. Please call Val at the parish office at 306-842-21

Stewardship & Talent - October 10 & 11, 2020

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM
Readers	Glenda Zackrisson Lloyd Zyla	Pat Wolensky	Ingri Roman Marga Cugnet
Acolytes			
Eucharistic Ministers			
Children's Liturgy			
Power Point	Roberto Roman	Candice Casio	Austin Leblanc
Hospitality	Yvonne Dzuba Denis Tremblay Jim Wanner	Frank & Eveline Porte Harry Jensen & Elaine Gray Ron & Josie Klein, Jim Parsons	Ron Wormsbecker Aime Isabey Pat & Loretta Benning
Counters	Harry Plemmel, Nick Coroluick, Terry Biss		

Stewardship of Time & Talent - October 17 & 18, 2020

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM
Readers	Wendy Sidloski Ingri Roman	Wendy Pitre Colleen Fellner	Jerome Sidloski Karen Sidloski
Acolytes			
Eucharistic Ministers			
Children's Liturgy			
Power Point	Randy Schiller	Vacant	Roberto Roman
Hospitality	Brian Winter Dorothy Gaab Heather Fellner	Yvonne Kerr Omar & Chris Marcotte Richard & Celine Wawro	Terry Lonoway Emily Stadler Ron Miller Charlene Keen
Counters	Jeff Flaaten, Mary Ann Flaaten, Kevin O'Neill, Verna O'Neil		

Parish Council Members: Marga Cugnet (chair), Pat Wolensky, Sarah Ayeri, Brenda Kosior, John Tuchscherer, Vic Messer, Jim Wanner, Val Wing, Wendy Sidloski Parish Finance Chairperson – Vacant

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

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

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)
Executive Meeting – 2nd Mon. of month General Meeting – 3rd Mon. of month

Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday - 8:30-4:30

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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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