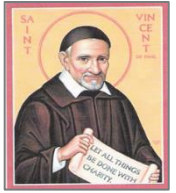


# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH



## 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!



**October 12 & 13, 2019 – 28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Happy Thanksgiving!**



### **Good News Reflection - Give to God what he cannot give to himself**

In this Sunday's Gospel reading, why do nine out of ten healed lepers not return to Jesus to thank him? Maybe they had run off to tell their families and friends about the miracle. Perhaps they were busy trying to convince their families and friends that they really had been healed and were now safe to be around. Or maybe they were preoccupied getting jobs to support themselves, now that they could no longer live in the charity-funded leper colony.

All good and valid reasons.

What was different about the Samaritan leper, the one who did return? The difference was in his spirit. His faith in Jesus saved not only his body but also his spirit. He appreciated the healer, not just the healing. He didn't seek help from the Lord only for his own sake; he went to him for God's sake. He had something he could give to Jesus -- his appreciation, his praise, his worship -- and he wanted to give it.

Are we like that?

When we go to Mass, do we go only for our own sake? Or do we also go for God's sake? The best experiences in church happen when it's both. Do you give Jesus your appreciation when he comes to you in the Eucharist? Do you delight him with the way you worship? Does it look like you're glad to be there?

When we pray for our needs, do we make our requests only for our own sake? Or do we want our prayers answered for God's sake, too? Think about what you're seeking from him: How helpful could that be to God's kingdom?

When we accomplish a goal, does God benefit from it? When he helps us through a trial, what is his reward? We all have something that God cannot give to himself: our praise and our worship. Please don't ever underestimate the value of these important gifts!

### **Questions for Personal Reflection:**

What was the most recent prayer that God answered for you? Have you been too busy to kneel at the feet of Jesus and thank him? When was the last time you praised him while still waiting for his help?

Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations			
Mon.	Oct. 14	-	-
Tues.	Oct. 15	7 PM	Peter Hoewing+
Wed.	Oct. 16	9 AM	Special Intentions
Thurs	Oct. 17	9 AM	Dennis Wanner+
Fri.	Oct. 18	12:10 PM	Pat Dawes+
Sat.	Oct. 19	10 AM @ Tatagwa 5 PM @ SVPD 7 PM @ St. Mary's	Stan Ganczar Vera Wodzinski Meryl Wanner+
Sun.	Oct. 20	9 AM 11 AM 5 PM (Filipino Mass)	Doug Nickel+



**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.

**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!



**October 19 & 20**  
*Exodus 17.8-13 • 2 Timothy 3.14-42*  
*Luke 18.1-8*

**CWL Rummage Sale & Tea Room Saturday**  
**October 26<sup>th</sup>/19 from 9 AM – 4 PM**  
**Upper McKenna Auditorium** Drop off date is **Friday October 25<sup>th</sup> from 12 PM – 6 PM**  
*Please see the poster with important info about which treasures you can part with ☺*



**Youth Program Updates!** In early Nov. we will launch a program which is an initiative of St. Vincent Parish and supported by St. Michael's school. The gatherings will incorporate, sports, games, music, art, service, prayer and catechesis. The youth ministry office is currently working with a core of volunteers to establish the outlines and needed resources for those evenings. **On Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>** we will be presenting to the parish in person the details of the program and a list of the talents needed to minister well to our young people. ***Please pray! Pray for the wisdom of the organizers, the openness of the students and parents and the healing of lingering hurts in the community.***

**The Spiritual and Adult Faith Formation Committee** is



preparing **Catholic Care Packages** for young adults living away from home. The packages will contain items to bolster a young person's physical and spiritual needs such as a Rosary, a guide to Reconciliation, a list of Mass times in their area, basic toiletries and some treats like gum and candy. Sign up sheets for a free care package will be in the church lobby from mid-September to early October.

**Please plan to join us** for 10 consecutive days of praying



the Rosary from October 21 – October 30, weeknights will begin at 6:30PM followed by Mass (there will not be a morning Mass on the weekdays in this time frame); weekend Rosaries will be prayed prior to each Mass. If you would like to lead the Rosary at one of the weekend Masses please contact the office. **On Friday October 25<sup>th</sup>, Adoration**, with our new worship band, will follow Mass.

**Stained Glass Windows Self Guided Tour:** In August the



Spiritual and Adult Faith Formation Committee hosted a tour of the stained glass windows of our parish. An orange booklet is now available in the pamphlet rack near the front doors of the church that will take you on a self guided tour of the windows. Enjoy!



**A Baptism Prep Class** will be held at the church on Saturday, October 19th. Please call the office to register or for more information.

**The 11 o'clock choir** is in urgent need of a pianist / organist.

Can YOU help us out? Please contact the office.

**The Reader Schedule for lectors** at mass will be updated



at the end of October. If you are interested in joining the schedule or are unable to continue reading please call Wendy at 306-861-3473 by no later than October 20th. Thank you!

**Funeral Lunch Groups:** The following groups are next for

upcoming funerals: Fran, Marilyn & Ev, Donna & Renee.

**The Social Justice Committee** has recently sent in another



shipment of used eyewear that parishioners have donated – a total of 960 pair were sent to those in need! Thank you for recycling and donating to such a worthy cause!

**Parish Directory!** Have you picked yours up yet?? If you



had your picture taken or submitted a photo for the directory, please be sure to stop at the parish office and pick up your copy ASAP.



**During the month of November** you are invited to remember the faithful departed that are close to your heart by **CLEARLY PRINTING** their name on the provided sheets 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.



**Are you searching for something worthwhile** that makes the best use of your time and talents? Consider the CWL!

If your time does not allow you to attend all meetings or events, the commitment could be as easy as maintaining an inexpensive yearly membership. As time permits, we hope you'd explore our group closer & enjoy your time as a more active member!

Have a look at most recent Newsletter located in the pamphlet rack for just a glimpse of some of our CWL moments! You will notice that prayer and spirit of joy are important parts of CWL projects as members journey in faith. **The benefits of the CWL are eternal!** For more information - CWL contact information is on the back of the bulletin☺

**CWL** – an executive meeting will be held on **Tuesday, October 15<sup>th</sup>** at 7 PM. The next General Meeting will be held on **Tuesday, October 29<sup>th</sup>**, beginning with Mass at 6:30 PM. Please note date change of the general meeting due to the election and a couple of other conflicts.

**This month we will be collecting “warm fuzzies”** (mittens, toques, scarves, socks, etc.) - to keep the school children warm and cozy as the weather cools. These items will be donated to our local Salvation Army. Those wishing to donate are asked to bring their items to the October 29<sup>th</sup> meeting. All parishioners are welcome to donate to our monthly collections! Please leave your donation with a CWL member or at the parish office.

**Knights of Columbus Weyburn** thank the Parish and community for helping us with our 2019 KofC Sask Intercouncil Charity Appeal ticket sales campaign. We sold 5000 tickets, worth \$5000.00, and hope to get about a 60% return in April 2020, which will help fund our Council's various projects. The draw is Nov 2 in Denzil, and we will publish the winners list soon after that.

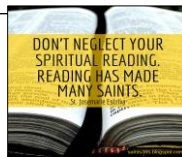
**Now available in the Parish Library.**

**Keeping Mary Close:**

**Devotion to Our Lady Through the Ages**

by Mike Aquilina and Fr. Frederick Gruber

Church teaching, doctrine, and piety surrounding the Blessed Mother goes back to the earliest days of the Church. Using the writings of the early Church Fathers, artwork, prayer, and archaeological evidence, you'll learn that the first Christians stayed close to Our Lady. Discover how popular devotion to the Mother of God has been handed down to our own day and time.



**Stewardship Bulletin Bit**

*“Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?” (Luke 17:18) Most of us live “easy” lives. We have food, shelter, and clothing. We go on vacation every year and own a car or two. Most of us take this all for granted. Did you ever notice that people with the least amount of possessions are usually the most grateful? Shouldn't this be the other way around? Take time every day and thank God for all He has given you.*

**Wonderful News Sandy Bay! Father Heinner Paucar OMI** and three parishioners will be visiting our parish on **October 19 & 20**. Father will be speaking at all 3 Masses. A Powerpoint presentation will be held in Lower McKenna on Sunday Afternoon. Father gave a list of articles for those wishing to donate: for the elders & children toques, mitts, winter jackets, boots, socks towels & blankets. For their weekly bingo useful household articles and food would be appreciated for prizes. Any extra garden produce would also be appreciated. Anyone wishing to make a financial donation can do so through St. Vincent de Paul Parish designated for Sandy Bay. As a parish we hope everyone will try their utmost to make Father and his parishioners very welcome.

**Archbishop's Appeal** - The Greek philosopher Epicurus wrote, “Do not spoil what you have by desiring what you have not; remember that what you now have was once among the things you only hoped for.”

This quote follows upon the wisdom that is displayed in today's readings. In the Gospel from Luke, for example, Jesus cures 10 lepers. They have been given something — health — which they once only hoped for. Yet only one of them, a Samaritan as a matter of fact, returns to the Lord to thank Him.

Jesus says “Where are the other nine?” A grateful heart one may not have, or what one may have been denied. In gratitude, not only do we need to concentrate on those gifts, but we need to take the time to thank God and others who may have provided us those gifts. When was the last time you actually thanked your parents for the gift of life? When did you last thank your spouse for all that he or she may have done for you? When did you last thank God in prayer? **Have** we considered giving for a cause, like the Archbishop's annual appeal as a way of thanking God for his many blessings to us? Catholic encyclopaedias says that there are five kinds of prayer — adoration, contrition, love, petition, and thanksgiving. Among these prayers, for a thankful heart, thanksgiving is foremost. [Source: [www.catholicsteward.com](http://www.catholicsteward.com) – Printed with permission]

**October is the Extraordinary Missionary Month**

**Next Sunday is World Mission Sunday.** Every parish across the globe will celebrate this event. It is a global sign of the Universal church or mission. On this day, Pope Francis invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection for the Propagation of the Faith. Your support will help missionaries in proclaiming the Gospel of joy and peace around the world. Please join in this special day that unites Catholics from all over the world through prayer and care for the church's mission. Your donations will support churches, hospitals, schools and train seminarians and religious Brothers and Sisters in Asia, Africa, Latin America, Oceania, and some of our Canadian Diocese.



### Stewardship of Time & Talent - October 12 /13

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM
<b>Readers</b>	Lloyd Zyla	Stafford Nimegeers Cecile Sellinger	Ron Wormsbecker Ingri Roman
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b> First 2 serve bread Last 3 serve cup	Wendy Sidloski Dorothy Lawrenz VACANT Alaina Flaaten, Alice Schneider Stella Hoffart VACANT	Susan Kot John Tuchscherer Diane Borys VACANT	Gary Sidloski Shirley Mondor Sheldon Leblanc Daryl Fleck
<b>Acolytes</b>	Stella Hoffart, Ken Beroy Dave Alcalde	Don Bohn Frank Porte	Bonnie Sidloski Camille Goski
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Joan	Carol	Danielle & Janene
<b>Power Point</b>	Randy Schiller	Tara Kurtz	Jacob LeBlanc
<b>Hospitality</b>	Brian Winter, Dorothy Gaab Doreen Franko	Lorne & Colette Horack Willie & Adele Nimegeers Dick Michel	Judy & Mel Van Betuw Gordon Ruten Danette & Calvin Tracey
<b>Counters</b>	Mary Ann & Jeff Flaaten, Verna & Kevin O'Neill		

### Stewardship of Time & Talent - October 19 /20

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM
<b>Readers</b>	Wendy Sidloski	Delores Herring Theresa Istace	Leko Family Marilyn Schuck
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Jo Martin Lloyd Zyla VACANT Brian Winter Dave Creurer Janice Seitz VACANT	Yvonne Kerr Doreen Verbeurgt Marcel Bauche Lynn Colquhoun	Bonnie Sidloski Yvette Bauche Elaine Nielsen VACANT
<b>Acolytes</b>	Stella Hoffart Zeus Hinalaygan	Bruno Tuchscherer Richard Wick	Mel Van Betuw Ken LeBlanc
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Elise	Cecile	Leslie
<b>Power Point</b>	Roberto Roman	James Richards	Don Kraft
<b>Hospitality</b>	Sean & Raeanne Galvin Bernice Driscoll	Frank & Eveline Porte Harry Jensen & Elaine Gray	Ron Wormsbecker Aime Isabey Pat & Loretta Benning
<b>Counters</b>	Randy & Janet Schiller, Vic Plante		

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**Matrimony** – Contact the parish office at least 6 months prior

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**Weyburn K of C Meetings:** (Sept.-June) Exec & Directors – 2nd Mon. of month, Gen Mtg. – 4th Mon. of month

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Exec Mtg. – 2nd Mon. of month Gen Mtg. – 3rd Mon. of month