

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

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 1st & 2nd, 2022

Good News Reflection: Supernatural faith

This Sunday's Gospel reading is disturbing. After doing a lot of hard work and offering it for the glory of God, the last thing we want to hear from him is: "You're an unprofitable servant."

Think of how hard you work. Whether it's at home or for a business or in ministry, we're never rewarded enough, right? Instead, we're given *more* work! At home, we try to relax after a busy day but one of the kids or an elderly relative needs help. On the job, we're given more work because our colleagues are either too lazy or they've been laid off. In the parish, most of the work gets done by only 10 to 20% of the people.

Jesus says that our reaction to all this should be: "Lord, I'm an unworthy servant of your kingdom, because I've only done what's expected of me." Is he implying that it's right to be burdened with more to do when we're tired? Not at all! What he is telling us is that there's a difference between doing what's required out of mere obedience and volunteering to go the extra mile because we love and we care.

Resting is important. Jesus took time out to pray and to recover his energy. Delegating work to others is right, too, so that we don't burn out. Jesus is the supreme example of a delegator who is also a servant. Balance is healthy and necessary.

When we stop short of going the extra mile, it's usually because we have an unbalanced view of faith. Unaware that we're serving Christ in our everyday tasks, and unaware that we're serving others *with* Christ, we settle for a mediocre, half-hearted attitude. We limit our potential. And then we're astonished that Jesus would suggest that we can command trees to cast themselves into the sea! When was the last time you saw *that* happen?

Here's the connection between doing more than the minimum and having a supernatural faith: For both to occur, we have to know that God's love is complete and unconditional and available all the time and that from this comes his desire to serve us. Knowing this, we're confident that he can accomplish anything he wants in us and through us. If we care like he cares, we *want* to go the extra mile with him. And then when we get hurt or tired, he restores us. Do you believe that yet?

Questions for Personal Reflection:

What's the mulberry tree in your life? What problem is so deeply rooted that it seems immovable? Who in your life is so stuck in sin that you've lost hope for change? Can you be a worthy servant of God and surprise that person with gestures of love that are unexpected and unrequested?

Upcoming Eucharist Celebrations

Sat.	Oct. 01	10 Tatagwa 5 PM 7 PM	Gennie Girardin + Curtis & Shantel Seitz Int. Christina Sokola +
Sun.	Oct. 02	9 AM 11 AM	Graham Dean + Cyril Marcotte +
Mon.	Oct. 03	No Mass	
Tues	Oct. 04	6:30PM	Agnes Brandes Int.
Wed.	Oct. 05	9 AM	Lea Pas +
Thur.	Oct. 06	7 PM Luminous Mysteries	Karyn Schutz +
Fri.	Oct. 07	9:30 AM 12:10 PM 7 Benediction	School Mass@ St Michaels Derek Seitz + First Friday Faith Clinic
Sat.	Oct. 08	10 Tatagwa 5 PM 7 PM St Mary	Cole Crooks + Anthony Matthews +
Sun.	Oct. 09	9 AM 11 AM	Ed + & Claire Kuhn Int. Margaret & Peter Guillaume +

In future all Tuesday masses will be held at 6:30PM. Thursdays in October mass will be at 7 PM

Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary 20th Anniversary:

This October is the 20th anniversary of Pope St. John Paul II instituting the Luminous Mysteries of the Holy Rosary. Every Thursday throughout the month of October (Oct 6, 13, 20, 27) the Spiritual and Adult Faith Formation Committee will be commemorating the anniversary with Mass at 6:30pm, followed by Adoration, recitation of the Rosary, and a brief reading from Pope St. John Paul II's Apostolic letter Rosarium Virginis Mariae (Rosary of the Virgin Mary). Snacks, refreshments and fellowship after Benediction. Everyone is welcome!



A collection for our brothers and sisters in Christ will be taken for our Mission at Sandy Bay.

Our parish are now collecting articles for Sandy Bay with a thanks to Mel VanBetuw and Father Valentine, who will deliver them the last week in October. Please start putting aside warm clothing, boots, mitts, toques, bedding, towels and other useful articles, avoiding anything breakable. Please put hard items in boxes and soft items in tied plastic bags.

Father Heinner always appreciates, religious articles, bingo prizes – coffee, tea, sugar, cereal, rice, cooking oil, juice and other food items but especially warm socks, new or used.



28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 8 & 9, 2022

2 Kings 5:14-17
2 Timothy 2:8-13
Luke 17:11-19

Heavenly Father, we thank you for all the Blessings in our lives; for the very world in which we live and for the health and strength you have bestowed upon us.

The suffering Christ endured provided healing and power over illness. Lord, direct that healing toward our loved ones who suffer and who believe that you can and will restore them to full health.

We call them by name: **Alice Schnieder, Joe & Jean Janoski, their daughter Marianne Davidson, Rita Wanner, Mindy Doud, Janice Seitz and Jesse Sidloski**, and all those facing an illness or any of life's struggles.

Our condolences to the family and friends of Caroline Marcotte, sister to **Lavine Stepp**, and sister in law to **Marie Marcotte and Omer & Chris Marcotte**. The thoughts and prayers of your church family are with you.



The Prayers to Sleeping St. Joseph will be burned and offered up to St. Joseph on

October 7th, the first Friday of the month. They will be blessed at Mass and burned outside, right after mass. Please join us.



Baptism Preparation Class: The next class is scheduled for October 15, 2022.

Please call the office to register for the date that works best for you! 306-842-2129. For complete information regarding this very important decision go to our website: www.stvincentdepaul.ca

St Vincent de Paul Parish Pastoral Council would like to say a Huge Thank You

to all of the parishioners who donated time and food to the Fall Supper and also to everyone who attended! **A Special Thank You to Angelo** for all of his hard work! The supper was absolutely delicious and very successful!

Welcome Visitors and New Parishioners!

Our Parish family warmly welcomes new members. Please fill out a New Parishioner form at your earliest convenience. The forms are located on a table in the foyer! As well, if any parishioner has changed their address, phone number etc., please inform the office!

Stewardship Bulletin Bits: 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time: *“For God did not give us a spirit of cowardice but rather of power and love and self-control.” 2 Timothy 1:7* Many of us compartmentalize our Faith, we bring it out only when we attend Mass or when we attend a parish event. Being a good Steward requires discipline and striving to put God first in everything - all the time. The next time you are at a neighborhood party or at work or out shopping, would your words and actions signal to others that you are a good and faithful servant of our Lord?



Are you considering becoming The 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.



Knights of Columbus Meeting: have changed to the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month starting at 6:30 pm with Mass as of October 2022

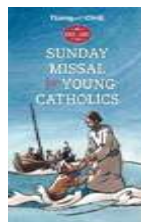
Prayer: Good and gracious God, you grant me another day to know you, love you and serve you. May I make this day an offering to you. May your Spirit enlighten my heart. Please prompt me when I need your direction, and send me all the graces I need to live this day well. *Amen*

New in the Library

Kateri: a beacon in the wilderness by Jack Casey
Smallpox kills the family of a young Mohawk girl, who comes to rely more and more on her Catholic faith for courage and strength. In this novel based on the life of the girl who would become St. Kateri Tekakwitha, we witness the simple but powerful faith of the first North American Indigenous woman to be canonized in the Catholic Church. Timely reading as we approach the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation on Sep 30. Now available in the Parish Library. Pro libris!



CWL Executive and General Meetings: In future all meetings will be held on Tuesdays, so that Father Valentine will be able to attend. The next Executive meeting will be Tuesday, October 11, 2022 and the General meeting on Tuesday, October 25, 2022. We look forward to having Father with us for guidance and fun!



Give the Sunday Missal for Young Catholics to children, youth and their families and promote active participation in the Mass. • Perfect for children ages 7 and up • Stunning full-colour illustrations throughout • Key Words page for every Sunday explaining biblical words and concepts • Clear introduction of the parts of the Mass – perfect for children and families • An attractive and durable laminated cover – ideal for parish, home and school.

Autumn Blessing: Let us not become weary at doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Galatians 6.9

Stewardship of Time & Talent - October 01 & 02

	Saturday 5 PM	Sunday 9 AM	Sunday 11 AM
Readers	Lloyd Zyla	Peter Broccolo Jean Woodard	Ron Wormsbecker Ingri Roman
Eucharistic Ministers	Wendy Sidloski Derek Redman	Marcel Bauche Yvonne Kerr	Elaine Nielsen Yvette Bauche
Acolytes	Stella Hoffart Ken Beroy Dave Alcalde	Roel Dayaan Richard Wick Haroun Joeman	Mel VanBetuw Ken Leblanc
Power Point	Vacant	Gerry Langlois	Val Wing
Children's Liturgy			Leslie
Hospitality	Bernice Driscoll Ev Corbin Heather Fellner	Lynn & Kevin Colquhoun Ken & Susan Kot	Al Pitre Sheldon LeBlanc Roberto Roman Joe Glab Norn Mondor
Counters	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten, Frank & Bonnie Kaip		

Stewardship of Time & Talent - October 8 & 9

	Saturday 5 PM	Sunday 9 AM	Sunday 11 AM
Readers	Wendy Sidloski Ingri Roman	Pat Wolensky	Val Wing Marilyn Schuck
Eucharistic Ministers	Dave Creurer	Susan Kot Chris Marcotte	Danette Tracey Val Wing
Acolytes	Stella Hoffart Charlie Ernst Zeus Hinlayagan Haroun Joeman	Aime Isabey Ron Klein	Stella Hoffart Gordon Rutten
Power Point	Lloyd Zyla	Gerry Langlois	Jacob LeBlanc
Children's Liturgy			Dawn
Hospitality	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten Bonnie & Frank Kaip	Willie & Adele Nimegeers Dick & Audrey Michel	Judy & Mel Van Betuw Gordon Rutten Calvin & Danette Tracey
Counters	Dave Creurer, Rob Labbie, Darren Woodard		

Parish Council Members: Chair - Marga Cugnet, Sarah Ayeri, Brenda Kosior, Jim Wanner, Wendy Sidloski,
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Weyburn K of C Meetings: (Sept.-June) Exec & Directors – 2nd **Tuesday** of the month,
Gen Mtg. – 4th **Tuesday** of the month

CWL President: Judy Van Betuw (861-3241) CWL Meetings: (Sept. – June)
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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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