

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!

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 24 & 25, 2020



Good News Reflection; Whole-hearted love

This Sunday's Gospel reading reminds us that we cannot love God without loving ourselves and others, but God must always come first.

When we have difficulty loving God with all our heart, mind and soul all the time, every day, every moment, no matter what's going on, it's usually because we're spending too much time focused on other people and/or on our own plans and wishes.

Yes, we must focus on others in order to love them. And yes we must focus on our own needs so that we can love others as much as we love ourselves. Our own needs are important and we are responsible for seeing that our needs get met; otherwise we don't have enough to share with others - enough energy, enough enthusiasm, enough kindness, enough patience, etc. Likewise, we can't focus so much on ourselves that we neglect the needs of others.

So the question then becomes: What are the priorities? In other words: How much time should we spend alone with God? How much time should we spend nurturing ourselves? How much of our time and needs and wants should be sacrificed for the sake of others?

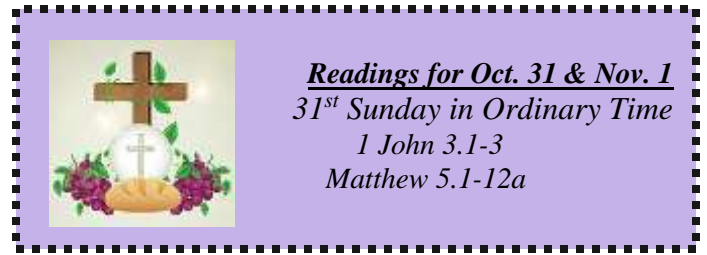
Interestingly, we find the right balance only after we put God first and make our relationship with him our highest priority. This divine friendship is what heals us in our unmet needs. It's what empowers us to love others even when they are difficult to love. And we don't have to be alone with God all day to have intimacy with him.

We love him first and foremost simply by relying on him for success in loving others and ourselves. As long as we keep turning to him for guidance, healing and strength, we are loving him with all our heart, mind and soul all the time, every day, every moment, no matter what's going on.

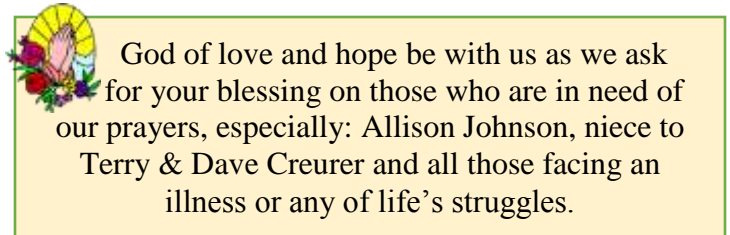
Questions for Personal Reflection: How good are you at setting priorities and keeping God at the top? What puts your priorities out of order? What can you do to increase God's role in your everyday life?

Questions for Community Faith Sharing: Describe some of the techniques you've used to increase God's priority in your everyday life. How has focusing on your relationship with God helped you to be more loving to yourself and kinder toward others?

Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations			
Mon.	Oct. 26	9 AM Mass	Staff of St. Michael's School
Tues.	Oct. 27	9 AM Mass	Joan Leydon +
Wed.	Oct. 28	9 AM Mass	Ron Knox +
Thurs	Oct. 29	9 AM Mass	Nick Van Staveren +
Fri.	Oct. 30	12:10 PM Mass	Eugene Kerowatski +
Sat.	Oct. 31	5 PM @ SVDP 7 PM @ St. Mary's	Cole Crooks + Betty Knupp +
Sun.	Nov. 01	9 AM SVDP 11 AM SVDP 3PM	Alozjy & Maria Burda + Betty Knupp + Anthony Matthews +



*Readings for Oct. 31 & Nov. 1
31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
1 John 3.1-3
Matthew 5.1-12a*



God of love and hope be with us as we ask for your blessing on those who are in need of our prayers, especially: Allison Johnson, niece to Terry & Dave Creurer and all those facing an illness or any of life's struggles.

Updated Covid Restrictions:

We are trying to tighten up the restrictions for Covid to try and keep the Archdiocese and the Sask Health Authority from reducing numbers for masses and funerals etc. Father will now be doing an extra Sunday mass at 3 PM starting October 25th. The maximum at mass will be 80 people. **Upon entering we strongly suggest wearing a mask.** Hospitality will take names and phone numbers to log your attendance in case of an outbreak. Sanitize before going to your pew. So to recap 5 PM mass on Saturday, 9 AM, 11 AM & 3 PM Sunday.



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.

November cemetery visits & prayers for the dead

November is the month dedicated to the Holy Souls in Purgatory. Join the Spiritual and Adult Faith Formation committee in visiting both of Weyburn's cemeteries and offering prayers for the dead. We're meeting at Hillcrest Cemetery on Sunday Nov 1 at 2pm under the Canadian flag. We will offer some brief prayers for the dearly departed then reconvene and repeat at Green Acres Memorial Gardens. Praying for the dead is one of the spiritual works of mercy. Everyone is welcome.

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.



Faithful Departed Mass:

All Soul's Day is Monday, November 2. At 7 PM Mass we will celebrate in remembrance of 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 since November 2019, 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 are close to your heart by CLEARLY PRINTING their name on

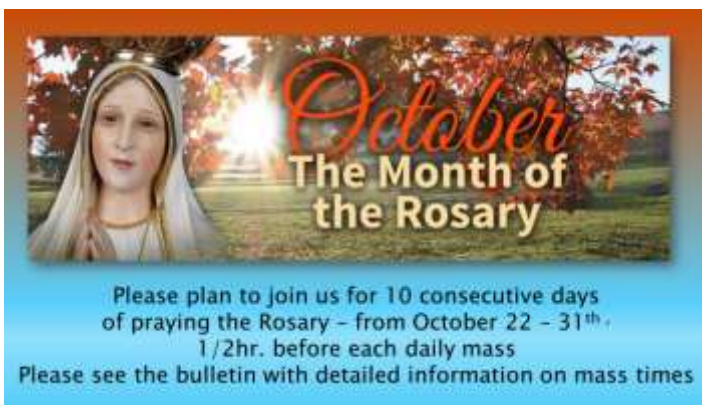
the provided sheets in the foyer. Ten names will be read at each weekend Mass in November. Please show consideration to others by only signing up once. This allows others a chance to have their loved one's name read also.

CWL 2021 MEMBERSHIP FEES NOW DUE

The CWL fee for 2021 is \$35.00. In light of the restrictions and safe guards in place for the Covid – 19 pandemic, we are offering a few ways to send your payment in to the executive.

- Put your fees in an envelope clearly labeled “CWL FEES” and place it in the collection basket at Mass or drop it off at the Church Office during regular business hours.
- Mail your fees to: Judy Van Betuw
1834 Warren Ave.
Weyburn, SK S4H 3B6
- Call Judy at 306-861-3241 or Fran at 306-861-6900 to arrange a pick up of your fees.

Thank you for your continued support of the CWL. Your money will definitely be put to good use!



Stewardship Bulletin Bit: You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul and with all your mind.” – Matthew 22:37

Do you put other “gods” before God? Is your love of money, power, status, comfort or some personal possession greater than your love for God? Do you really recognize that everything you have and that everything you are is a gift from God? The good news – it’s not too late to put God first in all things in your life.

World Mission Sunday was 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, especially our brothers and sisters at Our Lady of Seven Sorrows in Sandy Bay, and please be generous on World Mission Sunday.

Archbishop’s Appeal Bulletin Reflection-

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time A

Exodus 22:21-27|1Thess.1:5c-10 | Matt. 22:34-40

The theme of this Sunday’s readings is love. Jesus reminds us that the most important duty of a Christian is to love the Lord with our whole self and to also love our neighbor as our self.

But love of neighbor is not always an easy task, especially when we recognize that others don’t always treat us with that sense of selfless love and, in fact, can be downright cruel to us at times. Nonetheless, Christ’s law of love stands firm. We are to love. Always!

Jesus offers us the perfect example of selfless love on the cross in amends for our sins. He gave his life so that we could enjoy everlasting life. The stewardship way of life calls us to follow Jesus’ example and act on this selfless love. By doing so, we set an example and call others to follow Christ.

The Lord has given us the gift of love through His own suffering and death. What’s more, He has given us our time, our talent, and our treasure, and it is our duty as stewards of these gifts to use them at every opportunity the Lord provides us, like the Archbishop’s Appeal to reach out in love for Him and our neighbor in need of His love. [Source: Adapted from Catholic Stewardship Consultants. www.catholicsteward.com]

CWL Fall Raffle Tickets

are now available: \$2.00 each 3 for \$5.00 12 for \$20.00



Draw date: December 14, 2020

\$350.00 Acrylic Painting - Donated by Carol Reeve

\$300.00 Gift Card - Donated by Prairie Sky Co-op

\$100.00 Gift Card - Donated by Maurer’s Meats Kid’s

Gift Basket - Donated by Weyburn Peavey Mart

Christmas Decor - Donated by Real Canadian

Wholesale Club Christmas Roughrider Wreath -

Donated by Heather Fellner.

McKenna Catering 4 Turkey Suppers - Donated by Judy & Fran

To purchase tickets please call or text Fran: 306-861-6900 Judy: 306-861-3241 Heather: 306-861-9364

Tickets sold by CWL members can be deposited into the collection basket in a marked envelope or left at the office.

Stewardship & Talent - October 24 & 25, 2020

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM	SUN 3 PM
Readers	Merle St.Onge Janice Seitz	Claire Kuhn Lynn Colquhoun	Val Wing Jennifer Woodard	Merle St. Onge
Acolytes				
Eucharistic Ministers				
Power Point	Fingler Family	Candice Casio	Jennifer Woodard	
Hospitality	Heather Fellner Ev Corbin Bernice Driscoll	Jean Janoski Willie & Adele Nimegeers Dick Michel	Norn Mondor Al Pitre Joe Glab Sheldon Leblanc Roberto Roman	Jean Wagner
Counters	Dave Creurer, Rob Labbie, Darren Woodard			

Stewardship of Time & Talent - October 31 & Nov 1, 2020

	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM	
Readers	Camille Goski Connie Regier	Stafford Nimegeers Cecile Gallinger	Ron Wormsbecker Ingri Roman	Theresa Istace
Acolytes				
Eucharistic Ministers				
Power Point	Roberto Roman	Vacant	Jacob Leblanc	
Hospitality	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten Bonnie & Frank Kaip	Frank & Eveline Porte Harry Jensen & Elaine Gray Ron & Josie Klein Jim Parsons	Judy & Mel VanBetuw Gordon Rutten Danette & Calvin Tracey	Elaine Neilsen Jean Wagner
Counters	Don Kraft, Bev Tourand, Demmy & Nhar Pinnon			

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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