

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

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 10 & 11, 2022

Good News Reflection: Recovering the lost

This Sunday's Gospel reading is an assurance of God's desire to regain what has been lost. Our Lord is a God of reconciliation and renewal. He pursues those who have strayed from the truth. Why? Because he cares — he cares more than we do about the people we know who are "lost sheep" or "lost treasures" like the coin in this parable.

Think of the people who have been lost to you because they have abandoned you. God cares and is pursuing them to bring healing to the relationship, and he will continue his efforts even until they take their last earthly breath (sometimes the healing comes after death).

Think, too, of people who are neglecting their faith. Jesus is a Good Shepherd who will never give up pursuing them. Why? Because their value to your family and the Church is important! Their absence is depleting the strength of the community. And God, who is the source of the life of the community, is doing everything possible — well, even the impossible — to lead them to repentance and healing and a safe return.

However, we cannot leave it all up to God. He works through us. Only when we've tried and our influence is nil does God say, "Let go. Trust that I am continually working on the problem." We can believe that Jesus is still chasing after them, even though they hide from him. He is not far from them, even though they push him away.

If there is something else we can do to invite them back into the sheepfold, but we don't, someday we will have to explain to Jesus why we didn't. Why did we fail to love as much as he loves them? Why did we let them stray away without researching how we could help them? Have we done anything to push them away?

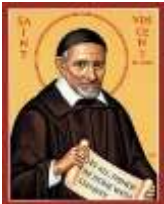
No matter how difficult it gets as we partner with Christ to bring others back to the sheepfold, the most important thing we can do is keep loving them unconditionally. Hopefully, they will see in us the love that Jesus is offering to them.

Questions for Personal Reflection: Who are the lost sheep and missing treasures of your family and your parish community? What will you do this week to reveal Jesus and his merciful love for them? Is there a parish ministry or an evangelization program that you could join to learn how to better help others turn to Jesus?

Questions for Family & Community Faith Sharing: When the lost are not ready yet to turn to Jesus or return to us or to the Church, how do our attempts to give them Jesus prepare them for an eventual conversion? Why is it worth trying, even if we don't see any fruits for our efforts? Even if it includes sacrifice and extra humility on our part?

Upcoming Eucharist Celebrations

Sat.	Sept 10	10 Tatagwa 5 PM 7 PM	Anthony Matthews + Mitchell Benning + Joseph & Florence Ball +
Sun.	Sept 11	9 AM 11 AM	Rowena Pinon + People of the Parish
Mon.	Sept 12	No Mass	
Tues	Sept 13	9 AM	Special Int.
Wed.	Sept 14	9 AM 10 AM Bison	Graham Dean + Peter Paslawski +
Thur.	Sept 15	9 AM 10AM Parkway	Jasper VanStaveren +
Fri.	Sept 16	12:10 PM	Betty Seitz +
Sat.	Sept 17	10 Tatagwa 5 PM 7 PM St Mary	Anthony Matthews + Cyril Marcotte + Josephine Plonka +
Sun.	Sept 18	9 AM 11 AM	Peter & Dale Gaab Cole Crooks +



We will be holding a celebration on the Feast of Saint Vincent de Paul our Patron Saint, on September 27.

We will be celebrating with a mass at **7:00PM** and videos and dainties to follow. **A collection for the poor will be**

taken for our Mission at Sandy Bay. Our parish will resume collecting articles for Sandy Bay with a thanks to Mel VanBetuw and Father Valentine, who will deliver them. Please start putting aside warm clothing, boots, mitts, toques, bedding, towels and other useful articles, avoiding anything breakable.

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



Baptism Preparation Classes are scheduled for September 10 and 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.

Sacramental Preparation Classes for First Eucharist and Confirmation; A parents meeting will be held on September 11, at 6:30pm at the Church and the Enrollment Mass is on September 18 at 11am mass. Regular classes begin on September 18 and 19 at 6:30pm in the church youth room (basement). For registration forms call the Church office. 306-842-2129

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 17 & 18, 2022



Amos 8:4-7
Ps 113:1-2, 4-8
1 Timothy 2:1-8
Luke 16:1-13

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.

Have mercy on us, God,
as we ask now for healing.

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: **Ken Oberkirsch, Mindy Doud, Janice Seitz and Jesse Sidloski,** and all those facing an illness or any of life's struggles.



Father Valentine has started a Faith Clinic once a month on

First Fridays from 1:00PM – 7:00PM which began Friday September 2. It will be a chance

to talk privately with Father about where you are in your faith journey and ask him any questions you have about your faith and wish to discuss. You can drop in and wait in adoration of Jesus, or call ahead and make an appointment for that day. The next Clinic will be held on October 7.

A Compassionate Healers Mass will be held at St. Vincent de Paul on September 11 at 11:00AM

Mass. This Mass is offered for the benefit and intention of all: Medical Personnel - Health Care Workers – Volunteers – Parish nurses – Men and Women Religious in Health Care Ministry – Ministry of Care Volunteers in Parishes and Health Care Facilities. In recognition of them an Anointing and Blessing will be offered for all who desire it.

Stewardship Bulletin Bits: 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time “Everyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple.” Luke 14:33 When we first hear this statement, it seems that Jesus is making an unrealistic demand upon us. How can we renounce all of our possessions? We need them to live. However, what we must renounce is the belief that they belong to us. Everything that we have belongs to God alone. All of our resources are entrusted to us not only for our own use, but also so that we can help others. Once we renounce the idea that we possess or are entitled to anything, it is much easier to share the many gifts that God has given us. Then we truly are His Disciples.



The CWL Pot Luck Supper and General Meeting: Monday, September 19, 5:00PM, Supper to follow in Lower McKenna Hall, General meeting to follow. Bring a guest to inspire new membership and join in the fun times and good works of St Vincent de Paul's Catholic Women's League! We hope many will attend.



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.

Needed! Church Caretaker: Our loyal, hardworking church caretaker Jeff Greening, is retiring. We wish him the very best in his future and thank him for his hard work and dedication. We are looking for a new caretaker. Please call Marga Cugnet, @ 306-842-7357 if you would be interested in this position.

Helpers are very much needed in all ministries!

We have had several of our volunteers resign due to health or age. According to one group “We are not spring chickens any more , we are old hens”! Please consider helping with our many duties to keep our Church home running efficiently. Many hands make light work. Some of the committees in desperate need of help are:

- *Pastoral Care (for mass and visiting at Care homes)
- *Funeral Lunch committee
- *Stewardship Committee
- *Music ministry/Choir members
- *Flower bed care
- * McKenna Hall Catering

We need people of all ages, men or women. **Please call the office @ 306-842-2129** if you can help out even a small amount of your time.



St. Vincent de Paul Parish Fall Supper, Sunday Sept. 25, 2022 @ McKenna Hall, 4PM-7 PM;

Adults=\$20, Ages 6-11=\$10, 5& under=Free.

There will be turkey, stuffing, gravy, mashed potatoes, cabbage rolls, turnips, vegetables, salads, buns and all the trimmings. There will also be a great selection of pies! If you are unable to get to McKenna Hall for the Fall Supper, you can always ask a friend to bring you a delicious Take Out! **Please note** there will be **no** deliveries made by McKenna Hall catering on this day! There are sign-up sheets for donations and kitchen workers at the back of the church. **This event relies on all our parishioners working together to make it a success!**



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WORKING WITH SOUTHEAST NEWCOMER SERVICES IN WEYBURN
JAR WILL BE AT BACK OF CHURCH FOR NEXT 2 WEEKS
DONATIONS GRATEFULLY ACCEPTED
PLEASE SUPPORT - THANK YOU!

FRAN MESSER
CHRISTIAN FAMILY/COMMUNITY LIFE CHAIR

Stewardship of Time & Talent - September 10 & 11

	Saturday 5 PM	Sunday 9 AM	Sunday 11 AM
Readers	Merle St. Onge	Patsy Ernst	Ingri Roman Marga Cugnet
Eucharistic Ministers	Vacant Dave Creurer	Chris Marcotte	Danette Tracey
Acolytes	Stella Hoffart Ken Benroy Dave Alcalde	Roel Daayan Richard Wick	Stella Hoffart Gordon Rutten
Power Point	Roberto Roman	Gerry Langlois	Roberto Roman
Children's Liturgy			Dawn
Hospitality	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten, Bonnie & Frank Kaip	Jean Janoski Willie & Adele Nimegeers Dick & Audrey Michel	Judy & Mel VanBetuw Gordon Rutten Danette & Calvin Tracey
Counters	Sherry Dreis, Kerry Dolter, Richard Wick		

Stewardship of Time & Talent - September 17 & 18

	Saturday 5 PM	Sunday 9 AM	Sunday 11 AM
Readers	Cecile Sellinger	Stafford Nimegeers	Jerome Sidloski Karen Sidloski
Eucharistic Ministers	Rose Loos Mary Ann Piwarski	Pat Wolensky	Carol Toles
Acolytes	Stella Hoffart Charlie Ernst Zeus Hinlayagan	Aime Isabey Ron Klein	Mel VanBetuw Ken Leblanc
Power Point	Vacant	Gerry Langlois	Val Wing
Children's Liturgy			Natalya
Hospitality	Yvonne Dzuba Jim Wanner	Frank & Eveline Porte Harry Jensen & Elaine Gray	Ron Wormsbecker Aime Isabey Pat & Loretta Benning
Counters	Joanne Babiarz, Wendy Pitre, Christie McKenzie		

Parish Council Members: Chair - Marga Cugnet, Sarah Ayeri, Brenda Kosior, Jim Wanner, Wendy Sidloski, Greg Brown, **Deanery Rep.** - Pat Wolensky, **Secretary** – Val Wing, **Parish Finance Chairperson** – Pamela Hauptstein

K of C Weyburn Council #1731: Grand Knight Richard Wick (306)891-9370 or richard.wick@sasktel.net

K of C Bishop Klein Assembly #1526: Faithful Navigator Ron Klein – (306)861-3134 or ron.klein@sasktel.net

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

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

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

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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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