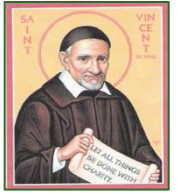


# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH



## 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!*



**September 14 /15, 2019 – 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## **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?*

| Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations |          |   |  |
|-----------------------------------|----------|---|--|
| Mon.                              | Sept. 16 | *5:30 PM  | Anna Ziegler+  |
| Tues.                             | Sept. 17 | *7 PM   | Adam Ortman+   |
| Wed.                              | Sept. 18 | 9 AM  | Robert Gutzke+   |
| Thurs                             | Sept. 19 | 9 AM  | Blake Kot  |
| Fri.                              | Sept. 20 | 12:10 PM  | Peter Gaab+  |
| Sat.                              | Sept. 21 | 10 AM @ Tatagwa –<br>5 PM @ SVDP<br>7 PM @ St. Mary's | Julia Mandziak+<br>Lawrence Woodard+<br>Al & Linda Tosczak |
| Sun.                              | Sept. 22 | 9 AM<br>11 AM   | Yvette Hoffart+  |

**September 15 & 16**  
*Amos 8.4-7 • 1 Timothy 2.1-7*  
*• Luke 16.1-13*

**A wedding anniversary celebration** will be held at the church on **Sunday, September 22nd** at the 11am mass, for couples celebrating a milestone anniversary.



All are invited to join us at McKenna for a celebration brunch following the 11 AM! **Those celebrating 25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup>, etc. wedding anniversaries will enjoy a complimentary brunch!** **Prices for others:** Adults: \$12.00, 6 – 11 year olds: \$5.00, 5 & under free. Advance tickets are not being sold, please pay at the door. We hope to see you there!

**What Is Alpha?** Alpha is a series of interactive sessions that freely explore the basics of the Christian faith. Each session looks at a different question, and is designed to create conversation. There's no pressure, no follow-up and no charge; it's just an open, informal, and honest space to explore and discuss life's big questions together.

Join us **Wednesday evenings** at 6:30pm (runs Sept. 18 to Nov. 20) in **lower McKenna**. This is open to all parishioners, and a free supper is included! If you are planning to attend September 18 – please sign up in the foyer, so we know how many to expect for supper 😊.



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!



**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!

**Sacramental Preparation** registration is now available in the parish office. This is typically for students in Grade 2. If you are wanting to register your child for Confirmation, Reconciliation, First Eucharist, etc., please stop by the office and pick up a form, or email stvincent@sasktel.net to request a form.

**Parish Fall Supper**  
 Sunday, Sept. 29 – 4pm to 7pm  
 McKenna Hall

Adults- \$16 ; Ages 6-11- \$8 ; 5 & Under- Free  
 Come and join us to enjoy turkey, stuffing, cabbage rolls, salads, buns, and all the trimmings! There will also be a selection of amazing pies for dessert!

**Help needed for the Fall Supper!** Please see the sign up sheets in the foyer to see how you can help support our upcoming Fall supper! Donations of food along with donating your time is all very much appreciated! Thank you in advance!

**Children's Liturgy and Powerpoint Schedules** will be made and sent out soon. Please contact the office as soon as possible if you are willing to fill one of the many vacancies on either of these schedules.



**Catholic Women's League: Our Fall Kick off** will be held on **Monday, September 16** – with Mass at 5:30 PM, followed by an always delicious Potluck supper! Please bring your favourite dish to share! The general meeting will follow our supper. Also to look forward to on this kick off will be Fr. Francis sharing with us about his recent trip to India! Hope to see you all there!

**Donations of school snacks for the Salvation Army will be gratefully accepted at this general meeting 😊**

**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.

**Job Available: Administrative Assistant/Receptionist**

This position will be mainly reception, office duties, and assisting our priest as required. Proficiency in all Microsoft Office programs is important, and knowledge of Quickbooks would be an asset. Must also be willing to learn the Parish Friendly software program. Some training will be available.

Work week is presently 7 hours a day, 4 days a week.

Wages are negotiable based on experience and skills.

**The application deadline is Sunday, Sept. 15, 2019.**

To apply, send your resume to [stvincent@sasktel.net](mailto:stvincent@sasktel.net) or search for "St. Vincent" at [www.indeed.com](http://www.indeed.com).



**Funeral Lunch Groups:** The following groups are next for upcoming funerals: Fran, Donna & Renee & Marilyn Shuck & Ev Corbin.

**The Knights of Columbus General Meeting** is on **September 23<sup>rd</sup>** beginning with Mass at 7pm & meeting will follow at McKenna Auditorium.



Knights of Columbus Sask. **Charity Appeal tickets** may be bought from any Knight. \$1.00 per ticket, singly or in books of 10. Proceeds help support Sask. Pro Life, Teen Aid Sask., and local activities. Brs. **MUST** return their books, and money, to Br. Pete BROCCOLO as soon as possible, but no later than October 10th.

**Protocol Committee** – Emails (with instructions) have been sent out to all ministry volunteers who need to submit an updated criminal record check, in order to comply with our Archdiocesan protocols. Please check the basket in the front foyer for a letter if you are a volunteer for any ministry, but do not have an email. There may be a letter that you will have to bring to the police station to receive your criminal record check.

***Stewardship Bulletin Bit***

*"Everything I have is yours." (Luke 15:31)*

Our Heavenly Father gives us everything, including the chance to share in His eternal kingdom. Yet, like the Prodigal Son we are often lured away by the materialism of our society. Do we really want to turn our backs on all that God offers in exchange for a material wealth that has no lasting value?

**The Pastoral Care Schedule** has been made and sent out by email. If you don't have email or need a printed schedule, you can find yours in the pamphlet rack in the church foyer.

**Rosary at Hilltop Manor** schedules have been printed out and are in the pamphlet rack in the church foyer. If you are one of the people that helps with this project, please pick up a schedule.

***"To Light a Fire on the Earth; Proclaiming the Gospel in a Secular Age" by Bishop Robert Barron***

In our secular humanist society, religion is seen as increasingly irrelevant, dull, backward and perhaps even as dangerous. Bishop Robert Barron discusses how we as Catholics can and indeed must proclaim to our culture the good, true, beautiful and compelling story of the gospel. Using science, prayer, apologetics, art, social media, and even pop culture Bishop Barron demonstrates how Catholics can intelligently engage with a skeptical world. Now available in the parish library.

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**Financial donation increases our library collection.**

Thanks to a generous financial donation to the Parish Library by one of our local parishioners, we have been able to significantly increase the number of new items in the library over the summer. The new books cover topics such as Pro-Life, the Blessed Virgin Mary, liturgical living for lay people, Catholic theology, and the history of the early Church. Please explore the parish library or the book cart near the front door to borrow these new items. Thank you to our donor!

**Our new Parish Directory has arrived!!** If you got your picture taken or submitted a photo for the directory, you can come and pick up a copy!

**Theology on Tap - Building Bridges**

Thursday, September 19th, 2019

7:00 PM at Tony Romas, 4450 Albert Street

Creating a Culture of Dialogue and Reconciliation

Come join us for a night of dialogue with Archbishop Don Bolen. Following the presentation, Bishop Don looks forward to addressing your questions and concerns as a community of young adults who are seeking to be agents of change.

**The Annual Fundraising Banquet and Auction** for the



Weyburn Youth Centre is on **Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup>**

**at Knox Hall.** The meal tickets are \$200 for a table

of 8, or \$25 each. Doors open at 5pm and supper is at

6pm. **There will be both a silent auction and a live auction after supper.** Contact Brian at 306-861-5300 for tickets and auction item donations. Auction items should be new and submitted no later than September 27<sup>th</sup>.

| <b>Stewardship of Time &amp; Talent - September 14 / 15</b>             |   |  |   |
|---|---|--|---|
|   | <b>SAT 5 PM</b>   | <b>SUN 9 AM</b>  | <b>SUN 11 AM</b>  |
| <b>Readers</b>  | Janice Seitz  | Peter Broccolo<br>Jean Woodard                                     | Ingri Roman   |
| <b>Eucharistic Ministers</b><br>First 2 serve bread<br>Last 3 serve cup | Wendy Sidloski Dorothy Lawrenz<br><b>VACANT</b><br>Alaina Hilkewich <b>VACANT</b><br>Stella Hoffart <b>VACANT</b> | Susan Kot<br>John Tuchscherer<br>Diane Borys<br><b>VACANT</b>      | Gary Sidloski<br>Shirley Mondor<br>Sheldon Leblanc<br>Daryl Fleck   |
| <b>Acolytes</b>   | <b>VACANT</b><br>Zeus Hinalaygan  | Richard Wick<br>Peter Richards                                     | Mel VanBetuw<br>Ken Leblanc<br>Ken Beroy                            |
| <b>Children's Liturgy</b>   | <b>Program is in place – schedule to follow</b>   |  |   |
| <b>Power Point</b>  | <b>PLEASE RUN PROJECTOR IF AVAILABLE. NEW SCHEDULE COMING SOON.</b>   |  |   |
| <b>Hospitality</b>  | Brian Winter<br>Dorothy Gaab<br>Doreen Franko   | Lorne & Colette Horack<br>Willie & Adele Nimegeers<br>Dick Michel  | Judy & Mel Van Betuw<br>Gordon Rутten<br>Danette & Calvin Tracey    |
| <b>Counters</b>   | Sherry Dreis, Kerry Dolter, Richard Wick  |  |   |
| <b>Stewardship of Time &amp; Talent - September 21 / 22</b>             |   |  |   |
|   | <b>SAT 5 PM</b>   | <b>SUN 9 AM</b>  | <b>SUN 11 AM</b>  |
| <b>Readers</b>  | Ingri Roman   | Carol Reeve<br>Pat Wolensky  | Patricia Redman<br>Marga Cugnet                                     |
| <b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>  | Jo Martin Lloyd Zyla<br><b>VACANT</b><br><b>VACANT</b> Brian Winter<br>Dave Creurer Janice Seitz                  | Yvonne Kerr<br>Doreen Verbeurgt<br>Marcel Bauche<br>Lynn Colquhoun | <b>VACANT</b><br>Bonnie Sidloski<br>Yvette Bauche<br>Elaine Nielsen |
| <b>Acolytes</b>   | <b>VACANT</b><br>David Alcalde  | Aime Isabey<br>Ron Klein<br>Ken Beroy                              | Don Bohn<br>Frank Porte<br>Peter Richards                           |
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| <b>Counters</b>   | Joanne Babiarz & Wendy Pitre  |  |   |

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

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**K of C Faithful Navigator:** Randy Schiller (861-1863) schrijt@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)

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

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

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

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