## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH





#### <u>Lord's Day Eucharist:</u>

Saturday 5 pm Sunday 9 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!

### 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time September 26 & 27, 2020

**Pray:** Beloved Lord: Give me a plain heart and an open mind to recognize Your work beyond my understanding. Heal me from every root of envy and pride, so that I can surrender myself to You fully. Amen.

Good News Reflection: The correct answer isn't always right

This Sunday's Gospel story was meant to shock people who think they're okay spiritually but do not honestly examine how well they do the Father's will. Jesus said that tax collectors and prostitutes (professions considered to be the most contemptible and unholy) were entering the kingdom of God ahead of religious experts!

These so-called "experts" knew the correct answer to the question that Jesus posed -- they knew to say yes to God -- but knowing the right answer and actually Doing the right answer is the dividing line between heaven and hell.

God doesn't want right answers; he wants righteous actions. God doesn't want dutiful compliance to Church teachings; he wants obedience motivated by love and an enthusiastic attitude of serving in the mission of the Church.

What's the value of going to Mass every Sunday, for example, if it doesn't result in deeds of holiness outside the Mass? Do you know someone who's saying "no" to coming to Mass? If they're doing good works because they genuinely love God, who's to say they won't reach full unity with him sooner than people who attend every Mass but do little to help others?

God wants us to do both: Know the right answers and be righteous. Go to Mass faithfully and be changed by it. Say yes to his calling to make the world a better place by uniting ourselves to Christ in church and following out him out the door, taking him to everyone we meet.

**Questions for Personal Reflection:** What opportunities to serve God in your parish or out in the community have you said "no" to? Spend some time praying to understand whether or not that was an invitation from Christ himself. What can you say "yes" to now?

**Questions for Community Faith Sharing:** What types of people today are despised the most? Who seems least likely to get into heaven? (A terrorist perhaps? An ex-spouse?) How is it possible (to our surprise) that we might be greeted by them when we arrive in heaven? How would you feel about it?

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<b>Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations</b>					
Mon.	Sept. 28	6:30 PM Mass CWL	Rose Schultz +		
Tues.	Sept. 29	7 PM Mass	Joh & Anna Paslawski +		
Wed.	Sept. 30	9 AM Mass	Tawsha Klein Sparks +		
Thurs	Oct. 01	9 AM Mass	Anthony Matthews +		
Fri.	Oct.	12:10 PM Mass	Joan Guillemin		
	02	12:45 PM Adoration			
		5:00 PM Benediction			
Sat.	Oct.	5 PM @ SVDP	Mary Borys +		
	03	7 PM @ St. Mary's	Albert & Katherine		
			Plonka+		
Sun.	Oct.	9 AM SVDP	Souls in Purgatory		
	04	11 AM SVDP	Tom & Marilyn Schuck		

We want to help you celebrate your Special Wedding Anniversaries, 25, 40, 50, 60, 65 and up. A special mass will be held on October18, 2020, 11 AM. Please let the office know.

Sunday, September 27th is the Feast of St. Vincent de Paul; Our Patron saint was born at Pouy, France on April 24, 1581. He was ordained a priest on September 23, 1600. Vincent devoted himself entirely to the alleviation of the sufferings of the poor, and to that purpose established the Confraternities of Charity, later known as the Ladies of Charity, in 1617. In 1625 he founded the Congregation of the Mission, his community of priests and brothers. With Louise de Marillac, he co-founded the Daughters of Chairity in 1633. Vincent died in Paris on September 27, 1660 and was canonized in 1737. Pope Leo XIII declared him patron saint of all works of charity.



We welcome donations to our Food Bank; Any 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.

#### **Music Ministry**

We invite you to play music or sing or create your own Worship Team. It could even be made up of those in your own household bubble! We could schedule you as frequently as you would like, but it would give a break to those who are called to provide the music most every weekend or when they are away. Please call Val at the parish office at 306-842-2129



Readings for October 3 & 4
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Isaiah 5.1-7
Philippians 4.6-9
Matthew 21.33-43

Congratulations to Arnold & Charity Candrejo and their daughter, Gwyn Adrielle, who will be Baptised into our church Sunday at the 11am mass.

Welcome Gwyn! The prayers of your church family are with you in your life's journey.

#### On behalf of the St. Vincent de Paul Senior Choir,

we wish to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to Gloria Miller for her dedication and commitment in leading our choir for over fifteen years. You directed our choir with a positive and loving attitude, we became friends and you made singing in the choir: fun, entertaining and enriching.

We fondly remember all the extra things you have done for our choir and our church community. We thank you for the extra time spend in preparing and selecting the hymns to blend with the Sunday readings, for driving in from the farm for extra hours of choir practice and for always encouraging us to be the best that we can. Your passion and love for music showed and will always be an inspiration for us.

Thank you again Gloria, God bless you, Ron and your family.

## CWL: A General meeting will be held on Monday, September 28th in UPPER McKenna Hall at 7 PM.

We invite you to join us prior to the meeting to pray the rosary at 6:00 and for Mass at 6:30 PM. In order to follow the provincial health regulations, we can only have 30 members at the meeting - including the executive; so we are requesting all those who would like to attend to call Fran (306) 861-6900 or Judy (306) 861-3241. There will be no lunch or refreshments served, no tables (chairs only) and we will be following the distancing guidelines. \*\*Discussions will be held regarding new ways to fundraise to continue in supporting or very worthy causes.

CWL members will be offering special prayers for the success of the Catholic Missions in Canada at the Adoration, Friday, October 2.

## <u>Stewardship Bulletin Bit:</u> "Do nothing out of selfishness; rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves..." (Philippians 2:3)

Pride and ego are hard things to control. We see how others act or dress and think we are superior to them. We idolize our own self-image. But, if we truly believe everything is a gift from God, we recognize all the people that God has put in our lives as gifts! We are grateful for how they enrich our lives. Pray every day for the people in your life: your family, your friends, and those who make you angry.

The Traveling Statue of Our Lady is a statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary that travels from Convention to Convention. She is passed from the previous hosting CWL Region to the present hosting Region. At the Regina Diocesan CWL Convention held in Weyburn in May of 2019, the host Weyburn Regional CWL Council received the Traveling Madonna from the Yorkton Regional Council. The Madonna then travelled to each CWL Council within the Region and stayed in the homes of its members for a period of time. Each member was asked to set up a special place in her home for Our Lady and to pray the Rosary. Our Lady returned to Weyburn shortly after Easter and was to have visited homes of our St. Vincent de Paul Council members. Unfortunately, at that time, we were in the middle of a provincial health state of emergency dealing with CoVid-19, and we were staying close to home and were social distancing. Since it did not seem like the right time to be passing the Traveling Madonna from home to home, Fr. Francis graciously agreed to have Our Lady placed in front of the Ambo (lectern) and stay in our Parish until she will be transferred to the Estevan CWL Regional. Please come to the Church any time you can and pray with Our Lady. May Our Lady keep us safely in her care.

<u>In Touch By Telephone</u>: Due to the outbreak of the Corona virus changes have been made to the structure of the church, i.e. social distancing, music at mass and the reception of the Eucharist.

The Stewardship committee has met and decided to activate our parish phoning committee to update members on the changes and to inquire about your wellbeing during the pandemic. We will be phoning your home soon. Be ready to advise the phoning committee of any new updates to your phone number, home address or email address. If you have any concerns of your own be aware that you may express them to your caller and we will respond. – Stewardship in Motion.

Archbishop's Appeal: We are very pleased to announce the start of the 21st Archbishop's Appeal. Our theme for this year's campaign is Hope in Every Season. You should begin receiving information and donation cards in the mail or email next week. You are also invited to follow the campaign online through the website or by joining the Archbishop's Appeal newsletter (see: archregina.sk.ca).

We encourage you to spend time offering thanks to our God and Father for all God has given, and prayerfully a donation that would not be burdensome but would express your hope for the future of our church. Please see this new, easy way

to give to the appeal! <a href="http://eepurl.com/g9jMh5">http://eepurl.com/g9jMh5</a>

## Bulletin Reflection Ezekiel 18:25-28|Phil. 2:11|Matt. 21:28-32

In today's second reading, St. Paul offers a formula for living like true followers of Jesus. Paul writes, "Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others." Paul is inviting us to follow Christ's example of humility and selfless love. Doing this is a challenge for most of us. Yet, that is one of the secrets to being a good steward and living as Christ wants us to live.

To truly live this way we need the help of the Holy Spirit to help us, first of all, become self-aware of the kind of person we are. Are we aware of others around us and their needs or do we look after our interests only? Secondly, we ask the Holy Spirit to help us change so that the interests of others can become more important in our lives. At times we will stumble, and God who is infinitely patient offers us his loving mercy. We need only to open ourselves up to God's mercy and ask for forgiveness and strength to love others more in our lives.

Sharing what has been given to us by donating to the Archbishop's Appeal is one way we can put the interests of others ahead of our own.

# 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!

Stewardship & Talent - September 26 & 27, 2020					
	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM		
Readers	Camille Goski	Delores Herring	Doris Aasen		
Appleston	Connie Regier	Theresa Istace	Glenda Shupe		
Acolytes					
Eucharistic					
Ministers					
Children's Liturgy					
Power Point	Randy Schiller	Vacant	Austin LeBlanc		
Hospitality	Ev Corbin	Yvonne Kerr	Norm Mondor Al Pitre		
	Bernice Driscol	Omer & Chris Marcotte	Joe Glab Sheldon LeBlanc		
	Vacant Vacant	Richard & Celine Wawro	Roberto Roman		
Counters Sherry Dreis, Kerry Dolter, Richard Wick					
Stewardship of Time & Talent - October 3 &4, 2020					
	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM		
Readers	Patricia Redman	Peter Broccolo	Shirley Mondor		
Reducts	Derek Redman	Jean Woodard	Connie Regier		
Acolytes					
Eucharistic					
Ministers					
Children's Liturgy					
<b>Power Point</b>	Fingler Family	Candice Casio	Don Kraft		
Hospitality	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten	Lorne & Collette Horack	Judy & Mel VanBetuw		
	Bonnie & Frank Kaip	Willie & Adelle Nimegeers	Danette & Calvin Tracey		
		Dick Michel Jean Janoski	Gordon Rutten		
Counters	Joanne Babiarz, Wendy Pitre, Christie McKenzie				

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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

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Matrimony – Contact the parish office at least 6 months prior

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