ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH





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

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

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time September 3 & 4, 2022

Good News Reflection: Priorities

What in your life is a higher priority than your relationship with God? That's what Jesus wants us to look at in this Sunday's Gospel reading. Which people? What work? What trial? What possessions? What friendships? What goals? What activities?

What crosses do you want to get rid of that, if you do escape from them, would require you to abandon Jesus on his cross? (Hint: What sacrifices of love are you unwilling to make?)

Jesus says that unless we are first and foremost committed to discipleship — learning from him and making every effort to become more like him — we are ill prepared for all the other tasks of life.

In other words, we can start building toward good goals, but if our relationship with Christ is not our highest priority, we'll miss his guidance and his surprises and his blessings. We'll get distracted by worldly interferences and sin. We'll become victims instead of victors in the battles we face. Anything good that we achieve will be less than the best, because there is much more in the kingdom of God than what we can imagine.

A disciple is a student. We learn from Jesus how to love others, even when this becomes a cross to carry. He teaches us how to live a life of joyful love but also of unconditional, forgiving love. And we learn from him how to put up healthy, holy boundaries against those who interfere with our spiritual growth, and this too can be a cross.

The strength to follow Christ and become more and more like him every day requires a conscious effort to grow stronger in our ability to carry our crosses while uniting ourselves to his cross and to his strength. When we lack this intimate bond with Christ, we stumble and fall, crushed by the weight of our crosses. But if we are willing to make sacrifices out of love for others, like Jesus did, we embrace him more fully and we receive his love more deeply. And this is the most satisfying way to live!

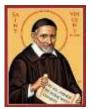
Questions for Personal Reflection:

Consider your daily activities: What are your top priorities? What do you value more than the time you spend with Jesus in prayer, scripture, and other faith-building activities?

Questions for Family & Community Faith Sharing:

What are some common ways that we move God down in priority? By making him our highest priority, what are ways that we can lovingly show concern for others even while putting God ahead of them in our daily activities?

Upcoming Eucharist Celebrations ************************************					
Sat.	Sept 03	10 Tatagwa 5 PM 7 PM	Gennie Girardin + Dinah Omela + Bill Shorthouse +		
Sun.	Sept 04	9 AM 11 AM	George DeBruyne Int. Ray Stepp +		
Mon.	Sept 05	No Mass			
Tues	Sept 06	9 AM	Janice Seitz Int.		
Wed.	Sept 07	9 AM	Florencio Cueva +		
Thur.	Sept 08	9 AM	Dave & Loa Titman Int.		
Fri.	Sept 09	12:10	Alberto Siscar +.		
Sat.	Sept 10	10 Tatagwa 5 PM 7 PM St Mary	Anthony Matthews + Mitchell Benning + Joseph & Florence Ball +		
Sun.	Sept 11	9 AM 11 AM	Rowena Pinon + People of the Parish		



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.



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 you the very best in your future and thank you for your 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.



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.



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

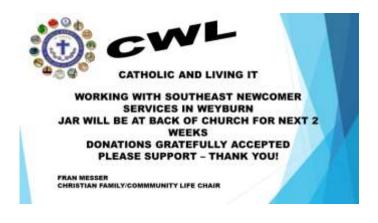
Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14
Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19
1 Timothy 1:12-17
Luke 15:1-32

Father God, 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: Mindy Doud, Rita Wanner, Janice Seitz, Jesse Sidloski, and all those facing an illness or any of life's struggles.





Mother Mary's Birthday is on September 8, 2022! Beginning with rosary 6:30pm, Mass at 7:00p on followed by a celebration with Birthday Cake! Framed pictures of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be free for anyone who would like one.

Sponsored by the Spiritual Adult Faith Formation ministry.

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!

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 Personel - 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 Annointing and Blessing will be offered for all who desire it.

Father Valentine will be starting a Faith Clinic once a month on First Fridays from 1:00pm – 7:00pm beginning 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 is open to discussions. You can drop in and wait in adoration of Jesus, or call ahead and make an appointment for that day.

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 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. Sacramental Preparation Classes for First Eucharist and Confirmation; The parents meeting is 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

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 committee 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. <u>Please</u> <u>call the office @ 306-842-2129</u> 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 signup 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!

	Stewardship of Time & '	Talent - September 3 &	α 4		
	Saturday 5 PM	Sunday 9 AM	Sunday 11 AM		
Readers	Wendy Sidloski	Wendy Pitre	Shirley Mondor		
Readers	Ingri Roman		Connie Regier		
Eucharistic	Wendy Sidloski	Marcel Bauche	Yvette Bauche		
Ministers	Derek Redman				
Acolytes	Stella Hoffart Peter Richards	Don Bohn	Stella Hoffart		
	Maggie Richards	Frank Porte	Gordon Rutten		
Power Point	Lloyd Zyla	Gerry Langlois	Jennifer Woodard		
Children's Liturgy			Leslie		
Hospitality	Bernice Driscoll	Lynn & Kevin Colquhoun	Al Pitre Sheldon LeBlanc		
	Heather Fellner	Ken & Susan Kot	Joe Glab Norm Mondor		
	Ev Corbin		Roberto Roman		
Counters	Don Kraft, Bev Tourand, Demmy & Nhar Pinon				
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	Janice Seitz		Marga Cugnet		
Eucharistic	Janice Seitz	Chris Marcotte	Danette Tracey		
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Ministers	Dave Cleulei				
	Stella Hoffart Ken Benroy	Roel Daayan	Stella Hoffart		
Acolytes		Roel Daayan Richard Wick	Stella Hoffart Gordon Rutten		
	Stella Hoffart Ken Benroy Dave Alcalde				
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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 Haupstein

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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