## 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!

## 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time September 5 & 6, 2020

#### Good News Reflection: 3 steps for calling others to repentance

This Sunday's readings all speak of the need to stand up for what is holy and right and true in a way that that invites others to turn away from sin. If we don't, we indirectly play a part in the sins he or she commits, and we will be held accountable (see the first reading).

If we do take a stand against sin but without compassion and mercy and unconditional love, that too is a sin (the second reading).

Jesus shows us in the Gospel reading that in our efforts to stop a fellow Christian from sinning, it's important to rely on our Christian community for advocacy and prayer support. How?

First, we speak to the sinner. When we know that someone is harming himself and others (all sins are harmful even when we can't see the harm), if we don't try to impart this knowledge to him or her at least once, our silence is unloving and uncaring.

Once we've shared the truth, even if the sinner does not change, we're free of any guilt. But we must not stop trying, and so we take one or two others with us in a stronger effort to help the sinner understand and repent.

And if that fails, we try again with still more backing.

When every attempt to help someone has failed, only then do we quit. In reality, it's not us who's walking away. The sinner is the one who has chosen the path of separation. However, remember how Jesus treated the Gentiles and tax collectors (i.e., the outsiders, the separated ones): He never stopped loving them. He still chose to die for them.

**Questions for Personal Reflection**: Whose sins have greatly disturbed you lately? What have you done about it? How loving and caring have you been in handling it?

**Questions for Community Faith Sharing**: What bothers you about the way some people have pointed out your sins or the sins of others? How could they have been more compassionate? Share the story of a time when someone successfully led another into repentance and growth. Explain why the effort was effective.

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<b>Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations</b>				
Mon.	Sept.	No Mass or Lay		
	07	service		
Tues.	Sept.	7 PM Mass	Evan Yost +	
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Wed.	Sept.	9 AM Mass	Rose Schultz +	
	09			
Thurs	Sept.	9 AM Mass	V-41 C1	
	10		Kathy Showman +	
Fri.	Sept.	12:10 PM Mass	Family of Theresa Istace	
	11			
Sat.	Sept.	5 PM @ SVDP	Blaize Messer +	
	12	7 PM @ St. Mary's	George Proknow +	
Sun.	Sept.	9 AM SVDP	Walter Janeczko +	
	13	11 AM SVDP	Keith Hoffart +	

Our Prayers and Condolences go out to Vic & Fran Messer and family on the loss of their son Blaize Messer

Parish Pastoral Council will be looking for new members this fall to replace members whose terms are up. Please consider putting your name in for this. It is a way to give some time back to your parish and share your ideas and expertise. The council acts as a consultative and advisory body to the Pastor in discerning, identifying and evaluating the needs of the parish community so as to find the means that best respond to these needs. Please give your name to one of the council members or the office staff if you would like to run for a position.

# Prayer for the Spiritual Act of Communion for those shut in at home and unable to receive communion;

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things and I desire to receive you in my soul. Since I cannot receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

**Job Opportunity:** Due to the resignation of our full time caretaker at McKenna Hall, the parish is looking for someone interested in a casual position. Please call the office for more information, if you are interested in applying. 306-842-2129



#### Readings for September 12 & 13

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time Sirach 27.30-28.7 Romans 14.7-9 Matthew 18.21-35

God of love and hope be with us as we ask for your blessing on those who are in need of our prayers, especially: Joe Ortman, Trevor Grant (brother-in-law to Janice Seitz) and all those facing an illness or any of life's struggles.

Thank you from Parish Pastoral Council; The consensus after the August council meeting was that the parish is holding its own through the Covid crisis we have been in. The financial losses we have faced are not as bad as we thought they would be and understandable under the circumstances. Father Francis and the Council would like to thank our parishioners for your continued support through these difficult times. For those who are not yet attending masses, and are not on pre-authorized payments and have been asking, donations can either be mailed to the office: St Vincent de Paul 314 3rd St. NE, Weyburn, SK S4H 0W7 or dropped off at the church office.

#### **Thanks for your Patience:**

The seating plan we have implemented at this time is following the government's guidelines for Covid 19. We must follow the guidelines for both social distancing and hand and church sanitizing in order to hold Mass. We are not allowed to sing, as a group, unless the whole church wears masks. Individual couples and families are allowed to sit together and we ask you keep young children in the pews. Our main objective is to keep everyone safe since our prayers have been answered and we are allowed to gather and receive the Eucharist again. Thank you for your patience and understanding as we try to keep up to the ever changing rules and please thank you to our volunteers for helping us get through these trying times.

#### **Livestream Masses**

Masses will be in effect beginning July 7, 2020 English Weekday and Sunday Masses are livestreamed at 9:00 AM daily from Resurrection Parish.

For Livestream Links visit www.youtube.com/ArchdioceseRegina

The Religious articles Shop has a very nice variety of gifts for First Eucharist and Confirmation. Please stop by the office during regular business hours. They will be happy to help







#### **Stewardship Bulletin Bit:**

**23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**. You, son of man, I have appointed watchman for the house of Israel..." (Ezekiel 33:7)

Many of us are generous with our gifts. However, many of us are not generous in proportion to the gifts we have been given. How often do we give at the minimum level required? Remember, the Lord calls us to nurture and develop our gifts. He calls us to be generous with all the gifts He has given us, especially the one that means the most to us.

#### **Calling Teens and University students**

Are you looking to meet some new people, look at some of life's big questions and have a few laughs along the way? Please join us for "Alpha" Online. There will be a few opportunities for us to potentially gather in person as a group, but the majority of the gatherings will happen online. We promise it will be an hour WELL SPENT each week!

So join us Wednesday evenings at 6:30PM. No need to register. Just join us on ZOOM at https://zoom.us/j/643587934

If you have any questions contact Michelle at mbraden@archregina.sk.ca

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!

<u>Archbishop's Appeal</u>: Please see this new, easy way to give to the appeal! <a href="http://eepurl.com/g9jMh5">http://eepurl.com/g9jMh5</a>



<u>Current members of the Knights of Columbus have</u> <u>been busy with renovations at the local Fair (Food)</u>

**Booth.** The roof had shingles over 25 years old, so they strapped and sheeted them with metal as well as the outside walls. Inside they have been working on the shelving, counters, hand-washing station, signs and flooring and the deep fryer was replaced with propane one. There was also work on the shed. It was donated a long time ago by the Co-op. Its doors are being repaired after being attacked a few times over the last couple of years by suspects unknown. The roof sheeted, and



sided, like the booth.

St Vincent de Paul RC Parish, CWL, St Michael School, and K of C, supply volunteer workers for the booth. They clean before and after as well as operate during the Weyburn Fair each year. The Knights would like to thank everyone who has helped. See more on discoverweyburn.com.

Stewardship & Talent - September 5 & 6, 2020						
	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM			
Readers	Glenda Zackrisson	Wendy Pitre	Val Wing			
	Lloyd Zyla	Colleen Fellner	Jennifer Woodard			
Acolytes						
Eucharistic						
Ministers						
Children's Liturgy						
<b>Power Point</b>	Randy Schiller	Mitzi Nicole Recto	Jennifer Woodard			
Hospitality	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten	Yvonne Kerr	Judy & Mel VanBetuw			
	Bonnie & Frank Kaip	Omer & Chris Marcotte	Gordon Rutten			
		Richard & Celine Wawro	Danette & Calvin Tracey			
Counters Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten, Kevin & Verna O'Neill						
Stewardship of Time & Talent - September 12 & 13, 2020						
	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM			
Readers	Wendy Sidloski	Claire Kuhn	Ron Wormsbecker			
	Ingri Roman	Lynn Colquhoun	Ingri Roman			
Acolytes						
Eucharistic						
Ministers						
Children's Liturgy						
<b>Power Point</b>	Fingler Family	Vacant	Jacob Leblanc			
Hospitality	Yvonne Dzuba	Willie & Adele Nimegeers	Ron Wormsbecker			
	Dennis Tremblay	Dick Michel	Aime Isabey			
	Jim Wanner	Jean Janoski	Pat & Loretta Benning			
Counters Dave Creurer, Rob Labbie, Darren Woodard						

**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 – Dave Creurer

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

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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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