# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH



# Lord's Day Eucharist:

Saturday 5 pm Sunday 9 am 11 am

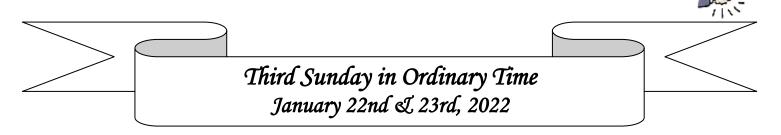


**Mission:** St. Mary's, Tribune – Sat. 7 pm

Reconciliation: <u>Fri.</u> 11:30–12:00pm <u>Sat.</u> 4:00– 4:40 pm

## 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!



# The ministry of Christ today:

In this Sunday's Gospel reading, we see Jesus announcing the reality of his ministry: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to set the oppressed free, and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord.... Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing." Did this ministry come to an end when he ascended to heaven and disappeared off the face of the earth?

As the reading from Corinthians points out, *we* are now the Body of Christ on earth. We are *all* -- every one of us -- *important* parts of this body! Do not underestimate yourself. God created you and brought you into the Church because you can make a significant difference. No one else can do what you can do, the way you can do it, in the plans that he has for making this world a better place

.We Christians are, as a community of believers, the Body of Christ on earth. Every time we receive the Body of Christ in Holy Communion, we receive what we are, and thus we're renewed in the continuation of Christ's ministry. His mission is our mission.

By receiving Jesus in the Eucharist, we consume not only Jesus in his full humanity and his full divinity, we also consume his ministry. The Spirit of the Lord comes upon us. Every Mass is a renewal of our vocation to bring good news to the poor, to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to set the oppressed free, and to proclaim what is acceptable to the Lord.

In other words, every time we receive Jesus in the Eucharist, the scripture passage that he quoted in Luke 4:18-21 is fulfilled again. Sin is anything that prevents this from happening.

Whenever the prayers of others are not answered, whenever evil is allowed to prevail, whenever souls suffer because they have not heard the good news of salvation in Jesus, it's because the parts of Christ's earthly body that can do something about it are not doing it. God provides everything that's needed on earth *through us*! Jesus continues his ministry on earth *through us*!

## Upcoming Eucharistic Celebrations January 24 – January 30

Mon.	Jan 24	No Mass	
Tues.	Jan 25	9:00 AM	Leroy Wolbaum +
Wed.	Jan 26	9:00 AM	Jim Thiel +
Thurs.	Jan 27	9:00 AM	Sheridan Kot +
Fri.	Jan 28	12:10 PM	Matt & Brandi Seitz & Family (Int)
Sat.	Jan 29	5:00 PM	Pam Newburg +
St. Mary's	Jan 29	7:00 PM	Owen Ashworth (Int)
Sun.	Jan 30	9:00 AM	Emile Istace +
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#### **Community Hot Meal Information**

As some folks may not be aware of what the Community Hot Meal is all about here is some information: Our church has joined with 6 other churches in Weyburn to prepare and package meals for those less fortunate in our community. Some of the churches lack manpower to prepare the meals so they assist in packaging the meals. Our church takes its turn once per month on the second Sunday. We have two more turns, Feb. 13th and Mar. 13th. Approximately 85 meals are delivered each time. I put out the call in the bulletin for pots of soup to be made as well as buns and cookies. Generous volunteers in our church supply me with the needed food. The food is delivered to Knox Hall on the designated Sunday afternoon by 4:30pm. Once all the food has arrived the soup is dished out into 24 oz Styrofoam containers. Jane and John Smith provide the names and amount of meals needed per order and our workers place soup, buns and cookies in the brown paper bag. A label is attached with the name of the client and drivers deliver the meals around town. The delivery time is between 5 - 5:30 pm. The process is very smooth and in no time the meals are all packaged and delivered while still hot. If you know of someone who could benefit from a meal please contact John Smith at 306-891-4123. He will make contact.

Here is what is required for our next session on Feb. 13<sup>th</sup> (thank you to the volunteers who have already stepped forward with pots of soup and buns): 9 pots of soup, 10 dozen buns (2 per Ziploc bag), 15 dozen cookies (2 per Ziploc bag). If you know you can provide food for Feb. 13<sup>th</sup> please contact Wendy Pitre as soon as possible at 306-861-3473.

Thank you so much to those who have previously donated food! It is greatly appreciated!



God of Love and Hope, be with us as we ask for your blessing on those who are in need of our prayers: Jean Watling, Gerald Kaip, Carol Reeve, Margaret Briltz, Linda Kot, Owen Ashworth, Kristofer Sotropa, and all those facing an illness or any of life's struggles.

#### Spiritual Adult Faith Formation Movie Month:

The Spiritual and Faith Formation Committee is hosting 2 more consecutive movie nights on Saturdays in January. Join us at the church as we explore and enjoy our Catholic faith through film.

#### - Pray: the story of Patrick Peyton. Jan 22, 7pm.

A documentary about the inspiring life of Fr. Patrick Peyton. In 1928 Patrick immigrated to the USA from Ireland in search of the American dream. Instead, he found his vocation to be a priest. Using radio, TV and movies, Fr. Peyton proclaimed the Rosary around the world with the message "the family that prays together stays together." Rated PG.

#### - For Greater Glory. Jan 29, 7pm.

An epic war drama based on the true events of the Cristero rebellion in 1920's Mexico. When an aggressively atheistic President takes power in Mexico he attempts to exterminate Catholicism by closing churches, exiling priests, intimidation and murder. Many of the Catholic faithful feel they have no choice but to take up arms in defense of their faith and freedom. Rated PG-13.

<u>A Christian Unity Service</u> that was to be held on Sunday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>, at 3:00pm at the Zion Lutheran Church has been **cancelled!!** 

<u>The Knights of Columbus</u> will praying the Rosary, in honour of Mary on Sunday, January, 30<sup>th</sup> (Fifth Sunday) at 2:30pm. They invite everyone to join them in honour of Our Blessed Mother.



Stewardship Bulletin Bit: "Go, eat rich foods and drink sweet drinks, and allot portions to those who had nothing prepared..." (Nehemiah 8:10) Ezra's instructions to the people show us that God does not forbid us from enjoying the good things in life. He wants us to be happy! However, God expects us to be grateful for all that He has given us and to generously share our blessings with those who are in need. Now here's the hard part – to share all we have without expecting anything in return.

#### **Engaged Encounter Weekend:**

Engaged Encounter Weekend, scheduled for February 11th to February 13th, 2022 is a unique experience where couples about to be engaged or who are engaged receive witnessing from two married couples who provide an inside look at married life.

It is a weekend totally dedicated to the engaged couple's future married life.

Father Abello is a priest on that weekend and is happy to answer questions you may have. He can be reached at 306-

#### Welcome to our Parish Library



Our Parish is blessed to have a very well stocked library and is open to all parishioners. Our library has books

on apologetics, theology, biblical commentary, Catholic living, Church history, the saints and more, at all reading levels. It also has a selection of DVDs including documentaries on the faith and hit films with Catholic content. There is even a small selection of novels and children's materials. All items circulate with a simple sign out sheet, located on the library cart near the front doors of the church. To find the library, go through the Slezak room at the rear of the church and follow the library sign to the right. Pro libris!



Prayer Shawl Ministry - We have a beautiful assortment of prayer shawls that have been lovingly made by members of our parish. Prayer shawls are meant to be given

to others to comfort them in times of pain, loss, stress, healing; or simply to be a symbol of prayers and love for anything else that may be happening in the recipient's life. If you would like to choose a prayer shawl to give to a loved one, please come see us at the parish office. Once chosen, we can get the prayer shawl blessed by Father, and it can be gifted to offer comfort for those who need it.



Pope Francis and the Bishops from all over the world are using synods as a tool to gather the thoughts and opinions of laity as to what our church is and what we need to do going forward.

Canadian Bishops have asked that each parish gather this information to forward to the CCB and then to the Vatican.

We need to LISTEN to others, LEARN from others, and then LEAD as a result of that listening and learning.

Please watch the Bulletin for a date when we will gather at the local level to begin this process as we "Walk together to follow Christ".

Ron Wormsbecker will be giving his Faith/Life Story on Tuesday, January 25<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00pm in the Wheatland Church. All are welcome to attend.

## **<u>"Bible Corner"</u>** Introduction:



Last March/April I was reluctant to hold an in-person Bible Study during the COVID restrictions, so I ran a bulletin series entitled "Bible Corner" for 7

weeks. Given the present restrictions I've decided to continue with the "Bible Corner" and will run it for as long as necessary; but it may not be in every weekly bulletin. We finished off with Week IV of "Revelation" last April and will continue discussing the manner by which God reveals Himself to us next week with "Revelation V": Two Modes of My sources for this series are Transmission. primarily the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) and the Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCCC). Brought to you by a subcommittee of the Spiritual and Adult Faith Formation Committee – Lloyd Zyla



Baptism Preparation Classes are scheduled for February 12th & March 12<sup>th</sup>. Please call the office to register for the date that works best for you!

Stewardship & Talent - January 22 & 23					
	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM		
Readers	Lloyd Zyla	Pat Wolensky	Ron Wormsbecker Ingri Roman		
Eucharistic	Rose Loos Mary Ann Piwarski Roberto Roman	Theresa Istace Pat Wolensky Vacant	Carol Toles Aime Isabey Roberto Roman		
Ministers	Roberto Roman	Vacant	Roberto Roman		
Children's Liturgy	-	-	Tiffany Bohn		
<b>Power Point</b>	Roberto Roman	Gerry Langlois	Jennifer Woodard		
Hospitality	Heather Fellner Ev Corbin Bernice Driscoll	Kevin & Lynn Colquhoun Ken &Susan Kot	Norm Mondor Al Pitre Joe Glab Sheldon LeBlanc Roberto Roman		
Counters	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten Kev	in & Verna O'Neill			
	Stewardship of Time	& Talent - January 29	& 30		
	SAT 5 PM	SUN 9 AM	SUN 11 AM		
Readers	Wendy Sidloski Ingri Roman	Wendy Pitre	Val Wing Marilyn Schuck		
Eucharistic Ministers	Mary Janeczko Betty VanStaveren Vacant	Don Bohn Frank Porte Susan Kot	Shirley Mondor Stella Hoffart Gordon Rutten		
Children's Liturgy	-	-	Leslie Richards		
Power Point	Fingler Family	Gerry Langlois	Roberto Roman		
Hospitality	Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten Frank & Bonnie Kaip	Jean Janoski Willie & Adele Nimegeers Dick & Audrey Michel	Mel & Judy Van Betuw Gordon Rutten Calvin & Danette Tracey		
Counters	Dave Creurer Rob Labbie Darren Woodard				

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