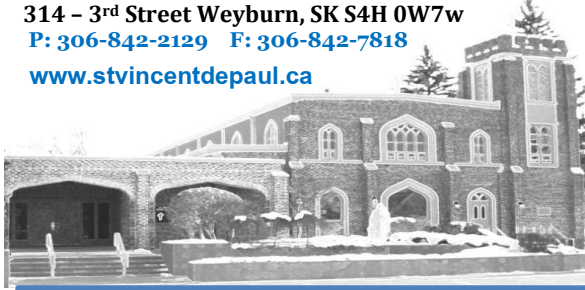


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## Lord's Day Eucharist:

**Saturday - 5:00 pm**

**Sunday - 9:00 am & 11:00 am**

Reconciliation: Fri. 11:30 – 12:00 Sat. 4:00 – 4:40

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

Office Hours: Tuesday – Thursday 8:30- 4:30, Friday 8-4

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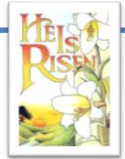
**Parish Life Coordinators:** MaryAnn Flaaten & Wendy Pitre Email: [stvincent@sasktel.net](mailto:stvincent@sasktel.net)

**Youth Ministry:** Paula Reich email: [stvdpyouth.paula@gmail.com](mailto:stvdpyouth.paula@gmail.com) **Hall Convener:** Angelo Fresnido 842-4481 **Caretaker:** Rani Roettger

**Sacraments** Baptism & RCIA: Contact the office **Matrimony:** Contact Fr. Francis at least 6 months prior to wedding



## *2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter - April 22 & 23, 2017*



### **GOOD NEWS: How to continue the Easter experience**

How well do we live the Easter experience in our daily lives? We are an Easter people, because we know and celebrate that Jesus has risen from the dead. And yet, we're not always shouting, "Hallelujah!" We don't always feel like celebrating -- not in our worship nor outside the church where our joy could influence people toward faith in Jesus.

It's hard to feel like the Good Friday experience of carrying our crosses has really ended.

This Sunday's second reading describes what the Easter experience is supposed to feel like: We should rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy. But how does that happen?

The attitude of joy does not come from reaching the end of our cross-like burdens. Rather, it comes from knowing that Christ's death and resurrection have overcome our crosses, and by uniting ourselves to his life, we are victorious even before we see the battle end.

Furthermore, it comes from knowing that we have the ultimate victory -- eternal life in God's abundant love -- and we know that this gift is "imperishable, undefiled, and unfading" and that it's being safeguarded by the power of God because, by choosing to have faith in Christ, we have accepted the gift in advance.

This joy-from-knowing is the true definition of "hope". Hope isn't wishful thinking. Hope means celebrating what is certainly going to happen *before* it happens.

Some Catholics say that they're afraid they might lose their salvation because they don't trust themselves to stay close to Jesus always. They're afraid that something will tempt them to turn away from Jesus between now and the hour of death. If you worry about this, let me ask you: During times of suffering, do you reject God or run to him?

Even when we get angry at him, we're actually very close to him. We're angry because we believe in him and trust him and he seems to be disappointing us. This is a normal part of the Christian life: Our faith is purified by our trials.

To embrace life as an Easter people, we must learn to remember that our sufferings are temporary and that someday we will enter into eternal joy. This is what we celebrate even while carrying our crosses.

**Questions for Personal Reflection:** In what ways has God apparently disappointed you? What is he doing -- or not doing -- that's upsetting you? How is this increasing your closeness to him, even if it feels like he's silent and distant?



## Welcome Visitors & New Parish Members!

New parishioners are asked to fill out a new parishioner form – located in the foyer! **Thank you!!**

### Readings for 3rd Sunday of Easter

Acts 2:14, 22b-28 1 Peter 1:17-21  
Luke 24:13-35

### Upcoming Eucharist Celebrations

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Mon.	Apr. 24	7:00 PM – Rosella Wanner
Tues.	Apr. 25	9:00 AM – Larry Marcotte+
Wed.	Apr. 26	9:00 AM – Therese Sidloski
Thurs.	Apr. 27	9:00 AM – Alvin Wawro+
Fri.	Apr. 28	9:30 AM – (Weyb. Sp. Care Home ) Joan Stellick 12:10 PM - Valda Goski+
Sat.	Apr. 29	10:00 AM (Tatagwa) Betty Verot+ 5:00 PM – Karen & Dennis Erickson & family
Sun.	Apr. 30	9:00 AM – Albert Lemay+ 11:00 AM –
<b>St. Mary's</b>		
Sat.	Apr. 29	7:00 PM –



**God of love and hope be with us as we ask for your blessing on those who are in need of our prayers, especially:** Michelle Kapell, Wanda Dorosz, Darren Polasek, Stan Mickalishen, Jeannie Lemieux, Don Sturgeon, Michael Clemens, Laurette Fradette, Eileen Walkeden, Carmelo Lozada Clase, Lynn Koloski, Tom Deutscher, Joe Maas, Roy Sidloski, Graham Dean, Yvonne McNeil, Alex Halyk, Tanis VanDeSyne, Tony Seitz, Rose Schultz, Ida Hoffart, Joanne Wormsbecker, Larry Stadler, Alice Kot, Vic Tremblay, Carmen Williams. Yvette Bauche, Rose Dembiczak, Russ Blischak

**Our Sympathy and prayers** to Marion Shorthouse and family on the passing of her sister **Mildred Johnston** and to Norm & Shirley Mondor and family on the passing of their grandson **Dylan Smith**.



Please call the parish office if you have a family member in the hospital and would like a pastoral visit and / or would like to have a family member included on our prayer list.



**Thank you!!** to everyone who helped out with Holy Week Masses. From the choirs who provided the wonderful music to the decorators who made our church beautiful plus the many people who assisted with the various ministries, you are all great stewards of our parish! God Bless!!

Thank you from Angelo to the many volunteers who have given of their time with the numerous events held recently at McKenna Hall. You are greatly appreciated!!

### Divine Mercy Sunday April 23rd!

2:30 pm – Archbishop Emeritus James Weisgerber, Chaplet of Divine Mercy in song

4:00 pm - Adoration & confession

5:00 pm - Mass, with a free supper to follow.

Jesus himself asked St. Faustina to establish this Feast of Mercy!

Please join us in receiving this incredible gift!



**(\*\*Please note – there will not be an 11 AM Mass on this day)**



**The Filipino Mass** this Month will be held on **Sunday, April 30th @ 5 PM**– rather than the 3rd Sunday! Everyone is welcome to attend!



**The St. Vincent de Paul Religious Articles Shop** will be having their annual Spring Lobby Sale on **Sunday April 23 & Saturday, April 29 and Sunday April 30**. Along with our regular merchandise we will have a selection of gifts for the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist.

### St. Vincent de Paul running team seeking members

Parishioner James Richards is starting a running/jogging team for the 2017 summer and fall running season. The intent is to build a team of runners/joggers of all skill levels from among the members of St. Vincent de Paul parish. The team will promote the Faith with a Catholic themed name and t-shirts. We will aim to enter local relay race events such as the *Opportunity Road Race* (June) and the *Queen City Marathon* (Sept). Info night is Tuesday May 2, 7:30 pm at the Church (Slezak Room) or text James at 306-861-4032 if you can't make the info night.





**Defibrillator Training Session:** will be held **Tuesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7 PM** at McKenna Hall.

This session is offered for anyone wishing to learn how to use the defibrillators located at the church and McKenna Hall.



**Baptism Preparation Class** is scheduled for **May 6 from 10 AM – 12 PM**. Please call the office to register. Certain criteria must be met when choosing Godparents. For complete information regarding this very important decision go to our website: [www.stvincentdepaul.ca](http://www.stvincentdepaul.ca). Please share this with anyone you know that this may pertain to.



**Join us for the powerful documentary "The Euthanasia Deception" Wednesday, May 3**, at 7pm in the Lower McKenna. This documentary exposes what euthanasia laws can do to a country's culture in a short period of time. The documentary focuses on Belgium, the first country to legally allow euthanasia and assisted suicide. We hear heart wrenching testimonies from people in Belgium and Canada who have been affected by these laws, along with medical, legal and expert analysis that reveal the truth about euthanasia and assisted suicide.



**Prayer for Palliative Care:** The Catholic Women's League of Canada calls all people of faith to join nationwide in 12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care on **Thursday, May 4, 2017**, during National Hospice Palliative Care Week, as a profound witness to the sanctity of human life.

All parishioners, family and friends are invited to join in Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, prayer and solidarity from **7 AM – 7 PM** at the church. Mass will be celebrated at 9 AM. Those unable to attend are encouraged to join in prayerful support. For further information please contact Theresa at 306-861-0167.



**Hospice Palliative Care Petitions** can be found on the back table. Please take the time to add your signature and address. These petitions will be sent to the House of Commons requesting implementation of Palliative Care in all health care systems across Canada.



**St. Vincent de Paul CWL Brunch & Bake Sale – Sunday May 7<sup>th</sup> 10 AM – 1 PM @ McKenna Hall.**

**Donations of baking** for the bake sale table would be greatly appreciated from members and interested parishioners. Pies, cake, breads, buns, cookies and squares are very popular. These may be dropped off Saturday afternoon, May 6 from 1 – 3 PM or Sunday before Mass at McKenna Hall. Please call Velma Hoffman at 306-842-4019 for further information regarding baking.



**K of C** – The general meeting will be held on **Monday, April 24<sup>th</sup>**. Please join us for Mass at 7 PM at the church and meeting to follow at McKenna Hall.

**Fourth Degree Drill Practice – April 27<sup>th</sup> @ 7 PM** in Lower McKenna. Put on by Leslie Good – Moose Jaw Knights. All Third and Fourth Degree Knights welcome. Lunch will be served.

**Funeral Lunch Groups:** The following groups are next in line for upcoming funerals: Marilyn & Ev, Rose & Emily and Shirley & Theresa.



**5/6 Club** meets Weekly on Tuesdays from 6:30 - 8 pm **7-9 Club** meets Weekly on Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8 pm.

**Spiritual Paint Classes** are held on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month from 4-5 pm in the Youth Room.

**Youth Service Team** meets on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month from 4 - 5 pm in the Youth Room.

**The Teen Timeline Bible Study** meets on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month from 4-5 pm in the Youth Room.

**Getting married this summer?** Last chance to participate in a Catholic Engaged Encounter weekend marriage preparation retreat. This diocesan approved course has a few remaining spots available for our June 2 to 4, 2017 weekend near Wolseley, SK. For more information or to register go to [www.ceewest.com](http://www.ceewest.com) and click on "Regina" or call Stella and Ron Anderson at (306) 596-2951.

**Calling all couples!** Save the Date - June 17, 2017 for Regina Catholic Engaged Encounter's Summer BBQ! More details to follow. [www.facebook.com/CatholicEngagedEncounterRegina](http://www.facebook.com/CatholicEngagedEncounterRegina)

**"Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.'" John 20:19**

Are you good at making people feel welcome? When you meet someone new, a new neighbor, a new work colleague, a new parishioner, do you make them feel at home? Many of us can probably do a much better job at this. When we make people feel welcome, we make them feel like they are included instead of being excluded. A simple "hello" and a smile goes a long way.

**Parish Council Co-Chairpersons** – Lynn Colquhoun and Ken Kot

**Parish Finance Chairperson** – Marcy Labbie

**Parish Council Members:** Lynn Colquhoun, Ken Kot, Pat Wolensky, Don Vatamaniuck,

Sarah Ayeri, Joseph Ball, Brenda Kosior, Vic Plante, John Tuchscherer

**Parish Council meets on the last Thursday of each month, excluding July.**

**K of C Grand Knight:** Randy Schiller (861-1863) **K of C Faithful Navigator:** Jim Wanner (842-4014)

**Weyburn K of C Mtgs:** Executive & Directors – 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of every month, General Mtg. – 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of every month (Sept.-June)

**CWL President:** Fran Messer (842-6259) **Weyburn CWL** – General Meeting – 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month (Sept. – June)



### Stewardship of Time & Talent for April 22 & 23

	Sat. 5 PM	Sun. 9 AM	Sun. 5 PM
<b>Readers</b>	Glenda Zackrisson	Dianne Voz Theresa Istace	Shirley Mondor Hilda McGowan
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Jo Martin Lloyd Zyla Mary Ann Piwarski Stephen Zackrisson Brian Winter Dave Creurer Janice Seitz	Yvonne Kerr Doreen Verbeurgt Marcel Bauche Carol Anderson Lynn Colquhoun Hilarion Pohl <b>Vacant</b>	Bonnie Sidloski Aime Isabey Cecile Sellinger Elaine Nielsen Jelsen Varghese
<b>Acolytes</b>		Don Bohn Frank Porte	Bonnie Sidloski Aime Isabey
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Holly Ferguson	Ingri Roman	<b>No Children's Liturgy</b>
<b>Power Point</b>	Roberto Roman	Carole Milo	Jennifer Woodard
<b>Hospitality</b>	Brian Winter Sophie gall Rhonda Baudria S & G Zackrisson	Jim Parsons Dwayne Hoffman W & A Nimegeers	Ron Miller Emily Stadler Terry Lonoway Charlene Keen

**Counters:** Harry Plemel, Nick Coroluick, Shirley Mondor

### Stewardship of Time & Talent for April 29 & 30

	Sat. 5 PM	Sun. 9 AM	Sun. 11 AM
<b>Readers</b>	Velma Hoffman Janice Seitz	Carol Reeve Claire Kuhn	Wendy Pitre Theresa Istace
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Rose Loos Margaret Tuchscherer Bruno Tuchscherer <b>VACANT</b> Grant Marcotte Roberto Roman Kim Haupstein	Cecile Sellinger Lavine Stepp Chris Marcotte <b>VACANT</b> Samuel Ferguson Jean Woodard Susan Kot	Bonnie Sidloski Aime Isabey  Judy Van Betuw Val Wing Helene Gordon Danette Tracey
<b>Acolytes</b>		Bruno Tuchscherer, Richard Wick	Mel VanBetuw, Ken LeBlanc
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Darcy Pouteux	Tara Kurtz	Michelle Walkeden
<b>Power Point</b>	Youth	Barry Briltz	Bonnie Sidloski
<b>Hospitality</b>	<b>CWL Sunday</b>	<b>CWL Sunday</b>	<b>CWL Sunday</b>

**Counters:** Jeff & Mary Ann Flaaten, Kevin & Verna O'Neill

**Thank you for finding a sub to fill in when you cannot be here!**



***Jesus asks us to demonstrate our love for Him through our generosity to others. In our everyday lives, He calls us to share our gifts of time, talent and treasure with others.***