## Parishes of St. Viator, Dauphin Corpus Christi, Winnipegosis

St. Viator's Parish 307 Whitmore Avenue East PO Box 250 Dauphin, Manitoba R7N 2V1 Phone (204) 638-4892 Fax (204) 638-5979 http://www.stviator.ca

### \*\*Office Hours:

Tuesday-Thursday 8:30am-Noon, 1:00-4:00pm Weekend Mass Schedule: Saturday at 7:30pm, St. Viator's Sunday at 10:15am, St. Viator's Sunday at 2:00pm, Corpus Christi

Bulletin Submissions: Submit church related announcements to the office by Wednesday morning to be in that week's bulletin.

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Baptisms: Baptism Preparation Classes: By appointment.

Please call parish office to register. Corpus Christi Parish contact Jo Bunka for Baptism

Preparation.

Baptisms will be held by scheduled appointments.

Marriage: Minimum Six months noticed required. Couples must be practising members of our Parish. Call the Parish Office to arrange a meeting with the priest.

Ministry of Presence (The St. Luke Society) If you or someone you know is unable to attend Mass and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact the parish office. Families and friends of parishioners are welcome to call on their behalf.

#### **Prayer for Priests and Priestly Vocations**

Heavenly Father, please grant to Your faithful servants, the grace and strength to carry out Your mission for the church each Sun Sep 24: 9:30am Confession day. Keep our priests close to You and continue to inspire them to serve others in Your Holy Name. Please help to inspire men

who are called to a priestly vocation to answer Your call and participate in the fullness that You have planned for them. Amen.



Need to talk? Are you or a family member ill and need a priest? Planning a Wedding or Baptism ?Call office at 204-638-4992 to set up an appointment or visit time. Or Fr. Michel directly at 204-960-6059. You only need to ask, God Bless.

## 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time September 16 & 17, 2023



\*Schedule Subject to Change

Mon Sep 18: Office Closed 9:00am-4:00pm Rummage Sale Prep (1 Timothy 2.1-7) Gospel: Luke 7.1-10

Tues Sep 19: No Mass 9:00am-4:00pm Rummage Sale Prep (1 Timothy 3.1-13) Gospel: Luke 7.11-17

Wed Sep 20: 9:00am-4:00pm Rummage Sale Prep 6:30 Mass: +Rodney Penner & Felix Gancher, req Sylvia & Nell (1 Timothy 3.14-16) Gospel: Luke 7.31-35

Thurs Sep 21: 9:00am-6:00pm Rummage Sale 10:30am Novena & Mass: +Del Goodwin, req Jeneatt & Claude Latulippe 7:00pm Knights of Columbus Meeting (Ephesians 4.1-7, 11-13) Gospel: Matthew 9.9-13

Fri Sep 22: 9:00am-3:00pm Rummage Sale 6:00pm Adoration & Divine Mercy 7:00pm Mass: For the deceased, hospitalized & families of the bus crash, req Minnie Kowalski (1 Timothy 6.2-12) Gospel: Luke 8.1-3

Sat Sep 23: 6:30pm Confession 7:30pm Mass: +Louise & Archie Fiel, req Julie & Terry Woznev (1 Timothy 6.13-16) Gospel: Luke 8.4-15

10:15am Mass: Thanksgiving for anniversaries of Gerardo & Jet, & Ronald & Kathleen 2:00pm Mass at Corpus Christi: For all youth and parishioners of both parishes

(Isaiah 55.6-9, Philippians 1.20-24, 27) Gospel: Matthew 20.1-16

### Reflections on the Readings: 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

There's an old adage, "If you don't know where you are going, any road will take you there." In today's Gospel, Jesus gives Peter (and us) clear directions and terms that he requires of us. We must forgive with our hearts.

When we have been hurt deeply, forgiveness can be daunting. Acknowledging all the emotions that come from being wounded often makes forgiveness humanly unbearable. When we realize we lack the strength to do what God is asking, we turn to Jesus.

Step 8 of the 12-Step program is "make a list of all the persons we have harmed and become willing to make amends." There is an abundance of evidence that this approach really works. Hundreds of thousands of alcoholics have recovered from a hopeless state of mind and body and found freedom from resentments by doing this step. It has a healing effect and can lead us from the seat of judgment to the throne of mercy.



God calls us to himself through many situations. Our struggle to forgive is in our human nature. Surrender leads us to the abundant transforming grace that he offers us through the Holy Spirit. We receive this powerful gift in the Eucharist, his body and blood. The rocky and narrow road to Good Friday leads us on to Easter Sunday.

Denis Grady Calgary, AB



Life Chain is a prayerful and peaceful witness to the sanctity of human life and the evil of abortion. Participants pray and hold non-graphic signs with messages such as "Life, the first inalienable right" and "Abortion kills children" at hundreds of locations across North America for one hour. Please join us for Dauphin's Life Chain at 307 Whitmore Ave East, here at St. Viator's in the driveway beginning at 2:00pm and ending at 3:00pm. This is a family friendly event appropriate for people of all ages and backgrounds and a unique opportunity to provide our neighbors a much needed message of love, hope, and truth. As Our Lord asked of His disciples: "Could you not watch one hour with me?" (Mk 14:37)

#### DID YOU KNOW?

- Canada is the only democratic country in the world with ZERO protection for the preborn.
- Neither the 1988 R.v.Morgentaler decision nor the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms establishes a right to abortion.
- Canadian taxpayers spend hundreds of millions of dollars funding abortion domestically and abroad.
- Almost 300 abortions happen every day in Canada—around 100,000/year.
- Since 1969, there have been over 4 million abortions in Canada.
- Almost a third of Canadian women over 45 are post abortive.



# St. Viator's CWL Annual Rummage Sale!

Our sale is coming up this week, and donations of

clothing, shoes, accessories, bedding, draperies, or anything "soft" is gratefully accepted. Not to be confused with the garage sale, please, no other donations are welcome at this time.

Drop off for donations will be from September 18-20th between the hours of 9am-4pm.

The Rummage Sale will be:
Thursday, September 21, 9am-6pm
Friday, September 22, 9am-3pm

**Volunteers** are needed to make the sale a success, and donations of food would be highly appreciated for all our volunteers. If you are able to help, please contact **Linda Zazuliak** at:

204-638-5633 or 204-647-0377

Thank you in advance for your help!

If anyone is interested, we are in need of some volunteers who would like to operate the camera and the soundboard on Sunday mornings. If you are interested, please contact Linda Zazuliak at 204-638-5633, cell number 204-647-0377, or Joy Frett at 204-592-0111



### **Bible Study - The Bible and the Church Fathers**

If you're interested in participating in Bible Study this fall, please see the sign up sheet in the foyer by the office. Please sign your name, phone number, and whether you would like the workbook only, the accompanying book only, or both. Cost for the



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workbook is \$35, the accompanying book (The Fathers of the Church) is \$30.

Please have your name down prior to September 22 so we can get the materials ordered right away. Thank you.

#### Financial Corner:

**St. Viator's Parish** # Envelopes = 59

**Sept 10 Collection-**\$1928.50 + \$207.35 (loose) = \$2135.85

**SGG** – \$400

Pre-Authorized Payments \$907.50

Corpus Christi # of envelopes = 12 Sept 10 Collection- \$600 SGG - \$60



The Brandon Serra Club will be hosting their Annual Clergy and Religious Appreciation Dinner on October 18, 2023 at St. Augustine Church, in Brandon MB.

The theme this year is "From Curate to Vicar General: The Evolving Role of the Priesthood. The guest speaker this year will be Very Reverend Barry Schoonbaert from the

Archdiocese of Winnipeg.

Details are:

Date: Wednesday, October 18, 2023

**Place:** St. Augustine Church, 4th St. & Lorne Ave. **Vespers:** 5:00pm in the church, dinner to follow

Cost: \$45/person Adjourn: 8:15pm

All dinner reservations must be made and paid for in full by Friday,

September 22.

To make a reservation and arrange for payment please contact:

Aleks Onita: 204-727-4728, email office@staug.ca or,

Beverley Hicks: 204-7265978, email brandonserraclub@gmail.com

## Reminder: Funeral committee meeting for convenors is Oct 3 at 6:30pm

We are in need of helpers at funerals. If interested or wish to know more, contact Linda Zazuliak at 647-0377, or 638-5633

CWL ladies are looking for full aprons, in good repair for the kitchen.

If you would like to donate to the church it would be greatly appreciated. Any questions, call Linda at 647-0377



### **Keep On Forgiving**

Then Peter came to him and asked, "Lord, how often should I forgive someone who sins against me? Seven times?" Matthew 18:21 (NLT)

Based on Matthew 18:21-35 (NIV)



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### **FORMED**

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Catholic Commentary on The Chosen aims to help Catholics actively engage with the immensely popular TV series depicting the life of Christ. Now available into Season Three.



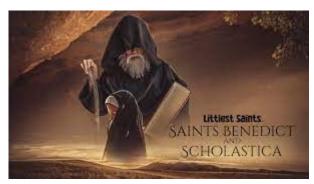
Eleven young men from the United States walk 1,000 kilometers on their Way of St. James pilgrimage. They are looking for answers, not beautiful scenery: How do you deal with pain and suffering? Do the weak quit or do they find meaning on the Camino? How much baggage is enough or too much?



Francis was a person who, like us, searched for purpose and meaning and was oftentimes left empty. It wasn't until he encountered Jesus Christ that his darkness and confusion were replaced with light and peace. When the world saw him as a fool, he stood as a sign of contradiction. Ultimately, this film is about conversion: his and ours.



The Augustine Institute has adapted its award-winning series The Search and modified it for teens. The Search is an acclaimed evangelization series hosted by speaker and author Chris Stefanick. This adaptation for middle and high school students is called The Search Begins, a new series inviting teens to consider the deepest questions of the human heart and explore the meaning and purpose of life.



A pair of holy twins, a cave, and a group of naughty monks... this is the story of Saint Benedict and Saint Scholastica.



Lukas invites all his friends to a great adventure at the dark reef. As soon as they arrive, they are afraid to help and play with some old forgotten friends so Lukas and Noah share with them the story of St. Teresa of Calcutta and how she asked God for a big heart so She could love everybody. The story changes their lives and helps them to come back to the reef and have a great day with acts of love.