

Parishes of St. Viator, Dauphin Corpus Christi, Winnipegosis

St. Viator's Parish
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****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.

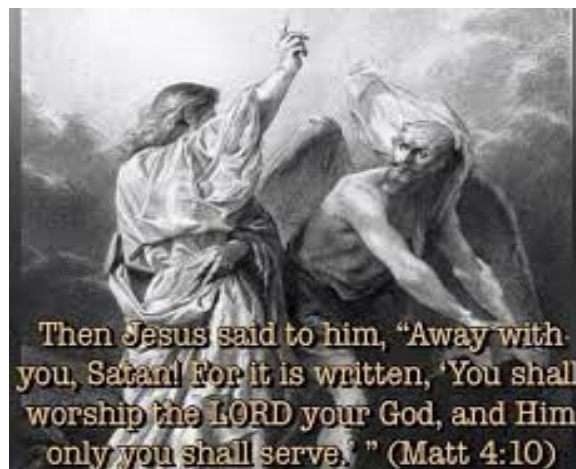
Marriage: Minimum **Six months** noticed required. Couples must be practising members of our Parish. Call the Parish Office to arrange a meeting with the priest.

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 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.

1st Sunday of Lent February 25 & 26, 2023



***Schedule Subject to Change**

Mon Feb 27: Office Closed

10:00am Bible Study

(Leviticus 19.1-2, 11-18) Gospel: Matthew 25.31-46

Tues Feb 28: 7:00pm Adult Faith Formation

(Isaiah 55.10-11) Gospel: Matthew 6.7-15

Wed Mar 1: 2:00pm Mass at Dauphin PCH: For all residents and caregivers

6:30pm Mass: For the family of Max & Ann Geras (Jonah 3.1-10) Gospel: Luke 11.29-32

Thurs Mar 2: 10:30am Novena & Mass: +Kathy

Jankiewicz, req Lillian Stasiuk

7:00pm Dessert evening Presentation by Life Culture

1:00pm CWL Meeting in Multipurpose Room (Esther 14.1, 3-5, 12-14) Gospel: Matthew 7.7-12

Fri Mar 3: 9:00am Adoration

6:00pm Divine Mercy

7:00pm Mass: +Rita Kaminski, req Jeff & Marietta Dinella

7:30pm Stations of the Cross

(Ezekiel 18.21-28) Gospel: Matthew 5.20-26

Sat Mar 4: 9:30am Confession

10:00 1st Saturday Reparation Mass

6:30pm Confession

7:30pm Mass: For the souls of Pope Benedict, as well as deceased friends and family, req Jet & Gerry Sarcia (Deuteronomy 26.16-19) Gospel: Matthew 5.43-2-48

Sun Mar 5: 9:00am Catechism Classes

9:30am Confession

10:15am Mass: For all married couples and those preparing for marriage, req CWL

2:00pm Mass at Corpus Christi: For all parishioners and youth of both parishes

(Genesis 12.1-4, 2 Timothy 1.8-10)

Gospel: Matthew 17.1-9

Reflections on the Sunday Readings:

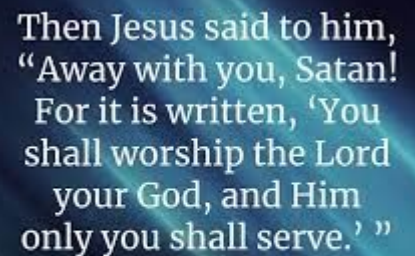
Lent 2023...will this pilgrimage be different than precious years as I prepare for Easter?

From Adam and Eve enticed by the apple, to Jesus baited by Satan, we all face temptation. Whatever our age, each of us deals with enticements in our daily lives: food, procrastination, sites on a laptop, mood altering substances or laziness. How did Jesus deal with his trials? He spoke out directly; "Away with you, Satan? For it is written, 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him.'"

Yes, we are tested. And when I give into my temptations, I feel defeated, guilty, ashamed, even angry with myself. When I beat myself up, I'm powerless and of not much use to myself or anyone else. However, let's contemplate St. Paul's words in today's reading: "Therefore just as one man's trespass led to condemnation for all, so one man's act of righteousness leads to justification and life for all people." The good news, as I enter this Lenten journey, is that Jesus is the one who died for my sins, for the times I succumb to temptation. On Good Friday he paid the price for my sins.

This First Sunday of Lent, my prayer is that the next 40 days be a time of growing awareness of who Jesus is in our lives.

*Gerry Sobie
Castlegar, BC*



Then Jesus said to him,
"Away with you, Satan!
For it is written, 'You
shall worship the Lord
your God, and Him
only you shall serve.' "

Matthew 4:10



Stations of the Cross will be on Fridays following Mass during Lent. Leading the stations will be the following groups:

Friday, February 24 - Dauphin Malayalee community (Jerin Jose)
 Friday, March 3 - Bible Study (Marilyn Plawicki)
 Friday, March 10 - CWL & KofC
 Friday, March 17 - Parish Council
 Friday, March 24 - Finance Council
 Friday, March 31 - Couples for Christ (Jet/ Gerry Sarcia)

As we say goodbye to you, Kyler as our caretaker, know that you have been so very appreciated during your time here, and you will be missed.

We have found a new caretaker, so please welcome Darrell Yunker to the position! Welcome aboard, we look forward to working with you!

The CWL is hosting a Pre-Easter Bake Sale at St. Viator's Parish on Friday, March 10th from 9:00am-1:00pm.

Donations of baking are gratefully accepted.

Drop off of donations is Thursday, March 9 from 9:30am-1:30pm

Thank you in advance.



The CWL now has perogies for sale. If you or anyone you know is interested in purchasing some, please come to the parish during office hours, or contact Linda Zazuliak at 204-638-5633.



Financial Corner:

St. Viator's Parish # of envelopes = 50

Feb 19 Collection—\$1597.50+104.50 (loose) = \$1702

Sharing God's gifts = \$70

Pre-Authorized payments= \$907.50

Corpus Christi # of envelope = 11

Feb 19 Collection \$415

Sharing God's Gifts = \$



The Knights of Columbus

are considering to make available **Handivan** services for the Sunday, 10:15am Mass. If anyone is interested, please contact the parish office at 638-4892. *If there is enough interest the plan will go through.*



There will be a dessert evening and presentation by Life

Culture Canada on March 2nd at 7:00pm here in our parish hall by Executive Director

Susan Penner, who is dedicated to educating and equipping the broader public on the value of life from conception to natural death, as well as providing practical support for women who are in difficult situations. Everyone welcome!



If you are interested in purchasing a Myriam crucifix, please call Linda Zazuliak at 204-638-5633. There is a picture of what it looks like in the foyer next to the office.

The Temptation of Jesus

Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert to be tempted by the devil. Matthew 4:1 (NIV)

The puzzle is based on Matthew 4:1-11 (NLT).



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TEMPTED	ANGELS	HUNGRY	STONES	SERVE
WORLD	KINGDOMS	BREAD	DESERT	SPLENDOR
DEVIL	FASTING	SATAN	TEMPLE	JESUS

Creative Ideas for What to Give up Or Take up for Lent

You could work on being kinder to yourself too. You are a child of God and precious to Him. He wants you to take care of yourself as well as others!

1. Stop skipping meals. Set regular times for your meals and keep your energy flowing all day long.
2. Not drinking enough water. Remember, water is a gift from God.
3. Being so hard on yourself. God gave you life. You are His child. God loves you. Put a stop to devaluing His gift of life by looking in the mirror and stating one thing you like about yourself each morning.
4. Saying yes to everything. Take a breath, pray about it, think about whether you really want to do what's being asked of you and whether you really have time to do what's being asked of you first.
5. Not getting enough sleep. Establish a bedtime and follow it.
6. Crazy mornings. Say no to chaotic mornings. Get clothes laid out, bags packed, lunches packed, breakfast figured out (bonus points if you can make it ahead of time!) and dinner planned for the following day.
7. Give up the snooze button. Set your alarm for the time you want to get up and then do it.
8. Worrying. Hand it all over to God.
9. Stress. Refuse to be rattled by anything. When you feel stress building, talk to God. Ask for His strength. Ask Him to send you peace. Then, handle what needs to be done with a sense of calm. Look for stress relief products or techniques.
10. Cherish yourself. Keep telling yourself that you are one of God's precious creatures. Maybe even write it on Post-it notes and place them all over the house as a constant reminder. Show yourself some love, grace, and understanding each and every day.

