Parishes of St. Viator, Dauphin Corpus Christi, Winnipegosis

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<u>**Office Hours:</u> 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 <u>Wednesday</u> morning to be in that week's bulletin.

Pastor: Reverend Michel Nault Phone #: 1-204-960-6059 E-mail address: micheljnault@gmail.com Administrative Assistant: Christine Letain Email: <u>stviator@wcgwave.ca</u> Catechism Co-ordinator: Email: <u>st.viatorscatechism@gmail.com</u> Stewardship Coordinator: Laverne Hudson Email: <u>lvhudson3@gmail.com</u> Caretaker: Darrell Yunker 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.

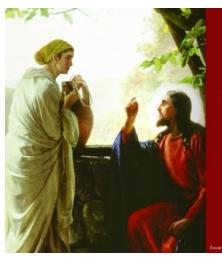
Ministry of Presence (The St. Luke Society) If you or someone you know is unable to attend Mass and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact the parish office. Families and friends of parishioners are welcome to call on their behalf.

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.

3rd Sunday of Lent



3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus answered and said to her, "If you knew the gift of God and who is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him and he would have given you living water." - Jn 4:10

*Schedule Subject to Change

Mon Mar 13: Office Closed 10:00am Bible Study Gospel: Luke 4:24-30

Tues Mar 14: 7:00pm Adult Faith Formation (The Chosen) (Daniel 3:25, 34-43) Gospel: Matthew 18:21-35

Wed Mar 15: 6:30pm Mass: Intentions of Max & Ann Geras (Deuteronomy 4:4, 5-9) Gospel: Matthew 5:17-19 (Confession in Ste. Rose 4:00-6:00)

Thurs Mar 16: 10:30am Novena & Mass: Special Intentions, req Joel Regulicion (Jeremiah 7:23-28) Gospel: Luke 11:14-23 Knights of Columbus Meeting 7:00pm

Fri Mar 17: 6:00pm Divine Mercy 7:00pm Mass: +Florence Yunker, req Janice Ganczar 7:30pm Stations of the Cross (Hosea 14:1-9) Gospel: Mark 12:28-34

Sat Mar 18: 6:30pm Confession 7:30pm Mass: +Aggie Bass, req Adrienne & Gerry Archambault (Hosea 5:15b-6.6) Gospel: Luke 18: 9-14

Sun Mar 19: 9:00am Catechism 9:30am Confession 10:15am Mass: +Tom & Rose Pasloski, req family 2:00pm Mass at Corpus Christi: For all parishioners and youth of both parishes (1Samuel 16: 6-7,10-13) (Ephesians 5:8-14) Gospel: John 9: 1-41



Reflections on the Sunday Readings: 3rd Sunday of Lent

Scrutiny: a negative-sounding word, suggesting harsh judgment. That's something the Samaritan woman knew well. She'd been married five times; her current partner was not her husband. No wonder she went to the well in the heat of the noonday sun, when no one was around.

Catechumens (those preparing for baptism at Easter) begin three weeks of scrutinies today. Catechumens scrutinize their lives in the light of Jesus' life. But also in the light of his love. That makes all the difference.

The Samaritan woman's encounter with Jesus called her to scrutinize her life. Jesus knew her long history, poor choices, sins. But he knew more, knew better. Because he saw with eyes of love and understanding...saw the real person under all the wrong choices. He knew who she really was, who she had been created to be.

Because of him, she could see that too. She could run to the neighbours who had judged and ostracized her and say: "He told me everything I have ever done." She could face her past and present with courage, not despair, trusting that she could be the person she was meant to be.

In every Eucharist, we are called to face our lives with honesty and courage. To look at our lives in the light of Jesus' life. And to receive the living water of his merciful love.



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

Friday, March 10 - ČŴL & KofC Friday, March 17 - Parish Council Friday, March 24 - Finance Council Friday, March 31 - Couples for Christ (Jet/ Gerry Sarcia)

If you are interested in purchasing a Myriam crucifix, please call Linda Zazuliak at 204-638-5633. There is a picture of what it

LENTEN **CONFESSION SCHEDULE**



St. Rose Parish Confessions Wednesday March 15th 4:00pm-6:00pm

St. Viator's Parish Confessions Wednesday March 22 3:30pm - 5:00 pm

Put People and the Planet First—Development & Peace 2023

Share Lent is an annual event for Development & Peace. It is when the bishops of Canada encourage the faithful to give to Development and Peace, especially through the collection on Solidarity Sunday, the

Fifth Sunday of Lent.

This Lent, let us walk in solidarity with our sisters and brothers in the Global South who put people and planet first. Please use your Share Lent envelop for your donation.

(or Extra Envelopes are also available in the foyer.)

The CWL is planning another Perogy Bee March 24th beginning at 8:30 am.



Everyone welcome to come and help. For more info or to Pre order contact Linda Zazuliak at 204-638-5633.



St. Viator's Parish # of envelopes = 73 Mar 5 Collection—\$+ (loose) = \$2698.00 Sharing God's gifts = \$280.00 Pre-Authorized payments= \$907.50

Corpus Christi # of envelope = 10 Mar 5 Collection \$270.25 Sharing God's Gifts = \$70.00



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.



A Return of The Way of the Cross Tableau



The Way of the Cross, also known as The Stations of the Cross, is a spiritual pilgrimage through contemplation of the Passion of Christ. It grew from imitations of the Via Dolorosa in Jerusalem, a traditional processional route representing the path Jesus

walked from the house of Pontius Pilate to Golgotha, the place of Christ's crucifixion. In 2022, a dedicated group of fifteen St. Charles parishioners worked for months to create a 45-minute tableau version video of the Way of the Cross. When uploaded to the St. Charles parish YouTube channel in Lent, it received over 600 views. You will be able to view it again this year from Ash Wednesday (February 22) until Easter. www.youtube.com/watch? v=ETLu Zz5vZQ&t=639s

For more information and to see photos, check out the St. Charles parish Blog link https://

www.saintcharleswpg.com/news?offset=1644612296202

The Thirst Quencher

Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water." John 4:10 (NIV)

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Based on John 4:5-13



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Creative Ideas for What to Take up for Lent

- 1. Get holy water from your church and with your family, use it to say a blessing over each other before starting your day. This could be as simple as saying "Samantha, I love ______ (name something you love about them). God bless you through your day." Beginning your day with such beautiful messages of love can be powerful.
- 2. Let your significant other choose—the movie you're going to watch, the restaurant you're going to eat at, the way you're going to spend Saturday afternoon (yes even if it's with his mother).
- 3. Take on an attitude of joy. Share that joy with everyone you encounter each day.
- 4. Want to bring a little more creativity into your life, spend time (even 15 minutes) each day working on a painting while listening to praise music. Let God and the music guide you!
- 5. Quilt, knit, or crochet one square each day to be assembled into a blanket and given to someone in need.
- 6. Spend half an hour each day organizing your home.
- 7. Keep a daily list of the blessings in your life. I highly recommend "Ann VosKamp's book, 1000 Gifts". A Dare to Live Fully Right Where You Are, for inspiration.
- 8. Spend 20 minutes each day giving your dog a belly rub or petting your cat or somehow showing love to your pet. You will both benefit from the attention.
- 9. While sitting in the school pickup line, say a prayer for your child's school, their teachers and administrators and all of the students in it.
- 10. Make your bed every day. Use that brief time to offer up a prayer of praise and thanksgiving to God.