

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.

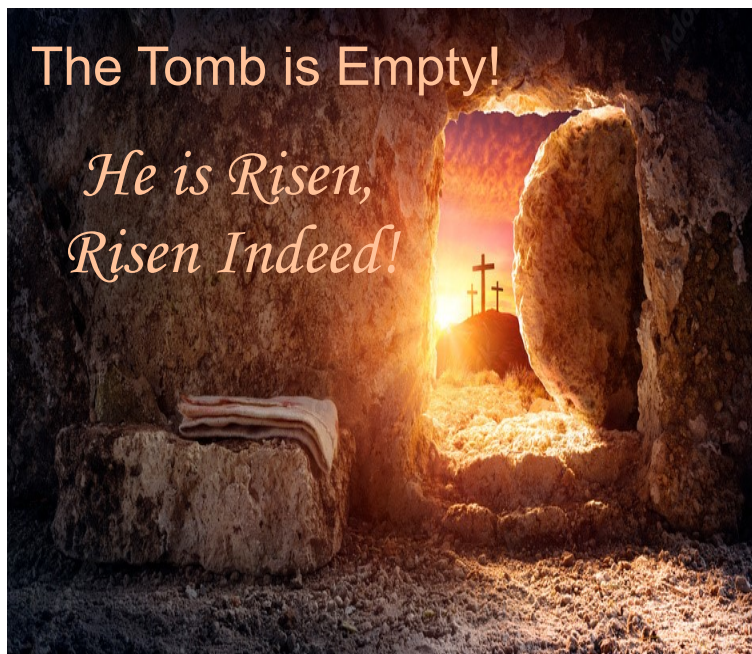
Prayer for Priests and Priestly Vocations

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.

Easter Sunday April 8 & 9, 2023

The Tomb is Empty!

He is Risen, Risen Indeed!



***Schedule Subject to Change**

Mon Apr 10: Office Closed

10:00am Bible Study

(Acts 2.14, 22-33) Gospel: Matthew 28.8-15

Tues Apr 11: 7:00pm Adult Faith Formation

(Acts 2.36-41) Gospel: John 20.11-18

Wed Apr 12: 6:30pm Mass: +Gemmelyn Tiburan, req Julio Tiburan

(Acts 3.1-10) Gospel: Luke 24.13-35

Thurs Apr 13: 10:30am Novena & Mass: Conversion of sinners, req by a parishioner

(Acts 3.11-26) Gospel: Luke 24.35-48

Fri Apr 14: 9:00am Adoration

10:00am Mass at Lorrain Manor: for all residents & caregivers

6:00pm Divine Mercy

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

(Acts 4.1-12) Gospel: John 21.1-14

Sat Apr 15: 6:30pm Confession

7:30pm Mass: +Adam Safronetz, req Connie Safronetz
(Acts 4.13-21) Gospel: Mark 16.9-15

Sun Apr 16: 10:15am Mass: +Florence Yunker, req Janice Ganczar

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

(Acts 2.42-47, 1 Peter 1.3-9) Gospel: John 20.19-31

Reflections on the Sunday Readings:

Easter Vigil: From the beginning of Creation, through the desert and slavery in Egypt, through exile in Babylon. Via the wisdom of the prophets, and the rise and fall of God's people. Through ministry, crucifixion, death and burial in a tomb. The most important story of our faith is told in the dark tonight. Under darkest cover of night we can tell the story of the meaning of all of life's suffering; Jesus is with us in it, rising from it and bringing all creation with him. This is not just another story. It is the heart of everything we believe. Death is not the final word. There is no darkness, no suffering, no destruction that God will not turn to glory. Whatever pain we are carrying, we can have hope that if it still hurts, we just haven't gotten to the end of the story yet.

When a dear friend of mine was dying, she shared a message with me that God had sent her; "Jesus whispered to me that whether I live or die, I will live." Just as God shared this with her, so the angel in the Vigil Gospel proclaims to each one of us; "He has been raised from the dead... This is my message for you!" May we live by this joy tonight and into the rest of eternity.

Leah Perrault

Swift Current, SK

Easter Sunday: In today's world we equate mystery with a puzzle to be solved; follow the clues and the solution becomes obvious. But John's account of the first Easter morning reveals a more profound understanding of mystery. Mystery is an experience into which we enter. It may lead to an encounter with the transcendent God.

John's Gospel for Easter morning is rich with emotion. Mary Magdalene, Simon Peter and the other disciple (probably the evangelist himself) each respond differently to the enigma of the empty tomb. When the two male disciples see the burial cloths, they turn around and run back home. While the unnamed disciple, who sees and believes, seems to solve the mystery of the empty tomb, he misses a critical component of the experience—meeting the resurrected Lord.

Mary Magdalene, however, is willing to sit with her confusion and grief. She remains in the dark, weeping and unknowing. She allows mystery to enfold her and thus she encounters the Risen Jesus. Empowered through her experience, she is the herald of the resurrection, announcing, "I have seen the Lord."

As we participate in this Easter Sunday liturgy, we are full of gratitude for the mystery of the Eucharist wherein we encounter the Risen Christ. Let us rejoice and be glad. Alleluia, Alleluia!

Louise McEwan

Trail, BC



Pastor's Easter Message 2023

Dear sisters and brothers in Christ,

Easter celebration, the high point of our liturgical year. As Spring breaks in around us, we marvel at the almost magical appearance of new life pushing up through the ground and out of the branches in the trees. The birds sing as they build nests and prepare to lay eggs and welcome new life!

We celebrate our greatest hope at Easter - the Resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. The Resurrection is for us an eternal wellspring of hope. No matter how dark, how desperate, how impossible a situation we find ourselves in - if we look to the Lord who has conquered even death, there is always reason for hope.

Easter reminds us that even death does not have the final say. "Where He has gone, we hope to follow!" As I get older, I know more and more people who have made that journey. I think of them and pray for them especially during the Easter season.

I pray for you sisters and brothers in Christ, in gratitude for your faithful, creative, and generous service especially during these past few difficult years.

And so I offer my favorite Easter greeting which is in Ukrainian "Christos voskrese Voistonos

voskrese" "The Lord is risen, Truly he is risen alleluia." To him be glory and power for all the ages of eternity, alleluia, alleluia.

Happy Easter

Fr Michel Nault

"Lord God, You loved this world so much that you gave your one and only Son, that we might be called your children too. Lord, help us to live in the gladness and grace of Easter Sunday, every day. Let us have hearts of thankfulness for Your sacrifice. Let us have eyes that look upon Your grace and rejoice in our salvation. Help us to walk in that mighty grace and tell Your Good news to the world. All for Your glory do we pray, Lord. Amen.
Rachel Marie Stone



Announcement from the desk of **Archbishop Gagnon:**

Effective April 15, 2023, I am pleased to appoint, **Very Reverend Barry D. Schoonbaert** as the **Vicar General of the Archdiocese of Winnipeg**. At the same time, in accordance with the statutes of our civil corporation, Fr. Schoonbaert becomes a member of the Roman Catholic Archiepiscopal Corporation of Winnipeg

GIVE CARE, NOT MAID

In the gather area you will find cards reading, **Give Care, Not Maid**. Please take a moment to sign the card and leave it in the box next to the cards.

MAiD targets the vulnerable in our society, the very ones we should be providing care for.

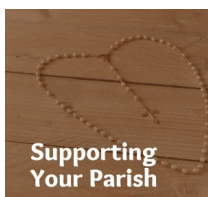
**SUPPORT A CULTURE OF LIFE!
 PLEASE SIGN THE CARD. THANK YOU**



Financial Corner:

St. Viator's Parish # of envelopes = 74
Apr 2 Collection—\$3099 + 322.55(loose) = \$3421.55
Sharing God's gifts = \$220
Pre-Authorized payments= \$907.50

Corpus Christi # of envelope = 22
Apr 2 Collection \$575
Sharing God's Gifts = \$20



Is it Spring Yet?

Is Spring cleaning getting in the way of having fun?
 Do you have items which you would like to move on to a new home?

WE HAVE NEWS FOR YOU!

The parish is holding it's annual **Garage Sale**
May 11 and 12.

Intake is **May 8,9,10.**
 to make this a **HUGE** success
WE NEED YOU!



Please help

donate items for sale,
 sorting and pricing items,
 working the sale,

donating snacks and food items for the workers.

Watch this space for further information and begin planning now.

If there is anyone else who would like to sign up for **Handivan services for Sunday Mass**, please call the parish office.



The CWL once again has **perogies for sale!** Get them while there's some available!



The Case of the Empty Tomb

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene went to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the entrance.
 John 20:1 (NIV)

Based on John 20:1-18 (NIV)



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CRYING	STRIPS	HEAD	DEAD	STONE
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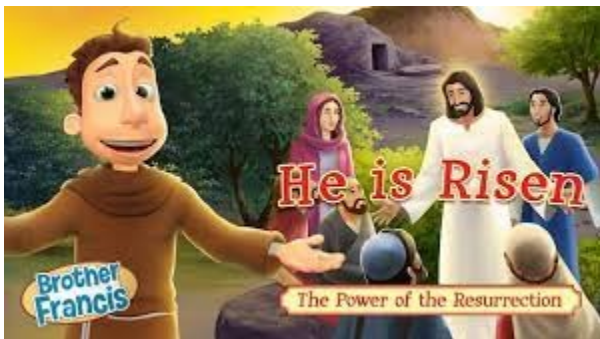
Go to stviatorparish.formed.org to sign in.

Follow the prompts to get yourself started.

Under find your parish - St. Viator Parish Dauphin



Based on the award-winning Bible! Join Minno kids Margot, Lexi, Miguel, and Logan as they continue their journey through Jesus' life and learn the story of Easter. This gentle retelling—from Jesus' miracles to the greatest miracle of all—His resurrection, will help kids understand why Jesus came to earth to be our Savior and our friend.



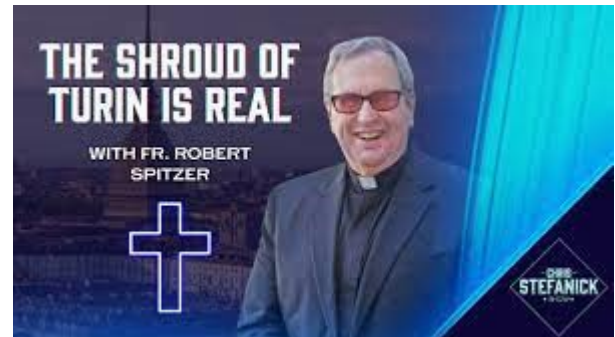
Join Brother Francis as he celebrates the power and splendor of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ in this moving and instructive animated presentation!

This episode includes:

An animated presentation of key points in the life of Jesus Christ, His Death on the Cross, triumph over death, and Ascension to the Father

A visual representation of how we celebrate Holy Week and the Easter Triduum

"He Is Risen!"—a joyful, visualized song that fills our hearts with praise to God



The Shroud of Turin is the subject of a lot of rumors, myths and controversies — maybe you've heard some of them yourself and don't know what to believe. That's why this week I hosted Fr. Robert Spitzer, a Jesuit scientist and scholar on the Shroud of Turin. He offered some amazing facts about the Shroud, including what we can learn about the Crucifixion from what we see on the cloth. We also talked about the infamous carbon dating claims (they've been scientifically debunked).

If you've ever wondered how seriously we can take the Shroud of Turin, you have to see this episode!



Fr. John Burns reflects on the meaning of this holiest of weeks. It is during Holy Week that we see the completion of God's plan, a divine rescue mission, to take on the burden of sin and free us from it. Christ the Divine Bridegroom, hears the cries of his bride, and sacrifices himself to save his Beloved. In this act, Christ illustrates what it means to love. How will you make space in your life to embrace the events of the Paschal Mystery this week?