



Go first and be reconciled with your brother

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I will place my law within them and write it upon their hearts

FEBRUARY 16, 2014

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Theme : The Christian is called to live an ordinary life in an extraordinary way, just as Jesus did.

Theme : If we took the energy we use on anger and used it on kindness, we could bring joy to our lives and the lives of others.

(Unless otherwise mentioned, all weekday Masses are at 9 AM)

Monday, Feb 17 _ LILLIANE LASTUKA by F. & A. Morin

FAMILY DAY

Tuesday, Feb 18 NO MASS

Wednesday, Feb 19 NO MASS

Thursday, Feb 20 FR. JUANITO VARGAS – HEALTH by Our Lady of Peace C W L
7:00 P M P P C MEETING ⇄ ⇄ ⇄ ⇄ ⇄ ⇄ ⇄

Friday, Feb 21 _ GAETAN BERGERON by Tom & Adrienne Delorme

Saturday, Feb 22 FOR CANCER & MS PATIENTS
10:00 A M E S C

7:30 PM SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA

Sunday, Feb 23 9:00 AM **SUNDAY MASS ~ MOSSBANK**
11:00 AM **SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA**

RECONCILIATION: Before Mass or by appointment ⇄ ⇄ **Visit the Archdiocese of Regina :**

MARRIAGES : Contact priest at least 6 months prior

BAPTISMS : Contact priest 2 months prior

House Blessings By Appointment

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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Feb. 16th

Stewardship involves more than just the gift we bring to the altar. Today's readings say clearly that it is fidelity to God's law that makes our offering acceptable.

Please submit **all annual reports** to the office very soon in one form or another. Annual Meeting booklets will soon be produced.

Brother Knights : Please pay your 2014 K of C membership dues of \$35.00 as soon as possible.

WANTED FOR PARISH OFFICE : Large size fireproof safe in good working/locking order. Please contact parish office / Fr. Joy .

Let us keep Father Juanito Vargas in our prayers.

He suffered a stroke. He is now conscious and has one-sided paralysis. Father Juanito was parish priest for Mankota, Glentworth, Ferland, Wood Mountain, Val Marie for years. He also was the Dean of this deanery. We missed him very much when he was tranfered to Estevan.

Revised Date : Please keep open **Sun. March 16th** for your Parish Meal & Annual Meeting after 11:00 AM Mass.

The parish has received comments about people's use of heavy perfumes and scents. Let us be mindful of this and work towards a scent free type of environment. Thank you.

PROTOCOL COMMITTEE MEETING - WED., FEB. 19th, 7:00PM

Camp Lemieux

Director:

Camp Lemieux is now accepting applications for the position of Camp Director for the summer of 2014. If you enjoy working with children, coordinating activities and overseeing the operation of a summer program then please consider applying. Applications are due by Friday, February 21, 2014. Call (306)773-0026 or (306)628-4249 for an application or email jim@camplemieux.com.

Cook:

Camp Lemieux is looking to hire someone to work as the summer cook and kitchen coordinator. This position oversees the organization of kitchen volunteers, menu planning, food ordering and preparation of the meals throughout the summer. The position will be for a minimum of five weeks during the months of July and August. Room and board is provided by Camp Lemieux. The closing date for applications is Friday, February 21, 2014. Call (306)773-0026 or (306)628-4249 for an application or email jim@camplemieux.com

The following children are beginning their preparation to receive the sacraments of Confirmation and the Eucharist this spring.

Please pray for these children and their families as they journey.

Feel free to sign the prayer pledges at the back.

- Jessica Beaubien
- Kayley Beaubien
- Walker Berner
- Kole Bourassa
- Tyler Franks
- Davin Karst
- Kaelyn Pedersen-Forsythe
- Conner Selody
- Carter Skarbon
- Cassandra Struble
- Khanesia Warken

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We have all been touched by Cancer in some way. Relay For Life May 31, 2014 5pm – 5am

Please consider putting together a team or volunteer your time. If you are a survivor , we would be honored for you to join us in the Cancer Victory lap. There are pamphlets in the back of the Church and posters with contact information for Survivors or volunteers.

Saturday / Sunday Ministries

Saturday, FEB 22

Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Mary Chipak
Rosary Leaders	Paulette Lapaire Yolande Therrien
Readers	Rita Walters Dave Young
Communion Ministers	Anette Pryce Rita Walters
Cross Bearer Candle Bearers Altar Servers	PLEASE VOLUNTEER PLEASE

Sunday, FEB 23

Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Ken & Sue Robinson
Rosary Leaders	Irene Clermont Rita Walters
Readers	Melanie Delorme George Marcenko
Communion Ministers	Aime Morin Claire Schuweiler Ken Schuweiler
Altar Servers	Christina Franks Morgan Delorme Justin Delorme
Children's Liturgy	Kathy

Church Finances

Saturday Collection FEB 8 - \$ 645.00
 Sunday Collection FEB 9 - \$ 1483.00

Thank You !

Good News!

February 16, 2014

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (A)

Sir 15:15-20 / 1 Cor 2:6-10 / Mt 5:17-37

In 1973 psychiatrist Karl Menninger wrote a book called *Whatever Became of Sin?* (Hawthorne Books). It seems that in the backlash against feelings of excessive guilt, many people embraced the notion that they weren't responsible for what they did. Their parents, or the way they were raised, or other people made them do evil things. The popular phrase "the devil made me do it" captures the sentiment of the era. Menninger wondered about the impact of a world without sin.

Therapists were right about the danger of feeling guilty all the time, and our reactions to past hurts and behaviors are a normal part of growing up. But mature adults also know that reactions come in many forms. When we choose to react to events or people with behaviors or words that hurt others or ourselves, we are responsible and we have sinned. When we choose to do something that is wrong simply because it's easier than doing what's right, we've sinned—however mild or unnoticeable we think that sin is.

In today's readings, Sirach and Jesus hold us accountable for our actions and our thoughts in no uncertain terms. These Scriptures are part of the underpinnings of the Church's theology of sin, which is not meant to make us crazy—it's meant to make us free to love others and ourselves in spite of their brokenness and ours.

Can we be perfect? Well, that's a long road. But God wants to help us along that road. We can begin by examining our own conscience for the places and times we've fallen short of the call to love.

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