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| <p><u>THEME :</u> The key to loving our enemies is to pray for the grace to do this, to pray for them, and to see them as God sees them.</p> | <p>St. George's Roman Catholic Parish Box 190 Assiniboia, Sask. S0H 0B0 stgeorge@sasktel.net www.stgeorgesrc.ca St. Louis Parish Box 176 Mossbank, Sask. S0H 3G0</p> | <p><u>Fr. Dennis Remot,</u> <u>Administrator, e-mail:</u> <u>jodenis1215@gmail.com</u> <u>Cell phone : e-mail / text</u> <u>1-306-434-0332</u> If ever Fr. Dennis is not available, we are to call Fr. Gerry Bauche at Rockglen CELL: 306-540-3595</p> |
| <p>FEB 23 & MARCH 1, 2020</p> | <p>*** TWO-WEEK BULLETIN *** Schedule of Masses</p> | |
| <p>Monday, FEB 24</p> | <p>NO MASS</p> | |
| <p>Tuesday, FEB 25 7:00 PM</p> | <p>For Dominique – For Health by Marguerite Emond</p> | |
| <p>Wednesday, FEB 26 ASH WEDNESDAY</p> | <p>5:00 PM – St. Louis / Mossbank 7:00 PM – St. George's / Assiniboia</p> | |
| <p>Thursday, FEB 27 7:00 PM</p> | <p>_ FRANK MORIN by Assiniboia K of C KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING</p> | |
| <p>Friday, FEB 28 11:00 AM</p> | <p>_ BILL KUFFNER by Anita Kuffner PRAIRIE VILLA</p> | |
| <p>Saturday, FEB 29 9:00 AM</p> | <p>PERSONAL INTENTION by Irene Montgomery</p> | |
| <p>Sunday, MARCH 1 9:00 AM</p> | <p>SUNDAY MASS ~ MOSSBANK For Health Recovery of Danilo Remot</p> | |
| <p>11:00 AM</p> | <p>SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA ~ PRO POPULO</p> | |
| <p>Monday, MARCH 2</p> | <p>NO MASS</p> | |
| <p>Tuesday, MARCH 3 3:00 PM</p> | <p>_ JEAN CAYER by Cathy Tendler HOSPITAL</p> | |
| <p>Wednesday, MARCH 4 9:00 AM</p> | <p>_ HOWARD WEAL & DECEASED RELATIVES by Rachel Weal</p> | |
| <p>Thursday, MARCH 5 7:00 PM</p> | <p>_ ANDY & CLAUDETTE LECLAIRE by Rick & Bernie Chevrier CWL MEETING</p> | |
| <p>Friday, MARCH 6 9:00 AM</p> | <p>_ JULIA WINTER</p> | |
| <p>Saturday, MARCH 7 10:00 AM</p> | <p>In Thanksgiving (successful surgery) by B H A EAST SIDE COURT</p> | |
| <p>Sunday, MARCH 8 9:00 AM</p> | <p>SUNDAY MASS ~ MOSSBANK _ NOEL MENDOZA</p> | |
| <p>11:00 AM</p> | <p>SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA ~ PRO POPULO</p> | |

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING Thurs, FEB 27, after 7:00 PM Mass

CWL MEETING Thurs, MARCH 5, after 7:00 PM Mass

St. Patrick's Day Soup & Sandwich Lunch: St. George Parish - 325 6th Ave. E
Friday, March 13, 11:30 - 1:00; Adults \$10, Children (5-12) \$8, Pre-school Free
(sponsored by CWL); EVERYONE WELCOME

SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE BRUNCH FEB 25 / 11:00-1:00 /

Adults: \$10, Students: \$2, Preschoolers: free ;

DEANERY MEETING here THURSDAY, FEB 27 / 11:30AM;

PARISH ANNUAL MEETING SUNDAY, MARCH 8;

FISH FRY FRIDAY, MARCH 27 with fish, fries, beans, buns and coleslaw /

TWO sittings at 5:30&6:30 PM / Adults: \$12, 12 & under: \$6, Preschool: free.

Tickets available at Great West Auto or call Rita: 640-7463 / Ben:640-7449

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Assiniboia and District Pro-Life ▷▷▷ Mark this date on your calendar-

Assiniboia and District Annual Spring Banquet and Fund raiser will be on

Sunday, April 26, at the St. George's Roman Catholic Parish Centre,

Assiniboia, starting at 5:00 pm. The main speaker will be Pastor Aaron

Schulz, President of Swift Current Pro-Life. Make plans now to come.

Watch for further information.

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CWL Diocesan Convention : The 2020 Diocesan convention will be held in

Estevan, Sunday - Monday, May 3-4. For more information contact Lynn at

n.rogers@sasktel.net or 642 7803. The tentative schedule will be posted on

the bulletin board under the CWL notices. If you are interested in attending

please inform her by Apr 1. The guestspeaker will be focusing on mental health.

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The chairman of your Parish Pastoral Council, Ben Pasloski, is available at

cell 306-640-7449 and e-mail at benp1309@yahoo.com for any of your

questions, comments and concerns. Please reach him as needed.

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Pastoral Reflection: 7th Sunday of Ordinary Time(Matthew 5, 38-48)

The Path To God

Face it. We don't like everyone we meet and many people don't like us. It's

the way of the world. But, as Christians, we are called to a higher code of

conduct. While we have hurt or broken relationships, even people have to

"love" from a distance, how we treat them speaks volumes about our faith and

our character. The trick for these distant people is to keep the door of

reconciliation open. Maybe, someday, there will be forgiveness and healing. If

we cannot give these people friendship, at least we can pray for them. If we

must keep our distance for our own mental health, at least we can hope for a change of heart.

Jesus spoke of Christian justice, not the justice of retribution, but the justice of the Kingdom. Not an "eye for an eye" but a way to show others the path to God. He shows us the way to love.

Here then are the three degrees of charity toward our enemies: to love them, to do good to them, and to pray for them. The first is the source of the second: if we love, we give. The last is the one that we think is the easiest to do, but is in fact the most difficult, because it is the one that we must do in relation to God. Nothing should be more sincere, nothing more heartfelt, nothing truer than what we present to the one who sees all, even into the depths of our heart.

We exaggerate beyond measure the faults committed against us; worms that we are, we take the slightest pressure exerted on us to be an enormous attack. Meanwhile, we count as nothing what we undertake proudly against God.

Blind and wretched mortals: will we always be so sensitive and delicate? Will we never open our eyes to the truth? Will we never understand that the one who does injury to us is always much more to be pitied than are we who receive the injury? That he pierces his own heart while merely grazing our skin, and that, in the end, our enemies are mad; wanting to make us drink all the venom of their hatred, they do so first themselves, swallowing the very poison they have prepared? Since those who do evil to us are unhealthy in mind, why do we embitter them by our cruel vengeance? Why do we not rather seek to bring them back to reason by our patience and mildness? Let us, then, not wait until the hour of death to pardon our enemies, but let us practice what St. Paul taught: "Do not let the sun go down on your anger" (Eph. 4:26). We must no longer delay this necessary work. Let us hasten to hand our resentment over to God. If we reserve all of the business of our salvation until the day of our death, it will be far too busy a day. Let us begin now to prepare for the graces that we will need then, and, by pardoning those who hurt us, let us assure ourselves of the eternal mercy of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Church Finances

Sunday Collection FEB 9 - \$ 1315.00
Sunday Collection FEB 16 - \$ 1005.00
Maintenance Fund – \$ 90.00
ENVs Printing - \$ 20.00
Needs of CDN Church - \$ 40.00
Thank You !

Your Tax Receipts include Annual appeal donations IF processed by the parish. The Archdiocese sends receipts IF cheques were made to them, and for all credit card payments. **THANK YOU** for ALL donations of ALL amounts !

Family Faith Encounter

is organized by the Adult and Family Faith Formation Commission of the Diocese of Prince Albert. It is sponsored by the Bishop’s Annual Appeal. It hopes to gather families to have a faith-filled experience through talks, activities, and music. The theme for this year’s gathering is “Family Love: a vocation and a path to holiness.” Featured speakers are Bishop Albert Thevenot, M. Afr. and Tim Staples from Catholic Answers (for more information go to catholic.com). Various performers will be present to give entertainment. Location: Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes, St. Laurent, Duck Lake. When: June 12 (Friday) & 13 (Saturday) 2020. Please register for souvenirs! You can bring your camper to the site. For more information please contact Fr Millan Sajonas 306-763-5677 or email bmjs1981@gmail.com
Ministries

ASH WEDNESDAY FEB 26 / 7PM:

Altar Servers: Ben Pasloski, Philip Bergeron & Lynn Rogers; **Readers:** Anette Pryce, Ron Scheltgen;
Communion: Gayleen Thomson, Rita Walters & Rene Chabot; **Greeters & Offerings:** Bill & Claire Seal

| <i>Sunday, MARCH 1</i> | |
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| Greeters & Offerings | Brad & Debbie Auchstaetter |
| Rosary Leaders | Irene Clermont Rita Walters |
| Readers | Vicki Kachuik Ben Pasloski |
| Communion Ministers | Carla Leduc Doris O'Reilly Janice Erfle |
| Altar Servers | Sam Yap Dylan Tolentino Khyan De Gollo |
| Children's Liturgy | Monique Vickery |
| Collection Counters | Rene / Ken B / Brian |
| <i>Sunday, MARCH 8</i> | |
| Greeters & Offerings | Martin & Cathy Tandler |
| Rosary Leaders | Paulette Lapaire Yolande Therrien |
| Readers | Wes Thomson Gayleen Thomson |
| Communion Ministers | Lynn Rogers Rita Walters Anette Pryce |
| Altar Servers | Alyssa, Luke & Lily Kwasnicki |
| Children's Liturgy | Monique Vickery |
| Collection Counters | Irene / Maureen |