

A DRESSER OF SYCAMORES

The first classical prophet was not a professional preacher. Amos labored as a migrant farm worker traveling throughout Israel to find employment. Among his jobs was that of tending Sycamore trees. These are not the European or North American variety, but a type of plant native to the Middle East. Sometimes called “the poor man’s fig tree,” they produce a small fruit encased in a husk. During the growing season these husks must be pierced with a sharp stick for the fruit to ripen. The yield was of little value. Despite his low-paying occupation, Amos was rich in prophecy. He was the first prophet to write down his words.

*** TWO – WEEK BULLETIN *** **JULY 15 & 22, 2012**

Schedule of Masses

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

Monday, July 16 † JIM POWRIE by Sr. Noella Bissonnette

Tuesday, July 17 † CLEOPHAS CHRETIEN & LOUIS BEAUREGARD
10:30 A M HOSPITAL by Jeannette Beauregard

Wednesday, July 18 † LOUIS LEBLANC by Patrick Wolfe

Thursday, July 19 † JIM POWRIE by St. George's C W L
7:00 P M

Friday, July 20 INTENTIONS OF HELEN KRAUSHAAR
 by Carole & Walt Agopsowicz

Saturday, July 21 † BERNIECE KESSLER by Jackie & Maurice Simard

7:30 PM SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA

Sunday, July 22 **9:00 AM SUNDAY MASS ~ WILLOW BUNCH**
11:00 AM SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA



Monday, July 23 NO MASS

Tuesday, July 24 NO MASS

Wednesday, July 25 † JIM POWRIE by Helen Najborowski
10:30 A M ROSS-PAYANT

Thursday, July 26 † FR. CARIGNAN by Jean Francon
7:00 P M

Friday, July 27 † REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF CHRIS BECKETT
 by Scheltgen Family

11:00 A M PRAIRIE VILLA

Saturday, July 28 † XAVIER BOUVIER by Ernest & Yolande Bissonnette
10:00 A M E S C

7:30 PM SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA

Sunday, July 29 **9:00 AM SUNDAY MASS ~ MOSSBANK**
11:00 AM SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time: July 15th

Today's readings are about being chosen and sent. The prophet Amos was chosen by the Lord and sent to use his talents for the people of God. The Gospel recounts the story of the sending of the twelve. In the second reading, St. Paul reminds us that we, too, are chosen. For what have I been chosen? To whom have I been sent?

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time: July 22nd

In Today's Gospel, Jesus had planned to slip away from the crowds for a few moments of peace and a little rest. When He saw the people gathered, however, He put His needs aside to meet the needs of others. Sometimes, as good stewards, we are called to do the same.

Our parish has agreed to handle the BBQ / Weiner Roast event at the Assiniboia Centennial Homecoming Friday, August 3, 2012, from 5:00 – 9:00 PM at the Prince of Wales – Tent. We need lots of people to help. It is a good opportunity for our parish to be visible in the community and to wear spiffy new aprons specially made for the occasion. Please e-mail stgeorge@sasktel.net or phone Sue Robinson at 642-5437.

St. George's Parish is initiating a financial donation to aid the family of Fr. Joel Rama, with the transportation cost of his body back to the Philippines. There are some envelopes at the back of the church marked for this, or make one, with your ENV # marked on it, clearly labelled re: FR. JOEL RAMA. Please drop into the collection plate. The parish will accept donations all through July; funds will be forwarded to Fr. Dan, in charge of personnel, at the Archdiocese.

The Assiniboia K. of C. will be reimbursing \$100.00 per child's Camp Lemieux registration who attend camp. You must produce receipt to treasurer, Jacob Shenher. Call 642-3172.

During the months of July & August :

Bulletin will be every two weeks;
Thursday evening Masses at 7:00 PM;
Saturday evening Masses at 7:30 PM
Children's Liturgy : as announced

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - Mark the dates

SKY – EVERYTHING IS POSSIBLE WITH GOD
(Mark 10:27)

WHEN: August 13-17, 1-3 p.m.

WHERE: Messiah Lutheran Church/St.
George's Church

WHO: Ages 5-12

(Preschool start at Messiah and come to St.
George's then back to Messiah for closing)

We will need volunteers to help with crafts,
snacks, etc.

We will also need people to make cookies
(no nuts) and buy juice.



Let us hold in
prayer the family
and friends of the
dearly departed,
especially :
MARC
BEAUREGARD and

JEANNETTE BEAUREGARD.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

St. George's Parish is looking for a part-time Youth / Family Minister, commencing on September 1, 2012. If you are a practicing Catholic with a good knowledge of your faith and a desire to share it, have enthusiasm, energy and a keen interest in working with youth and some awesome, creative ideas about organizing a youth group, you are the ideal candidate we are hoping to hire. The hours of work are negotiable. Interested applicants are encouraged to submit a letter of application with a resume and two letters of reference, one of which should be from your Parish priest. Forward applications by August 14th, 2012 to: Hiring Committee / Parish Council
Attention Father Joy Montiague
P. O. Box 190 Assiniboia, Sask. S0H 0B0

Camp Lemieux is in need of more campers and counselors in training (CITs) as well as volunteer help for the summer of 2012.

We are looking for volunteers to assist in the kitchen and our first aid station.

Please contact the Camp Director (Andrew) at 773-0026 or director@camplemieux.com

Thank you so much for your time and help – without you, Camp Lemieux would not be a success. May God continue to bless you all.



Saturday / Sunday Ministries

Saturday, July 21

Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Florent & Delores Forest
Rosary Leaders	Paulette Lapaire Rosemary Young
Readers	Marilyn Marcenko Anette Pryce
Communion Ministers	Rita Walters Janice Erfle
Cross Bearer	Please Volunteer
Candle Bearers	Please Volunteer
Altar Servers	Please Volunteer

Sunday, July 22

Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Don, Vicki, Philip Kachuik
Rosary Leaders	Marie Shenher Irene Clermont
Readers	Dave Malcolm George Marcenko
Communion Ministers	Jeremie Brochu Philomene Brochu Gerald Delorme
Cross Bearer	Please Volunteer
Candle Bearers	Please Volunteer
Altar Servers	Please Volunteer

Church Finances

Saturday Collection June 30 - \$569.00
 Sunday Collection July 1 - \$1013.96
 Saturday Collection July 7 - \$ 343.25
 Sunday Collection July 8 - \$ 1045.23
 Aid for Family of Fr. Joel Rama - \$ 215.00
 Moving Forward Together - \$ 20.00

Thank You !

Saturday, July 28

Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Tim & Annette Kesslering Family
Rosary Leaders	Maureen Beauchesne Mary Chipak
Readers	Jean-Marc Rossignol Ron Scheltgen
Communion Ministers	Andy LeClaire Carla Leduc
Cross Bearer	PLEASE
Candle Bearers	●●●●
Altar Servers	VOLUNTEER

Sunday, July 29

Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Alvin & Laverne Karst
Rosary Leaders	Aime Morin Hazel Major
Readers	Aime Morin Sue Robinson
Communion Ministers	Rose Delorme JoAnn Girardin Yvonne Hoffos
Cross Bearer	PLEASE
Candle Bearers	VOLUNTEER
Altar Servers	PLEASE