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THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOV. 4, 2012

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

Monday, Nov 5 † CARL SCHUWEILER by Dorothy & Garry Karst

Tuesday, Nov 6 HELEN NAJBOROWSKI'S INTENTIONS by the family
⇒ ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ 7:00 PM

Wednesday, Nov 7 † TERRY BAKER by Janice Erfle

Thursday, Nov 8 † JOHANNA LAGASSE by Walt & Carole Agopsowicz
⇒ ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ 6:00 P M

Friday, Nov 9 HELEN NAJBOROWSKI'S INTENTIONS by the family
11:00 A M Prairie Villa

Saturday, Nov 10 † RAYMOND GAUTHIER by Sara Bouvier
10:00 A M E S C

7:30 PM **SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA**

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

RECONCILIATION: Before Mass or by appointment
MARRIAGES : Contact priest at least 6 months prior
BAPTISMS : Contact priest 2 months prior
House Blessings By Appointment

**I love you, O Lord,
my strength.**

Fr. Joy Montague, Administrator

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Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time: November 4th

What percentage does God ask of me as a good steward? *All of my heart, all of my soul, all of my mind, and all of my strength!*

👏 👏 **Thank-you to Trevor Karst** for your expertise in fixing the stove in the Parish Hall kitchen!

⇒ ⇒ Please pick up new **MINISTRIES SCHEDULES** at the back of church

NOTE : Stewardship: A Way of Life POSTER CONTEST

Open to parishioners 16 & older—yes, Adults! Use the medium of your choice

See bulletin board for all details Please submit to Church Office by

Sunday, Nov 11th

⇒ ⇒ First Prize-\$25 Second Prize-\$15 Third Prize-\$10

13th ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL: Nov. 4th

As people of faith, we are committed to the mission that Jesus has given to us to serve those in need. This mission is carried out through programs and services which, practically, have to be supported financially. It means faith education and development for children, youth, and adults; services for families, liturgy committees, social justice and rural life. Each one of us is called to respond to the call of the Gospel in order that the work of Christ may be extended throughout the Archdiocese of Regina.

PLEASE KEEP PINK COPY, when donating - we need white & yellow for office use.

Please make cheques to ST. GEORGE'S PARISH.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD : The boxes and pamphlets are at the back of the church. The shipping & handling is \$7.00 per box. You may put the money for the shipping & handling for multiple boxes, all in one box. Please return the filled boxes at the back of the church by Sunday, NOV. 18th.

Remember our parish mission - Saturday, November 24, - Wednesday, November 28th. What we need to start doing is _____

1. Pray for the success of the mission _____
2. Recruit others to pray _____
3. Talk to people about it We will be needing volunteers in several capacities, to help out. Please phone Sue Robinson 642-5437 /e-mail stgeorge@sasktel.net

St Louis Parish invites everyone to our Nativity Showcase
Sat Nov 17 1-4 pm
Mossbank Community Hall
Come celebrate the
REASON FOR THE SEASON,
the birth of baby Jesus.
This is a family event, kids corner and refreshments will be provided.
Further details: Joanne 354 2664

Thank You to everyone who attended our Taste and See Breakfast On October 20th. Your support is very much appreciated.

Thank you to those who so generously donated to the "Hope For Malawi" project. Elaine and Peter stopped at Moose Jaw Walmart and purchased 75 fleece hoodies for the GoGo Grandmas in Malawi! They were so impressed with your generosity and attentiveness. They thank you from the bottom of their hearts! Thank you to our CWL members who donated food items and door prizes and worked so hard to make this event successful.

Thank you to Mom's Florist for the door prize and selling tickets, Z-A Computers for posters and selling tickets, Kelli's Fashions for selling tickets and Living Sky Creations (Susan Robinson) for the jewelry donations. God bless you all!

Good News!

November 4, 2012
THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Dt 6:2-6 / Heb 7:23-28 / Mk 12:28b-34

At the staff meetings of a religious institution I once worked for, we took turns leading an opening prayer. Many of us prepared prayers with detailed language, noting the day's feast or particular intentions drawn from the day's headlines. However, the only prayer I remember was led by a laywoman who began by saying, "God, we love you." I don't remember the rest of the prayer, but I've never forgotten her basic but profound beginning: "God, we love you."

We do a lot of asking God for things, we probably do plenty of complaining to God, and we do a good amount of thanking God. But how much time do we spend *loving* God?

Jesus upholds the centrality of loving God in his answer to the scribe in today's Gospel. Instead of naming one of the 613 commandments of the Judaic Law as the "first," he quotes the central Jewish prayer, the *Shema*, and its injunction to love God with our whole being. This, for Jesus, is the most essential commandment.

When was the last time you prayed, "God, I love you"? Loving God is different than loving a person you can actually see, touch, and hear—yet it's so fundamental to the spiritual life. Maybe, like couples who've been married a long time, we just assume God knows we love him. "We've been together so long, we don't even need to say it anymore."

But even long-married couples renew their marriage vows and fall in love all over again. God is always reaching out in love to us, and Jesus challenges us today to recommit ourselves to God.

Can we continue to fall in love with God?

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Saturday / Sunday Ministries

Saturday, Nov 10

Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Gene & Sharon Bergeron
Rosary Leaders	Ron Scheltgen
Readers	Wes & Gayleen Thomson
Communion Ministers	Marilyn Marcenko Irene Montgomery
Cross Bearer	PLEASE
Candle Bearers	VOLUNTEER
Altar Servers	PLEASE

Sunday, Nov 11

Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Larry & Judy Thorburn
Rosary Leaders	Aime Morin Hazel Major
Readers	Philomene Brochu Debbie Buzynski
Communion Ministers	Don Kachuik Philip Kachuik Vicki Kachuik
Altar Servers	Nikki Beaubien Kaylee Beaubien Derek Beaubien Kaelyn Pedersen-Forsythe

Church Finances

Saturday Collection Oct 27 - \$ 292.60
Sunday Collection Oct 28 - \$ 1922.00
Propagation of the Faith - \$ 137.55
ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL TOTAL -
\$7625.00; Parish Goal is \$ 19,121 .00

Thank You !



MISSION PRAYER

Lord, our God, help us to walk with
you
on the pathway of the beatitudes
and to live out your mission in today's
world.
Bind us to all men and women of our
time
so that together we may bring the
Good News to the ends of the earth.
Open our hearts and our Christian
communities
to the needy, the afflicted, the
oppressed.
May we radiate the Living Christ
and transform our lives in the hope of
the Resurrection.
This prayer we make to you
our living God now and forever.
Amen.