

I am the vine you are the branches

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OCTOBER 5, 2014

27TH Sunday In Ordinary Time

The Parable of the Vineyard O	wner serves as a sur	mmary of the history of our salvation by God.
Monday, OCT 6	Funeral Mass for J	OHN GILCHRIST
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Tuesday, OCT 7	NO MASS	
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Thursday, OCT 9	IN THANKSGIVING by Norm / Lynn Rogers	
7:00 PM		
Friday, OCT 10	_ JAKE SHENHER by Harold & Lorrie Tendler	
11:00 A M	Prairie Villa	
Saturday, OCT 11	RECOVERY OF HEALTH OF SUSAN LUDTKE by Walt & Carole	
10:00 A M	ESC	Agopsowicz
6:00 PM	SUNDAY MASS ~ MOSSBANK	
7:30 PM	SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA	
Sunday, OCT 12 9:00 AM	SUNDAY MASS ~ WILLOW BUNCH	
	SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA	
RECONCILIATION: Before Mass	or by appointment	⇒ ⇒Visit the Archdiocese of Regina :
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OCT. 5<sup>th</sup> THEME: We tend to represent things not as they are but as we would like them to be. We do this even of God.

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⇒⇒ ⇒⇒The Holy Father has declared that the whole Church is to pray for the III Extraordinary Assembly of the Synod of Bishops on the pastoral challenges of the family in the context of evangelization, which begins on Sunday, October 5.

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A film night sponsored by Assiniboia & District Pro-Life will take place at the Assiniboia Alliance Church on Sunday, October 19, starting at 7:30 pm. The film will be, Amazing Grace. All are welcome.

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### ALTAR SERVERS WORKSHOP

after school Monday, OCT. 20th, with Pizza afterwards – YAY !!!!!

### CAMP LEMIEUX CLEAN-UP

It is time again for the Camp Lemieux annual Fall clean-up of buildings and grounds, and we need your help. On October 18<sup>th</sup>, 2014 beginning at 9:00 a.m. we plan to pull out the docks, store them, and rake leaves. Any time you can come out and help us is helpful and appreciated. If you can come out to help, please call Justin at 306-220-6803 and let us know you'll be there. If there is no answer, please leave a message including your name and phone number.

### 9th Annual Taste & See Women's Breakfast

Saturday, November 1 @ 9:30 Guest Speaker: Della Ferguson

Theme: Coping With Loss in a Changing World

\$10 per person (Available at Z A Computers, Mom's Florist, Keli's Fashions

and from CWL members)
ALL WOMEN WELCOME

<u>SERENA Saskatchewan</u> is in need of your support. Please make cheques payable to SERENA Saskatchewan and send to: Box 7375, Saskatoon, SK, S7K 4J3 / email us at sask@serena.ca.

# 2014 BUILDING FUND: Within our campaign period, we have received \$30,149.50 MANY THANKS!

This money is for specific items such as roof repairs, the lights in the church, fire protection in the hall kitchen as required, renovating the rectory suite bathroom.

Please continue giving ...

### WEDNESDAY MORNINGS 10:00 AM:

K of C Room, anyone & everyone is welcome to a prayer gathering to pray for our local parish.

## There will be a funeral Mass Monday, Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 AM for JOHN THOMAS GILCHRIST who

recently lived in Westlock, AB.
Welcome also to the lunch that
follows. John is the son of John &
Helen Gilchrist, formerly of St.
George's Parish. May he rest in peace
and his family know the consolations
of God. Submitted by the family

### You will want to keep open Sunday, OCT. 26<sup>th</sup> for YOUR Parish FOWL SUPPER

You will also want to sign up to help in whatever way you can. Thank you!

### PROTOCOL / VOLUNTEER SCREENING COMMITTEE MEETING:

WED. OCT 8th 7:00 PM

<u>Let us hold in prayer</u> the family and friends of the dearly departed, especially: Rejéanne Flichel, sister of Terry Chabot.

### The 2014 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal

Campaign has officially begun! You are soon to receive information on this year's Appeal as well as your personal donation cards. Giving is one means we have of both growing the Church, and deepening our Spiritual lives. Allow God's own generosity to bear abundant fruit through your gifts as you support your Church in the Archdiocese of Regina in her good works.

It is not always easy for us to live as generously as Jesus did. It often requires difficult choices. As vines in the vineyard require significant pruning in order to bear abundant, sweet fruit, we too are called to take stock of where our own lives might be in need of pruning so that we might grow.

Saturday / Sunday Ministries

Saturday, OCT 11	nday Ministries
Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Irene Klein Mary Chipak
Rosary Leaders	Ron Scheltgen
Readers	Carla Leduc Marilyn Marcenko
Communion Ministers	Irene Montgomery Anette Pryce
Cross Bearer	PLEASE
Candle Bearers	VOLUNTEER
Altar Servers	PLEASE
Sunday, OCT 12 Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Don & Vicki Kachuik
Rosary Leaders	Hazel Major Aime Morin
Readers	Vicki Kachuik Gerald Delorme
Communion Ministers	Carole Agopsowicz Walter Agopsowicz Brian BeBeau
Altar Servers	PLEASE VOLUNTEER
Children's Liturgy	TAMMY F.

#### Church Finances

Saturday Collection Sept 27 - \$ 370.00 Sunday Collection Sept 28 - \$ 1608.00 Needs of the Canadian Church - \$ 681.00 2014 BLDG FUND TO DATE - \$ 30,149.50

#### Thank You!

## Good News!

October 5, 2014
TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Is 5:1-7 / Phil 4:6-9 / Mt 21:33-43

In a scene from the musical *The Music Man* the central character, Harold Hill, tells his band that if they want to play the Minuet in G, all they have to do is *think* the Minuet in G. He's a swindler, and when the mayor tries to prove it by having Harold conduct his band, he looks at them pleadingly and urges them to think.

To the surprise of everyone, including Harold, the band slowly (and even painfully) plays something that sounds a little like the Minuet in G and a little like many grade-school concerts, making parents proud and freeing Harold from jail.

Paul has his own version of the "think system" in today's passage from Philippians. For Paul, every minute spent thinking about that which is true, honorable, just, pure, lovely, gracious, excellent, and worthy of praise is another minute that brings us closer to the living God whose presence is evident in all these things.

It's not such a bad idea. God manifests the divine self in truth and beauty and in all the things Paul names. To reflect on these is to become more aware of his presence to us through them.

Centuries later, the Christian founders of the university where I work adopted Paul's "think system" as their motto, reasoning that our thoughts should not be directed only toward facts to grow the mind, but also toward the things that would transform our characters.

Like Harold's band, we might sound a little or a lot out of tune at first, but with practice, we will get better.

> Mary Katharine Deeley sundaybulletin@liguori.org

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