

OCT 6 & 13, 2019	TWO-WEEK BULLETIN* Schedule of Mass
October 7 - 10	NO MASS
Thursday, OCT 10 7:00 PM	FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING
Friday, OCT 11 7:00 PM	_ BEV KLEIN by Jenna, Devin & Mom
Saturday, OCT 12 9:00 AM	_ MARY BASTEAD by Irene Montgomery
Sunday, OCT 13 9:00 AM	SUNDAY MASS ~ MOSSBANK
	For the Lyle Hanson Family
11:00 AM	SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA ~ PRO POP
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐	☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐
Monday, OCT 14	NO MASS
Tuesday, OCT 15 3:00 PM	_ MARGIE SCHNIEDER HOSPITAL
Wednesday, OCT 16 9:00 AM	_ RUBEN GONZALES
Thursday, OCT 17 7:00 PM	_ ADOLFREDO ALVERO
Friday, OCT 18 9:00 AM	_ RECTO NUNEZ
Saturday, OCT 19 10:00 AM	_ ED BEAUCHESNE by Maureen & Family EAST SIDE COURT
Sunday, OCT 20 9:00 AM	SUNDAY MASS ~ MOSSBANK
	_ TEODORO GONZALES
11:00 AM	SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA ~ PRO POP

CWL are supporting the Moose Jaw Transition House. They are currently in need of **full size hygiene items**, such as shampoos, conditioners, body wash, etc. and adult toothbrushes.

Household and kitchen starter kits are essentially any items that a woman would need when moving into a home and has nothing. These are items such as spices, flour, sugar, baking soda, cleaning supplies (broom, dishsoap, windex, etc.) tea towels and dish clothes, coffee, tea, toilet paper, measuring cups, rolling pin, can opener, etc.

A laundry basket placed in the entrance of the church for donations.

Thank you

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH ANNUAL FOWL SUPPER- Sun, OCT 27th, 4 – 7PM; Adults - \$15; Children 10 & under - \$7; Preschool-FREE; Take-out available: before OCT 27, call 642-4398 and leave a message. DAY OF SUPPER – call 642-4633. Come one, come all !!!! POSTERS ARE UP for our parish annual supper donations; please help in any ways that you can, to make our annual 'fund-raiser' a HUGE success. THANK YOU for that !

Ministries Sunday, OCT 13: Greeters/ Offerings: Rick & Bernie Chevrier; Rosary: Maureen Beauchesne & Mary Chipak; Readers: Walter & Carole Agopsowicz; Communion: Brian BeBeau, Lynn Rogers, Ben Pasloski; Altar servers: Khanesia & Bodyn Warken, Ysa Natividad; Collection: Irene & Maureen

OCT. 20: CWL for all ministries

Pastoral Reflection: 27th Sunday /Gospel- Luke 17,5-10/The Lack of Faith

The cry for trust in God is common. "I can't handle it anymore!" How many times have we heard (or spoken) that refrain. Yet, life goes on. We survive, no worse for wear. The lesson here is simple. What God gives us, even if it is a lack in our eyes, is enough. In Luke 17, the disciples wanted Jesus to increase their faith. Jesus answered with the equivalent of "the little you have is enough." Sometimes, a perceived lack is really sufficient for the job.

Faith is a quality we like to treat as a quantity. Faith is spiritual "stuff." We feel like we're failing if we don't have enough. We may even fall into the temptation to compare our faith with others. And, of course, "faith" is measured in the behavior of "spiritual" people. Do we pray enough? Praise God enough? Moral enough? Serve others enough?

The apostles faced the same temptation. They felt inadequate, compared to Jesus. His ministry was the measuring stick for others. They wanted to do what Jesus did. So, they asked the Master for the power of faith. The answer they received must have surprised them.

Jesus answered the request of more faith with a parable image and a set of rhetorical questions. Unlike other parable images in Luke, Jesus was straight forward. Command and it will happen. Serve God and others in the way expected. Use faith for others, not for self-glory. Adapting an old adage: "Faith is God's gift to you; what you do with it is your gift to God." All things, even the seeds of faith, those moments that invite us to a relationship with God, are freely given. The question remains, how do we respond to God's call?

Do we ignore the calling? We do so only at our own peril, for we must shut out all the voices that guide us: conscience and experience, cultural forces of good and advice of the wise. If we ignore the call through its many channels, we harden our hearts and dull our minds. In the end, we only become self-centered, unable to trust in anyone.

Like followers of old, we ask the Lord to increase our faith. And the Lord gives us the tools to increase it: God's Word in the Scriptures, constant invitations to prayer, opportunities to serve others in love, and the faith of the Church. Let us use them.