St. John the Baptist Parish

October 22nd & 23rd, 2016 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"The poor one called and the Lord heard." Psalm 34



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Mass Schedule Saturday Liturgy: 7:00PM Sunday Liturgy: 10:00AM Weekday Liturgy: Please check the back of a current bulletin Reconciliation: Saturdays 11:00AM Sacrament of Anointing: contact the pastor



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MINISTRY CONTACT LIST

Adoration

Bridget Bittman 306-634-3510 Adult Education Breanne Swarbrick Bookkeeper Susan Mack Caretaker Sigfredo Gonzalez **Caretaker (Community Center)** We Clean & Maintain 306-471-8342 **Catholic Womens League** Elizabeth Olson 306-634-4215 **Childrens Liturgy Coordinator** Beckey Franke 306-461-9559 **Finance Council** Fr. Brian Meredith **Funeral Choir** Laura Baryluk **Knights of Columbus** Sheldon Spilchuk Liturgy Fr. Brian Meredith Decorating Connie Wheeler **Pastoral Care** Geraldine Gervais 306-634-4409 Lay Ministry Formation Jackie Phillips 306-634-3812 **Office Coordinator** Karla Waloshin 306-634-2190 Pastoral Assistant Connie Wheeler 306-634-2190 or 306-421-8447 Pastoral Council Chairperson Maureen Daoust **Pastoral Council Vice Chairperson** Jo Ann Schopf Pastoral Council Secretary Gwen Van De Woestyne Social Justice (Development & Peace a component) Katie Dunville 306-634-7150 Schedulers for Liturgy Lectors, Cup Ministers, Announcers & Hospitality Hosts: Lorraine Schlamp 306-634-8672 or 306-461-8672 Ushers, Collection Counters: Karla Waloshin Altar Servers: Connie Wheeler Power Point: Gloria Chicoine Music: Sandra Bazin Sound: Susan Bath Piano Tuning: Dustin Hall

Stewardship

Dawn Hengen



Elections for the next two year term are to be held at the November 1st meeting. Please consider a position as we need an executive for our organization to continue.

Memberships for 2017 are now being collected by Darla Wilhelm, cheques payable to Estevan CWL. Payment may be put into Sunday collection basket, with envelope clearly marked CWL, or attention Darla Wilhelm. Be sure to include your name.

Estevan Regional mini convention at Bienfait on Saturday, Oct. 29. Guest presenter newly appointed Archbishop Don Bolen from Regina. Mass begins at 9:30 am. Please contact Elizabeth Olson at 306-634-4215 by Monday, Oct. 24, if you plan on attending.



The Wall of Remembrance will be up in the main entrance of the Church next week. Please place your pictures of your deceased loved ones on the Wall in honor of All Souls Day. The Wall of Remembrance will be in the Church until the middle of November.

In honor of All Souls' Day, St. John the Baptist Parish will be offering a Blue Mass on Saturday,

November 5 at 7pm. We will be remembering our brothers and sisters who have died this past year. If you would like to include a loved ones name in the Mass but they passed away more than a year ago, please contact the Parish Office to have them included. As George S. Patton stated,



"It is foolish and wrong to mourn the men who died. Rather we should thank God that such men lived." This will be a celebration of our deceased family members' lives. First Reconciliation Coaching night is on Wednesday, October 26 at 6:30pm in the Church Auditorium. We will be completing the first lesson.



Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary October 22/23, 2016

There is an interesting twist we find in today's gospel when we hear Jesus' parable of the Pharisee and the tax collector praying in the temple. The Pharisee is "praying to himself." It doesn't mean he was praying silently. It seems to mean something a lot more troubling, that he is praying to himself; that God is not his prayer's intended audience. The words of the Pharisee are very much centered on himself: he makes claims about his character. He highlights his own admirable activities. Good stewards of their prayer lives know that a prayer of praise and thanksgiving should focus on the goodness of God. Do our prayers of thanksgiving always stay focused on God's unfathomable, immeasurable goodness and generosity?

Book Club

The next meeting for the Book Club is on Thursday, November 3rd at 7pm in the Formation Room. Please read Chapters 4 & 5 for



God Bless and Happy Reading!!

this session.



"Liturgical ministries: Anyone interested in getting involved with reading, communion ministry, hospitality, ushering, music, altar serving, soundboard, or PowerPoint, please contact the parish office. Training will be provided on an individual basis."



The CWL Rummage Sale will be set up at St. Johns Community Center in the gymnasium. Anyone who is able to help is more than welcome too! Set up will begin on Monday, October 24 at 9am. The sale will be on Tuesday, October 25 from 12pm -7pm and Wednesday, October 26 from 1pm -7pm.



Lectors may pick up a Sunday Missal in the Vestry (Meeting Room) in the Church. Sunday Missals, left over, will be put on the tables at the entrance of the Church on November 26.

LITURGY SCHEDULE										
St. John the Baptist Parish, Estevan										
Sat.	October	22	7:00pm Estevan	✦Shawn Fernandez; Fernandez Family						
Sun.	October	23	10:00am Estevan	Mass For Parishioners						
Mon.	October	24	Estevan	No Mass						
Tues.	October	25	9:00am Estevan	+Audrey Beach; Sharon & Family						
Wed.	October	26	10:00am Hillview Manor	No Mass						
Wed.	October	26	11:00am Hospital	+Peter Wock; From the Wock Family						
Thurs.	October	27	9:00am Estevan	† Kathy Trobert; Frank Trobert & Family						
Fri.	October	28	10:00am Nursing Home	Dorothy Schlingham; Sharon Dauk						
Sat.	October	29	7:00pm Estevan	⁺ Lucas Bittman; Gladys & Donna Melle						
Sun.	October	30	10:00am Estevan	Mass For Parishioners						

St. Monica's, Bienfait Mass										
Sun.	November	6	11:45am Bienfait	Troy Yoner; Bill &	Naomi Man	n				
Upcoming Events at St. John the Baptist Parish										
CWL Rummage Sale			Т	Suesday, October 25	12pm	Community Center				
CWL F	Rummage Sale		V	Wednesday, October 26	1pm	Community Center				
1st Reconciliation Coaching		g V	Vednesday, October 26	6:30pm	Auditorium					
CWL N	Meeting		1	Tuesday, November 1	1pm	Auditorium				
Book C	lub		Т	Thursday, November 3	7pm	Formation Room				

Ministries for October 29 & 30, Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time											
Cup Ministers:											
7:00PM	(Ann)Debbie Augey, Gwen Van De Woestyne, Amber Hilstrom, Terry Stefiuk, Eden Pacunayen										
10:00AM	(Ann)Joyce Bonokoski, Beckey Franke, Theresa Beck, Theresa Fernandez, Bev Hickie										
Lectors:	Lectors: Hospitality Host										
7:00PM	Dawn Hengen & Virginia Wheeler	7:00PM	Colleen Harkins &	Clayton Harkins							
10:00AM	Brenda Keating & Hanna Keating	10:00AM	Jim Carriere & Elaine Carriere								
Ushers:											
7:00PM	John Kish 10	:00AM Ron	Wilhelm	,							
Altar Servers: First Reading:											
7:00PM				Wisdom 11.22-12.2							
10:00AM	Keira Phillips		Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians								
<u>Collection Counters:</u> Elaine Walton, Darla & Ron Wilhelm, Theresa Fernandez 1.11-2.2											
				Gospel:							
				Luke 19.1-10							
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