



ST. VINCENT OF LERINS ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Bulletin for the Week of Aug 26 - Sept 2, 2018

Sun – Aug 26 10th Sunday of Matthew

9:00 am Orthros

10:00 am Divine Liturgy

Agape Potluck luncheon

Tues - Aug 28

6:30 pm Great Vespers, Litia/Artoklasia commemorating
the beheading of St. John the Baptist

Wed - Aug 29 Beheading of St. John the Baptist Commemoration

9:00 am Orthros

10:00 am Divine Liturgy

Fri - Aug 31

Youth Event at Andrew & Rachel Machnee's
Cabin - Sturgeon Lake

1:00 pm leave Saskatoon

3:00 pm Saturday - September 1 – return to Saskatoon

For further details & program please talk to Rachel

Fri - Aug 31

6:30 pm Great Vespers for the beginning of the Ecclesiastical (Church) New Year and the Commemoration of St. Simeon the Stylite

Mon - Sept 3

Lighthouse dinner



REMINDERS / ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. From Rachel Machnee

It is that time of the year again to start making a new lunch schedule!!

If you are willing to help out with Sunday Lunches this year, please email me and let me know. Also, in your email please let me know if there are any dates that you are not available, or if you have any other special requests, or if you would prefer to be by yourself for lunch instead of being in a team. If you are by yourself, you would only have to make lunch once or twice a year and if you are on a team then you will likely be on the schedule 3-4 times during the year. So, I just want to give people some options. It doesn't matter to me either way, but I thought it would be nice to give people the option, in case you would prefer to do it that way.

I truly appreciate all of you who help out with lunches! When we have many sign up, that makes the load lighter for everyone. Last year we had several people sign up that most of them only had to be on for 3 times throughout the year. It would be great if we had that large of a group again!



2. Please contact Joan with names to include in the prayer list, **for the parish members and their immediate families.**

The prayer list for this week is:

Prs. Liana, Ilene, Anne, Andrea, Neoma, Ephrem, Crystal, George & Mary, George & Darlene, Victoria, Mervyn, Juliette, Madeleine, Miriam, Gloria, Yvonne, Harriet, Arlene, Mary, Shane, Adelle, Bruce, Shaeleigh, Hiet & Halid, Girmay, Bethune, Berhane, Dimitri, Don, Amanda, Fritz, Daryl, David, Joan, Jordan, Naomi, Nancy, Marian

3. Please remember to send your announcements to the **church's email address** - stvincentorthch@sasktel.net **for the weekly bulletins by Wednesdays** ; **AND for the monthly calendars - by the 15th of each month.**



LOOKING AHEAD

Sun - Sept 9

The Sieberts will host an outdoor “Church New Year” parish gathering at their home, # 503 Tracksell Avenue, Borden.

- **Provided** - Chili in the outdoor cauldron, buns & basic beverages
- **Potluck** - Salads, sides & desserts
- **3:30pm** - Fellowship, canoeing, trampoline, and family friendly group games
- **5:30pm** – Supper

Please come and feel free to bring guests!



PASTORAL TEACHINGS, DIRECTIVES, NOTES & SAYINGS

Dear in Christ, faithful of the St. Vincent Family
Glory to Jesus Christ!

It's been brought to my attention that there are some of our young people who are disengaged from the Divine Liturgy and become chatty, particularly during the 'Offering up of the Gifts' "*thine own of thine...*" etc., and during the consecration "*and make this bread the body of your Christ...*" etc.

This is certainly understandable, and somewhat excusable, since we, as adults, become disengaged ourselves but the more we can engage the more meaningful the Liturgy will be for all of us and the less tempted we will be to become chatty or distracted.

Of course, it's important to keep our children quiet and in fact for us to be quiet ourselves, but it's even more important to try to keep ourselves and our children engaged in the various parts of the Liturgy particularly in what are often called *the high points of the Liturgy*.

I have asked Presvytera Linda and Rachel Huebert to teach some of the children, in an age-appropriate way, the meanings of the high points of the Liturgy when they are downstairs during the homily. Furthermore, in order to help the adults understand, there will also be a 3-4 minute teaching immediately before the announcements to re-teach some of the high points of the Liturgy, beginning some time in the middle of September.

Prayers and blessings as we approach the beginning of the Ecclesiastical (Church) New Year!

Fr. N. Bernard Funk (+frnbfunk)