

# SEPTEMBER 11TH 2022

24th Sunday  
Ordinary Time

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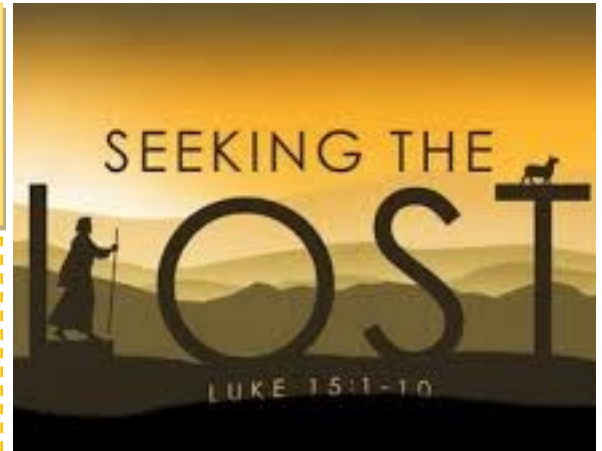
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	TIME	LOCATION	MASS INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
Mon. Sept 12			No Mass Scheduled	
Tue. Sept 13	7:00pm	Pierceland	+Randy Zuchotzki	Laura
Wed. Sept 14	7:00pm	Goodsoil	Catholic Women's League	Goodsoil CWL
Thur. Sept 15	9:00am	Goodsoil	+Ewald Baumgardner	Lila & John Middleton
Fri. Sept 16	9:00am	Goodsoil	+Ron Treptow	Ted Stremick Family
Sat. Sept 17	5:00pm	Loon Lake	+Gerald Bender	Phil Sopracolle
Sun. Sept 18	9:00am	Goodsoil	+Denise St. Pierre	Barbara Terres
	11:00am	Pierceland	For All Parishioners	

ST. BONIFACE	MINISTER LIST - Sept. 18	ST. ANTONINUS
<b>Commentator</b> - Melanie H.		<b>Readers</b> - Chris Suzy
<b>Readers</b> - Bob / Yvonne R.		<b>Music</b> - Anita <b>Mono</b> - Leona
<b>Greeters</b> - Dennis / Marty H.		<b>Gifts</b> - Ralph and Wilma
<b>Gift Bearers</b> - Devon / Wendy M.		<b>Servers</b> - Brian
<b>Rosary</b> - Adam / Regina F.		<b>Greeters</b> - Marvel
<b>Cleaning</b> - Bender Group		<b>Rosary</b> - Barb <b>Sunday School</b> - Susan

## Vocation Corner ~24th Sunday in Ordinary Time



**A Vocation View:** We are like the lost sheep when we have not found our place in life. Are you part of the herd, lost from the herd, or a leader of the herd?

**Prayer:** For the holiness of all those called to be examples to those who would come to believe in Christ for eternal life as priests, deacons and consecrated men and women, we pray to the Lord.

**Action:** A GOOD WAY TO SERVE our parish is to become part of our Parish Vocation Committee, to help generate an atmosphere that is positively directed toward ministry and church vocations. The committee welcomes more members! Pray for vocations!

### GOODSOIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Ministers** - Altar servers are in need. Please contact Carmen if you would like to become a Server. Instruction will be given. Sign up sheet is available at the back to either ADD or REMOVE your name from the lists.
- **Elections** - Parish Council elections will take place in the fall. Please be generous with your time and talent and faithfully consider letting your name stand when nominated.
- **Cleaners** - Anyone wishing to help any of the cleaning groups will be gratefully welcomed. Please contact Carmen who will make sure you are included in a group. Thank you for your service to our parish.

### PIERCELAND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ♦ **Youth Night** will be **Thursday, September 15** at 7:00p.m. We would like to see as many youths as possible this night to begin the year off successfully.
- ♦ **Youth Night** sign up sheet will be at the back of the church for those interested starting for October.
- ♦ **Fall Supper** will be **Sunday, October 16**. Sign up sheets will be at the back of the church to volunteer for various jobs. We will also be having a Raffle. If you would like to donate, plus put your donation in the collection basket.
- ♦ There will be sign up sheets at the back of the church for **Sunday Brunch**. If you are interested, please **sign**.
- ♦ **Cleaning for September - Pam Johnson 306-839-2167** Colleen Nault, Angie Gelowitz, Jeanette Riebel, Susy Hetlinger, Sharon Rawlake

### DIOCESAN ANNOUNCEMENTS

- \* **Installation of our New Pastor** Fr. Dong Doan by Bishop Stephen Hero will take place at St. Boniface on November 6th @ 9:00 am.
- \* **New Diocesan Youth and Young Adult Director** - Adam Rieger comes from Alberta and has experience working with youth in parishes and Catholic schools. Adam is bilingual plays guitar, enjoys singing, the outdoors, and playing hockey. We would like to welcome Adam to our Diocese and look forward to his work with our youth and young adults. He can be contacted at 306-922-4747 ext. 232 or email at youth@padiocese.ca
- \* **DIOCESAN PASTORAL COUNCIL (DPC) Meeting** "RENEWING OUR WALK TOGETHER AS A CHURCH WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT" **October 29th, 2022** St. Joseph Parish Hall 260-25th Street East Prince Albert  
Please speak with your parish Priest for more information. Registration deadline is October 14, 2022.

### *He ran to his son. (Luke 15:20)*

What an image! You can picture Jesus' listeners gasping at His description of a respected, wealthy landowner, advanced in age, hiking up his robes and running to greet his wayward son! In the patriarchal culture of ancient Israel, it would have been humiliating for a father to do such a thing. The child should be the one coming to the father—humble and repentant—while the father stands firm, arms folded, waiting to see what his son has to say for himself. Any father acting as the father in the parable did would have brought scandal to himself and his family. But "*scandal*" is a good way to describe Jesus' parable of the prodigal son. Jesus told this story in response to a group of Pharisees who were scandalized by His practice of openly welcoming "*sinners*" (Luke 15:2).

It's as if Jesus were saying, You think I'm a cause for scandal?

Let me tell you a parable about my heavenly Father and the depths of His mercy!

God's mercy defies our fallen human logic. Whoever heard of a God who runs to welcome sinners before they have a chance to repent? Or a God who forgives sins that we think are unforgivable? Or a God who rejoices over us even when we give Him very little reason to rejoice? But this is your God. His love is unfathomable and free-flowing.

In a world powered by pride and selfishness, a world that urges retaliation for every single slight, it's downright scandalous.

And it's for you. Your heavenly Father loves you completely, and there's nothing you can do to make Him stop loving you. There's nothing you can do to make Him give up on you—or any of your loved ones. So let God love you today. Let Him run to you and embrace you and shower you with His mercy.

Even if it scandalizes you, let that mercy fill your heart and flow out to the people around you.

**"Father, thank you for your wondrous, scandalous love!"**