

## Equality and Equity

**We operate under two very different economic systems.** On one hand, in society the measure to which we claim a right is determined by the character and extent of our earning power. On the other hand, what is described in St. Paul's admonition to the Corinthians is more like the way economics operates in a family. There, need rather than earning power determines the measure of what we might claim as our right.

Both systems are built on important, though sometimes different, values. The prominent economic system in today's world advocates equality as the value upon which it is built. This includes equal pay for equal work, but also equality of opportunity. The system Paul advocates is built on issues of equity, which recognizes that all things are not equal. It insists that those who need more should get more. Both systems also face pitfalls. This could occur when a system

based on equality does not operate on an "equal playing field." In such a situation, equality can lack justice. Then again, a system in which need or equity plays an important role must always be on the alert for idleness. Experience has shown that people have a tendency to take advantage of either system.

In an ideal system, both values operate. This is what Paul is actually advocating. He does not expect the rich to become poor. However, he does insist that as a matter of justice, and not charity, legitimate needs should be met. After all, we all are called to join the household of God.

*Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA*

### FOR *Reflection*

- ★ *In which of your parish or diocesan justice programs might you be able to participate?*
- ★ *How might genuine family values improve the ministry of your parish?*



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**St. Brieux Parish Office Hours****Fr. George** is on holidays from June 19-June 26th.**Francine** - In the office on Friday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Bulletin and information is available on the website:

[stbrieuxparish.ca](http://stbrieuxparish.ca)**COVID-19 PROTOCOL UPDATE****(as of June 20, 2021)**

Dispensation continues for those who are not yet ready to attend Mass. Bulletins are available online or, if requested at time of registration, a printed copy will be readied for you.

**1. Masks, hand sanitizing and social distancing are mandatory for attendees.**

**2. Mass attendance is limited 30% of seating. St. Brieux Church has pew spaces still set up as previous. One family/couple/person per pew.**

**3. Phone-in registration still required by calling 306-275-2043 on Fridays from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Any space left will be first come/first serve basis.**

**4. Saturday evening Mass at 7:00 p.m. Sunday Mass at 9:00 a.m.**

**5. Please be aware, if your first choice is not available, you will be asked if you are willing to attend at another Mass time.**

**EVENTS THIS WEEK & UPCOMING EVENTS**

**June 28-July 3: Fr. George is taking holidays. No Masses in St. Brieux. St. Brieux church will be open on Friday from 11-2 while Francine is in the office only.**

**July 2: Registration for St. Brieux Mass from 11:00 a.m. –2:00 p.m. call 306-275-2043.**

**July 4: Mass at 9:00 a.m. in St. Brieux; 4:00 p.m. in Kinistino**

**July 6-9: Mass at 10:00 a.m.**

**July 9: Adoration 9:00-10:00 a.m. before 10:00 a.m. Mass (St. Brieux)**

**July 10: Mass at 7:00 p.m. St. Brieux**

**July 11: Mass at 9:00 a.m. in St. Brieux; 4:00 p.m. in Kinistino**

**July 17-24: Fr. George is taking holidays. No Masses in St. Brieux.**

**July 18: Lay Service in St. Brieux & Kinistino**

**July 25: Mass at 9:00 a.m. in St. Brieux; 4:00 p.m. in Kinistino**

**July 26-31: Fr. George is taking holidays. No Masses in St. Brieux.**

**St. Brieux Parish Mass Intentions**

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| Sun.<br>July 4 | 9:00 a.m. | All Parishioners |
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**Mary, Mother of God Parish Mass Intentions**

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| Sun.<br>July 4 | 4:00 p.m. | +Beatrice Reiter by Joanne & Walt Jansen |
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**Collections****St. Brieux: June 20: \$232.50****Mary, Mother of God: June 20: \$120.00****Catholic Missions: \$30.00****Sacramental Class Preparation**

If it is your wish to enroll your child/ren in classes this fall, and you do not have baptism certificate/s, now is the time to contact the parish where your child/ren were baptized. Class registrations will be happening this fall.

## **Stewardship: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*"...as a matter of equality your abundance at the present time should supply their want, so that their abundance may supply your want, that there may be equality." - 2 CORINTHIANS 8:14*

One of the tenants of living a grateful and generous lifestyle is giving without expecting anything in return. It is important that we not only grow, nurture and share our gifts; but that we also teach our children and encourage others to do the same. This is the communal aspect of our Catholic faith. We are the "Body of Christ". We are called to be dependent on each other and not live in isolation.

<http://archstl.org/stewardship/page/bulletin-inserts>

### **Our Prayer for the Week:**

Christ Jesus, bring hope and healing to the suffering. Give us wisdom and courage to face addiction, illness, trauma, suffering, and death with resurrection faith. Give us restlessness that will only relent when we join in your healing work. And give us unwavering hope that the Kingdom can come into our suffering to make us whole. Amen.

<https://www.cccb.ca/faith-moral-issues/life-family/suggestions-for-homilies-intercessions/>

**Prayer of the Faithful:** For lifelong faith in the eternal resurrection work of Jesus, we pray to the Lord.

<https://www.cccb.ca/faith-moral-issues/life-family/suggestions-for-homilies-intercessions/>

## **Vocation Corner: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**A Vocation View:** Life can remind us of life eternal; death can remind us of death eternal. Each day we must choose to live or die, physically or spiritually. What we do daily either builds us up or tears us down. Pray for the proclaimers of life!

**Prayer:** For the faith to accept the healing power of Jesus, who wants to remove every obstacle to the response of men and women chosen to follow Him as priests, deacons, in consecrated life, we pray to the Lord.

**Action:** LAST THINGS FIRST - at various times in the year, the Church reminds us that there will be an end to our lives and that there will be an account of how we have lived. Do you live with those last things in mind?

**Pray It Forward Prayer Group:** to join this ministry, or have an Intercessory Prayer Request contact Terry Valmont by text or call at 306-920-8771. Prayer requests can be submitted either anonymously or with information.

**Join Pope Francis in Prayer Every Day**  
**[www.clicktopray.org](http://www.clicktopray.org)**

### **•ONLINE MASS TIMES**

**Live Streamed Masses around the Roman Catholic Diocese of Prince Albert until further notice (within Deanery 2):**

**•St. Lucy Parish, Arborfield –Fr. Travis Mryheim— Mass is live streamed at 5:00 p.m. Saturdays until the end of June. July and August will be at 11:00 a.m. Sundays.**

**<https://www.facebook.com/LiveMassFrTravis>**

**•Canadian Martyrs Parish, Carrot River—Fr. Travis Mryheim— Mass is live streamed at 9:00 a.m. Sundays until the end of June. July and August will be at 5:00 p.m. Saturdays.**

**<https://www.facebook.com/LiveMassFrTravis>**

**•Paroisse Notre Dame de la Nativité, Zenon Park – Fr. Travis Mryheim— Mass is live streamed at 11:00 a.m. Sundays until the end of June. July and August will be at 9:00 a.m. Sundays.**

## **THE SISTERS OF THE PRESENTATION OF MARY of the Prince Albert Diocese**

### **225th Anniversary of the Foundation of the Sisters of the Presentation of Mary**

On July 23, 2021, @ 2:00 p.m. there will be a Eucharistic Celebration of Thanksgiving at Sacred Heart Cathedral (1401, 4th Ave. West, Prince Albert). Program at 3:30 p.m.

For any questions please call Sr. Lise Paquette at 306-980-7878 or Sr. Priscilla Houde at 306-961-0492. (COVID-19 restrictions will apply) More information to come.

## **PERMANENT DIACONATE PROGRAM**

**[permanentdiaconate@padiocese.ca](mailto:permanentdiaconate@padiocese.ca)**

Together let us place our petitions for the fruitfulness of the Permanent Diaconate in the Diocese of Prince Albert in the maternal hands of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary, asking her to watch over the candidates for this ministry who will proclaim the Word faithfully, serve the liturgy reverently, and care for the needs of the poor joyfully.

**Have a great week everyone!**

# Dear Padre,

## This week is the Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul. Why doesn't each have his own feast day?

**T**hey do. Saints Peter and Paul are united in a solemnity on June 29 to honor their martyrdom, but each has his own feast: the Chair of St. Peter (February 22) and the Conversion of St. Paul (January 25).

Peter's primacy is evident in the prominence given to him by the Gospel writers and in the position of authority entrusted to him in the infant Church. Jesus promised Peter that he alone would be the foundation stone, keeper of the keys, and head shepherd (see Matthew 16:18–19 and John 21:15–17). Peter also oversaw Judas Iscariot's replacement (see Acts of the Apostles 1:15–26).

Paul holds a position of honor for his transformation from Church persecutor to “a slave of Christ Jesus” (Romans 1:1).

Saint Augustine wrote that they share a solemnity because, even though they didn't suffer on the same day, they suffered as one. On different days of presumably the same year, 67, Peter was crucified and Paul beheaded.

Their esteem coupled them in the early Church's devotion. Hence, the solemnity Mass preface states that “each in a different way gathered together the one family of Christ; and revered together throughout the world, they share one Martyr's crown.”

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### A WORD FROM *Pope Francis*

*They were two very different people....Yet the closeness that joined Peter and Paul did not come from natural inclinations, but from the Lord. He did not command us to like one another, but to love one another. He is the one who unites us, without making us all alike. He unites us in our differences.*

SOLEMNITY OF STS. PETER AND PAUL, JUNE 29, 2020

## Calendar

### Monday

JUNE 28

St. Irenaeus,  
Bishop and Martyr  
Gn 18:16–33  
Mt 8:18–22

### Tuesday

JUNE 29

Sts. Peter and Paul,  
Apostles  
Acts 12:1–11  
2 Tm 4:6–8, 17–18  
Mt 16:13–19

### Wednesday

JUNE 30

Weekday  
Gn 21:5, 8–20a  
Mt 8:28–34

### Thursday

JULY 1

Weekday  
Gn 22:1b–19  
Mt 9:1–8

### Friday

JULY 2

Weekday  
Gn 23:1–4, 19;  
24:1–8, 62–67  
Mt 9:9–13

### Saturday

JULY 3

St. Thomas, Apostle  
Eph 2:19–22  
Jn 20:24–29

### Sunday

JULY 4

Fourteenth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time  
Ez 2:2–5  
2 Cor 12:7–10  
Mk 6:1–6a

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