FEBRUARY 4TH, 2024

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SACRED HEART -LOON LAKE

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. ANTONINUS-PIERCELAND

ST. BONIFACE - GOODSOIL

		Тіме	LOCATION	Mass Intention	Requested By
Mon.	Feb. 5			No Mass Scheduled	
Tues.	Feb. 6	7:00pm	Pierceland	+Harold Foss	Gail Foss
Wed.	Feb. 7	10:00am	Goodsoil	For the family of Alice Abraham	Alice Abraham
Thur	Feb. 8	9:00am	Goodsoil	+Anna Marie Piecharka	Tim & Michelle Kowbel
Fri.	Feb. 9	9:00am	Goodsoil	Special Intention	Ted & Carmen Stremick
Sat.	Feb. 10	5:00pm	Loon Lake	Debbie Brinsky	Gerald & Barb Tracey
Sun	Feb. 11	9:00am	Goodsoil	For All Parishioners	
		11:00am	Pierceland	+Leonard Niedermaier	Merlin & Chris Wild

St. Boniface Ministers List	February 11th St. Antoninus	
Commentator- Youth	Eucharistic Minister– Trisha	
Readers- Youth	Readers - Audery Debbie	
Greeters - Youth	Music– Angie Mono–Keri	
Gift Bearers - Youth	Gifts - James Hetlinger Family	
Eucharistic Minister–Lucille M.	Servers- Shannon	
Servers—Bob Henry Dom	Greeters- Leona Sun. School-Pam	
Rosary– Adam & Regina F.	Rosary - Theresia Breakfast—Valentine Brunch	

Sask. Knights of Columbus Vocations Endowment Month—In 2018 the Bishops of Saskatchewan partnered with the Sask. K of C Charitable Foundation to create the Sask. K of C Vocations Endowment. The proceeds from this Endowment are disbursed on an annual basis equally to each seminarian throughout all Saskatchewan Dioceses, Eparchy and Abbey to help defray the \$30,000.00 per year it costs to educate each Seminarian.

Our Fr. Schultz Council will participate with our Parish in a fundraising campaign during the month of February 2024 We currently have **7 Seminarians** from the four Dioceses, the Eparchy and the Abbey. These young men are committed to become future leaders in our Saskatchewan Catholic communities. As practicing Catholics, we each have a role in encouraging these Seminarian through prayer and financial support.

The Bishops, Priests and all of us appreciate your support. Please continue your ongoing prayers for Vocations and make a donation today.

Every donation is 100% tax deductible. Within four weeks our

Foundation will mail or email you an official tax receipt for the total amount of your donation. Tax receipts will be issued for all donations

in excess of \$20.00 (Reg. Charity # 134432327RR001)

More details about the Vocation Endowment, including photos of the Seminarians in Saskatchewan can be found at the Foundation's website https://saskkofc.foundation/sask-k-ofc-vocations/.



Electronic Funds Transfer (e-transfer) donations@saskkofc.foundation <u>Make Question</u>: Knights of <u>Answer</u>: Columbus <u>Message:</u> Vocations

Credit Card –Go online to www.saskkofc.foundation <u>Tab</u>–Donate Now Cheques mail to: Sask. K of C Charitable Foundation Box 61, Moose Jaw, SK. S6H 4N7

GOODSOIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Liturgy List—available at the back of the church. We are always looking for new ministers to help our parish. Please sign up on the back bulletin. Altar servers, Commentators, Gifts, Greeters

One Warm Coat Drive — Clean gently used items Drop off at the church or Larry's Place

February Cleaners—Brian/Charlene Schamber. Ken/Diane Schamber. Rudy/Isabelle Weber. James Degenhardt Cleaning duties are posted on the back bulletin board

PIERCELAND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pancakes & Sausage — Shrove Tuesday, February 13, our_Youth Group will be serving Pancakes and Sausages to our Seniors at the Senior's Hall at 5:00. Please come and check out our cooking:)

CWL Membership — Membership is due for 2024. Fees are \$40 as set by National

CWL Valentine Luncheon—CWL invites you to the annual Valentines luncheon on Feb. 11th following mass. This year will be a potluck or a silver collection. Bingo and/or games to follow. Love is the greatest gift. Thank you
Cleaners for February—Racquel Rawlake-Parker 306-839-4868 Audery Grundner, Shirley Grundner, Myrna Gonie Rhonda Schleibinger

Vocation Corner Fifth Sunday of the Year – B

A Vocation View: The afflicted Job in the Old Testament thinks that his life is like dust in the wind; his restlessness depicting the sorrow and sadness afflicting society today. Are we prepared for the task ahead? "To heal the broken-hearted, to bind up all their wounds." How do you choose to respond?

Prayer: That all Catholics will recognize that they are entrusted with the commission to pray for vocations and so beg the Holy Spirit to guide the deep searching of all who are discerning their vocations in Christ, we pray to the Lord.



Action: DID YOU KNOW... offering up one's suffering and trials is a wonderful form of prayer?



24 HRS OF ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT Come Let Us Adore Him For He is Our God Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, Paradise Hill, SK. Fri. Mar. 1st 3—10pm Sat Mar. 2nd 7—3pm Call: 1-306-344-7897. Email: kpsalzl@littleloon.ca

Or Patty Fenrich: Ph. 1-306-480-5647. Email: dap3fen@gmail.com Father will be available to hear confessions.

Raised to Serve: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's First Reading, Job describes the futility of life before Christ. His lament reminds us of the curse of toil and death placed upon Adam following his original sin (see Genesis 3:17–19). Men and women are like slaves seeking shade, unable to find rest. Their lives are like the wind that comes and goes. But, as we sing in today's Psalm, He who created the stars promised to heal the brokenhearted and gather those lost in exile from Him (see Isaiah 11:12; 61:1). We see this promise fulfilled in today's Gospel.



Simon's mother-in-law is like Job's toiling, hopeless humanity.

She is laid low by affliction but too weak to save herself.

But as God promised to take His chosen people by the hand (see Isaiah 42:6), Jesus grasps her by the hand and helps her up. The word translated "help" is actually Greek for "raising up." The same verb is used when Jesus commands a dead girl to arise (see Mark 5:41–42). It's used again to describe His own resurrection (see Mark 14:28; 16:7).

What Jesus has done for Simon's mother-in-law, He has done for all humanity-

raised all of us who lay dead through our sins (see Ephesians 2:5).

Notice all the words of totality and completeness in the Gospel. The whole town gathers; all the sick are brought to Him. He drives out demons in the whole of Galilee. Everyone is looking for Christ.

We too have found Him. By our baptism, He healed and raised us to live in His presence (see Hosea 6:1–2). Like Simon's mother-in-law, there is only one way we can thank Him for the new life He has given us.

We must rise to serve Him and His gospel.

Our lives must be our thanksgiving, as Paul describes in today's Epistle. We must tell everyone the good news, the purpose for which Jesus has come—that others, too, may have a share in this salvation.