

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
Sunday, March 5, 2023
CONFESSIONS 3:15 – 3:50 P.M. on Saturday in Watford City

Fr. Brian Gross 842-3505				Marella (Secretary) 570-5989	
PO Box 670				Bulletin deadline Wednesday	
<u>MASSES:</u>					
Mon.	6	No Mass			
Tues.	7	7:00 P.M.	For + Anthony Magana		
Wed.	8	12:10 P.M.	For + Terry & Dwayne Beste		
Thurs.	9	9:00 A.M.	For + Bill Ottmann		
Fri.	10	9:00 A.M.	For + Kirk Wold		
		5:30 P.M.	STATIONS OF THE CROSS		
Sat.	11	4:00 P.M.	For + Ann Haugen		
			Watford City		
			READER: Bev Hanson		
Sun.	12	8:30 A.M.	For The Members of Epiphany & Our Lady Of Consolation		
			Alexander		
		10:45 A.M.	For + Mike Pokrzywinski		
			Watford City		
			READER: Kevin Junso		
			COUNTERS: Rick Pokrzywinski, Sarah Billing		

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

EPIPHANY PARISH RETREAT: Reminder – Epiphany’s Parish Retreat March 3rd – March 5th. Fr. Brian will have a talk following the 4:00 P.M. Saturday Mass. And a talk about noon after Sunday’s Mass and concluding with a Healing Service at 6:00 P.M.

SPANISH MASS: There will be a Spanish Mass is Sunday, March 5 at 1:30 P.M. in Watford City.

MISSION EDUCATION SUNDAY: “Building on the Foundation of Faith & Service”. This weekend is our 34th Annual African Mission Appeal collection. As Catholics, we all have a shared responsibility to support our church’s work. This can be done through your prayers and generous support of our African Mission Team. Please be as generous as you can in supporting the important work of Fr. David Morman, and Wes and Kathy Pepple, as they minister on our behalf to our brothers and sisters in Kisii, Kenya, East Africa. Envelopes are available and can be placed in the collection basket. You are also encouraged to follow our missionaries in action at <https://www.facebook.com/BismarckCatholicMission>

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT: Stewardship is not job-oriented or project-minded. It is a way of life for a lifetime.

RICE BOWLS: Reminder Rice Bowls are still available at the back of the Church for you and your family and include a Lenten Calendar that can be followed throughout the Lenten Season. Almsgiving is one way we can share God’s gifts.

VOCATIONS: During this time of fasting we may be tempted to go astray. Pray for the grace to follow the way that leads to life. (Matthew 4:1-11)

FIRST COMMUNION CLASS: First Communion Class will be held this Wednesday, March 8 from 4:15 to 5:30 P.M.

BISMARCK DIOCESE: The Diocese of Bismarck has an opening for the position of Executive Assistant to the Bishop. This position is responsible for all executive administrative details for the Office of the Bishop and the Office of Vocations. The job responsibilities involve a high level of support to the Bishop, requiring analysis, judgement and decision-making. A bachelor’s degree or equivalent work experience is required. Applicant must be proficient with Microsoft Office Suite and must possess a positive attitude, willingness to learn and passion for serving the Catholic Church in western North Dakota. The Diocese offers a competitive salary and benefits package. See the full description at <https://bismarckdiocese.com/job-openings>. Please submit an application found on the website, cover letter, resume, and three references to Denise Jordan, PO Box 1575 Bismarck, ND 58502, or djordan@bismarckdiocese.com.

ROSARY ON SUNDAYS: Rosary is said each Sunday prior to the 10:45 A.M. Mass. Please come and pray the Rosary before Mass. If you are need of a Rosary while at Church, the Rosary Guild has made Cord Rosaries and they are available and hanging by Fr’s. office.

CURSILLO WEEKENDS: Reminder the Women’s Cursillo weekend is March 16th – March 19th at Trinity High School in Dickinson. For more information or to register, visit bismarckcursillo.com or call/text Anita Elkin at 701-426-7384.

CHAPLET OF THE DIVINE MERCY: The “Chaplet of Divine Mercy” is a very powerful and needed prayer during our times. It can be recited each weekday at 2:00 P.M. on EWTN, Channel 7.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Eucharistic Adoration is held every Friday from 9:30 A.M. to 9:30 P.M. Thank you to all scheduled adorers! Your generosity and commitment make it possible for others that can’t commit to a specific time to be able to come and adore the Lord when their schedules allow. All are welcome to come and pray before our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament during this time. More volunteers are needed – if you are available, please call Stephanie at 813-415-8486. Fr. would like two people in the Church at all times during Adoration.

WEEKLY COLLECTION: Collection last weekend in Watford City totaled \$4,339.02. Thank you!

GOD COMFORTS US,
NOT TO MAKE US COMFORTABLE,
BUT TO MAKE US COMFORTERS.