DECEMBER 24. 4th SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Mass/Liturau Schedule

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Saturday, December 23	5:00 PN
Kim & Ryan Wilson	
Sunday, December 24	10:30 AN
Parishioners of St. Hildegard & Sacred He	eart
Sunday, December 24 (Christmas Eve)	4:00 PM
+Rosie Horning	
Monday, December 25 (Christmas Day)	10:30 AN
+Pamela Anderson	
Tuesday, December 26	8:00 AN
Special Intention	
Wednesday, December 27	8:00 AN
Reparation of Sins	
Thursday, December 28	8:00 AM
+Herb & Clarine Urlacher	
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Friday, December 29 NO 8:00 AM MASS
Saturday, December 30 5:00 PM

Aaron & Kristi Vetter & Family
Sunday, December 31 10:30 AM

Parishioners of St. Hildegard & Sacred Heart

Monday, January 1(New Year's Day) 10:30 AM

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Rosary: Before Mass on Sunday **Eucharistic Adoration**: Thursdays 4-9 PM **Confessions:** Sat (or by appt.) 3:30–4:30 PM

Upcoming Events

Faith Formation Jan 3 7 PM Childrens Christmas Program & Potluck Jan 7

PARISH CONTACTS

Pastor	Msgr. Gene Lindemann	673-3452
Deacon	Harvey Hanel	202-7190
Religious Ed Dir.	Denise Richter	673-3488
Altar Society	Megan Milbradt	426-3814
Parish Council:	Myron Rogstad	226-1818
Finance Council:	Paul Cain	220-2513
Business Mgr.	Tedi Maher	
St. Hildegard Office: (Mon-Wed-Fri.)		673-3177
Sacred Heart Office: (Tues-Thurs)		734-8131

DECEMBER SERVICE TEAM:

Holly Schirado (Leader), Casey Ward, Carmen Cain, Abby Schmitz, and Bev Selzler.

FROM MSGR. GENE

I want to wish you all a very blessed Christmas! What a wonderful time for sharing and giving: God shared and gifted us with His Son, and we share and give to others. I hope your gatherings and festivities with family and friends are truly joyful and grace-filled. They provide wonderful opportunities for us to share our expressions of care, good wishes, and love to those who are so important in our lives. Thank you all for the many cards, greetings, and gifts you have shared with me. Your generosity and thoughtfulness is most appreciated. And may each day of the year ahead be filled with joy and peace for all.



My precious Lord, Jesus, I adore You with profound love and rejoice in the celebration of Your birth. Reveal to me the glorious power of Your birth and change my life on account of this perfect gift of Yourself. I love You, dear Lord Jesus. Help me to love You with all my heart. Newborn Savior of the World, I trust in You. Mother Mary and St. Joseph, Pray for me and for all.

CHRISTMAS LITURGIES

Sunday. December 24 - 4:00 PM

Monday, December 25 - 10:30 AM

WEEKEND OF DECEMBER 30-31

Saturday, December 30 - 5:00 PM Sunday, December 31 - 10:30 AM NEW YEAR'S DAY

Monday, January 1 - 10:30 AM

Parish offices will be closed in observance of the holidays. (December 25, 29 & January 1) Anyone wanting to assist with Christmas Eve Caroling and Christmas Eve Mass service- please come to St Hildegard's Church at 3:00pm for a brief warmup /practice. Caroling will begin at 3:30 pm. Contact Corrine Heaton at 701-333-8178 with any questions.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PROGRAM Sunday January 7th After 10:30 Mass Parish Potluck to Follow

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Ministry	December 31	January 7
Sat. Lector	Wilma Dunford	Sheila Rogstad
Sun. Lector	Valerie Kuntz	Megan Milbradt
Altar Servers	Addie Worrel David Vetter	Cohen Milbradt Bailey Bitz
Ushers/Greeters	Luke Vetter Aaron Vetter	Josey Milbradt Gary Richter
Gifts	Milbradt Family	Gary/Coreen Richter
Eucharistic Ministers	Deacon Harvey	Deacon Harvey
Sacristan	Megan Milbradt	Arlene Abraham
Counter	Kim Aberle (1/3)	Wilma Dunford (1/8)

LITURGICAL MINISTERS: Please make sure that you have a sub if you are unable to fulfill your commitment.

DECEMBER 17 OFFERINGS

Adult Offerings	\$ 2564.00
Loose Offerings	\$ 192.25
Youth Offerings	\$ 13.25
Flower Offerings	\$ 40.00
Retired Religious	\$ 100.00
Online Offerings	\$ 1080.00
Total	\$ 3989.50

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

Your Christmas flower offering is a beautiful way to remember or honor your loved ones. *Christmas Flower Offerings this week have been made in memory of Robert Aberle and Verdun Schauer.*



AREA EVENTS/NEWS

CHRISTMAS EVE DINNER AT ASCENSION

Ascension Parish in Bismarck is hosting their annual Christmas Eve dinner on Saturday, Dec. 24 from 5:30-7 p.m. in their parish community room. The menu includes a roast turkey dinner and dessert. This is a free meal for individuals and families in need, alone or simply wanting to celebrate Christ's birth with others. Rides are available for those who need transportation.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

Bismarck Catholic Daughters will meet on Tuesday, January 2 at Cathedral. Doors open at 6:30, rosary at 7PM. For more info go to bismarckcda.org or call Marella @ 255-0559.

JOB OPENINGS

<u>The Bismarck Diocese</u> has two openings: Full-time Fiscal Office Accountant, and a full-time Parish Services

Accountant I/Bookkeeper. For an application, please contact Denise Jordan, PO Box 1575, Bismarck, ND 58502, or email diordan@bismarckdiocese.com.

<u>Spirit of Life Catholic Church</u> has a full-time opening for a maintenance person. We offer an attractive benefits package including health insurance and 401k. If interested submit a resume to Stacey at stacey@myspiritoflife.com or 801 1st St. SE, Mandan, ND 58554.

CHI- ST ALEXIUS HEALTH VOLUNTEERS

Volunteering is a great way to meet new people and help others. CHI-St. Alexius Health has several volunteer opportunities to include cashers in the gift shop, mail messengers, and Eucharistic ministers. Training is available for each position. If interested, please call Tanya at 701-530-7159 or email

tanya.olheiser@commonspirit.org

"Building on 75 Years of Faith" Capital Campaign

Parish Goal: \$1,200,000 Total Pledges Received - \$838,435 Total Pledge Payments Received - \$643,163