

CHURCH OF ST. HILDEGARD

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August 17, 2025 20th Sunday Ordinary Time

MASS/LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday, August 16	5:00 PM
Luke Vetter	
Sunday, August 17	10:30 AM
Parishioners of St. Hildegard & Sacred Heart	
Tuesday, August 19	8:00 AM
Special Intention	
Wednesday, August 20	8:00 AM
Ryan Wilson	
Thursday, August 21	8:00 AM
+Debbie McGuire	
Friday, August 22	8:00 AM
+John Buer	
Saturday, August 23	5:00 PM
Seth Gras	
Sunday, August 24	10:30 AM
Parishioners of St. Hildegard & Sacred Heart	
ROSARY: Before Mass on Sunday	
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Thursdays 4-9 PM	
CONFESSIONS: Sat (or by appt.) 3:30-4:30 PM	
UPCOMING EVENTS	
Altar Society Meeting	Aug 19, 7 PM

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

PARISH EVENTS/NEWS

AUGUST 10 OFFERINGS

Adult Offerings	\$	625.00
Loose Offerings	\$	131.00
Youth Offerings	\$	20.00
Online Offerings	\$	2335.00
Total	\$	3111.00

The Altar Society will meet this Tuesday,
August 19 at 7 pm in the education center.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Ministry	August 24	August 31
Sat. Lector	Wilma Dunford	Arlene Abraham
Sun. Lector	Megan Milbradt	Robert Richter
Altar Servers	Isaac Richter Dominic Richter	David Vetter Josh Vetter
Ushers/Greeters	Marlyn Richter Josey Milbradt	Aaron Vetter Paul Vetter
Gifts	Kraemer Family	Vetter Family
Eucharistic Ministers	Myron Rogstad	Sue Richter
Sacristan	Monique Kraemer	Sheila Scholl
Counter	Dawn Aberle (8/25)	Mike Heaton (9/3)

LITURGICAL MINISTERS: Please make sure that you have a sub if you are unable to fulfill your commitment.
AUGUST SERVICE TEAM: Dorothy Doppler (leader), Caroline Sabot, Georgene Willer, Kathryn Miskavige, and Ashley Vetter.

GAZA EMERGENCY RELIEF
COLLECTION AUG 23-24

Bishop Kagan has authorized a second collection the weekend of August 23-24, 2025, for emergency relief for all suffering in Gaza and the surrounding areas. The request was received from Archbishop Broglio , President of the USCCB. The Bismarck Diocese will forward the total collected to the Catholic Near East Welfare Association for distribution. This state of affairs is critical, and aid is urgently needed. Thank you in advance for your kind assistance.

FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION

Please complete one registration per family and return to Denise Richter, the parish office, or put in the collection basket. Class begins for new students (children age 3-Kindergarten) for Catechesis of the Good Shepherd on Wednesday, September 10 from 6:30-7:30 PM. All the other students will begin on Wednesday, September 17th at 6:30 until 7:30 PM.
*Please plan for one parent to attend the parent meeting that will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 17 at 6:30 PM.
We are still in need of 1 teacher's aide for Catechesis of the Good Shepherd; (high school students are welcome). Contact Denise Richter 202-9434 or dirichter@bektel.com, if you have any questions or would like to volunteer!



FALL DINNER
SEPTEMBER 7

Please sign up for the various workstations available. Sign-up sheets are in the church entry.

Details are listed below:

Food Items Needed - Homemade buns, baked goods, pies, cucumbers and tomatoes.
Sausage Prep- Sept 5 - Sausage making will be on Friday, Sept. 5 at 8:30 a.m. at Schweitzer Gourmet Meats.
If anyone is interested in donating beef livestock for sausage, please contact either Ron (701-220-0520) or Marlyn (701-220-6937).
Tent Setup- Sept 6 - Volunteers are needed for the tent setup on Saturday morning.
Fall Dinner Prep- Sept 6 -Fall dinner setup and food prep will be Saturday, Sept. 6 after 5 p.m. Mass.
Fall Dinner Serving – Sept 7 - 9:00 - First shift volunteers report to stations. 10:30-2:00 Dinner will be served, followed by Raffle drawing. (2:00-4:00 PM – clean-up; all hands on deck!!)
**Please turn in your raffle tickets (sold and unsold), to the parish office/collection basket.
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ST. GERARD CIRCLE

St. Gerard’s Circle will be making chokecherry jelly in the church basement on Saturday, August 23 beginning at 9:00 am. Ladies are welcome to come and help! Lunch will be served.

AREA EVENTS/NEWS

CHRISTIAN MUSIC FESTIVAL
AUGUST 24

All are welcome to the Gospel “PraiSing” Festival on Sunday August 24, from 11:30am-7:30 pm at the ND state capitol grounds. The festival will feature multiple bands throughout the day, along with special guest artist Sarah Hart. The event is free and open to the public; free-will donations will be accepted for Ministry on the Margins and Stepping Stones Ministries. Food Vendors will be available all day. In case of inclement weather, the event will be at the Bismarck Eagles, 313 N. 26th Street. Please join us for this beautiful event to praise God through music!

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE STARTING
SEPTEMBER 7

Beginning Experience, a non-denominational peer ministry, is offering the 10-week session called "Coping with Life Alone." This program is for those who struggle and need support after the loss of a love relationship by death, divorce, or separation. Sessions start Sunday, Sept. 7. Contact Elaine at 701-400-1941 (Bismarck area) or Cindy at 701-690-9003 (Dickinson contact) for more information. Brochures are available on request.

JUBILEE MASS – SEPTEMBER 17

This Jubilee Year is an opportunity to make pilgrimages or pious visits to designated holy places to give thanks to God, to strengthen the faith, and to make acts of reparation for our sins or the sins of others. It is also an opportunity to receive a plenary indulgence, made available in a special way during the Jubilee Year. For us in the Bismarck Diocese, you can obtain jubilee indulgence by making a pilgrimage to the Cathedral of the Holy Spirit in Bismarck. To read about the jubilee year, how to make a pilgrimage, and how to receive an indulgence, go to cathedralparish.com/jubilee-2025. The next Jubilee mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, September 17 at 5:30 PM. Please consider making a pilgrimage and attending this special Mass. Groups wanting to make a pilgrimage should contact Nicholas Quallich, Cathedral Liturgy & Ministry Coordinator, at 701-223-1033 or nquallich@cathedralparish.com.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

The Bismarck Diocese: is looking for a Coordinator of Priests’ Services. A licensed nurse with experience in eldercare is required. Competitive salary and generous benefits package provided. Go to www.bismarckdiocese.com or email Denise Jordan, djordan@bismarckdiocese.com.
Catholic Charities: is seeking a Senior Director of Strategic Engagement. To apply complete and submit our job application form, found at www.catholiccharitiesnd.org/employment. For any additional questions, call 701-289-2549.
Christian Adoption Services: is looking to hire an Administrative Assistant/ Receptionist to be based out of their Bismarck office. For full details of the position and information on how to apply, please visit <http://www.christianadoptionervices.org/employment.html>