Saint Maurice Catholic Church January 17, 2021 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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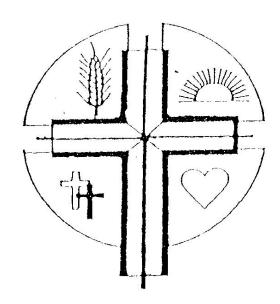
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Mass Schedule and Intentions		
Mon. January 18	No Mass	
Tue. January 19	8:00 a.m.	Parishioners
Wed. January 20	8:00 a.m.	Rochelle Betsch
Thur. January 21	8:00 a.m.	Families of Saint Maurice
Fri. January 22	8:00 a.m.	Audrey Casperson
Sat. January 23	5:00 p.m.	Parishioners
Sun. January 24	9:00 a.m.	Families of Saint Maurice

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday: 4:00 p.m.-4:45



We, the people of St. Maurice, are the people of God called to continue the work of salvation that Jesus began. Our purpose is to bring a deeper union with God through the announcing of the Gospel in word and action.

Please keep in your prayers:

For those who have the COVID-19 virus, our Government leaders, † Audrey Casperson, Embert Davis, Rochelle Betsch, Parish family, friends, those who are traveling, those with unspoken needs.



On January 10 we welcomed Walter Joseph Heil in Baptism. Walter is the son of Luke and Alyssa Heil. Deacon Neal Schloosser officiated the Baptism.

Please return your Raffle Tickets by January 31. They can be dropped in the collection basket, dropped off at the office or mail to the Church at P O Box 272, Kindred, ND, 58051

Ministry Schedule

January 24: Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Hospitality Ministers: Todd and Judy Hively Family

Lector: Judy Hively

Altar Servers: Grant Allison, Brody Mauch Money Counters: Charlie Lenz, Joe Berg

Schedule of Events

Jan. 17: Religion class grades 1-6

Jan. 20: Religion class grades 12

Jan. 22: Adoration 8:30 a.m.

Covered in Prayer 9:00 a.m.

Jan. 23 & 24: Caramel Roll Sale

Jan. 24: Religious Education grades 1-6

Jan. 27: Religious Education grades 7-12



Stewardship Moment

"Jesus turned and saw them following him and said to them, 'What are you looking for?" - JOHN 1:38

What are you looking for? Are you wasting your time looking for the material comforts of the world? Or, is your heart longing for something deeper that can only be found by spending time with God? Take time, each day, in silence and ask the Lord what it is that He wants you to do.

Dear Parishioners.

Dropped land line and went strictly cell phone? Have you had a change in your email address?

Please update your information with Bev in the office.



A Prayer for Masks

Father of Mercy,

You willed that all people should have life and have it abundantly. You call us to care for one another, putting the needs of our neighbors on par with our own.

Bless these face masks which we wear during this time of pandemic. May they protect us, and all those we encounter, from the threat of COVID –19.

May those who wear them never bring harm upon anyone, knowingly, by spreading this terrible disease.

Holy Spirit, grant us a peaceful heart. Teach us patience.

Help us turn to you in prayer when we are irritable or afraid, or when the journey seems to long for us.

May all our efforts to guard and protect one another in charity become a shining witness to the love of Jesus Christ, for he is Lord forever and ever. **Amen**

Stewardship January 10, 2021

Thank you for your generosity!

"You are Covered in Prayer" - Prayer Blanket Ministry

This ministry provides handmade prayer blankets to those who are sick or suffer-

ing during a difficult time in their life. The blankets made by Saint Maurice parishioners are prayed over and blessed. The group meets Friday mornings following

Mass and Benediction at 9:00 a.m. If you are interested in being a part of this

group of women contact Bev Lindsey or Mary Lenz for more information.



Sacrament of the Sick: You are encouraged to seek the Sacrament of the Sick if you are suffering from a serious illness or are going to be admitted to the hospital for surgery. Please contact the office if you would like to be anointed, or be added to our prayer corner.

HIPA rules do not allow hospitals to acknowledge if you are a patient. It is up to you or your family to contact us if you would a visit from Father Goodwin.

Sacrament for Baptism: Contact Father Goodwin for preparation class. This can be done prior to birth of the child. Check with the Parish office to schedule the Baptism.

Sacrament of Marriage: Contact Father Goodwin at least one year in advance.

St. Maurice's now offers automatic giving via an ACH transaction? This convenient form of giving is a safe and easy way to support our parish. The transaction is initiated at your bank, so all you need to do to take advantage of this service is to complete an ACH form, which can be found outside Bev's office. Additionally, if you have already signed up to give via ACH, but would like to change your monthly contribution, please update the same form. If you have any questions regarding completing the form, please feel free to contact Len Splichal or Miranda Muscha. Once complete, the ACH form can be turned in to Len, Miranda, or Bev. As a reminder, it is important to keep your bank information confidential and, therefore, please make sure to place your form in a sealed envelope.

Outside Our Parish

Is Jesus calling you to be His Own? Miryam Dinner

Bishop Folda and Fr. Kyle Metzger, the director of vocations, invite women ages 16-30 who are open to religious life to join them for an evening of prayer, dinner, and fellowship on January 21, 2021, at 5:30 p.m. at Bishop Folda's home. They will be joined by consecrated religious women sharing their own vocation stories of discernment. It is typical for women to be accompanied by their pastor, a consecrated religious, or a friend. For more information or to reserve your place, contact vocations@fargodiocese.org or (701) 356-7957.





6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Adoration & Confessions

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Talk with short discussion

St. Anthony of Padua 710 10th St S Fargo, ND All area churches are invited!

Grab a Friend!

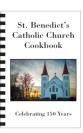
St. Benedict's Anniversary Cookbooks

More than 300 recipes submitted from the parishioners of St. Benedict's to commemorate our 150 years!

These \$15 Cookbooks are available for purchase after Masses or at the parish office (during business hours). Get your cherished copy today!

We wish to thank all those who contributed recipes to this cookbook. We

also extend a special thank you to our Evan-gelization Committee for their hard work and dedication to this treasured keepsake for all of us! Church office: 588-4288



Women's Conference 2021

The REDEEMED Women's Conference has been rescheduled for February 19-20, 2021, at the Delta Hotel in Fargo.

Featured speakers will include Dr. Helen Alvaré, Dr. James Link, Marcie Stockman (foundress of Well Read Mom), and Andrea Thomas of the Vigil Project. The event will also include performances and worship led by the Vigil Project. This conference will be available to attend both in person as well as via livestream. For more information and to register, visit:

fargodiocese.org/redeemedwomen



Day of Prayer and Penance for Unborn Children

A Prayer Service for Forgiveness and Healing will be offered Jan. 22 at 7 pm at the Cathedral of St. Mary, Fargo. The prayer service is being held in observation of the liturgical Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children, marking the 48th anniversary of legalization of abortion in our nation. In addition to this time of prayer, the faithful are encouraged to do some form of fasting or self-denial for the healing of our nation from the effects of abortion on families or culture, and society.

Hard Sayings: How to Answer Bible Difficulties: Does Genesis contradict biology? How do we know the Bible is historically reliable? What about the "immoral" Bible verses atheists love to bring up? Trent Horn, an apologist from Catholic Answers, will be presenting Hard Sayings: How to Answer Bible Difficulties to provide sound principles for understanding Scripture the next you encounter a Bible difficulty. The presentation will be at 7:00pm on January 26 at Sts. Anne and Joachim Catholic Church, Fargo. The event is free and no prior registration is required.

On Friday, January 29, Catholic Answers apologist Trent Horn will be delivering keynote presentations for the annual Natural Family Planning Continuing Education Day. In these presentations, he will teach how to persuasively draw in those skeptical of the Catholic position on various issues through asking the right questions. Trent will also be speaking on how to get the conversation about marriage right, particularly with regard to hot-button issues such as transgenderism, same-sex unions, divorce, etc. The day will also feature Mass and a presentation by Bishop Folda. This event will take place at Sts. Anne and Joachim Church in Fargo and will run from 9 am to 3:30 pm. The cost is \$25; lunch is included. Visit www.fargodiocese.org/nfp-ced to reserve your spot by Monday, January 25.

Hospice of the Red River Valley is offering several different virtual Grief Classes. These classes are intended for all who experience a loss. All programs are free and open to the public, but registration is required prior to each class date. Please call 800-237-4629 and ask to speak to a member of the grief support department.

Job Opportunities

Assistant Cook – Shanley High School/Sullivan Middle School (.88 FTE): Candidate must be able to assist the head cook in all areas of the school hot lunch program including breakfast. The Assistant Cook is also responsible in maintaining the salad bar and ala carte items. Other duties are outlined in the job description. Hours are 6:30am – 2:30pm. Deadline for applying: Open Until Filled. Submit cover letter, resume, completed general application and three letters of recommendation.

Resource Teacher – JPII Elementary/Middle School (Full or Part-Time): Candidate must be qualified to teach Elementary students (grades K- 8). Candidate will serve as coordinator for the Student Resource Team & Response to Intervention. Candidate must have knowledge of curriculum development and be able to effectively communicate with students, staff and parents. The need is for someone with a passion for Catholic education and strengths in literacy and math instruction. Candidates must hold or be able to obtain current ND Educator's Professional License. Deadline for applying: Open Until Filled. Submit cover letter, resume, completed certified application, three letters of recommendation and transcripts.

Application materials can be sent to Human Resources, JPII Catholic Schools, 5600 25th Street South, Fargo, ND 58104 or email to human.Resources@jp2schools.org.

Para-Professional – Trinity School Library (PT): Looking for para-professional to assist in the Trinity Library. Candidate will work under the direction of the Library Media Specialist to provide support and help create a positive learning and socialization environment for the students to grow. The position is 10 hours per week. Deadline for applying: Open Until Filled. Submit cover letter, resume, general application and three letters of recommendation to Human.Resources@jp2schools.org.