



Saint Maurice Catholic Church

July 19, 2026

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

At Emmaus, the disciples recognized Jesus when they shared a meal with him. Today, we recognize Jesus in the Eucharistic Meal.

Parish Mission Statement: *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.*

Saint Maurice Catholic Church - 5313 165 Ave SE Kindred ND 58051

Office 701-428-3094 - Emergency Phone Number: 701-640-5638

Saint Maurice Information

Monday - No Mass

Tuesday - Mass at 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday - Mass at 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday - 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m.

Thursday - Mass at 8:30 a.m.

Friday - Mass at 8:30 a.m.

Friday - 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m.

Saturday - Reconciliation at 4:00 p.m.

Saturday - Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday - Mass at 9:00 a.m. Rosary 8:30 a.m.

Pastor: Reverend James Goodwin -
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Business Manager/Accountant: Len Splichal
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DRE: Jena Bjertness
stmauricedre@gmail.com

Parish Council:

Lay Directors:

Miranda Muscha and Mike Bjertness

Council Member: Luke Heil, Emily Hahn,
Joe Johnson, Tim Curran

Mass Intentions

Monday July 20 - No Mass

Tuesday July 21 - + Gerald Quam

Wednesday July 22 - 8:30 a.m. - St. Maurice Parishioners Past & Present

Thursday July 23- 8:30 a.m. - + Marthanna Gilbert

Friday July 24 - 8:30 a.m. - + Susan Bumgart

Saturday July 25 - 5:00 p.m. - Parishioners

Sunday July 26 - 9:00 a.m. - Felix Johnson

*The rosary is recited
Sunday mornings
at 8:30 a.m.*



Liturgical Ministry Schedule

July 26th - Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Hospitality: Todd and Judy Hively Family

Lector: Angie Allision

EOMHC: Judy Hively and Volunteers

Altar Servers: Luke Allison and Volunteers

Money Counters: Judy Hively and Len Splichal

Prayer Intentions - Please Pray for the following individuals

Julie Stoffel, Anne Curran, Polly Roe, Lizzy Johnson, Elaine Vangsness, Joe Berg Family, Yoselin LeBaron-family, Don Moffet, Ryan Cory, Douglas Hadland. If you or a loved one are hospitalized or homebound or would like to have a family member included in the prayers for the sick, call the parish office at 701-428-3094.

Birthday Wishes

Happy Birthday to all parishioners with a July birthday. Julie S., Joni K., Matthew E., Sheila W., Jenna D., Kristen G., Stephanie L., Spencer S., Sara L., Brooks K., Stephanie K., David J., Felix J., Isaiah J., Wil P., Henry P., Dana D., Michael M., Lena S., Sawyer M.

Living our Faith Diocesan Campaign update
Goal \$83,990. Pledged or received to date \$78,761.20 from 24 families. Thank you!

Pope Leo's pray intention for July: For respect for human life Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognizing it as a gift from God.

Stewardship

July 12, 2026

Adult Envelopes: \$4,310.00

Cash Plate: \$54.00

Building Fund: \$50.00

Rectory Loan Balance: \$28,908.87

Thank you for your support!!

Religious Education Teachers Needed:

Is God calling you to help our students grow in their faith? We are in need of a 5th/6th grade Religious Education teacher this fall. If interested, please talk to Jena.

We will also need help with Children's Liturgy.

New Member Welcome:

Welcome to Talon and Brittney Peters & Family

Reconciliation is every Saturday at 4:00 to 4:45 p.m.

Interested in becoming Catholic? Talk to Father Goodwin to see what this entails.

Welcome to St. Maurice Catholic Church!

We would love to meet you and welcome you into our parish family. Registration forms are available in the church office and on the table under the tv in the vestibule. Those of you who are MEMBERS - Please let us know if you have a change of address, new phone number, or are moving. Thank you!

Feast Day for July 20th through July 25th

July 20th is the feast day of St. Apollinaris Bishop and Martyr St. Apollinaris is recognized as the first bishop of Ravenna, Italy. He is believed to have been martyred in the 1st century AD for his Christian faith. His feast day is celebrated on July 20 in the Catholic Church. St. Apollinaris is often depicted in art with a bishop's attire and a palm branch, symbolizing martyrdom. He is considered the patron saint of Ravenna and is invoked for protection against storms. His relics are housed in the Basilica of Sant'Apollinare in Classe, a significant pilgrimage site.

July 21 is the feast day of St Lawrence of Brindisi Priest and Doctor of the Church Born in 1559 in Brindisi, Italy, he was a Capuchin Franciscan priest and theologian. Known for his exceptional preaching skills and deep knowledge of Scripture. Played a significant role in the Counter-Reformation, defending the Catholic faith against Protestantism. Served as a diplomat and peacemaker, notably in negotiations with various European powers. Canonized by Pope Benedict XIV in 1881 and declared a Doctor of the Church in 1959. His feast day is celebrated on July 21, honoring his contributions to the Church and his commitment to faith.

July 22 is the feast day of St. Mary Magdalene Recognized as a devoted follower of Jesus Christ and one of His closest disciples. Present at the crucifixion, demonstrating her unwavering loyalty. First to witness the resurrected Christ, making her the "Apostle to the Apostles." Symbolizes repentance and redemption, having been delivered from seven demons. Celebrated on July 22nd, highlighting her importance in the liturgical calendar. Represents the role of women in the early Church and their contributions to the faith.

July 23 is the feast day of St. Bridget Religious St. Bridget of Sweden is known for her mystical visions and deep spirituality. She founded the Bridgettine Order, promoting a life of prayer and community. Her writings, particularly the "Revelations," emphasize the importance of repentance and divine love. St. Bridget is recognized as a patron saint of Europe and widows. She was canonized in 1391, highlighting her impact on the Church. Her feast day is celebrated on July 23, honoring her contributions to faith and devotion.

July 24 is the feast day of St. Sharbel Makhluf Born in 1828 in Lebanon, St. Sharbel was a Maronite monk and priest. He dedicated his life to prayer, asceticism, and solitude in the Monastery of St. Maron. Known for his deep spirituality, he performed many miracles during his lifetime. St. Sharbel passed away in 1898, and his body remains incorrupt, attracting many pilgrims. Canonized by Pope Paul VI in 1977, he is recognized as a saint in the Catholic Church. His feast day is celebrated on July 24, honoring his contributions to faith and spirituality.

July 25 is the feast day of St. James the Apostle First Century—c. 44. Patron Saint of blacksmiths, druggists, equestrians, hatmakers, laborers, pilgrims, knights, soldiers, tanners, veterinarians, and several countries and cities, including Santiago de Compostela, Spain. James the Greater, whom we honor today, was the brother of John, the Gospel writer.

Bishop's 20 Annual Charity Golf Classic Monday, August 3 Rose Creek Golf Course, Fargo ND Bishop John Folda invites you to Putt 4 a Purpose, at the 20 annual Bishop's Charity Golf Classic, benefiting seminarian education and youth programs. Join the fun and fellowship by heading to Rose Creek Golf Course in south Fargo on Monday, August 3 for a round of golf, dinner and prizes. Register three golfers and bring your priest, deacon or seminarian as your 4 player for free! Register online at www.fargodiocese.org/puttpurpose Registration begins: 10:00 a.m. Shotgun Start: 11:30 a.m. Social & Banquet: approx. 4:30 p.m. at Rose Creek Event Center

Rachel Vineyard Retreat: Hope and Healing. Have you, or someone you know, suffered from the physical, emotional, or spiritual effects of a past abortion? Rachel's Vineyard offers a safe, nonjudgmental and confidential weekend retreat for anyone – including women, men, couples, grandparents or siblings - who struggle with the feelings of loss or guilt that can accompany an abortion experience. The weekend begins on Friday evening and concludes on Sunday afternoon. The next two Rachel's Vineyard Retreats in the Diocese of Fargo is November 6-8, 2026. For more information, contact, Sherry at 701-520-1229 or Tim at 701-799-2051

PT Respect Life Director

The Diocese of Fargo is currently accepting applicants for a PT Respect Life Director. The successful candidate will develop a vision and strategy to assist our Bishop in fostering and teaching the culture of life by providing leadership in educational activities, pastoral care, and prayer. Candidate must be a faithful and practicing Catholic with an understanding of correct doctrine and integrity of life, have strong communication skills, computer skills, and a professional social media presence. A background in Catholic health care bioethics is preferred. Email cover letter, resume, and three references to Barbara.Augdahl@fargodiocese.org. Applicant information will be accepted until Friday, August 14, 2026.

FT Properties Manager The Diocese of Fargo is accepting applications for a FT Properties Manager. This position serves as Diocesan contact for all repair, renovation and construction projects, manages property insurance claims and risk management, facilitates purchases and sale of properties and furnishings, oversees maintenance of Diocesan properties, maintains files and records, and more. The successful candidate will have a bachelor's degree in business or related field, 5+ years of engineering/construction field experience, knowledge of building codes, strong verbal and written communication skills, and an appreciation for the mission of the Catholic Church. To apply email cover letter, resume, and three references to Barbara.augdahl@fargodiocese.org before Monday, August 17, 2026.

JPII Catholic Schools is currently seeking qualified candidates for the following positions.

To apply visit <https://www.jp2schools.org/careers/> or call 701-893-3231 for more information.

- Administrative Assistant – Sacred Heart Middle Schools
- After School workers – Elementary Schools
- Hot Lunch Assistant Cook– Trinity Elementary
- Little Deacons Substitutes – Holy Spirit Elementary School
- Substitute Teachers
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Executive Administrative Assistant – President's Office (1.0 FTE)

This position provides a wide variety of complex and confidential administrative support. Responsibilities include acting as a liaison for administrators with JPII Schools, staff, families, and the Board of Directors. The ideal candidate will demonstrate professionalism, discretion, and strong organizational skills. *Application Deadline: Open Until Filled*