

OUTSIDE THE PARISH CONT'D

Court St. Ann #261 of the Catholic Daughters of the Americas will meet Tuesday, October 14 at St. Anthony's beginning with the Mass at 5:15pm, meal to follow, and meeting at 6:30pm. Members are invited to bring non-perishable food item donations. If interested in CDA, please join us at our meeting. Any questions, please send an email to regentctstann@gmail.com.

Day of Reflection, October 18—This month's theme, as we continue our Franciscan Spiritual Pilgrimage, will be "The Leper Hospital." The event lasts from 10am to 3pm, both in-person and online. Register online at forms.office.com/r/qvVtezHnt9 or contact Sr. Mary Ruth with questions at smaryruth@sfcetreats.org / 701-242-7195.

Undone Women's Retreat, Nov. 20-22—Ladies, do you sometimes feel weighed down by the burdens of life? Do you desire to feel the love of God the Father in a new way and experience the full-flowering of your feminine genius? Jesus declared, "I have come that they might have life and have it to the full." (John 10:10) He wants to bring liberation and fullness to your life, firmly planting you in the conviction that not only are you good, you're His. Blending teaching, prayer, and experiences deeper than words, the Undone Women's Retreat has powerfully enabled thousands of women to be soaked in and transformed by this life-changing truth. Will you be next?

The retreat can be attended in-person at Sts. Anne and Joachim Church in Fargo, via livestream, or even a hybrid of the two. Check out the details and reserve your spot today by visiting fargodiocese.org/undone. You will not regret it.

Local Mass Time Changes: **Nativity Church** now offers daily Mass at 8:30am, M-Sat. The Saturday anticipatory Mass time has been changed to 4pm. Beginning Nov. 3, there will also be confessions heard M-Sat. from 7:45-8:15am. **St. Anthony's** will have their last Sunday, 7:30pm Mass on October 26. With all the evening Masses in the area now (Holy

Cross, St. Joseph's, Sts. Anne and Joachim) and the addition of their 6:15pm Sunday Vietnamese Mass, it was decided to end the 7:30pm Mass time on Sundays.

JOB POSTINGS

There are many open positions in the JPII Catholic School System. For more information, a listing of positions, or to apply visit jp2schools.org/careers/ or call 701-893-3231.

FT Property Manager—Sts. Anne and Joachim Catholic Church. Key responsibilities include custodial care, facility setup and teardown for parish events, routine and preventive maintenance of mechanical and electrical systems, and coordination with contractors, vendors, and volunteers. The ideal candidate is organized, skilled in facilities maintenance, and able to balance hands-on work with coordination of outside services and volunteers. Experience in custodial or maintenance work, knowledge of building systems, and strong communication skills are required. To apply, please submit a cover letter, resume, and references to luke.meyer@fargodiocese.org.

FT Communications Assistant/Assistant Editor—The Diocese of Fargo is seeking a Communications Assistant/Assistant Editor to provide professional support for the diocesan magazine and other communications. This person writes, edits, proofs, and designs layout for New Earth as well as managing advertising, website, and social media. Responsibilities include afternoon receptionist three afternoons a week. A Bachelor's degree in Communications, a related field or sufficient experience is required. To apply email cover letter, resume and three references to Barbara.augdahl@fargodiocese.org.

St. Joseph's Parish, Moorhead, MN is seeking a FT Controller to manage financial operations for multiple entities within the St. Joseph's Parish Community. Responsibilities include preparation of financial statements, budgets and payroll, and oversight of a support position. Qualifications: Bachelor's degree in accounting or related field, proven experience in accounting, preferably with nonprofit or

parish/school settings, strong knowledge of accounting principles, payroll systems (ADP), and financial reporting, proficiency in accounting software and Microsoft Office Suite, high level of integrity, confidentiality, and attention to detail, and ability to collaborate with clergy, staff, and volunteers. Interested candidates should submit a cover letter and résumé to: Deacon Mark Krejci (mkrejci@stjoesmhd.com).

PT Formation Assistant for the Office of Youth Discipleship—This position will work closely with the Director to provide retreats and youth events, support ongoing training opportunities for church workers working with youth, recruit and train Cor Christi Missionary Teams, and assist with diocesan young adult functions. 15-20 hours per week; work hours will depend on events. Experience working with parish youth and strong communication skills a plus. To apply, email cover letter, resume and three references to Barbara.augdahl@fargodiocese.org

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE ADORATION CHAPEL AT ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL

Please consider giving an hour of your time in adoration. Call Cindy Petrich (701-552-1675) or Jacinta Splonskowski (701-388-3948) for more information. **247adore.com**. *Starred times are the most important shifts to fill.*
OPEN HOURS:
Sunday—5-6am, *10-11am.
Monday—4-5am.
Tuesday—8-9am.
Wednesday—*12mid-1am, 11-12noon.
Thursday—
Friday—3-4am, 4-5am, *1-2pm, *2-3pm, *3-4pm, 5-6pm.
Saturday—10-11am, *3-4pm, *11-12noon.
2ND ADORER:
Sunday- *12mid-1am, *5-6am, 10-11am, 1-2pm, *5-6pm, *10-11pm.
Monday—12-1am, 1-2am, *3-4am, 6-7am, 7-8am, *4-5pm, 8-9pm, 11-12mid.
Tuesday— 4-5am, 8-9am, 11pm-12mid.
Wednesday— *2-3am, 3-4am, 8-9am, *11-12noon, 1-2pm.
Thursday— 3-4am, 5-6am, 6-7am, 10-11am.
Friday— 3-4am, 9-10am, 11am-12noon, *1-2pm, *2-3pm, *4-5pm, 10-11pm, *11-12mid.
Saturday— 3-4am, 10-11am, 12-1pm, *2-3pm, 6-7pm, 7-8pm.



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OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE ADORATION CHAPEL

Perpetual adoration of Our Lord in the Eucharist. Access the chapel from 7th St. N. Call 701-552-1675 or 701-388-3948 to commit to a holy hour. 247adore.com

PARISH GROUPS

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Josh | grandknight@stmarysknights.org
ALTAR SOCIETY: Tiffany | altarsocietystmarys@gmail.com
CONFRATERNITY OF CHRISTIAN MOTHERS: McKenzie
LUX VERBI/EXODUS 90: Andrzej | 701-793-8726
PARISH PRAYER CHAIN: If you're in need of prayers | 701-219-5620
MARY MARTHAS GIRLS' GROUP: Tamara | 701-866-5195
KNIGHTS OF THE ALTAR: Tom | dobrzynski12@gmail.com
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ANGEL CHOIR: Sarah | 701-866-5726
MCMERTY FOOD PANTRY—2nd, 4th, 5th Saturdays 12-4pm. Greg | 701-630-0840
PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS: April Cottrell, Charles Bakken, Regina Reineke, Dorian Walker, Loren Loh
FINANCE COUNCIL: Lay Directors—Brad Starry and Brad Bisek; Members—John Herlick and Joseph Szmerekovsky

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday: 7:00am & 12:10pm
 Saturday: 8am (chapel) & 5pm (Anticipatory)
 Sunday: 8am (incense free), 10am, 12pm

RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday: 6:30am-6:50am, 11am-12pm
 Saturday: 3pm-4:45pm

TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS

12:00pm Sundays at the Shanley chapel, 5600 25th St. S, Fargo

DEVOTIONS

Tuesday 12:40pm—Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena

Bulletin announcements due by 9am on Wednesday to emmaline@cathedralofstmary.com

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

BAPTISM | Please contact the parish office at 701-235-4289 to meet with a priest.

RECONCILIATION, HOLY COMMUNION, & CONFIRMATION | In our Diocese, First Reconciliation is received in 2nd grade and First Holy Communion and Confirmation are received in 3rd grade. Contact the parish office for more information.

MATRIMONY | The Cathedral must be contacted 6 months prior to the wedding. Please email Emmaline.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS | If you are interested in joining the Catholic Church, please contact Mary Hanbury at 701-356-7909.

HOLY ORDERS | Contact the diocesan vocations director at vocations@fargodiocese.org.

OFFERTORY GIFTS

Offering: \$ 3,390.58
 Plate: \$ 1,773.35
 Online: \$ 2,733.00
 Diocesan Subsidy: \$ 2,885.00
Music Subsidy: \$ 480.77
 Total: \$11,262.71
 Expenses: \$15,595.00

Give online to the Cathedral:



CHARITY FUND - Each month, \$800 of charity fund donations support Churches United for the Homeless, the Emergency Food Pantry, the Salvation Army's hot lunch program, and the New Life Center, and \$500 supports Catholic Charities of North Dakota. The charity fund also supports our food pantry. **September's outgoing charity donations: \$1,848.43.**

Our McMerty Food Pantry is open the 2nd, 4th & 5th Saturdays from 12noon-4pm. Donations of food or cash can be brought to the parish office. Thank you!

RITEs

BAPTISM~ We welcome those newly baptized. Please pray for them as they continue to grow in Christ.

MARRIAGES & BANNS~ Please join us in praying for all newly married couples & those preparing for the sacrament of Matrimony.

DEATHS~ Please remember in your prayers those of our parish who are deceased. *Lowell Siebels—January 24, Charlotte Baumgardner—February 7, Joan Rheault—February 16, Dorothy Huck—February 21, James Rene—March 23, Fr. Duaine Cote—June 9, Franklin "Treacy" Gibbens—August 17, Petronella Shirk—August 21.*

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS~ Please join us in praying for all our ill parishioners, including: *Michael Pandan.* (To request to a name to be put in the bulletin, contact the parish office.)

PRAY FOR PRIESTS~ Join us the 3rd Thursday for an hour of prayer for our priests at 12:45pm, after noon Mass.

PARISH PRAYER CHAIN~ If you or someone you know is in need of prayers, please call 701-219-5620.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 13, 2025
 7:00am †Gerald Rivard
 12:10pm Bishop & Priests of Fargo Diocese
 6:00pm *(Mass for the Fatima Statue Visit)*
Tuesday, October 14, 2025
 7:00am †Helen & †Isidore Daskoski
 12:10pm Judy Joeb
Wednesday, October 15, 2025
 7:00am Marsha Schmidt
 12:10pm †Stephen Palmer
Thursday, October 16, 2025
 7:00am †Kenny Alokolaro
 12:10pm Pat Palmer
Friday, October 17, 2025
 7:00am †Sr. Adriana Daskoski
 12:10pm Mr. & Mrs. Brennan
Saturday, October 18, 2025
 8:00am †Anne Evinger
 5:00pm Mary C. Schoener
Sunday, October 19, 2025
 8:00am Steven & Marsha Schmidt
 10:00am St. Mary's Parishioners
 12:00pm Annie Schweitzer
 12pm Latin †Rita Yaggie

Please contact the parish office to schedule a Mass intention. They need to be brief, no more than a few words and not multiple names, please. Otherwise, you may request a private Mass. Thank you!

NEW MEMBER REGISTRATION

If you are interested in becoming a registered member of the Cathedral, please see a priest after a Sunday Mass.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

S: 2 Kgs 5:14-17; Ps 98; 2 Tim 2:8-13; Luke 17:11-19
 M: Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98; Luke 11:29-32
 T: Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19; Luke 11:37-41
 W: Rom 2:1-11; Ps 62; Luke 11:42-46
 T: Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130; Luke 11:47-54
 F: Rom 4:1-8; Ps 32; Luke 12:1-7
 S: 2 Tim 4:10-17; Ps 145; Luke 10:1-9

"Stir into flame the gift of God that is within you" - Time & Talent Weekend 2025! Thank you to everyone who has responded—God will bless your gifts! If you haven't returned your form yet, please drop it into the collection basket or stop by the parish office.

PARISH NEWS

Annual Lay Minister Trainings—Are you a sacristan, lector, usher, or extraordinary minister of Holy Communion? Are you interested in serving in any of these roles? It is expected that all returning and new liturgical lay ministers attend one of the two annual training sessions, **this Tuesday, October 14, at 6:30pm, or this Saturday, October 18, at 9am.** Both will be held in the main church. If you are unable to attend, please let the parish office or your ministry leader know. Thank you for your service!

The International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima, Tour of Peace in the Diocese of Fargo.

The statue will be visiting the Cathedral **October 12-13.** Schedule for Sun.-Mon.:
 • Talk by statue custodian, 5pm
 • Vespers, 5:30pm
 • All-Night Vigil of Gratitude, 6pm-6am
 • Closing Mass with Bishop, 6pm
 (Hosted by the World Apostolate of Fatima and the Blue Army, Fargo division.)

Join us on Saturday, October 18 from 6-8pm in the Cathedral basement for a "Cathedral Ceiling Town Hall"! Msgr. Goering will provide a comprehensive update on the Cathedral ceiling and artwork project, with a "sneak peek" of what the finished interior will look like, as well as fellowship and Q&A! Light refreshments will be served and childcare will be provided.



Guess Who's Coming to Dinner, Saturday, Nov. 8. A fun way to get to know your parish family! Small groups will meet in parishioner homes from 6:30-8:30pm for a delicious meal and good, uplifting Catholic fellowship. The groups, destination, and dinner guests are always a surprise! Open to all adults (21+yrs). (Please note: you need to be a registered parishioner of St. Mary's Cathedral in order to participate.) **Please RSVP by Oct. 26,** using the forms in the church entrance, or on the parish website (cathedralofstmary.com/guess-who)

PARISH NEWS CONTINUED

Our new adult education series, Foundations in Faith: A Journey Through the Catechism of the Catholic Church, has begun! This engaging, 20-session series was filmed across 40 locations, spanning 4 continents and 10 countries, showing you the beauty of the universal Church and helping you apply it to your everyday life. Class is held every week, **on Wednesdays during the children's religious education time. You may also join online via Zoom.** Participants watch the dynamic video presentations, with time following for lively group discussion and fellowship.

Practices begin this month for the Young Women's Choir. All ladies ages 16-39 are welcome to join! Rehearsals are every other Thursday, and include a potluck meal. Contact Rachel Bakken if interested: rachelbakken2000@gmail.com.

The National 40 Days for Life campaign continues until Nov. 2 at the Red River Women's Clinic in Moorhead (302 Highway 75 N). You are called to be part of this important prayer effort, taking place from 7am-7pm daily, to bring an end to abortion across our nation and world. **Persons can sign up for an hour of prayer** on-line at 40daysfor-life.com/moorhead or by contacting Bonnie Spies, 701-241-9574, e-mail: Bonnie.Spies@plan.org

Drivers Needed for the Homebound Bus—The bus-driving team that brings the homebound to 10am Mass on Sundays is looking to add members, with the goal of driving ~1 Sunday/month. If you are willing to consider serving your brothers and sisters in this way, please contact Steve at steve.splonskowski@fargodiocese.org for more information.

RECURRING EVENTS

No Lux Verbi Oct. 13.

Lux Verbi is starting a new book! Mondays, 7-9 pm | St. John Paul II Room, Wanzek Building. Everyone welcome!

We are beginning a new book: **Philosophy 101 by Socrates: An Introduction to Philosophy via Plato's Apology** by Peter Kreeft. In this lively guide, Kreeft brings Socrates' trial to life, showing how questions of truth, justice, and the "examined life" remain just as relevant today. It's the perfect time to join—no prior reading or homework needed, just bring your thoughts, questions, and curiosity! **About Lux Verbi:** "Lux Verbi" means "Light of the Word" and reflects our belief that the books we read are illuminated by the Holy Spirit. Our discussions go beyond reading, exploring deeper spiritual insights. Refreshments provided! Contact Andrzej at 701-793-8726 for details.

Knights of Columbus meetings are held the 2nd Monday of the month at 7pm on the 3rd floor of the Wanzek building. Rosary beforehand, in the main church at 6:30pm. Open to all men of the parish.

Confraternity of Christian Mothers (CCM) meets the first Tuesday of every month, beginning with adoration and confession, followed by a meeting and fellowship. All women age 16 and up are invited to attend! Contact the parish office with any questions, and scan the code to join the Signal group.



The Cathedral Choir meets every Wednesday evening at 5:30pm in the choir loft. All adults interested in singing are welcome to come! Dr. Jay Hershberger, director: jay@cathedralofstmary.com.

The Angel Choir is open to youth, and meets for practice before RE classes, at 5:30pm, Wanzek 3rd floor. Sarah Wiegrefe, director: 701-866-5726.

OUTSIDE THE PARISH

Young Adults: Hour of Mercy with Bishop Cozzens and Bishop Folda, October 15, 7pm, at St. Joseph Church in Moorhead. Adoration and Eucharistic Healing. More info about young adult events can be found at fm-cya.com.

9th Annual Fargo Diocese Parish Musicians Workshop: "Salvation

MIRACLES OF THE EUCHARIST

Eucharistic Miracle of Fiecht Austria | 1310 AD

"The little village of St. Georgenberg-Fiecht, in the Inn Valley, is very well known, especially for a Eucharistic miracle that took place there in 1310. During the Mass, the priest was seized with temptations regarding the Real Presence of Jesus in the consecrated elements. Right after the consecration, the wine changed into blood and began to boil and overflow the chalice. In 1480, after 170 years, the sacred blood was "still fresh as if it had come out of a wound," [as] the chronicler of those days [wrote]. It is preserved intact to this day and is contained in the reliquary in the Monastery of St. Georgenberg."

Look for the full history on the bulletin board and the parish website.

through Song: Meeting the Mystery of God in Music." October 24-25, at St. Paul's Newman Center, Fargo. Keynote Speaker: Christopher Carstens. This workshop includes time for prayer and Mass, music rehearsal, singing in choir for Mass, and breakout sessions. For more information and to **register by October 17,** go to fargodiocese.org/sacredmusic. \$50 registration includes food and materials. Students are free.

LAY MINISTRY October 18-19, 2025

Lector/Servers	Sacristan	Ushers
<u>Saturday 5pm</u> Jim F.	Jim F.	Cindy P. Terry P.
<u>Sunday 8am</u> Diane D.	Marsha S.	Kevin K. Jackie H. Wanda H.
<u>Sunday 10am</u> Claire S.	Rachelle S.	Judy J. Magdalena G. Brigitta G. Leo S.
Leo E., Dimitri & Dante G., Donavin & Josh D.		
<u>Sunday 12pm</u> Judy W.	Jill H.	The Grimestad family
Gabriel E.		