

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE:

- Campaign Goal: \$500,000.00
- Total Amount Committed/Pledged: \$506,491.04 (includes \$45,717.37 from grant below)
- Actual Amount Paid: \$502,991.04
- Campaign Funds Used To-Date: Approximately \$276,250.00 (includes in-kind donations)

Because of additional funds received, we were able to apply for more funds from the Hommerding Grant from Catholic Development at the diocese. To date, we have received \$45,717.37 from the Hommerding Grant (10% free money from our actual donations). Thank you to those who have donated and who are still contributing to our campaign.

CONGRATULATIONS: God is ever Faithful – The presence of faithful and committed couples is a gift that helps us remember God's faithfulness more clearly. Those celebrating 25th or 50th plus Wedding Anniversaries will be highlighted in our bulletins each month. The names will appear on the first Sunday of the month.

- **Terry & Mary Otto – 52 years on August 21**
- **Robert & Peggy Clifton – 51 years on August 26**

NOTICE - For all parents & students who are/will be attending the **University of North Dakota. St. Thomas Aquinas Newman Center at UND** invites all students, parents and families to come and worship with us at the Newman Center during Welcome Weekend and Move-In. Move-In takes place on August 19th from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm. Mass schedule at the Newman Center for that weekend is; Saturday August 19th @ 4:30 pm, Sunday August 20th @ 10:00 am and 7:00 pm. There will be coffee & donuts after the 10:00 am Mass and Root beer floats served following the 7:00 pm Mass on Sunday. We invite all students to come and register that weekend and become involved at the Newman Center. We look forward to seeing you on campus!"

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT: "...then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.'" - MATTHEW 17:5 When Peter, James and John heard this they immediately fell prostrate to the ground and they "were very much afraid." We, too, may respond the same way when we hear God's voice. How many times do you become fearful when invited to participate more fully in the life of the Church? Or, when someone says something negative about the Church, are you afraid to respond? Remember, we too, are beloved sons and daughters of God; Jesus is there to help us, but we need to listen.

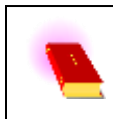
HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST:

- **For World Youth Day:** We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

LIVE IN THE WORD OF GOD

Readings for the Week of August 7-13

Monday: Numbers 11:4-15 & Matthew 14:31-21
Tuesday: Numbers 12:1-13 & Matthew 14:22-36 or 15:1-2, 10-14
Wednesday: Numbers 13:1-2, 25-14:1, 26-29, 34-35 & Matthew 15:21-28
Thursday: 2 Corinthians 9:6-10 & John 12:24-26
Friday: Deuteronomy 4:32-40 & Matthew 16:24-28
Saturday: Deuteronomy 6:4-13 & Matthew 17:14-20
Sunday: 1 Kings 19:9, 11-13; Romans 9:1-5 & Matthew 14:22-33



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The Transfiguration of the Lord - August 6, 2023

NEXT SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE (8/12-13):

Sat. Eve.: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am
Sunday: **(Sykeston)** 11:00 am

PENANCE SCHEDULE:

Sat. Eve.: 4:00-4:45 pm
or by appointment
Please call Fr. Dodge

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR MONDAY, AUG. 7 – SUNDAY, AUG. 13:

ROSARY: Weekday: Joanne Stokes.

MASS SERVERS: Weekday: Hadley Volk; Sat. Eve.: Brayden Odstrcil; Sunday: Aniston Hoornaert, Edyn Hoornaert, Tristan Schroeder.

LECTORS: Weekday: Joanne Stokes; Sat. Eve.: Tom Paintner; Sunday: Greg Endres.

GREETERS: Sat. Eve.: Laurie Aljets & Jane Sauby; Sunday: Jackie Simons & Joanne Stokes.

GIFT BEARERS: Sat. Eve.: Laurie Aljets & Jane Sauby; Sunday: Greg & Jody Endres.

USHERS: Sat. Eve.: Dave Mahutga & Jason Jarrett; Sunday: Chad Hoornaert & Dennis Haugen.

PRAYER CHAIN: *If you have a special prayer need in your family, please call Gemma Bachmeier (652-2129) or Renee Riedesel (652-5295) to start our parish prayer chain.*

POLICY FOR BAPTISM: For all those parents desiring Baptism for their child, they must first attend a Baptism class. Our next class is **Thursday, October 5, 2023 at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall.** Once you have attended the Baptism class, you are then free to schedule the Baptism by calling the office at 652-2519.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK AUGUST 7-13:

Mon.	7:30 a.m.	+ John W. Murphy
Tues.	7:30 a.m.	ROSARY AND DAILY READINGS ONLY
	7:00 p.m.	MASS AT SYKESTON + Bernie and + Grace Huss
Wed.	7:30 a.m.	+ Sylvester and + Dorothy Endres
Thurs.	7:25 a.m.	+ Jim Jeske
Fri.	7:30 a.m.	+ Holy Souls in Purgatory
	10:00 a.m.	GOLDEN ACRES + Anton Goldade
Sat.	5:00 p.m.	+ Angie, + Clarence and + Dale Blonigen
Sun.	9:00 a.m.	+ Beatrice Gussiaas
	11:00 a.m.	MASS AT SYKESTON - For people of the parishes

ADORATION SCHEDULE:

◀ THIS WEEK

- **Every Tuesday from 6:00 pm-8:00 pm.** You are free to stay as long as you want.
- **Every Friday, except the 1st Friday, from 3:00-4:00 pm.**

CCD SUMMER FUN DAY at Kevin & Jennifer Wolsky's cabin on Wed., Aug. 9th,

weather permitting, for students going into grades 1-12. This year's preschoolers are welcome, but must be accompanied by a parent. Leaving the church parking lot at noon, return to church parking lot by 6:00 pm. Tubing, boat rides, games, picnic supper provided. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of church for students going.

Drivers and chaperones are needed! High school helpers are welcome too!

Please sign up in the back of the church. ◀ **SIGN UP**

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING: **Wednesday, August 9th at 6:00 pm.** For your convenience, here is a list of board of education members in case you have an item you would like to bring up to them. Members are Rachel Bickett, Mary Wendel, Jessica Skadberg, Mark Pazdernik, Bob House, Dave Richter and Diane Odstreil.

CCD & CYO REGISTRATION will be **Sat., Aug. 12th and Sun., Aug. 13th before and after Mass in the back of church.** This registration is for preschool through high school. To enroll in the preschool program, your child must be four years old by Sept. 1, 2023. **When you register your students, please pay for them as it makes the bookkeeping a lot easier.** The cost for the CCD & CYO program per family is \$45.00 for 1 student, \$90.00 for 2 students, \$135.00 for 3 students and \$160.00 for 4 or more students. Students are in the same grade in CCD & CYO as they are in school.

CATECHIST RETREATS: **Fri., Aug. 25th or Sat., Aug. 26th. Both retreats at Maryvale Retreat Center, Valley City.** Fr. Andrew Jasinski will direct a retreat with a series of talks reflecting on the Eucharistic Saints. These retreats are primarily for those involved in catechesis, however, all are welcome. The day will begin at 9:00am and end at 4:00pm. Cost: \$25 per person. Please register on-line at www.fargodiocese.org/catechistretreat. Any questions please contact mary.hanbury@fargodiocese.org. 701-356-7909. **Deadline to register is Fri., Aug. 18th.**

- TEACHERS/SUBS – If you attend one of these retreats, Sacred Heart will reimburse you your registration fee following the event. Mileage will also be reimbursed. Contact Diane Odstreil (701-650-6777) to see about carpooling.

EVANGELIZATION CORNER: “You are the only Bible some unbelievers will ever read.”

John MacArthur

FATIMA CORNER: “The more we honor Our Lady, the more we act in accordance with the Spirit of Almighty God who is the first to have honored her. In honoring Our Lady, we are, in fact, celebrating the great things that the Almighty has done for her, and are, therefore, giving genuine glory to God,” writes St. Louis de Montfort.

THANK YOU: The week of July 24th-27th, Sacred Heart held a Catholic Vacation Bible School. We had 18 kids attending. The kids enjoyed catechetical lessons with a movie, crafts, snacks and outside games each day. I want to thank Diane Odstreil and Megan Thompson for all your help in organizing Vacation Bible School for our kids and to their helpers, Abbie Thompson, Katie Riedesel and Darcio Teves who assisted them each day. God Bless You!

Fr. Dodge

RCIA (RITES OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION) CLASSES FOR ADULTS: **If you are interested in joining the Catholic Church**, Father Dodge will be offering classes soon. Please contact the office at 652-2519 (in the mornings) if you are interested in attending and learning more about the Catholic faith and having the opportunity to join the Catholic Church, if you so choose. Please call soon so that a class schedule can be made up.

“Let’s not pretend that abortion isn’t about the mass slaughter of innocents.”

Michael Aston



GOD’S GIFT APPEAL: **We are still short (\$1,572.70) in meeting our 2023 goal. If you can help us achieve that goal again this year, it would be most appreciated.**

Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2023 God’s Gift Appeal and have participated in the support of our diocesan church.

Sacred Heart is 95.55% (\$33,730.00 in pledges) towards our goal of \$35,302.70 with 31.84% participation. There are commitment cards located in the back of the church, if you have not yet made a gift or pledge and can help us to meet our goal. Thank you for your consideration.

HEAVENLY WISDOM by *Venerable Fulton Sheen*. “We begin to act differently when we recognize the immensity of our possibilities.”

MINISTRY SHEETS for **August** are available in the back of the church. Please pick them up.

SUNDAY COLLECTION, JULY 30, 2023:

Plate collection	244.00
Children’s envelopes	11.50
Sunday envelopes	1,229.00
Total	1,484.50
Votive Stand	85.00
Vacation Bible School Registrations	100.00

WEEKLY BUDGET - \$3,922.00

THIS WEEK –

1,484.50 – 3,922.00 = (2,437.50)

ACCUMULATIVE BUDGET (Week 31) -

-(22,622.71)

Lighthouse Stand Sales 5.00