# Parish Bulletin for St Rose & St William's of Norwich



We would like to welcome you to our parish in Hillsboro, North Dakota and Mission in Argusville. We share resources and are associated with the Catholic Diocese of Fargo.



**Parish Office Hours** 

**St Rose –Thursday** 9:30 – 11:30

St Williams - .

# Welcome Visitors & New Parishioners

Registration forms are available in the church office and at the Information desk in the hallway. Those of you who are MEMBERS - Please let us know if you have a change of address, or if you have a new phone number. Help us keep costs down by letting us know when you move. Thank you!

#### HOMEBOUND COMMUNION:

Homebound parishioners unable to come to Mass should notify the parish office so that Holy Communion may be brought to you.

# St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church

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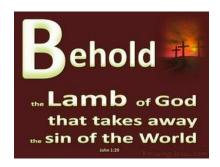
# St William's of Norwich Catholic Church

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January 15, 2023
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



"Today the Holy Spirit floats over the waters in the form of a dove, so that by this sign it might be known that the world's universal shipwreck has ceased, as the dove had announced to Noah that the world's flood had subsided." St. Peter Chrysologus

Our Gospel reading for today portrays John the Baptist as pointing away from himself and towards Jesus. Evan though John was clearly a very impressive figure, with people flocking to him from all over, and submitting to his rite of baptism, John did not take any credit. The minute he saw Jesus walk towards him, he saw his role as directing his followers away from him and towards Jesus. His sense of duty and mission went so far that he even directed his own disciples to Jesus, encouraging them to become disciples of Jesus instead. What powerful humility John had.

Even though we are surrounded by a culture that tells us "look at me" and "look at what I've achieved," today's reading can be a call for us to hear John's words, so that we too will always point towards Jesus whenever we can.

#### Reconciliation: Saturday - 4:00 pm Sunday - 7:30 am

By Appt. – Call Msgr. Skonseng @ 636-4541

#### Mass Times: Intentions

Jan. 16<sup>th</sup> Mon. Mass @ 8:30 Churches & Church leaders
Jan. 17<sup>th</sup> Tue. 6:00pm Adoration 7:00 pm Mass +Jack Sharpe
Jan. 18<sup>th</sup> Wed. Mass @ 8:30am +Scott Vettel
Jan. 19<sup>th</sup> Thur. Mass @ 8:30 am +Molly Carter

Coffee and rolls after mass in social hall

Jan 20<sup>th</sup> Fri. Mass@ Nursing Home @ 9:30 am +Faithful Departed

Jan. 21st Sat. Mass 10:00am Funeral mass for Clare Scholand

members of St. Rose Altar Society

Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup> Sun Mass @ 10:30 am Argusville Parishioners





# Ministry Schedule: January 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> <u>St Rose of Lima</u>

Friday Jan. 20th Nursing Home 9:30 am Lector: Cece Cotton

Saturday Jan. 21st @5:00 PM

**Lector** – Leo Paintner

**Servers:** Hannah & Kara Mueller

Ushers & Gift Bearers: David & Jeanna Mueller

# Sunday Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 8:30 AM

**Lector**: Student Mass **Altar Servers**: Students

Gift Bearers & Ushers: Students

Money Counters January Rich & Nancy Gehrke

# St William's

<u>CCD:</u> Jan. 18<sup>th</sup> Classes 6:30 – 7:30 Sunday Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 10:30 AM

**Lector: Allen Burgad EM**: Trisha Chadduck

**Altar Servers:** Tucker Chadduck & Sheyenne Voigt **Coffee & Rolls:** Amy Sleath & Ashlee Symington

# **Church Information**

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### **Marriage:**

Contact parish office 6-9 months prior to schedule marriage prep classes.

# **Baptism:**

Contact parish office during pregnancy to schedule prep classes.

### Joining the Catholic Church:

If you are hoping to become Catholic, please contact Msgr. Skonseng. He will meet with you, discuss the process and help you get started on your journey to becoming Catholic.

## **Distribution of Literature:**

Literature must first be approved by me before it can be placed on tables or racks in the church and be made available to the members of the parish. --- Msgr. Skonseng

### St. Williams Parish Events

#### St. Williams News:

Save the date !!!!

January 29th St. William's will be hosting Soupapalooza fundraiser after Mass.

The money donated from the food will go to the CYO.

We will be having a silent auction and those funds will be going for new vestments for our priest and Altar servers. If you are interested in helping or donating, please let Amanda Davidson or Nicole Ueckert know. St. Williams Altar Society would like to thank everyone for their donations this year and helping make our church beautiful this holiday season.

New Priest's Vestments and Altar Server Robes for St. William's Church I am grateful to the members of St. William's Church who want to order and purchase new vestments for the priest. The vestments of the priest include stoles and chasubles in the four main colors of the liturgical seasons – white, green, violet (purple), and red. We have ordered beautiful priest's vestments from Slabbinck, Bruges, Belgium through Hurley's Religious Goods, Fargo. The cost of these vestments is \$4,600. Our parish is also in need of new altar server robes. I am looking over the variety of styles and materials for altar server robes before we order them. Regardless of what style and material is chosen for altar server robes, the cost for robes for one server is approximately \$125. We want to purchase around twelve altar server robes at the start because we must have different sizes for our servers. The total cost for altar server robes would be around \$1,500. The total cost of priest's vestments and altar server robes would be around \$6,100. We are asking for donations from the members of St. William's Church to purchase these vestments and robes. You may give a donation in memory of your deceased loved ones. All donations of any amount are welcome! --- Msgr. Skonseng.

#### St. Rose CCD & DRE corner: .

\* Religious Ed classes Wednesday, January 18th

K-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Classes 3:15-5:15

**7-12 Grade Classes** 6:15 supper classes to 8:15

### St. Rose Parish Events.

Collection St. Rose: Jan. 1st \$2208 Jan. 8th \$7221

Men's Group: Meet Wednesday at 6:30 full breakfast with discussion

**K-C Calendar drawings Jan. 15**<sup>th</sup> after 8:30 mass with coffee and rolls served by the CYO. Mass on Monday January 23<sup>rd</sup> is for the **Day of Prayer** for legal protection of unborn children.

**Children's Mass:** January 22<sup>nd</sup> Mass by the students of St. Rose.

**Walking with Moms:** Will meet Jan. 25<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 in the family room at St. Rose.

**Knights of Columbus:** Meeting January 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm in social hall. **Real Presence Radio:** Fund raiser for the RPR in Fargo is February 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Prayerful Remembrance of Clare Scholand:** Clare Scholand, member of St. Rose of Lima Parish, died on January 5, 2023. The Vigil will be on Friday, January 20th, at 7:00 PM and the Funeral Mass will be on

Saturday, January 21st, at 10:00 am in the church. Please pray for the repose of her soul that she may have eternal life with our risen Lord and His perpetual light may shine upon her.

**St. Rose Walking with Mom's in need:** We will have our first monthly prolife Mass on Monday Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> at 8:30 am. This is a nationwide day of prayer for the legal protection of the unborn. The weekend of the Jan 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> the special Mass will be announced and we will also collect email addresses of those interested in being on the ND right to Life email list. We will be doing a Souper-Bowl Sunday soup and bread meal on Feb. 23th after the 10:30 am Mass. Money will be used to make donations to area prolife centers.



# Please Pray For Those Who Are Sick & Suffering

<u>St. Rose</u>-, Yvonne Anderson, Frank Witte, Elaina Mueller, Erica Kritzberger, Penne Feickert, , Edward Adams, Dennis Goltz, Howard Cotton, Darin Kolness, Claire Scholand, Louis Biermaier, Karen Schumacher, Peggy Eblen Kenneth Vettel, Brent Mickelson.

<u>St. William's – Mary Sahl, Kathy Anderson, Jeff McKinnon, Joe Posch, Wanda Thompson, Ashley Moore, Lenny Myer</u>

**Reflections:** January 15<sup>th</sup> "Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb..." – ISAIAH 49:5 God have given each of us different gifts. In order for God's plan to work, you have to do what God is calling you to do and I have to do what God is calling me to do. And guess what? God has given each of us a different plan! So, stop comparing yourself to others. Do not let envy and jealousy enter your life. Be thankful for the gifts God has given you and become the saint that God is calling you to be.

#### The Awaken Women's Retreat: March 24-26, 2023 at Maryvale Retreat Center, Valley City

What is this ache in our hearts for connection, for relationship, that even the good things of the world can't seem to totally satisfy? This journey begins and ends with the gift and mystery of our creation as male and female and our encounter with God, the world, and other people. Come and awaken the wonder and mystery of being human! With Jen Settle, Director of Ongoing Formation at the Theology of the Body Institute and Fr. Sean Mulligan. Cost will vary depending on accommodations. Space is limited, so reserve you spot now at: <a href="https://www.fargodiocese.org/awaken-retreat">https://www.fargodiocese.org/awaken-retreat</a> or contact Jennie Korsmo at 701-356-7901 for more information.

#### Lenten Sacred Art Retreat: March 27-31, 2023 Maryvale Retreat Center, Valley City

Come and join this unique opportunity for a Lenten sacred art retreat. Participants will create a depiction of the Temptations of Christ in the style of medieval manuscript illuminations. No art experience necessary. There is only space for 12 participants so sign up early. The retreat is open to men and women (must be 18 or older). The retreat will go Monday-Friday and will include Mass and individual prayer time each day. Price: \$585 includes single room/shared bath, meals and all art supplies. For a single room/private bath \$685. For more information and registration: <a href="https://www.fargodiocese.org/art-lent-retreat">https://www.fargodiocese.org/art-lent-retreat</a> For questions contact Mary Hanbury 701-356-7909.

**Peter's Pence Collection:** We will take up the Peter's Pence Collection during the Masses next weekend, January 21-22, to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. In March of 2022, the Holy Father donated an ambulance to the

Center for Mother and Child Health to assist children displaced by the war in Ukraine. In your box of offering envelopes, there is an envelope for Peter's Pence Collection dated January 15, 2023. We will take up this collection on January 21-22. Write your checks out to St. Rose of Lima Church, put them in the envelope, and place them in the collection basket. Please be generous. For more information, visit www.obodoisanpietro.va/es.htmnl.

**Vianney Discernment Weekend:** Young men, ages 16-30 considering a vocation to the priesthood are invited to Maryvale Convent in Valley City, ND on the weekend of February 17-19, 2023 to hear about seminary life and the priesthood. It will be a time of prayer, discernment, and fraternity with fellow discerners, seminarians, priests, and Bishop Folda. If you feel you are open to God's call but have not done anything to actively discern it, then this weekend is for you. The weekend is free, but registration is required.

Camp Summit for Junior High Youth: Climb to spiritual heights with St. John Paul II, Pope, at Camp Summit. St. John Paul II is a witness to all of us, especially young people. He had a devotion to the Blessed Virgin, cultivated a spiritual life that carried him through dark times, and valued relationships with others. This year, Camp Summit will unpack his life. Camp Summit will take place on July 9-13, 2023 at Red Willow Bible Camp in Binford, ND. All youth going into grades 7-9 in the fall of 2023 are welcome to attend. The cost will be the early bird price of \$300.00/camper before February 24, 2023 or the regular price of \$350.00/camper after February 24, 2023. All campers who wish to attend Camp Summit must register online at the diocesan website: https://www.fargodiocese.org/campsummit. Registration will begin on January 16th and remain open until the camp is full. For youth of St. Rose of Lima Parish, please let Andrea Dufner, Director of Religious Education, know if you plan to go to the camp. Her email is dre@strosehillsboro.church. For youth of St. William's Parish, please let Kaila Wilner at kailawilner@hotmail.com or Amanda Davidson at adavidson234@live.com know if you plan to go to the camp.

The annual North Dakota March for Life will be held in Bismarck on Friday, January 20, 2023. Events include a Holy Hour with Bishop Kagan at 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 19 and Mass at 10:45 a.m. on Friday, January 20 before the march. There will be a rally at the Capitol from 12:30-1:00 p.m. The organizers are asking for preregistration for both groups and the general public. More information and a registration button can be found at the link below.

North Dakota March for Life | Diocese of Bismarck | Bismarck, ND (bismarckdiocese.com)

**Real Presence Radio Banquet:** You are invited to the annual Real Presence Radio fundraising banquet on Monday, February 6th, in Fargo. Dr. Ralph Martin will deliver the keynote address. A table for ten people has been reserved for members of St. Rose of Lima and St. William's Parishes. The banquet will take place at the Delta Hotels by Marriott, 1635 42nd Street SW, beginning with a social at 5:30 pm and dinner at 6:30 pm. Leo Paintner has agreed to be the host and contact person for our table. If you would like to attend this banquet, please contact Leo Paintner by Monday, January 16th, at leopaintner@hotmail.com or 701-219-3558.

**Youth and Young Adults...** Want to spend time on a retreat that is put on by your peers? Do you want to grow closer to God? Do you need a "retreat" from the world around you? Experience God in a personal and REAL way. SEARCH for Christian Maturity has a retreat coming up February 24-26th at Maryvale Retreat Center in Valley City, ND. Youth and young adults, 16 and older are invited to attend. Details and application at <a href="https://www.fargodiocese.org/search4cm">https://www.fargodiocese.org/search4cm</a>

#### Diocese of Fargo | Search for Christian Maturity | Fargo, ND

SEARCH for Christian Maturity is a peer-to-peer ministry, allowing youth (ages 16 and 17) and young adults (ages 18

and older) to minister to each other, with supervision. SEARCH is an opportunity to think, talk, question, and wonder about the joys and struggles of faith in everyday life.

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or call Dori at 952-210-2219. Applications are due no later than Monday, February 6th..