## \*COMING EVENTS\*

#### Aug.

This month on Wednesdays St. Mary's Golva helps at the Food Pantry. If you would like to help, call Diane Szudera at 218-0692. You don't have to be a member of St. Marv's. Any help is

- 8th ----Fr. Adam Maus' birthday. His address is 707 16th Ave. SW Minot, ND 58701-6234.
- 12th -Fr. Russ Kovash's birthday. His address is PO Box K Williston, ND 58802-1115.
- **13**th –Deacon Jim Wosepka's 26th anniversary of his ordination
- 13—14 "Fearless Faith Retreat" at Badlands Ministries with keynote speaker Melanie A. Brown. Seating limited. Register at 701-290-8482.
- 16th -Parish office CLOSED
- 17th –Fr. Dan Berg's birthday
- 19th –St. John's parish council meeting at 5:30PM
- 21—22 Tri-parish retreat for grades 7--12 at Badlands Ministries Camp. Swenda will be sending out info.
- 29th --- Breakfast at St. Mary's Golva following Mass. Everyone is welcome. Serving pancakes, sausage, egg bakes, juice and coffee. Free will offering will be taken.

#### Sept.

- 6th----Parish office CLOSED
- 7th --- Deacon Jim Wosepka's birthday
- 12<sup>th</sup> -- Breakfast at St. John's Beach following Mass. Everyone is welcome. Serving pancakes, sausage, egg bakes, juice and coffee. Free will offering will be taken.
- 16th -St. Mary's-G parish council meeting at 7PM

## Oct.

30th -THIRST Conference in Bismarck. More information to follow.

#### ST. JOHN'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR 8/14 AND 8/15 6:30PM Sat. Beach 10:30AM Sun. Beach E. MIN: Wendy E------Mary Z-----

SERVER ???-----Peyton S, Zoey Z---READER: Diane S ------Bern Z-----GREETERS: -----GIFTS: Perry & Nancy S-----Steve & Carey Z----USHERS: Kevin B------Andy Z-----MUSIC: Howard & Gene-----Alysia & Shelby S---

ROSARY: Wendy E-----Bern Z-----Money Counter: -----Pat K-----

Tri-parish youth retreat August 21 and 22... If anyone is interested in helping to prepare any of the meals at the high school retreat at Medora, please give Swenda a call 218-0429. All food will be purchased and taken down to the retreat for you. Also needed are volunteers to make snacks like bars or cookies, etc. Thank you in advance. God bless! Parents please get the registration forms that were mailed out to you into the parish office SOON!

St. John's has one position OPEN on the parish council. Contact Fr. Berg if you are interested.

All men from our tri-parishes are invited to join our men's group Thursday mornings from 6:30 - 7:30 AM in St. John's dining hall. Coffee is provided. For Thursday, August 12, we will finish the workbook for Lesson One: "Be a Man Who Stays Focused on the Final Goal!"; pages 6-7. Also, in the book, begin reading Chapter 2: "Be a Man Who Lives as a Beloved Son."

**Keep in your prayers...** "I said a prayer for you today that



God would touch you with his healing hand and give you the comfort and peace you need to get through." We ask that you please help us keep our parish family prayer list updated. When we receive a prayer request, the name of the

individual in need of our prayers will be printed here in the bulletin for one month. If we are not informed that it is desired they stay on this list longer, their name will be removed. Please pray for all the sick in our families and our communities but especially for:

- Those who are in need: Millie Dietz, Eleanor Bohn, Jeff Pierce, Jordan Tescher, Ken Dahl, Brannon Davidson, Trish Bishop, Joe Michels, a special intention, and for all of our sick parishioners and friends.
- For seminarians: John Windsor, Dustin Johns, and Steven Vetter.
- > Pray in thanksgiving for the rain received and for continued rain for our crop lands, hay and pasture lands, and gardens and for fair weather.
- > Pray for an end to the coronavirus and abortion.



There will be two breakfast fund raisers that will be held to help defray the cost of CCD supplies and books. Mark your calendars for Sunday, August 29th following the 8:00AM Mass at St.

Mary's in Golva and September 12th following the 10:30AM Mass at St. John's in Beach for the two breakfasts. They will be serving egg bake, pancakes, sausage, juice, and coffee. Everyone is welcome to both events! See you there!!

Congratulations to Lexi (Nistler) and Channing Schaeffer on the birth of their son, Adam Perry. He is the grandson of Perry and Tammy Nistler and great-grandson of Deacon Don and Marie Nistler.

Congratulations to Rachel Rising and Owen Makelky who "tied the knot" this past Saturday in Dickinson. May God bless you both!

Due to vandalism at St. John's recently, all three churches will be locked in the evenings until further notice.

Sanctuary of Life....From within the heart of the world, the family has a decisive and determinative relationship with life. As a Sanctuary of life, the family must welcome it, defend it, accompany it during its development, especially during the whole process of its education. The family lovingly bears witness to the uniqueness of new life. The instruction of the Didache, Thou shalt not kill the child in its mother's womb (2,1), incorporated into the living tradition of the Church, must resound even today from the heart of every household. Only God is the Lord of life!" (Cardinal Alfonso Lopez Trujillo, President, Pontifical Council for the Family, Homily to Pontifical Academy for Life, February, 1997).

#### **Liturgy Schedule**

# The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Week of August 8th, 2021

Private Mass †Jo Buchholz MON.

5:15PM Mass St. John's Beach TUES.

†Dick Bernsteen

WED. 7:30AM Mass St. Mary's Golva

†Christine Finneman

THURS. 5:15PM Mass St. John's Beach

†Karla Zimdars

FRIDAY 7:15AM Mass St. John's Beach †Dave Ekre, Jr.

10:30AM Mass Manor (For residents ONLY) †Marley Abraham

SAT. 4:00PM Mass St. Mary's MEDORA

8/14 For the People

(At the Community Center)

6:30PM Mass St. John's Beach †Dick Zimdars

SUN. 8:00AM Mass St. Mary's Golva

8/15 Duane Maus

10:30AM Mass St. John's Beach

†Billie Van Horn

Weekend Masses will be live-streamed: go to www.triparishnd.org and click the "Facebook" icon.

## **Weekly Offerings**

Thank you for your generous donations. May God bless vou!

St. John's-B Adults: \$3,839.00

Youth: \$5.00

**St. Mary's-G** Adults: \$931.00

Youth: \$15.00

St. Mary's-M Adults: \$585.00 Loose: \$210.75



Adoration Chapel at St. John's Beach....The Sacred Heart of Jesus promises you that He will take your name and write it on His heart-never to be erased for helping Him with adoration. Stop

in this week. "Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament is not just reserved for the assigned adorer, but for anyone who feels the need to be filled with Jesus' healing and love. Don't feel embarrassed or shy for wanting to spend time before our Savior. Come to our Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel. Feel the presence of our Lord and experience what He can do in your life." If you would like to be an adorer, please call the parish office (4153).

#### **JOB OPENINGS**

....St. Joseph Catholic Church in Williston, ND is looking for a director of sacred music for the weekend and special liturgies. Contact Fr. Russ Kovash at the following email: rkovash@bismarckdiocese.com

....The Pro-Cathedral of St. Mary in Bismarck has a parttime opening for a Director of Communications and Evangelization. Individuals must have exceptional interpersonal and communication skills, have a high level of organizational management, and have experience using Microsoft Word, Excel and Publisher. Interested applicants contact Olivia Richter, Business Manager, olivia@stmarysbismarck.org<mailto:olivia@stmarysbis marck.org>. Contact Olivia at (701) 223-5562 with any

....Full Time Director of Finance and Administration at St. Paul's Newman Center (bisonCatholic) in Fargo, ND is currently accepting applications for a full-time Director of Finance and Administration. The successful candidate will manage all finances, payroll, and will lead and develop an internal team to support the following areas: maintenance, Faith Based Housing, and the bC Coffee shop. This is a tremendous opportunity for a finance and operations leader to maximize and strengthen the internal structure of a wellrespected, high impact faith-based organization. Submit cover letter, resume and three references to Rev. James frcheney@bisoncatholic.org<mailto:frcheney@bisoncath

olic.org>. Apply immediately, position open until filled.

THIS Sunday, August 8th the Golden Valley Manor Foundation will have a Pancake Breakfast and Silent Auction fundraiser at the Blue Building at the GV County Fairgrounds from 9:00AM to



Stewardship Thought.... The gifts of God that the angel brought to Elijah – food, water, rest and encouragement – were given, not for his own good alone, but to strengthen him for service. How am I using my gifts to serve others? "Love one another as I have loved you...I have chosen you to go forth and bear much fruit." 1 John 15:12, 16

Pre-planning the funeral liturgy—when a family member dies there is only a limited amount of time to plan the liturgy. It can be a difficult time to be thinking about which readings and music should be selected for their funeral. If you choose readings and music before that day, it can make the ceremony more meaningful as well as easier in saying your goodbyes. What readings and music do you like? Would you like a Rosary recited at the Vigil? Would you like others to share memories? These are just some of the items that can be pre-planned for a funeral liturgy. Take the first step to providing peace of mind to you and your loved ones by preplanning your funeral liturgy. For further information, contact Fr. Dan or the parish office.