# St. Joseph Parish

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## Saint John the Baptist

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## HOLY MASS - SANTA MISA

## St. Joseph

Saturday----5:00 p.m. Sunday----9:00 a.m.

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month Spanish Mass·····2:00 p.m.

Monday --- 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday-Friday ···· 7:00 a.m. Saturday ···· 8:00 a.m.

CHI St. Alexius Medical Center Wednesday—11:30 a.m.

Bethel Lutheran Nursing Home

Thursday-10:00 a.m.

St. John the Baptist

Sunday—11:00 a.m. St. Boniface

Sunday-10:00 a.m.

## RECONCILIATION

### St. Joseph

Tuesday-Friday…6:30-6:50 a.m. Saturday…3:30-4:45 p.m.

··· 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Sunday…8:00-8:45 a.m. St. John the Baptist

Before Sunday Mass St. Boniface

Before Sunday Mass

### OTHER SACRAMENTS

Please call the parish office for more info on receiving other Sacraments. Marriage: Arrangements must be made at least nine months in advance with one of our priests.

<u>Baptism:</u> We recommend you contact us prior to the birth of the child. <u>Anointing of the Sick:</u> If after hours, please call the rectory (701) 572-0236.

## EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

#### St. Joseph

Monday --- 3:00-10:00 p.m. Tues.-Wed. --- 12:00-10:00 p.m.

Thursday --- 12:00-9:00 p.m.

Friday --- 12:00-4:00 p.m.

#### St. John the Baptist

Monthly, the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Mass St. Boniface

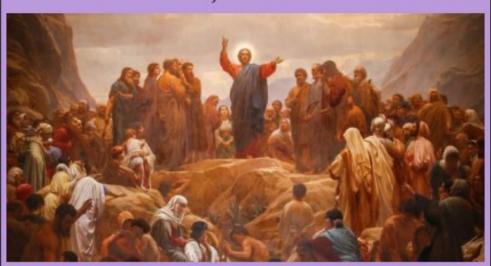
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## WELCOME TO OUR PARISH!!!

We are delighted you are here!!! You may register to be a member at the parish office or online at stjparish.com

## 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"I have chosen you from the world, says the Lord, to go and bear fruit that will remain." ~ John 15:16



## You can continue to help us....

With the recent changes to our parish life arising from the coronavirus pandemic, St. Joseph has made electronic giving accessible through our website. We are grateful to all who continue to give through offertory envelopes using the receptacles in the church or the front office.

If current circumstances prevent you from attending church services inperson, now is the time to consider giving online.

If you already give online, you can update your donation amount or give an additional one-time gift.

The work of the church continues.

Masses, Sacraments, and Faith Formation go on, with additional resources needed for livestreaming, video conferencing, and other online programming.

Visit our parish website for the donation link: STJparish.com

.....give from Home

## From the Pastor's Desk

There are two leading thoughts that come to the mind of any true believer on hearing this parable: the infinite goodness, patience and mercy of God in his dealings with mankind, and the unsounded depths of wickedness and ingratitude to which men can sink. To his Chosen People of the Old Testament God had given a fertile and fully-equipped vineyard. All he asked in return was their cooperation. We Christians today are the successors of the first Gentile followers of Christ. We too have been called to work in God's vineyard. Are we working honestly and devotedly? Are we producing the grapes and the wine that our divine Master expects of us? If our answer is "yes, then I am living a true Christian life and am working for God's honor and glory and for my own eternal salvation," then we can say a heartfelt "thank you" to our merciful Father, and ask him to keep us ever on this right path. But if our answer is "no," then let us pay heed to today's lesson. What happened to the chief priests and elders can and will happen to unfaithful Christians if they persevere in their infidelity and disobedience. But we can still put ourselves right with God. Let us do it today; tomorrow may be too late.

-Peace, Fr. Russell Kovash

Daily Mass Intentions		Liturgical Ministers	
Monday	7:00 PM † Ione Barstad	5:00 p.m. October 10	9:00 a.m. October 11
October 5	by Karen & Hollis Farber	Lectors	
Tuesday October 6	7:00 AM † Finley & † Blanche Falcon	Fran Zerr	Sandra Schilke
	by Darlyne & Ron Pederson	Ushers	
Wednesday October 7	7:00 AM † Richard Anderson by Bob & Laurie Evans † Mary Boechler by Bob & Laurie Evans		Dan Kalil, Dwight Richter
		Money Counters Plants (Oct Missy Doeden, Kathy Kalil Alice Streifel, Wendy Paryz	, Judy Juma
Thursday	7:00 AM † Marian Slag by Family † Tom Haberman by St Raphael Altar Band	Karen Farber, Mary Wegley	
October 8		YOU HAVE THE ABILITY TO LEAVE A LEGACY!	
Friday October 9	7:00 AM †Alvin Ahmann by Darrel & Kathy Ahmann 8:45AM School † Harlan Fixen by St. Joseph Staff	Don't forget about the 40% ND Sta	te Tax Credit for gifts of
		\$5,000 or more to a ND permanent ment fund. Contact the parish office	
Saturday October 10	8:00 AM Norma Berg by Jace Paryzek & Wendy Paryzek 5:00 PM † Al Axtman by Bertha Axtman	Financial Stewarship - St. Joes	: (Date): 09/28/20
		Adult Collection	\$ 7,272.00
Sunday	9:00 AM Jordan & Maria Monson	EFT Offering	\$ -
October 11	by Greg & Jan Monson 10:00 AM St. Boniface † Chig LaDue by Connie LaDue 11:00 AM St. John St. Joseph Catholic Daughters	09/23-09/28 Online Offering	\$ 1,043.56
		TOTAL	\$ 8,315.56
		Budgeted Amount (weekly)	\$ 13,412.00
		Weekly Surplus or Deficit	\$ (5,096.44)
2:00 PM Spanish The Parishioners		YTD Total	\$ 132,415.99
Quotation ~ From the booklet, of the week Steps In Littleness		YTD Budget	\$ 174,356.00
		YTD <b>Surplus</b> or <b>Deficit</b>	\$ (41,940.01)
"If you abide in love, eternity is yours!!"		St. John the Baptist	\$ 375.00
		St. Boniface	\$ 529.00

## 63rd Annual God's Share Appeal

Each year during the Annual God's Share Appeal, we pause and consider all the great things that are accomplished in the name of Jesus! Pledge totals for each parish can be seen below!!! Each and every gift is important. If you have not made your gift yet, we ask that you make your commitment today in order to provide the resources needed to continue the vital diocesan programs and ministries that benefit every parish and every parishioner. No gift is too small and every gift is sincerely appreciated.

St Joseph's Parish—Williston

\$81,890 = Total, 86% of Goal; 18% participation

St John the Baptist—Trenton

\$1,550 = Total, 19% of Goal; 37% participation

St Boniface—Grenora

\$10,450 = Total, 158% of Goal; 100+% participation

Thank you for your continued generosity!!!

#### THIS WEEK'S EVENTS:

Mon 5:30 pm Women's Study Group - O'Neill Hall Wed 5:45 am Morning Men's Group — O'Neill Hall

6:00 pm K-6 gr. Faith Formation — St. Joseph's School 7:15 pm 7th-8th gr. Faith Formation — School/P.L.C.

6:00 pm Spanish Rosary — St. Joseph's Church 6:20 pm RCIA Classes — O'Neill Hall Thurs

8:00 pm Men's Bible Study — P.L.C.

## We are always in need of Adorers!

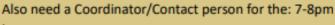
Please contact the parish office to take an hour of special time with your dearest friend! He keeps waiting for vou!

## The following hours are available:

Monday 3-4pm / 6-7pm / 7-8pm

Tuesday 2-3pm / 3-4pm / 6-7pm

Wednesday 2-3pm / 7-8pm Thursday 12-1 pm / 4-5pm



hour.

Youth Group is cancelled next Wednesday, October 7th.

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## IN OUR PRAYERS

### The Sick:

Laurlynn Browning, Barb Jensen, Blanche Kovash, Kazimierz Oleksik, Mary Jane Huck, Tom Ennis, Joe Meyer, Paxton Knudsvig, Gordon Falcon, Maxine Wilt, Tanya Sharp, Darrel Ahmann, Gorgina Linghor, Dennis Schow, Robert Martin, Heather Slater, Carolyn Irsfeld, Lou Lou Olson, Bob Rademacher, Kathy Salwey, Bradly Mitzel, Claire Folvag

### The Deceased:

Pat Welsch, Beatrice Falcon, Tom Haberman, Jean Cote, Richard Falcon, Beverly Gronos, Catherine Sweet, Donna Christen, Myron Schell

Peter's Pence Collections—Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the activities of the Holy See through which Pope Francis governs the Church and exercises his charitable works. When used for charitable outreach, funds from this collection help those most in need. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy. For more information or to give online, visit: http://

v.peterspence.va/en.html.

## From the Principal's Desk

By Mrs. Julie Quamme

An order for school apparel has been placed. If you are interested in ordering something, please let Mrs. Lysne in the school office know right away (701-572-6384). If you do not catch this order, she will be placing another order soon as we anticipate lots of students will want to make purchases, especially as the days are getting cooler.

We have just completed 5 weeks of school and mid-terms should have been sent home on Friday. The end of the 9-week period will end on October 20th. Typically, Parent-Teacher Conferences are held at the end of the first 9-weeks. Information will be sent to parents in the next couple of weeks with more details.

St. Joseph's staff will have Professional Development Training on Friday, October 9th. This is an early out day and all students will be dismissed at noon. Students will be served lunch before they go home. Afterschool program will begin at noon on that day.

All parents are invited to attend Children's Mass on Fridays. Mass begins at 8:45. Parents are asked to enter through the gym door where your temperature will be taken before entering the building. All parents are asked to wear a mask into the church and during Mass. All of our children and staff are asked to wear masks as well.

October is dedicated to the Most Holy Rosary. The rosary will be said at each of the Children's Prayer Services in October. Parents are invited to join us in the church for Rosary which begins at 8:45 a.m.

St. Joseph's School continues to look for any person interested in becoming a Substitute Teacher. We have very few substitute teachers this year and want to build our list in the event any teachers become sick. Please call Julie Quamme at 572-6384 for more information. Interested parties must at least have a 2-year degree.



The Fall Live Drive for your local Catholic Radio station and the RPR Network is almost here! Tune in Tuesday, October 6 through Friday, October 9, 7:00 am-7:00 pm CT! You'll hear inspiring stories of faith and hope from across the RPR Network. Call in or donate online to support Real Presence Radio! Our goal is to raise \$625,000 to continue to bring you great Catholic content! No amount is too large or too small, and daily prize drawings will be held!

#### Prizes:

- · Apostle-level donations (\$1000+), all drive long:
  - St. Michael Chaplet, touched to a relic containing a rock from St. Michael's cave in Italy. This chaplet invokes the intercession of the holy angels and can help us embrace a life of holiness!
- · Beautiful handmade crucifixes made by Matt Schettler
- · Rosaries in honor of the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary
- · Various Catholic books--see website for titles.
- · Assorted gift cards to a business in your local area



## Our mission continues because of you! Please support Real Presence Radio!



## COVID-19 Update and Reminder:

As COVID cases rise in our county, individuals are asked to remember the following:

If you or anyone in your household is sick in any way or is at higher risk of contracting COVID-19, we respectfully ask you to please stay at home until you or that person is able to return to the church.
 Wash your hands frequently and use hand sanitizer when at Church Family households are asked to maintain physical distancing of 6 feet from other households/individuals



Catholic Daughters meet at 7 p.m., monthly, the first Tuesday of the month from August to May in O'Neill Hall. The Rosary is offered prior to the start of the meeting—the perfect way to begin the meetings which include prayer intentions, charitable news, committee reports for events and a brief spiritual lesson, and fellowship.

Locally, the Court supports St. Joseph's Parish by purchasing supplies for Alter Servers, Books for Parishioners, Prayer Shawls for those who are ill, support for Seminarians, support for ND Right To Life, Home on the Range, support for graduating Seniors, support for St. Joseph's Priests and Deacons and Mass Intentions. In our community, the Catholic Daughters support Banquet West, Bethel Lutheran Home residents and other events and organizations. All parish women, 18 years and over, are welcome to attend a meeting as a guest and see what the group is about. If you are interested in joining, annual dues are \$25.00. If you have any questions, Contact Ann at 715-415-2955.

As a national organization, CDA is more than 100 years strong. There are 66,000 members in 1,150 Courts in 45 states across the United States and other countries. Our Williston chapter has more than 95 members. We appreciate the support of all members but are looking for additional members who desire to be active in the activities of the Court.

## Saint of the Week: Our Lady of the Rosary

Feast day: October 7th

On October 7, the Roman Catholic Church celebrates the yearly feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. Known for several centuries by the alternate title of "Our Lady of Victory," the feast day takes place in honor of a 16th century naval victory which secured Europe against Turkish invasion. Pope St. Pius V attributed the victory to the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, who was invoked on the day of the battle through a campaign to pray the Rosary.

The development of the rosary has a long history. First a practice developed of praying 150 Our Fathers in imitation of the 150 Psalms. Then there was a parallel practice of praying 150 Hail Marys. Soon a mystery of Jesus' life was attached to the recitation of the Hail Marys. Though Mary's giving of the rosary to Saint Dominic is recognized as a legend, the de-

velopment of this prayer form owes much to the followers of Saint Dominic. One of them, Alan de la Roche, was known as "the apostle of the rosary." He founded the first Confraternity of the Rosary in the 15th century. In the 16th century, the rosary was developed to include the currently known 15 mysteries: joyful, sorrowful and glorious. In 2002, Pope John Paul II added five Mysteries of Light to this devotion.

How to pray the rosary pamphlets may be found by our church confessionals. If the rosary is not a part of your regular prayer life right now, it's easy to get your feet wet with this devotion. Here are five key things to know to get started or pray it more fruitfully:

**First,** we don't have to pray the rosary all at once. Some people might sit down and quietly pray a whole rosary in one sitting. But we can also choose to divide it up, saying just a decade or two at a time at different points throughout the day: on the way to work, in between errands, in between meetings, while folding laundry or doing dishes. Many holy men and women and even popes have prayed the rosary this way and have found it manageable and fruitful for their busy lives.

**Second,** we can pray it anywhere! The rosary is like a portable chapel we can keep in our pocket and pull out anytime, anyplace. Whether we have a sudden, urgent situation to present to God in prayer or we just want to fill some of our day with thoughts of God, all we need to do is pull out our beads and turn to the Lord in this prayer. We might pray it in a church, in our room, in our office. Or we might pray it in the car, on the exercise machine, in the grocery store line, or going for a walk.

**Third**, we can pray the rosary in different ways, customizing it to fit the needs of the moment. Sometimes we might focus on the words of the prayers, thinking, for example, of Gabriel's greeting to Our Lady as we slowly say with great devotion, "Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee." At other times, we might reflect on the mys-

teries of Christ's life, prayerfully contemplating scenes such as his birth in Bethlehem, his transfiguration, or his death on the cross, etching the Gospel on our hearts. At still other times, we might focus on the holy name of Jesus at the center of each Hail Mary, speaking his name tenderly with love as the pulse of our rosary.

Fourth, it's easy to fit the rosary into your schedule. Do you have two and a half minutes in your day that you can give to God? If you need a quick pause in your busy life, you can pull out your beads and pray a decade in order to regroup with the Lord and be nourished spiritually. We can do that easily, pausing for a moment in between emails, in the car, in the office, in between meetings, in between errands. We don't even have to stop some things we're doing: We can pray while cooking dinner, sweeping the floor, holding a baby, or walking to a next appointment.

Fifth, even if we are not able to give the rosary our full attention, it's still worth praying. We might not always be able to completely unplug mentally from the concerns of the day. We might be exhausted, too tired to pray well and unable to reach the heights of contemplation. But still, the words themselves are biblical and holy. We give God some space in our day and fill it with words of praise for him.



## WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT CATHOLICISM?

Join Fr. Kovash for the following topics at RCIA on Thursday evenings from 6:20-8:00 PM in O'Neill Hall.

\*Oct 8th—Sin and its Consequences

\*Oct 15th—The 7 Deadly Sins & Church Tour



Pope Francis 🤣 @Pontifex · Sep 29

Saint Michael, help us in the battle for salvation we are fighting. Saint Gabriel, bring us the good news that Jesus has saved us, and grant us hope. Saint Raphael, take our hands and help us along on the path of complete healing. #ArchangelSaints

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School Fax 701-774-0998
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DEACONS Rev. Mr. James Haga, Rev. Mr. Gerald Martin

## Parish Staff

## School Staff

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Administrative Assistant Julie Lysne.......julie.lysne@k12.nd.us

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## **Bulletin Announcements**

Submit bulletin items no later than noon, Wed, to dre@stjparish.com

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