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Roman Catholic Church
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HOLY MASS - SANTA MISA

St. Joseph

Saturday.....5:00 p.m.

Sunday.....9:00 a.m.

2nd and 4th 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.

Baptism: We recommend you contact us prior to the birth of the child.

Anointing of the Sick: If after hours, please call the rectory (701) 572-0236.

EUCCHARISTIC 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 3rd Sunday after Mass

St. Boniface

Monthly, the 3rd Sunday after Mass

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

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"The Spirit comes to the aid of our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes with inexpressible groanings. And the one who searches hearts knows what is the intention of the Spirit, because he intercedes for the holy ones according to God's will."

~Romans 8:26-27



From the Pastor's Desk

After telling the parable of the wheat and the weeds, Jesus' disciples ask for an explanation of its meaning. Jesus shares with them that a great harvest will take place at the end of time in which all evildoers and "all who cause others to sin" will be thrown into the fiery furnace, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth. This line alone in our Gospel today should very much prompt us to examine our lives. Is there any area of my life that may cause scandal to others? Do we cause others to sin and stumble in the spiritual life? And if so – how? Do my thoughts, words, actions, omissions, and how I am living my life lead people closer to Jesus or further away from him?

-Peace, Fr. Russell Kovash

Daily Mass Intentions		Liturgical Ministers	
Monday July 20	7:00 PM † Deanna Dhuyvetter by St. Raphael Altar Band	5:00 p.m. July 25	9:00 a.m. July 26
Tuesday July 21	7:00 AM † Joe & † Carolyn Brown by Bill Christen	Lectors	
		Sandra Fearing	Ida Kirchmeier
Wednesday July 22	7:00 AM † Ione Barstad by Clyde & Janell Sailer † Betty Jean Meyer by William Kostelecky & Family	Ushers	
		John Kasmer, Bruce Johnson	Dwight Richter, Tavish Vestal
Thursday July 23	7:00 AM Doris & Duane Liffrog by John Liffrog & Family † Virgil Lee Browning by Laurlynn Browning	Money Counters Brittany Lyons, Ann Thompson, Alice Streifel, Sarah Sando	Plants (July) Dottie Smith, Janice Klein
Friday July 24	7:00 AM Angelica Urbi by Urbi Family	Food Pantry (July) Judy Juma	
Saturday July 25	8:00 AM † Walter & † Elma Hannebregts by Bob & Laurie Evans 5:00 PM † Jim Phillips by Kathy Phillips	Quotation ~ Catholic Author Flannery O'Connor of the week "All human virtue vigorously resists grace because grace changes us and change is painful."	
Sunday July 26	9:00 AM † Deanna Edwards By Smith Family 10:00 AM St. Boniface The Parishioners 11:00 AM St. John St. Joseph's Catholic Daughters 2:00 PM Spanish † Robert Nolan by Dcn. Jerry & Cheri Martin	Financial Stewardship - St. Joes: (Date): 07/14/20	
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		EFT Offering	\$ -
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		TOTAL	\$ 8,557.06
		Budgeted Amount (weekly)	\$ 13,412.00
		Weekly Surplus or Deficit	\$ (4,854.94)
		YTD Total	\$ 16,669.12
		YTD Budget	\$ 26,824.00
		YTD Surplus or Deficit	\$ (10,154.88)
		St. John the Baptist	\$ 851.10
		St. Boniface	\$ 622.00

July 19, 2020

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IN OUR PRAYERS

The Sick:

Laurlynn Browning, Barb Jensen, Blanche Kovash, Kazimierz Oleksik, Mary Jane Huck, Merrill Benth, Tom Ennis, Joe Meyer, Betty Steinberger, Jan Johnston, Ted Johnston, Richard Falcon, Larry Eckles, Ruth Bodin, Jean Cote, Vickie Jangula, Paxton Knudsvig, Gordon Falcon, Sandi Blikre, Pat Welsch, Maxine Wilt, Tanya Sharp

The Deceased:

Ione Barstad, Kimber Atol, Kaidra Froelich, Agnes Stewart, Jerome Muller, Sr. Thomas Welder, Shirley Azure

Individuals on the sick & deceased prayer list will only be listed for six weeks. Please call the parish office 572-6731 or email dre@stjparish.com if you would like names to be placed back on for another six weeks. Please also keep in mind that St. Joseph's Parish has a prayer chain for individuals who are in need of prayer.

Dcn Jacob Degele will be selling raffle tickets this weekend, July 18th-19th at St. Joseph's after Masses for the Seminarian Golf Fundraiser Raffle. This raffle takes place July 27th. **1st prize: \$1000 discount off tuition for any Catholic School in the diocese; 2nd Prize, Savage .25-06 rifle; 3rd prize, Benelli Shotgun.** Ticket prices are: \$5—one ticket; \$20—5 tickets; \$100 — 25 tickets. All proceeds go to the seminarian scholarship fund. If you are unable to purchase any tickets this weekend, you may contact the parish office to arrange ticket purchasing this week.



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July - Month of the
MOST PRECIOUS
BLOOD OF
OUR LORD

Catholic Foundation of Western North Dakota presents the 6th Annual Seminarian Scholarship Golf Tournament

postponed to Monday, July 27th

Check-in from Noon-1pm. Shotgun start at 1pm.

Team registration deadline: July 24.

Cost: \$500/team, \$125/person

For more information and to register, go to:

cfwnd.org/golf2020

or call the Catholic Foundation

at: 701 204 7229



Pope Francis
@Pontifex

#OurLadyOfMountCarmel, our mother, help us to have innocent hands and a pure heart, and not to utter lies or speak ill of our neighbor. Then we will be able to go up to the mountain of the Lord and obtain His blessing, His justice, and His salvation.

6:30 AM · Jul 16, 2020 · TweetDeck

St. Catherine of Sienna's constant prayer to the Precious Blood:

Precious Blood, ocean of divine mercy:
Flow upon us!

Precious Blood, most pure offering:
Procure us every grace!

Precious Blood, hope and refuge of sinners:
Atone for us!

Precious Blood, delight of holy souls:
Draw us! Amen.

July 19, 2020

St. Joseph's School receives a beautiful gift!!!!

In many respects, the last three and a half months or so have been trying and challenging. With Coronavirus health concerns, the challenges of online/distance learning, lockdowns and the shutting down of much of our economy, and plummeting oil prices, our lives have been impacted dramatically. Some of you have lost your jobs, been furloughed, or had hours cut. At the end of the school year we reached out to all of our school families, offering to assist any who were experiencing financial hardship. Here we are in mid-summer and while things are slowly improving, they are far from where they were four months ago. There is still a good deal of uncertainty surrounding many aspects of the economy.

With the fall school year fast approaching, perhaps some of you are pondering whether you can afford a Catholic education for your children. Perhaps things are stable for you now but you are wondering what the upcoming months will bring. As administrator of our school, I too am concerned about the uncertain economic conditions and the potential impact on our enrollment. Because of this, it was important to be proactive and so I reached out to an individual with my concerns. ***I am ecstatic to tell all of you that we just recently received an outrageously generous gift from an individual that loves and believes in our wonderful school.*** The funds will be available to assist anyone who is experiencing financial hardship in paying tuition for the upcoming year. If this happens to be you, please call us and we would be happy to discuss your current situation. We want all of our kids to return for the upcoming school year. But we also want new families to consider our school. If you know any families who perhaps thought they could not afford a Catholic education, please let them know that as a result of this extraordinary gift, we could assist them as well.

Our goal, our mission, is to form our kids into becoming another Christ; to come to know him, love him, and to serve him and to help bring his presence to a culture and society that clearly lacks his presence in many ways. God is looking to raise up great saints who will change the world. Our school hopes to do its part in forming them. We hope to see your children at our school this fall. God bless all of you.

- Peace, Fr. Russell Kovash

THINKING ABOUT BECOMING CATHOLIC? WANT TO KNOW WHAT THE CHURCH TEACHES AND WHY IT TEACHES WHAT IT DOES?

Whether you are a baptized Catholic, a baptized Christian, or not baptized at all, St. Joseph's parish invites you to partake in RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults). Not many parishes are privileged to have their very own pastor teach these classes! Join Fr. Kovash in exploring some of the greatest depths of the Catholic faith! **Classes begin in September on Thursday evenings.** Call the office (701) 572-6731 or register online at stjparish.com if you are interested. The following topics will be discussed: what we believe in as Catholics, creation, the existence of God, the role of Scripture in our Faith, sin and its consequences, how to pray, what is prayer, what are the Sacraments, why we go to confession, marriage and the priesthood, contraception and homosexuality, death and the afterlife, purgatory, salvation, and justification, Mary and the Saints, and the Eucharist.

Band Teacher Position Available

St. Joseph's Elementary is looking for a part-time Band Teacher (approximately 8 hours a week). This person will be teaching beginning band to students that are 5th and 6th grade. If you are interested, please contact Julie Quamme at 572-6384 or Julie.quamme@k12.nd.us.

St. Joseph's Catholic School is a growing elementary school with a small family feel, offering preschool through 6th grade. We are looking for passionate teachers wanting to teach in a faith-based environment amidst a community with exciting growth and development. Please pass the word along since there may be someone new to our parish and community that would be interested in working at St. Joseph's Catholic School.

Summer Meals Continue!!!

Williston Public School District #1 will continue to offer Drive-up "Grab & Go" Meal Service until July 31st!

All students 18 and under can eat free lunch at the following locations Monday-Friday:

July 1-7—No Meals Served

July 8-31: Below Locations (please note the differing times)

Housing Authority Park

18th St W. (Behind Williston Auto)

11:45am—12:30 pm

Williston Garden Apartments (Parking Lot)

10 42nd St E.

11:00 am—11:30 am

Bakken Elementary (Door 5)

502 W. Highland Drive

11:30 Am—12:30 pm

Hagan Elementary (Door 5)

2501 29th St. W.

11:15—11:45 am

McVay Elementary (Sidewalk in front of building)

420 University

12:00—12:30 pm

Saint of the Week: St. Charbel Makhluf

Feast day: July 24

Birth: May 8, 1828

Death: December 24, 1898

Canonized: October 9, 1977

Youssef Antoun Makhoul was born on May 8, 1828, one of five children. His family lived in the village of Bekaa Kafra in the Lebanese mountains. His father, a mule driver, died in 1831, returning from corvée for the Turkish army, leaving his wife a widow to care for their children. Later she remarried a man who went on to seek Holy Orders, becoming the parish priest of the village. (Note: Youssef's family belonged to the Maronite Eastern Rite which allows for married priests—only if married prior to being ordained.)

Youssef was raised in a pious home and became drawn to the lives of the saints and to the hermit life, as was practiced by two of his uncles. As a young boy, he was responsible for the family's small flock. He would take the flock to a grotto nearby, where he had installed an icon of the Blessed Virgin Mary, and then spend the day in prayer.

In 1851, Youssef left his family and entered the Lebanese Maronite Order. Here he received the religious habit of a monk and took the name Charbel, after a Christian martyr in Antioch from the 2nd century. As a young monk, Charbel studied philosophy and theology to prepare himself for Holy Orders. Among his seminary professors was Father Nimatullah Kassab, who was himself later also declared a saint. Charbel was ordained on July 23, 1859. In 1875, he was granted permission to live as a hermit, spending the next 23 years living as a solitary hermit until his death from a stroke on Christmas Eve, December 24, 1898.

A few months after his death, a bright light was seen surrounding his tomb and the superiors opened it to find his body still intact. Experts and doctors were unable to give medical explanations for the incorruptibility and flexibility. In years following, his grave was reopened a few times, each time his body was found intact with no alteration despite the grave having become severely rusty. In 1976, his grave was opened again; this time the body was completely decomposed, and only the skeleton remained. He is known among the Lebanese and Christians around the world for his many miraculous healings and for his ability to unite Christians and Muslims.



July 19, 2020

Traveling this summer?

Need to know where you can attend Mass on Sundays???

Visit MassTimes.org to find out where you can attend Mass,
but be sure to check their parish bulletin for any
changes due to COVID-19.

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Clergy

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DEACONS Rev. Mr. James Haga, Rev. Mr. Gerald Martin

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Bulletin Announcements

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

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