# St. Joseph Parish

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# Saint John the Baptist

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Roman Catholic Church 300 East Street, Grenora, ND 58845

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# St. Joseph

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

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

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.

## 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 3rd Sunday after Mass St. Boniface

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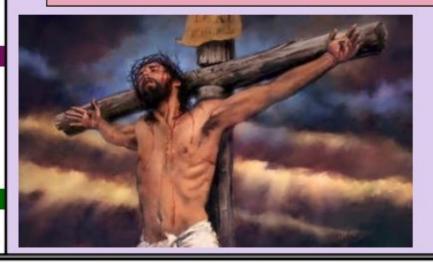
We are delighted you are here!!! You may register to be a member at the parish office or online at stjparish.com

# 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Forgive your neighbor's injustice; then when you pray, your own sins will be forgiven. Could anyone nourish anger against another and expect healing from the LORD? Could anyone refuse mercy to another like himself, can he seek pardon for his own sins? ~Sirach 28: 2-4



"Father, forgive them for they know not what they do." - Lk 23:24



# From the Pastor's Desk

Our Gospel message is easy to understand but often not easy to carry out. Jesus desires for us to forgive, to forget, and to be reconciled: In the light of eternity and considering the shortness of our span of life, harboring old grudges is pointless. The forgiveness that we offer others is the indispensable condition which makes it possible for us to receive God's forgiveness and to pray meaningfully: "Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us." What God expects from us is limitless forgiving and an ability to gloss over faults and to keep on loving even in the face of insults. When we withhold forgiveness, we hurt ourselves the most as we remain the victim. When we offer forgiveness, we open the door for healing. Time really does heal wounds. Be liberated and forgive others.

-Peace, Fr. Russell Kovash

	Daily Mass Intentions	Liturgical Min	isters
Monday Sept 14	7:00 PM † Duwyane Christen by Darrel & Kathy Ahmann	5:00 p.m. September 19	9:00 a.m. September 20
Tuesday Sept 15	7:00 AM † Robert Keck by Greg & Jan Monson	Tom Christen Ushers	Brent Lysne
Wednesday Sept 16	7:00 AM † Jan Molinari by Karen & Hollis Farber † Betty Jean Meyer by Friends & Family	Rick Monger, Dick Lobsinger  Money Counters Plants (Sep Kim DeLorme, Sherry & Wa Kayla Johnson, Rodvold	
Thursday Sept 17	7:00 AM Wilbur Urbi by Urbi Family - For the great Religious Awakening of our country by Jeannette Raab	Darrel Ahmann, Barb Pope  Don't forget to add St. Joseph's Parish to your AmazonSmile on your Amazon account. 1% of all your purchases will be do-	
Friday Sept 18	7:00 AM † Ed Bronder by Bob & Laurie Evans 8:30 PM School †Steve & †Shane Jensen by Steve & Barb Jensen	nated to St. Joseph's Parish and school!!! If you have any questions call the office 572-6731.  amazonship, Amazon gives.	
Saturday Sept 19	8:00 AM † Marian Slag by Family 5:00 PM † Lowell Hoover by DeMay Family	Financial Stewarship - St. Joes	: (Date): 09/08/20
Sunday Sept 20	9:00 AM † Linus Eder by Bob & Laurie Evans 10:00 AM St. Boniface Joan Charlebois by Bill Christen	Adult Collection EFT Offering 09/02-09/08 Online Offering	\$ - \$ 570.06
Pope Francis (2) @Pontifex · Sep 9 V To love everyone, including enemies, is difficult – I would say it is even an art! But an art that can be learned and improved. True love, that makes us fruitful and free, is always expansive and inclusive. This love cares, heals and does good. #GeneralAudience		TOTAL Budgeted Amount (weekly)	\$ <b>7,956.06</b> \$ 13,412.00
		Weekly Surplus or Deficit  YTD Total	,,
		YTD Budget YTD <b>Surplus</b> or <b>Deficit</b>	\$ 134,120.00 \$ (33,891.29)
		St. John the Baptist St. Boniface	\$ 295.00 \$ 483.00

# YOU HAVE THE ABILITY TO LEAVE A LEGACY!

Don't give away your hard-earned estate dollars through taxes and other administrative costs by not having a valid, up-to-date Will. Your Will simply and legally provides a plan for distributing your hard-earned estate.

40 Days for Life—From September 23 through November 1, you're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life - 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day spring campaign (8 am - 8 pm) outside the North Dakota State Capitol (6th and Boulevard) in Bismarck. Please help spread the word about this important community outreach. We would love to have a group from your parish take one full day (or multiple days) to cover all 12 hours! If your parish or a group from your parish (altar society, young families, KC Council, Faith formation kids, youth group, etc.) would like to sign up for a whole day please call 701-527-3265 to set up the date! Over 100 abortion clinics around the world have closed due to this powerful time of prayer! If you'd like more information - and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact Diane at:

40daysbisnd@gmail.com or go to 40daysforlife.com/ bismarck.

# IN OUR PRAYERS

#### The Sick:

Laurlynn Browning, Barb Jensen, Blanche Kovash, Kazimierz Oleksik, Mary Jane Huck, Merrill Benth, Tom Ennis, Joe Meyer, Betty Steinberger, Larry Eckles, Ruth Bodin, Vickie Jangula, Paxton Knudsvig, Gordon Falcon, Sandi Blikre, Maxine Wilt, Tanya Sharp, Donna Christen, Darrel Ahmann, Gorgina Linghor, Dennis Schow, Robert Martin, Heather Slater, Carolyn Irsfeld, Lou Lou Olson, Bob Rademacher, Kathy Salwey

## The Deceased:

Lori Lewis, Pat Welsch, Beatrice Falcon, Tom Haberman, Jean Cote, Richard Falcon

\*\*\* Please call the parish office 572-6731 if you would like names added to the prayer list. Please also keep in mind that St. Joseph's Parish has a prayer chain for individuals who are in need of prayer.

#### 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
7:00 pm Veritas Youth Group — O'Neill Hall
7:15 pm 7th-9th gr. Faith Formation — School/P.L.C./Hall
Thurs 6:00 pm Spanish Rosary — St. Joseph's Church
6:20 pm RCIA Classes — O'Neill Hall

63rd Annual God's Share Appeal, Sept 12 & 13th This

year's theme, "All good giving and every perfect gift is from above" James 1:17 reminds us of our personal challenge to practice our faith as Christian stewards. Believing that God is the Creator of all; recognizing the gifts and talents God has blessed us with; tending to our gifts and talents; and returning them to God with increase are the daily principles that energize Christian stewards. It is only because of generous Catholics like you that Bishop Kagan is able to meet the ever increasing needs of the programs and services provided to our parishioners and parishes. Because of your outpouring of generous support to our Appeal, we are able to provide critical funding that enables the Church in western ND to form our youth and adults in faith, promote the dignity of life and marriage, and foster vocations to the priesthood. Each parish operating on its own can only do so much, but when parishes join together, linking the people of our Diocese together, we can realize our unlimited potential. Please give generously next weekend! Please contact the Diocese at 701-204-7202 for any questions.

> St Joseph Goal: \$94,802 St. John the Baptist Goal: \$8,171 St Boniface Goal: \$6,618

Knights of Columbus Invite—All Knights of Columbus members are invited to attend a Sunday, September 20th, 6pm meeting. State Deputy Mike Steiner and staff will be at St. Joseph Church in O'Neill hall to explain the Faith in Action Program and State Activities. Please plan on attending and meeting our State Deputy. ~ District Deputy, Mark Walsh

<u>Thank you</u> for your generous support of last week's Catholic Home Missions Appeal. If you missed the appeal, it is not too late to give! Just visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections

# From the Principal's Desk By Mrs. Julie Quamme

St. Joseph's School has moved into the "yellow" phase of the ND Smart Re-Start plan. This means that our students and staff are taking extra preventive measures to be cautious so that we remain safe and healthy. One big change you may notice is that the 1st grade classroom has moved into a portion of O'Neill Hall. The first graders are enjoying their new environment.

The U.S.D.A has announced that the summer flexible free meal program will continue through December 31st.

This means that all students attending St. Joseph's School will receive breakfast and lunch at no cost.

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 don't 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.

The Afterschool Club began on Thursday, August 27 at 3:00. Aislinn Egge is heading the Afterschool Club. There are still spots available in the Afterschool Club if you are interested. The cost is \$200 per month. Drop-Ins are welcome, but you must call the school in the morning and let the office know your child will be attending the Afterschool Club that day. The cost is \$20. Please call the school for more information.

St. Joseph's School still has openings in most grades if you are still wanting to enroll your child. Please call the School Office (701-572-6384) to enroll or to inquire about additional information.

School pictures will be taken on Tuesday, Sept. 15th beginning at 8:30. A digital form was emailed to all parents. If you did not receive an email regarding pictures, please contact the office.



# Men!!! Fr. Kovash is beginning a new book with his morning Men's Group!

Join Fr. Kovash Wednesday mornings at 5:45am beginning <u>September 16th</u> for a study about angels, using the book, "His Angels at Our Side" by

Fr. John Horgan. We all believe in and love angels, but most of us know little about them and their roles in our lives. In these pages, Fr. Horgan introduces us to everything Scripture and the Church tells us about angels, including:

- Why the Church teaches that the angels were created at the time of creation
- The responsibilities of the angels at every Mass
- · The key difference between spirits and angels
- Seven habits you must develop to grow closer to God through His angels
- How St. Joseph can expose you to the inspirations of the angels
- The difference in the way humans and angels think
- How you can imitate the warrior nature of the angels
- The three ways you must respond to your angel's guardianship
- The five roles that every angel takes in their service for the Lord
- The surprising ways in which angelic warfare is carried out

Coffee is always on! Invite a friend!



Quotation of the week

"Do not neglect hospitality, for through it some have unknowingly entertained angels."

~ Hebrews 13:2

# 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 you!

## The following hours are available:

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

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

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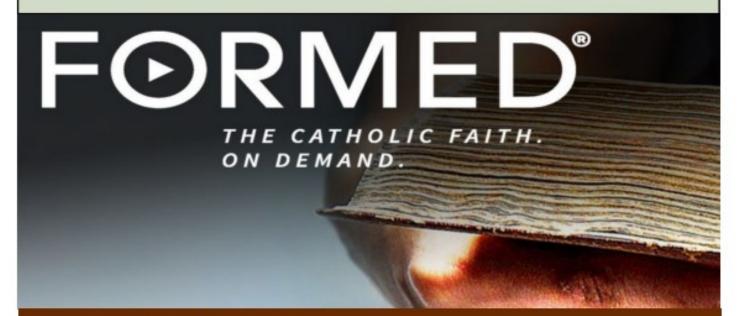
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# THE FORGOTTEN SACRAMENT: REVIVING ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Each of us will die one day, and for some reason we rarely ponder that day. The Church gives us the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick as a means to strengthen and heal both physically and spiritually those who are dying, or those who are in danger of death through grave illness or undergoing a serious operation. If you are elderly, or even if you are young and in good health, express your wish to your family or friends that you wish to be anointed by a priest when in danger of death. Ask for the Last Rites (in addition to Anointing) when death is certain. If you know other Catholics who may not be aware of the fruits of this Sacrament, tell them about the healing possible through its reception.



To create your free (no password!) account:

- Go to formed.org
- Click "sign up"
- Choose "I belong to a Parish or Organization"
- Type in "St Joseph 106 6th St W Williston" to find our parish
- Type in your name and email
- Check that email to confirm access
- Begin watching without ever having to use a future password!

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# Saint of the Week: Our Lady of Sorrows

Feast day: September 15

The Catholic Church celebrates the feast of Our Lady of Sorrows on September 15, the day after the feast of the Holy Cross to show the close connection between Jesus' Passion and Mary's Sorrows. The devotion to the Sorrows of Mary properly appears toward the middle of the fourteenth century, but Mary's compassion was remembered from early centuries. Mary's sorrows has its roots in the Gospel. Major references are: John 19:25 (Calvary); Luke 2:35 (Mary pierced with a sword). Other sorrows can be inferred: Luke 2:7 (no room at the inn); Matthew



2:6-18 (massacre of the Innocents); Luke 2:41-50 (anxious search for Jesus); Luke 4:28-30 (rejection by townspeople of Nazareth); and Luke 11:53-54 (rejection by authorities of Jerusalem), etc. For a while there were two feasts in honor of the Sorrowful Mother: one going back to the 15th century, the other to the 17th century. Both were celebrated by the universal Church: one on the Friday before Palm Sunday, the other in September.

As devotion to the seven sorrows developed, two lists of seven sorrows were drawn up, one including the infancy and childhood of Jesus Christ, the other concentrating on the Passion.

- 1. The prophecy of Simeon; 2. The massacre of the Innocents and flight to Egypt; 3. Jesus lost in Jerusalem;
- 4. Jesus arrested and judged; 5. Jesus crucified and dying; 6. Jesus taken down from the Cross; 7. Jesus wrapped and laid in the tomb;

and ...

Jesus is arrested and struck;
 Jesus is led to Pilate to be judged;
 Jesus is condemned to death;
 Jesus is nailed to the Cross;
 Jesus gives up His Spirit and dies on the Cross;
 Jesus is taken down from the Cross;
 Jesus is wrapped and laid in the tomb.

The commemoration of Mary's sorrows gave rise to meditations, prayers, poems, lamentations, not to forget the representations of the Pieta. This devotion became part of the mysteries of the rosary, as we now know them. The present form of the Seven Sorrows was popularized by John de Coudenberghe (1482):

- 1. The prophecy of Simeon (Lk 2:34-35);
- The flight into Egypt (Mt 2:13-21);
- 3. The loss of Jesus for Three Days (Lk 2:41-50);
- 4. The ascent to Calvary (Jn 19:17);
- The crucifixion and death of Jesus (Jn 19:18-30);
- Jesus taken down from the cross (Jn 19:39-40);
- Jesus laid in the tomb (Jn 19:39-42)

Mary, as a lady of sorrows, is a comfort and strength to all who suffer as she extends her maternal pity to each of us. Mary, in the midst of her sorrows, was still a powerful figure. She gives an example that in the midst of sorrows and sufferings, they can be redemptive. At the foot of the cross, she stood fearlessly while others fled. Mary looked on her Son's wounds with pity, but saw in them the salvation of the world and offered her own sufferings in union with them. As Jesus hung on the cross, she did not fear to be killed, but offered herself to her persecutors. All, but especially mothers, should turn to Our Lady of Sorrows throughout the trials and disappointments of life, specifically concerning children.

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