

St. Joseph Parish

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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.

St. John the Baptist

Sunday—11:00 a.m.

St. Boniface

Sunday—10:00 a.m.

CONFESSION

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

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.

*Please call the parish office for more info on receiving other Sacraments.

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

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



"When you are invited by someone to a wedding banquet, do not recline at table in the place of honor. A more distinguished guest than you may have been invited by him, and the host who invited both of you may approach you and say, 'Give your place to this man,' and then you would proceed with embarrassment to take the lowest place."

~ Luke 14: 8-9

Twenty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time



Monday - August 29 7:00 PM †Shane Jensen by Barb & Steve Jensen
Tuesday - August 30 7:00 AM †Lorriane Ahmann by Darrel & Kathy Ahmann
Wednesday - August 31 7:00 AM †Anna Kalvoda by Bert & Diane Muller 11:30 AM Hospital †John McGinley by Murphy, Kingston, & Leinens
Thursday - September 1 7:00 AM †Norma Smith by Nancy Beard 10:00 AM Bethel Marcus Fearing by Sandra & Mitch Fearing
Friday - September 2 7:00 AM †Jim Geiermann by Bonnie Geiermann-Ottmar 8:45 AM School Sarai, Alessandra, Yajahira, Jocelyn by Mom & Dad
Saturday - September 3 8:00 AM †Steven Jensen by Barb & Steven Jensen 5:00 PM †Bill Johnson by Isabell Johnson
Sunday - September 4 9:00 AM Bob & Laurie Evans by Duane & Kathy Binde 10:00 AM St. Boniface For the Parishioners 11:00 AM St. John Ambrose Champagne by Viola Slater

Quotation ~~~ Archbishop William Lori
of the week

"The duty to cherish and foster human life is always going to be part of who we are."



From the Pastor's Desk

The parable in today's Gospel was intended in the first instance for the Pharisees but it was preserved in the inspired Gospel because it has a lesson for all of us. A proud Christian, that is, a proud follower of the humble Christ, is a contradiction in terms. The proud Christian sets himself up as a critic of God's wisdom. He muses: "God forgives sinners too easily.....God doesn't know them as well as I do.....That conversion cannot be trusted, it will not last," he says.

There is a little demon of pride in every one of us. There is a natural inclination in each one to esteem himself a little better in most ways, if not in all, than his neighbor. We must keep this demon in check and not let him grow in us. Any gifts of mind or body that we have are from God---our duty is to use them properly and to thank God for the loan of them.

-Peace, Fr. Russell Kovash



The Passion of
Saint John the
Baptist
August 29, 2022

Financial Stewardship - St. Joes: (Date): 08/24/22

8 th Week of FY 2022-2023	
Adult Collection	\$ 9,562.00
Children's Collection	\$ 69.51
8/22 EFT	\$ 2,755.00
08/18-08/24 Online Offering	\$ 393.12
TOTAL	\$ 12,779.63
Budgeted Amount (weekly)	\$ 13,817.00
Weekly Surplus or Deficit	\$ (1,037.37)
YTD Total	\$ 86,744.27
YTD Budget	\$ 110,536.00
YTD Surplus or Deficit	\$ (23,791.73)
St. John the Baptist	\$ 567.00
St. Boniface	\$ 414.00

August 28, 2022

YOU CAN LEAVE A LEGACY!

Stocks and bonds, especially if appreciated in value over the years, can cost you a lot of capital gains taxes, but they can also make substantial gifts to St. Joseph's Parish or school. Consider such a gift in your Will.



Business of the Week:

LABOR DAY PLANS?

Use Raise Right to raise money for the church and school while you are enjoying the long weekend. RAISE RIGHT IS FUNDRAISING WHILE YOU SHOP! All you have to do is purchase gift cards from a choice of over 300 local and national stores. Dining out, clothing, home improvement, groceries, gasoline, and even hotels can all be purchased with Raise Right. Use them instead of cash, checks, or credit cards for purchases you were going to make anyway. Each card purchased carries an associated "contribution" of 2%-15% or more from those participating businesses. Contact the church office for more information.

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS:

Wed 5:45 am Morning Men's Group — O'Neill Hall

Thurs 5:00 pm Spanish Rosary — St. Joseph's Church



Faith Formation

Start date:

September 7, 2022

Registration is now open, please register at stjparish.com

K-6th: 6:00 PM– 7:00 PM

7th-8th: 7:15 PM - 8:30 PM

Bands to furnish food for funerals
for the month of August

Primary- St. Anthony/Secondary - St. Luke

IN OUR PRAYERS

Mary Jane Huck, Tom Ennis, Robert Martin, Heather Slater, Kathy Salwey, Myrna Eberle, Jim Borseth, Barb Jensen, Carl Shackelford, Pat Lucy, Mary Nelson, Katherine Haugen, Paula Johnson, Debbie Lynch, Dawson Poe, Mary Wegley, Linda Rademacher, Mary Falcon, Michael Larsen, Christi Gutierrez, Richard Martinez, Darrell Hokanson, Jack Wicorek, Peg Haga, George Pasternak, Lynn Felts, Alecia DeLorme, Sara Beck, Gene Emery, Heather Webb, Shirley Schumacher, Stephanie Monson, Evrhett Monceaux, Ida Kirchmeier, Stacey Graupe, Elizabeth Sailer, Peggy Stauffer, Bonnie MaGandy, Ron Pederson, Bertha Amezcuz, Alex Guerrero, Polly Jeannotte, Hector Vigoya, Joe Falcon, Glen Gardner, Keaton Paryzek, Megan & Ryno Mare, Katherine Bertelsen, Lillian Allard, Howard Isakson, Jo Ann Ross, Kali Woody, Bertha Axtman

The Deceased:

Carroll Lynch, Larry O'Neill, Allen Allard, Norman Streifel, Leonard Gartner, Evelina Reyes, Phyllis Salwey, Jim Sattler, Gordon Brokaw, John Moran Sr, Cathleen Brown, Ruby Jacobson, Leslie Sullivan

**Please call the parish office 572-6731 if you would like names added to the prayer list. Names will be removed after 6 weeks. Please call again if you want individuals added on for another six weeks. Additionally, keep in mind that St. Joseph's Parish has a prayer chain for individuals who are in need of prayer.*

Saturday 5:00 PM September 3	Liturgical Ministers	Sunday 9:00 AM September 4
Marilyn McGinley Patti Mortenson	Greeters	Justin Loomer Sara Loomer
Debbie Richter	Lectors	Sara Loomer
Charlie Bergstrom Makayla Moskalow Alice Tandjokoueng	Altar Servers	James Hoffman Joey Hoffman Lane Loomer
John Kasmer	Ushers	Keith Bruce Dwight Richter
Wendy Paryzek Beth Johnson	Raise Right sellers	Beth Huck Peg Haga
<u>Money Counters</u> Sara Loomer Kim Bickler DorisAnn Lindvig Elaine Fixen	<u>Plants Aug 31st</u> Kathy Kalil Wendy Paryzek	<u>Food Pantry</u> Rita Bodin Danny Bodin



The school year is underway and I couldn't be more excited. It has been a busy few weeks for all staff to get to this point. I've seen the behind-the-scenes hard work and dedication of the staff these past few weeks. It is very evident that the staff here at St. Joseph's School takes their job seriously. I am happy to report that after many prayers, interviews, discussions, etc. we have filled all our staff positions!! This was not an easy task, but I am confident that God placed the right people on our staff to serve the children of St. Joseph's. I want to introduce them to you:

Jordan Renfro- Our new administrative assistant from Idaho

Gabriel Thompson-A first year teacher from Minot, ND who will be teaching 1st grade

Cynthia Kramer- Our veteran teacher from right here in Williston (originally from Texas) who will be teaching 1st grade

Maureen Diala- A veteran teacher coming from the United Arab Emirates (a native of the Philippines) who will be teaching 3rd grade

Ave Maria Rankin - A veteran teacher coming from St. Thomas (a native of South Africa) who will be teaching 4th grade

Mwaka Peter- A veteran teacher coming from Taiwan (a native of South Africa) who will be teaching 5th grade

Hanna Allred – A paraprofessional from Georgia who will be helping in the lower grades.

I hope you will welcome these staff with open arms and keep all staff and students in your prayers as we embark on a new school year.

In Christ,

Narcel Clark

Job Opening

The Diocese of Bismarck has an opening for a part-time (approx. 30 hours/wk) Administrative Assistant. Responsibilities of the position include coordination of office support for the business functions of the Office of Finance and Parish Services. This position requires a minimum of a two-to-four year college degree or equivalent experience in administrative areas. See the full description at <https://bismarckdiocese.com/job-openings>. The Diocese offers a competitive salary and benefits package. Salary will be commensurate with experience of the successful candidate. All offers of employment are pending a clear background check and reference checks. Please submit an application, found at <https://bismarckdiocese.com/documents/Jobs/EmploymentApplicationWeb.pdf>, a cover letter, resume and three references to Denise Jordan, PO Box 1575, Bismarck, ND 58502 or djordan@bismarckdiocese.com.

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St. Joseph School Board News

Thanks to all who voted on our recent school board election, and to our four candidates, Kayla Johnson, Joan Zander, Sara Loomer, and Matt Kohler, who generously offered to run for our two open positions.

Congratulations to Matt Kohler and Joan Zander on being elected.

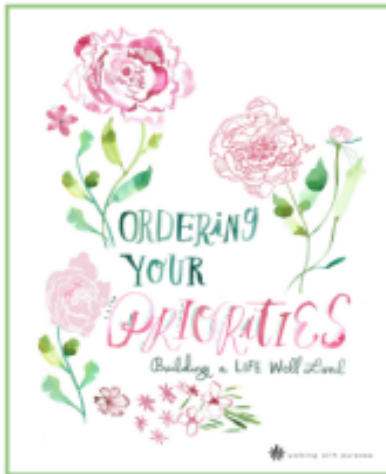
Women's Bible Study Group

Story of a Soul autobiography of St. Therese of Lisieux

Two and a half years before her death in 1897 at the age of 24, as Thérèse Martin began writing down her childhood memories at the request of her blood sisters in the Lisieux Carmel, few could have guessed the eventual outcome. Yet this Story of her soul, first published in 1898 in a highly edited version, quickly became a modern spiritual classic, read by millions and translated into dozens of languages around the world.



Learn more about the life of "The Little Flower" in a six week session. **We will begin Monday, September 12th, 2022 at 5:30 pm in O'Neill Hall.** If you are interested and would like to purchase a book we have extra copies at the parish office. For more information contact Rita Huschka at 701-770-1988



Fall Women's Bible Study

When: Thursdays at 7 p.m.
starting September 15, 2022

Where: Parish Life Center
(Upstairs)

Who: Women Ages 20-40

Contact Haley Olson at
(701) 641-9887 {call or text}
for registration sign up

- \$20.00 for materials -

Ordering Your Priorities, an eight-lesson Bible study, is ideal if you...

- ✧ Are ready to discover not only what matters most in life but also how to prioritize those things
- ✧ Long to feel satisfied at the end of the day, knowing that you've loved your family not just in your heart but also in your schedule
- ✧ Want to create a life that you don't need to escape

Veritas Youth Group

St. Joseph's Veritas Youth Group will no longer be held weekly on Wednesday nights. Starting Sunday, September 11th, Veritas will take place in the basement of the Parish Life Center from 7:00-8:30pm. These gatherings are open to all high school students and will consist of prayer, thought-provoking discussions, and visiting. We will meet about once every three weeks; future dates will be posted in the bulletin.

Discover Peace after abortion – Starts Oct. 3

If you or your partner have experienced an abortion either recently or in your past and have feelings of regret or grief, Dakota Hope Clinic in Minot is here for you. You can join Discover Peace, a free, 6 week small group where you can find healing, surrounded by those who have been in similar situations. For information call 701- 852-4675 or email tanya@dakotahope.org. The next group starts Oct. 3 and is confidential.

Catholic Daughters Huge Fall Fundraiser coming this September 17, 2022!

**Farmer's Market & Bake Sale
from 8:00-3:00 in
St. Joseph's parking lot**

We'll have a variety of
garden produce, baked
& canned goods, garden
flowers, plus a whole lot more!

If you have a large garden
or know of someone that would

like to generously
donate their fresh vegetables, canned goods,
or bakery items please call

Joan Larson at
572-9091 or 570-8555.

And for all those
St. Joe's parents this

is a great way to get in your service hours!

We will need volunteers to help set up for the rummage
sale on Friday Sept. 16th starting at 3:00, and again for
tear down around 2:30 on Saturday. Please do not bring
any rummage sale items before Sept. 14th since we do
not have any place to keep them. Thank you!

**Rummage sale
from 8:00-3:00
In the school gym**

Have you done your spring cleaning? Think of us
this fall and donate your items you no longer use.
We accept furniture, household & seasonal items,
books, toys, men's, women's, and children's
clothing. We cannot accept appliances, TV's,
mattresses, or car seats. Items can be brought to
the gym stage on Thursday, Sept. 15 from 3:00-
5:00 and until 7:00pm on Friday, Sept. 16. And
we're always in need of help setting up from 3:00
until done on Friday and tearing down on Saturday
from 2:30-4:30.

For more information, please call Wendy Paryzek
at 774-3744.

THINKING ABOUT BECOMING

CATHOLIC? WANT TO DELVE DEEPER INTO THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

St. Joseph's will begin RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) **Thursday, September 15, 2022** for those inter-
ested in becoming Catholic and also for those who want to grow deeper in knowledge of the faith. Not many par-
ishes are privileged to have their very own pastor teach these classes! Whether you are a baptized Catholic, a bap-
tized Christian, or not baptized at all, join Fr. Kovash in exploring some of the greatest depths of the Catholic faith!

The following topics will be discussed:

Among the many topics

- ♦ 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 do we go to confession?

- ♦ Marriage and the priesthood
- ♦ Contraception
- ♦ Homosexuality
- ♦ Death and the
afterlife
- ♦ Purgatory
- ♦ Salvation
- ♦ Justification
- ♦ Mary
- ♦ the Saints

**Invite Catholic or non-
Catholic friend!**

****If you have any questions
or would like to register
contact Claudia Ortiz at 701-
572-6731**

Classes will take place on Thursdays at 6:20pm in O'Neill Hall



Parish and School Contact Information

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St. Joseph Church Mailing Address

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Parish Fax 701-572-4203

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rkovash@bismarckdiocese.com

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DEACONS Rev. Mr. James Haga

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Office Hours

Mon.-Thurs. 8:00 AM to 5:00

PM, Fri. 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM

(Closed 12-1pm)

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stjpsisters@gmail.com or hispanicministry@gmail.com

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Katie & Jacob Monson 920-851-8287

katie.monson@midco.net

Claudia Ortiz (Spanish) 307-277-6369

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