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### **Building Committee Chair:**

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### League of St. Anne:

Membership: Maria Saville, 701-588-4288 **Bulletin Deadline:** Wednesday by 10:00 a.m.

Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

### **PARISH SERVICES**

### Mass Schedule:

Weekend:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.

Weekdays:

Monday: No Mass Tuesday-Friday: 8:30 a.m.

Holy Days:

7:00 p.m. (unless otherwise noted)

<u>Sacrament of Reconciliation</u>: Saturday at 4:00 p.m. and upon appointment.

<u>Sacrament of Baptism</u>: A Baptism preparation class must be taken prior to the birth of the child. Please contact the parish office for more information and to schedule a baptism.

<u>Sacrament of Marriage</u>: Please contact Fr. Jasinski at least one year in advance.

<u>Sacrament of the Sick</u>: You are encouraged to seek the Sacrament of the Sick if you are suffering from a serious illness or are going to be admitted to the hospital for surgery. Please contact Fr. Jasinski or the parish office if you would like to be anointed.

**Becoming Catholic:** If you or someone you know are interested in becoming Catholic, please contact the parish office.

<u>Prayer Support</u>: If you need prayers for any intention or wish to become a member of the Prayer Apostolate, please contact Joan Houdek by email or phone at joan.houdek@gmail.com or 701-730-5828.

### **Faith Formation:**

Grades K-5: Sunday, 9:15-10:15 a.m.

Grades 6-8, Middle School FUEL: Wednesday, 6:15-8:15 p.m. Grades 9-12, High School FUEL: Wednesday, 6:15-8:15 p.m.

<u>New Members</u>: If you are new to the area, we would like to welcome you aboard. To register as a new member of the parish, please introduce yourself to Fr. Jasinski after Mass.



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### **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

- 7/6-7—Monthly Second Collection to Benefit Down Home
- 7/7—July Holy Hour (3:00-4:00 p.m.)
- 7/9—Fall Dinner Committee Meeting (7:00 p.m., Conference Room)
- 7/11—St. Benedict's Feast Day! (8:30 a.m. Mass, 6:00 p.m. Supper, Fellowship and Fun)
- 7/16-23—No Daily Mass (Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis)
- 8/6—Fall Dinner Committee Meeting (7:00 p.m., Conference Room)
- 8/11—August Holy Hour (3:00-4:00 p.m.)
- 8/12—Finance Council Meeting (6:30 p.m., Conference Room)
- 8/14-15—Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Mass times: 5:30 p.m. Vigil, 8:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.)
- 9/13—Church Leadership Workshop (1:00 p.m., Sts. Anne & Joachim)
- 9/15—SAVE THE DATE! St. Benedict's Annual Fall Dinner

Mass Intentions						
Sat	July 6	(5:00 p.m.)	Fr. Raymond Courtright			
Sun	July 7	(8:00 a.m.)	† James Engelhart			
		(10:30 a.m.)	Parishioners			
Mon	July 8	(8:30 a.m.)	No Mass Today			
Tue	July 9	(8:30 a.m.)	† Zachery Stalcup			
Wed	July 10	(8:30 a.m.)	Fr. Andrew Jasinski			
Thu	July 11	(8:30 a.m.)	Sr. Marie of the Eucharist, O. Carm			
Fri	July 12	(8:30 a.m.)	League of St. Anne			
Sat	July 13	(5:00 p.m.)	Norma Jones			
Sun	July 14	(8:00 a.m.)	Parishioners			
		(10:30 a.m.)	† Bill & † Nancy Hunt			

JULY 2024							
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### Stewardship

Budgeted Weekly Collection: \$6,538 June 30, 2024....\$9,608 Budgeted Collection YTD: \$169,998 Actual Collection YTD: \$158,572 June Second Collection: \$711

Thank you for your generosity and continued support!

### **Special Prayer Intentions for:**

Micah Erickson,
Darren Feist, Irene Feist,
Joe Fleck, Adrian Flicek,
Mary Ignaszewski,
Kathy Loney,
Marvin Miller, Chris Richard,
Polly Roe, Karen Schmitz,
Arielle Stansbury, Carol Trottier

# Sacristan Ministry Schedule

# Volunteer Schedule June – August

During the summer months we schedule only the Sacristans. We kindly ask all other liturgical ministers to please volunteer and check in with the sacristan prior to Mass. Thank you.

	Saturday, 5:00 PM	Sunday, 8:00 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM	
July 6/7	Connie Erickson	Twila Nohrenberg	Please Volunteer	
July 13/14	Bridgette Startz Twila Nohrenberg		Please Volunteer	
July 20/21	Margaret Klein	Twila Nohrenberg	Please Volunteer	
July 27/28	Alex Koenig	Twila Nohrenberg	Please Volunteer	



# **Summer Holy Hours**

Sunday, July 7, 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. Sunday, August 11, 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Come and spend time in the presence of Jesus.

### **Stewardship Moment**

"As the Lord spoke to me, the spirit entered me and set me on my feet, and I heard the one who was speaking say to me, 'Son of man, I am sending you..." EZEKIEL 2:2-3



God has a plan for each of us. He calls us to do something for Him. But, He doesn't leave us on our own to figure it out. He gives us the resources we need to do His work. Are you listening for

God's call? When you hear it, do you get on your feet and do the work He asks of you? Do not be afraid. God doesn't call the equipped, he equips the called. Answer His call.

### Weekly Prayer of the Faithful

That we generously use our God-given gifts to do the work God has placed us here on earth to do.

### Pope Francis' Prayer Intention For July For the pastoral care of the sick:



"We pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick confer to those who receive it and their loved ones the power of the Lord

and become ever more a visible sign of compassion and hope for all."

### **July Second Collection**

Your donation to this weekend's second collection will benefit Down Home.

Down Home provides furnishings and decor for families and individuals transitioning from homelessness into permanent housing. Thank you for your generosity.



### **Full-time Administrative Assistant**

We are looking to fill the position of Administrative Assistant. This full-time hourly position is responsible for the day-to-day running of the parish office, by providing administrative support to the parish staff, managing volunteers, producing the weekly bulletin, and completing other duties as requested by the pastor or the Director of Administration. The position is open until August 2, 2024. For more information and a full job description, please email Kurt at admin@stbensnd.org.

### Pastor's Notes

### Dear Parishioners,

On Thursday, we celebrate the Feast Day of St. Benedict, our patron. As you may have noticed, in the bulletin the past few weeks we included a notice of our parish supper on that day. Come, join us for great food, fellowship and an inflatable bounce house for the kids. Bring your family and friends!

This will be the first large parish event in our new facility. It is part of the long process of transition here at St. Benedict. Three years ago, the City of Horace put in the roads of the Lakeview Addition. On the Feast of St. Benedict two years ago, Bishop Folda blessed the property and participated in our groundbreaking. On this date last year, we had the "First Look" tour of our building under construction. Come, thank the Lord for what he has begun on this new site.

Also, if you are able, join us for Mass in the morning. Let us ask St. Benedict, St. Anne, and the Blessed

Virgin Mary to continue to intercede for us.

Fr. Andrew Jasinski

# Happy Feast Day!





# Join Us! St. Benedict's Feast Day Thursday, July 11

Join us to celebrate the feast of our patron, St. Benedict.

8:30 a.m. Mass 6:00 p.m. Supper, Fellowship & Fun

# Do you know anyone who might be interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith?

St. Benedict's will offer Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) classes beginning in the fall. Please mark your calendars for an informational session on Thursday, September 26, 2024, at 7:00 p.m., in the parish hall. Weekly classes will be held, culminating in a reception of Sacraments at the Easter Vigil. For more information please contact the parish office.







### **Trinity Youth** Summer 2024 Camp Dates:

Pelican I: July 10-14 Pelican II: July 24-28

This year's theme is "Let Us Receive Our King!" Campers will participate in five days of fun, faith-filled

experiences in the natural environment. Campers will expand Christian friendships, create wholesome memories, strengthen Catholic values, and experience a closer relationship with God through sacraments, friendships, nature, songs, games and more! Campers must be entering grades 4 through 8 for the '24-25 school year.

For more information or to register now, visit: trinityyouthcampnd.com.

### **Upcoming Retreats at Maryvale**

- ♦ July 19-21, 2024: "Come To Me" Retreat led by Sr. Anne Germaine Picard, SMP
- August 8-10, 2024: "Beloved Spouse" Women's Retreat led by Fr. Lefor
- October 3-5, 2024: "Beloved Mother" Women's Retreat led by Fr. Lefor

For more information or to register, visit Maryvalend.org/attend-a-retreat or call (701) 845-2864

## **Catechist Retreat** Friday, August 16 Saturday, August 17 Marvvale, Valley City

Join us for our annual Catechist retreat where Fr. Andrew Jasinski will direct us with a series of talks preparing us for the Jubilee Year 2025. These retreats are primarily for those involved in catechesis, however, all are welcome. Retreats are August 16 or August 17. Both retreats will be held at Maryvale Retreat Center, Valley City. The day will begin at 9:00 a.m. and end at 4:00 p.m. Cost is \$25 per person. Deadline to register is August 9. Register at fargodiocese.org/catechistretreat. questions, please contact For mary.hanbury@fargodiocese.org or (701) 356-7909.

### **Mother Daughter Days**

The Franciscan Sisters of Dillingen invite you to their 2024 Mother Daughter Days at St. Francis Convent in Hankinson July 11-13 (Thursday evening to Saturday noon). Come, spend time listening to Jesus, getting to know the Franciscan Sisters, praying with the Sisters, and meeting others also on their way to a closer relationship with Jesus. For more information, contact: Sr. Jean Louise, OSF at ndfranciscan@yahoo.com or register at www.ndfranciscans.org/vocation-events.

# **Faith Formation**





Register online now for our 2024-25 Faith Formation and FUEL (Faith Used In Everyday Life) programs. at: stbensnd.org/faith-formation#registration

Grades K-5, Faith Formation: Sundays, 9:15-10:15 a.m. Grades 6-8, Middle School FUEL: Wednesdays, 6:15-8:15 p.m. Grades 9-12, High School FUEL: Wednesdays, 6:15-8:15 p.m.

Classes start this fall.

### **Director of Religious Education (PT)**

We are looking to fill the position of Director of Religious Education. This part-time hourly position provides for the religious formation of students in kindergarten through 5th grade, and coordinates sacramental preparation. The DRE: manages teachers and students; obtains needed books, resources and materials; organizes sacramental preparation for the sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, Confirmation, Eucharist; and coordinates the RCIA program and Marriage preparation. The deadline for application is July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2024. For more information and a full job description, please email Kurt at admin@stbensnd.org.

# **Upcoming Events**



# JULY

10th - Frisbee and XLT See details from June events 24th - Frisbee and XLT See details from June events

31st - Frisbee and XLT See details from June events

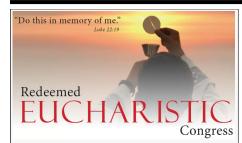
# AUGUST

7th - Closing Frisbee and XLT See details from June events



All youth in grades 7-12 are invited to join us for these Summer Events.

Ouestions: Contact the missionaries at corchristi@fargodiocese.org



Bishop Folda invites the people of the Diocese of Fargo to join him at the Jamestown Civic Center on **September** 6-7, 2024, for the Redeemed Eucharistic Congress. This two-day Eucharistic event will serve as the local diocesan launch of the National Eucharistic Revival's Year of Mission. An impressive slate of speakers such as Dr. Scott Hahn, Julianne Stanz, and Msgr. Thomas Richter will usher us deep into an encounter with Our Eucharistic Lord.



The Congress will begin with a Eucharistic procession from St. James Basilica to the Jamestown Civic Center and will feature Holy Mass with Bishop Folda, Eucharistic Adora-

tion, opportunities for confession, and a Eucharistic healing service. This is a chance for the people of our diocese to come together in worship of Christ the Lord as we beg for an outpouring of grace and renewal in our area. You can secure your place at this historic event by visiting <u>www.fargodiocese.org/redeemed.</u> The deadline for the early registration discount ends August 1, so be sure to claim your spot now!



### **Retrouvaille:** A Lifeline for Married Couples

Retrouvaille offers a welcoming and loving space to couples who have been living with the misery of a failing marriage. Retrouvaille offers hope that it is not too late and hope of a different and better marriage. Retrouvaille helps couples to show each other mercy through the opportunities it provides to listen, to forgive, to be reconciled, and to move into their futures believing that God loves them and with His help and their efforts, their marriages can be healed and restored. Retrouvaille will be held locally Sept. 27-29, 2024 in Fargo and in Minneapolis on the following weekends: August 9-11, 2024 October 4-6, 2024 and December 6-8, 2024. For more information call (701) 356-7903 or visit HelpOurMarriage.com.

# **Upcoming Events**

### Golf for a Cause! Monday, August 5, 2024 **Rose Creek Golf Course**

Bishop John Folda invites you to *Putt 4 a Purpose*, at the 18th Annual Bishop's Charity Golf Classic, benefiting seminarian education and youth programs throughout the Diocese of Fargo. The programs include



March for Life, SEARCH, Catholic Youth Advisory Council (CYAC), and youth camps. If you'd like to Putt 4 a Purpose, make a donation, or become a sponsor, please contact the Catholic Development Foundation, 5201 Bishops Blvd. S., Suite A, Fargo, ND, 58104. Register online at: <a href="https://www.fargodiocese.org/puttpurpose">www.fargodiocese.org/puttpurpose</a>. For more information, please contact Steve Schons in the Stewardship and Development Office at 701-356-7926 or steve.schons@fargodiocese.org.



### Rachel Vineyard Retreat: Hope and Healing

Have you, or someone you know, suffered from the physical, emotional, or spiritual effects of a past abortion? Rachel's Vineyard offers a safe, non-judgmental and confidential weekend retreat for anyone – including women, men, couples, grandparents MINISTRIES or siblings - who struggle with the feelings of loss or guilt that can accompany an abortion experience. The

weekend begins on Friday evening and concludes on Sunday afternoon. The next Rachel's Vineyard Retreat in the Diocese of Fargo is scheduled for September 13-15, 2024. For more information, contact Ruth at 701-219-3941, rruch68@gmail.com or Sherry at 701-520-1229. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

St. John's School, Wahpeton ND is seeking a part-time music teacher for the 2024-25 school year. To inquire or apply please contact Kaja Kaste, Principal kaja.kaste@k12.nd.edu.

### St. John Paul II Catholic Schools Open Positions

- Elementary Music Teacher Nativity Elementary School
- Elementary Teachers Multiple Locations
- English Teacher Sacred Heart Middle School
- Kindergarten Teacher Holy Spirit Elementary School
- Physical Education Teacher (Part-time) Holy Spirit Elementary School
- Pre-Kindergarten Teacher Multiple Locations
- Religion Teacher Sacred Heart Middle School
- Paraprofessional
- School Lunch Head Cook Multiple Locations
- Activities Director
- Football Cheerleading Advisor
- Basketball Cheerleading Advisor
- After School Program Worker Multiple locations
- Substitute Bus Drivers

To apply visit www.jp2schools.org/careers/ or call 701-893-3231 for more information.

Liturgy and Music (70%) & Young Adult /High School Ministry (30%) Coordinator: Nativity Church in Fargo, ND is seeking a professional leader in the areas of Liturgy and Young Adult/High School Ministry. The individual will be responsible for coordinating liturgical and music ministries, encouraging the ministry of parishioners, and assuring that all ministries work together to celebrate good liturgy and prayer. The individual is responsible for ongoing development of the parish based pastoral ministry with young adults (ages 21-39) and high school youth (grades 9-12), including formal high school catechesis and providing service opportunities for Young Adults and Youth. The individual will develop close communication with and mutual support from families of youth and collaborate with other community and parish youth organizations. If you have questions, please contact Margaret Zeren at 701-232-2414 - Monday or Tuesday. For primary consideration, please email resume and three references to Margaret Zeren at margaretz@nativitycatholicchurch.net

"No one should follow what he considers to be good for himself, but rather what seems good for another. Let them put Christ before all else; and may he lead us all to everlasting life." ~ from the Rule of St. Benedict

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