ST. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH - HILLSBORO ST. WILLIAM OF NORWICH PARISH – ARGUSVILLE

Phone 701-636-4541 MAY 30-31, 2020

St. Rose has decided to enter Stage One of reopening our church with conditions. All the faithful are still dispensed from the Sunday obligation. Attendance at daily or weekend Masses is strictly voluntary until further notice. If you do attend, please practice social distancing, wearing a face mask, (masks are available at the church if you do not have one), limiting attendance to 15 households and no visiting before or after Mass. Please call Fr.

Casey at 636-4541 to reserve a space for either weekend Mass.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Intention</u>
$\overline{25}$ – Monday		Hillsboro	†
26 - Tuesday	8:30 am	Hillsboro	†Jim Beitz
27 – Wednesday	8:30 am	Hillsboro	†Faithful Departed
28 - Thursday	8:30 am	Hillsboro	†Bill Gallagher
29 - Friday	9:30 am	Hillsboro	†Margaret Wire
30 – Saturday	5:00 pm	Hillsboro	†Lynn Kritzberger
31 - Sunday	8:30 am	Hillsboro	†Russell Boeddeker

CONFESSIONS: Weekdays: By appointment: call Fr. Casey at 701-636-4541

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PRAY FOR OUR SICK	Barb Taszarek, Richard Jambor, Karen Vettel, Bonnie Ackerman, Jerry Olsen, Jodi Anderson, Lily Schmaltz, Frank Witte, Joe Pulskamp, Delores
AND	Vettel, Cloyd Kittilson, Francis Kritzberger, Susan Johnson, Amy Artz, Edna
HOMEBOUND	Reindeau, Deidra Serumgad and Penne Feickert.

NEW
NORMAL
For those people who are uncomfortable with coming to Mass, Fr. Casey will have the Sacred Host available for people to come into the church after Mass or he will bring it to your vehicle in the parking lot. This will take place after Mass which will be about 35 minutes long, so on Saturday this will take place about 5:30 pm and on Sunday mornings at about 9:00 am. or 10:30 am depending on Mass time.

LITURY ASSIGNMENT LIST

The assignment list for altar servers, Eucharistic ministers and ushers will be **suspended** for the summer. We will rely on volunteer lectors for the Masses. Lectors are asked to leave their mask on while reading.

THANK YOU

Our hearts are filled with thanks to Bill Schumacher for his 16 years of planting and caring for the flower beds at the church, parish house and social hall.

Every time we walked into church or drove by, we were grateful and fortunate recipients of beauty and surprise, not to mention sweet smells. A big "green" thumbs up to your dedication of work! Thank you!

ON-LINE GIVING

During this trying time when we are not able to worship as a community, our parish still has expenses that we must deal with. Please consider going to our website: www.strosehillsboro.com to give a one time, weekly or monthly recurring amount from Goose River Bank or give via your credit card. After we are able to come together again, you may return to your usual way of giving. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Jordan Hjelle, webmaster of the site.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

"I am praying for them..." John 17:9

Prayer is the foundation of our Faith and the foundation of Stewardship. Pray in the good times and in bad. Prayer is always the first best option in any situation, not just the last resort. Pray for friends and family and for those that don't treat you very well. Pray to give praise, to thank and to ask God for help. Pray to see what God wants you to do with the gifts He has given you.

GOD'S GIFT APPEAL

Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2020 God's Gift Appeal. As of May 15, St. Rose of Lima is 79% towards our goal of \$25,818.00. If you have not yet completed your card, please prayerfully consider making your pledge.

NEW PARISHIONERS

St. Rose would like to welcome any new parishioners to our parish. If you are new or if you have been here awhile and would like to register, please contact Liz Kritzberger, parish secretary or Carmen Henn, DRE.

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MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to have a Mass said for a loved one or a special intention, please put them in the collection basket or send them to the parish office. Please make checks out to: "St. Rose of Lima". Stipend for a Mass is \$10.00. There are envelopes on the tables in the back of the church to use also.

JOB OPENING JPII Catholic Schools is looking to hire the following positions for the 2020-2021 school year:

Science/Smart Lab Teacher – Sullivan Middle School (1.0 FTE)

Music Teacher – Nativity Elementary (1.0 FTE)

English Teacher – Sullivan Middle School (1.0 FTE)

Elementary Teacher – Nativity Elementary (1.0 FTE)

For more information on these positions or how to apply visit

https://www.jp2schools.org/central-office/careers/ or call 701-893-3231.

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PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Gary Anderson, Roger Hoffart, Paulette Kraiter, John Graf, James Wolsky, Pete Lindstrom, Jeff McKinnon, Lenny Myers, Brantlee Krsnak, and Chione Gould.

ON-LINE GIVING The Coronavirus Covid-19 is closing schools, many workplaces nationwide and as you know churches too. St. Williams would just like to remind everyone, If you can, to please continue your normal weekly and/or monthly contributions To St. Williams. You can:

- Mail contributions to: St. Williams Church, 107 Drake Ave., Argusville, ND 58005
- 2. Consider setting up your donations to the church using our online giving account. You can set up your account by going to this link: St. William's Electronic Giving Website or go to our website: www.stwilliamschurch.org titled "Online Giving".

Thank you for considering this. Keep St. William's family in your prayers along with all who are ill and others that work tirelessly in healthcare, emergency services and other essential services.

POPE AT MASS: ST. JOHN PAUL II A MAN OF PRAYER, CLOSENESS, JUSTICE

Celebrating Mass on the 100th Anniversary of the birth of Karol Wojtyla, the future St. John Paul II, Pope Francis described his predecessor as a man of prayer, closeness and justice.

Pope Francis celebrated the 100th anniversary of the birth of St. John Paul II by offering Holy Mass at the altar where the Polish Pope is buried in St.Peter's Basilica.

Joined by a very limited number of the faithful, the liturgy was the first Mass open to the public after almost two months of restrictions due to the coronavirus pandemic.

The Lord has visited His People

Pope Francis began his homily by reminding us that God loves His People, and in times of difficulty "visits" them by sending a holy man or a prophet.

In the life of Pope John Paul II, we can see a man sent by God, prepared by Him, and made Bishop and Pope to guide God's Church. "Today, we can say that the Lord visited His people."

A Man of Prayer

Pope Francis focused on three particular traits that marked the life of John Paul II: prayer, closeness, and mercy.

Despite his many duties as Pope, John Paul II always found time to pray. "He knew well that the first task of the bishop is to pray", Pope Francis said, noting that this is the teaching of St. Peter in the Acts of the Apostles. "The first task of the bishop is to pray", the Pope repeated. John Paul "knew this, and did it".

Close to the People

St. John Paul II was also close to the people, not detached or separated from them, but traveling the whole world to seek them out.

Already in the Old Testament, we can see how God was uniquely close to His People. This closeness culminated in the incarnation, when Jesus Himself dwelt among His people.

John Paul followed the example of Jesus, the Good Shepherd, drawing near to both the great and the small, to those close by and those physically far away.

Merciful Justice

Finally, Pope Francis said, St. John Paul II was remarkable for his love of justice. But his love for justice was a desire for justice completed by mercy. And so, John Paul was also a man of mercy, "because justice and mercy go together". John Paul, who did so much to promote the Divine Mercy devotion, believed that God's justice "has this face of mercy, this attitude of mercy."

Pope Francis concluded his homily with the prayer that the Lord might grant to all of us, and especially to pastors, the grace of prayer, of closeness, and the grace of justice in mercy, and merciful justice.