

Parish Bulletin for St Rose  
& St William's of Norwich



We would like to welcome you to our parish in Hillsboro, North Dakota and Mission in Argusville. We share resources and are associated with the [Catholic Diocese of Fargo](http://www.catholicdioceseoffargo.org).



#### Parish Office Hours

**St Rose –Thursday**  
9:30 – 11:30

**St Williams - .**

#### Welcome Visitors & New Parishioners

Registration forms are available in the church office and at the Information desk in the hallway. Those of you who are MEMBERS - Please let us know if you have a change of address, or if you have a new phone number. Help us keep costs down by letting us know when you move. Thank you!

#### **HOMEBOUND COMMUNION:**

Homebound parishioners unable to come to Mass should notify the parish office so that Holy Communion may be brought to you.

## St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church

503 3<sup>rd</sup> St SE Hillsboro, N.D 58045

Parish Office: 701-636-4541

[www.strosehillsboro.church](http://www.strosehillsboro.church)

## St William's of Norwich Catholic Church

107 Drake Ave Argusville, N.D. 58005

Parish Office: 701-484-5211

[www.stwilliamschurch.org](http://www.stwilliamschurch.org)

*June 4, 2023*

### *The Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity*



Of all the great feasts we celebrate within the Church throughout the year, today's Solemnity presents us with a Mystery that is so deep and transcendent that our eternity will be spent in perpetual contemplation. The Trinity, the life of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, will never get old, never be fully understood, and will be the cause of our everlasting adoration and joy.

The Father, Son and Holy Spirit are Persons. And as Persons, they want to be known. And they want to be known primarily through a life of deep and intimate prayer. Praying to One Person, of course, is praying to all, since they are One God. But we are, nonetheless, called to a relationship of love with the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. And though our feeble minds may not be able to fully comprehend the essence of God, He will draw us deeper and deeper into a knowledge of Him if we let Him.

Reflect, today, upon the Most Holy Trinity. As you do, say a prayer to God asking for a deeper and more intimate knowledge of Him. Ask Him to communicate to you His divine love and to open

your mind and heart to a deeper understanding of Who He is. Try to humble yourself before the great Mystery of the inner life of God. Humility before the Mystery of God means that we know how little we know about Him and how little we know of Him. But that humble truth will help you move closer to the deeper relationship of love to which you are called.

**Reconciliation: Saturday - 4:00 PM Sunday – 7:30 AM**

By Appt. – Call Msgr. Skonseng @ 636-4541

**Mass Times:**

June 5<sup>th</sup> Mon. 8:30 AM Mass

June 6<sup>th</sup> Tue. Adoration 6 – 7 PM Mass 7:00PM  
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June 7<sup>th</sup> Wed. 8:30 AM Mass

June 8<sup>th</sup> Thur. 8:30 AM Mass

Coffee & Rolls served after Mass in social hall.

June 9<sup>th</sup> Fri. 9:30 AM Mass Care Center

June 10<sup>th</sup> Sat Mass @ 5:00 PM Hillsboro

June 11<sup>th</sup> Sun. Mass @ 8:30 AM Argusville

June 11<sup>th</sup> Sun. Mass @ 10:30 AM Hillsboro

**Intentions**

Erica Kritzberger

+Rosie & Sonny

+ Deceased cousins & relatives

+Molly Carter

+Deb Kozojed

+Rudy Reinpold

+Parishioners

+Fred Forde



**Ministry Schedule:**

**St Rose of Lima**

**Care Center:** Reader June 9<sup>th</sup> Meghan Breen

**Saturday June 10<sup>th</sup> Mass @ 5:00PM**

**Lector:** Leo Paintner

**Euch. Ministers:** Leo Paintner & David Mueller

**Altar Servers:** Hannah & Kara Mueller

**Gift Bearers:** John & Teri Wright

**Ushers:** John & Teri Wright

**Sunday June 11<sup>th</sup> Mass @ 10:30 AM**

**Lector:** Rocki Fiebiger

**Euch. Ministers:** Chuck Breen & Tammy Kaufman

**Altar Servers:** Cade & Jillian Mueller – Austin Cotton

**Gift Bearers:** Chris & Katie Mueller family

**Ushers :** Leo Ackerman & Paul Geray

**Money Counters:** June- Rich & Nancy Gehrke

**St William's**

**Sunday June 11<sup>th</sup> Mass 8:30 AM**

**Reader:** Volunteers **EM.** Volunteers

**Servers:** Volunteers

## Church Information

### Staff

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### Marriage:

Contact parish office 6-9 months prior to schedule marriage prep classes.

### Baptism:

Contact parish office during pregnancy to schedule prep classes.

### Joining the Catholic Church:

If you are hoping to become Catholic, please contact Msgr. Skonseng. He will meet with you, discuss the process and help you get started on your journey to becoming Catholic.

## **St. Williams Parish Events**

### **St. Rose CCD & DRE corner:**

**Thank You:** Thank you to Andria Dufner and all who helped with the Vocation Bible School. It was a great experience of faith and fun!

### **St. Rose Parish Events.**

**Collection St. Rose: May 28<sup>th</sup> \$877**

**Potluck Luncheon:** There is a potluck luncheon after Mass today in the social hall honoring our 1<sup>st</sup> Communion and Confirmation children. Hope all of you come and congratulate these children and their parents on this major step forward in these kids faith.

**Men's Group:** Meet Wednesday at 6:30AM full breakfast with discussion on the book of **Judaism** .

**The burial ceremony for Clare Scholand** will be held on Friday, June 9, at 3 pm in the St. Rose Cemetery. Social and dinner to follow at the Vets Club.

Thank you for this, let me know if you have any questions. Colette Smith

**50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Dance:** Get your dancing shoes ready to help celebrate Richard & Bonnie Muellers 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary. Will be held at the Hillsboro Armory on Friday June 23<sup>rd</sup> from 7 to 11 PM. Bring the family and help them celebrate.

**Altar Society:** St. Rose Altar society will meet this Monday June 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM in the social hall. All ladies of the parish are invited to come.

**Stipends:** Stipends are getting low so please consider having a Mass said for a loved one of yours or for someone living with health problems.

### **Parish Celebration with Children Who Received Confirmation and First Holy Eucharist**

We give thanks and praise to God for the children of St. Rose of Lima Parish who have received the sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Eucharist. Owen Cotton and Eddy Mueller received these sacraments on Saturday, May 13, 2023 at St. Mary's Cathedral, Fargo. The following children received these sacraments on Sunday, May 21, 2023 at St. Jude's Church, Thompson: Sterling Abentroth, Sully Abentroth, Ace Baumgartner, Catherine Jennen, Emery Jennen, Miguel Mootz, Gracie Mueller, Archer Schmidt, Calvin Sobolik, and Brogan Wright. Bishop John Folda administered these sacraments to them. We honor them in our parish celebration of Mass this Sunday. We welcome them as full members of the Church. Let us pray that they may seek the guidance of the Holy Spirit to know, love, and serve God throughout their lives. Let us pray that they may always have a deep union of love with Christ in Holy Communion and bear the abundant fruit of His love in their lives. --- Msgr. Skonseng

### **St. Rose Parish Council**

St. Rose Parish Council will meet on Wednesday, June 7th, at 7:00 PM in the Parish Center. The council consists of ex-officio members: Lay Directors, John Wright and Dave Schill; Deacon Curt Kaufman; Coordinator of Religious Education, Andrea Dufner; Grand Knight of the St. Rose Knights of Columbus, Chris Mueller; and President of St. Rose Altar Society, Cece Cotton. The appointed members are Bill Schumacher, Rich Gehrke, Bridget Hastings, Rocki Fiebiger, and Jordan Hjelle. If you have any agenda items, please contact one of the council members or me. --- Msgr. Skonseng

## Blessing of Crops

The St. Rose Knights of Columbus are working with me to go out to the fields and have the blessing of crops on Tuesday, June 27th. The schedule for this day will be Adoration from 4:00 to 5:00 pm, Mass at 5:00 PM, Supper at 5:30 PM, and Blessing of the Crops after supper. We will arrange for a bus to take us from one field to another. All members of St. Rose Parish are welcome to participate in any of the events of this day as you are able and as you wish. It has been the tradition of the Church to bless the crops in the fields in our rural areas and churches. Since we are living in a rural community and many of our members of St. Rose of Lima Parish are farmers, I hope that you will participate in the blessing of the crops. Let us praise God, the Source of all our blessings. --- Msgr. Skonseng

## Volunteer drivers Wanted:

More than 40 percent of older and disabled adults rely on family, friends and neighbors for rides. But providing transportation is not always easy or convenient. Some family caregivers just can't leave their job every time somebody needs a ride to the doctor, much less even to the grocery store. In rural areas where there are no other options such as public transportation, the need is even greater. Melissa Stern, the Community Health Worker for Sanford in Hillsboro has been working with groups such as Valley Senior Transportation and others to provide transportation for those in need, such as residents of Kiwanis Housing, to get to medical, dental appointments or even trips to the bank. Many residents lack the ability or finances to get to their appointments, and may not qualify for other community resources. Melissa is spearheading an effort to provide assistance to those in need. There are three ways in which you could help;

- 1) Volunteer as a driver. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of the church.
- 2) Donate toward the cost of "punch cards" for rides on the Senior Transport van. Donations may be sent to the Hillsboro Senior Center.
- 3) Donate gas cards in increments of \$5-10. Cards can be left here at church in envelope addressed to Dcn Curt, or mailed to him directly.

More information is also available in the back of the church. Thank you.

### Please Pray For Those Who Are Sick & Suffering

**St. Rose:** Yvonne Anderson, Frank Witte, Erica Kritzberger, Pennie Feickert, Dennis Goltz, Darin Kolness, Karen Schumacher, Peggy Eblen, Kenneth Vettel, Francis Kritzberger, Kaden Pastian, Elaina Mueller

**St. William's :** Mary Sahl, Kathy Anderson, Jeff McKinnon, Wanda Thompson, Ashley Moore, Larry Goldade

## The Most Holy Trinity

We celebrate the Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity this Sunday, June 4th. The Trinity is "the mystery of one God in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit (Catechism of the Catholic Church, p. 902). The Church teaches: "The mystery of the Most Holy Trinity is the central mystery of Christian faith and life. It is the mystery of God in himself. It is therefore the source of all the other mysteries of faith, the light that enlightens them" (Catechism of the Catholic Church, #234, p. 62). We share in the divine life, the life of the Most Holy Trinity through the grace of Christ in Baptism. We pray that the Holy Spirit may help us to give witness to Jesus our Savior to the glory of God our Father. Let us praise the one God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, with our lives. --- Msgr. Skonseng

## 100th Anniversary Celebration of Catholic Charities North Dakota

Catholic Charities of North Dakota is celebrating 100 years of service by hosting parties throughout the state. The dates and locations of these parties are: June 6th: The Dakota Zoo in Bismarck will be open to the public with refreshments in the evening. June 7th: The Roosevelt Zoo in Minot will be open to the public with refreshments in the evening. June 20th: Bonanzaville in Fargo from 5:30 to 8:30 pm. June 21st: The Myra Museum in Grand Forks from 5:30 to 8:30 pm. Please join us as we celebrate our fabulous clients, our faithful supporters, our awesome staff, and 100 years of life changing work here at Catholic Charities North Dakota.

### Men's Retreats: Made for

#### **Greatness Men's Retreat: July 14-16, 2023 at Stiklestad Lodge, Fort Ransom.**

For the first time ever in the Diocese of Fargo, Bishop Folda will be presenting the Made for Greatness Men's Retreat on July 14-16 at Stiklestad Lodge near Fort Ransom, ND. Made for Greatness retreats are known for their invigorating brotherhood, great food, and profound spiritual insights, all within a fully masculine context.

Situated in the midst of the National Eucharistic Revival, the theme for the retreat will be "My flesh for the life of the world" (John 6:51). Come and be formed by the spiritual father of our diocese, and encounter our Eucharistic Lord in a way you never have before. You can find out more information or register at [www.fargodiocese.org/mfg-retreat](http://www.fargodiocese.org/mfg-retreat). This retreat has been filling up quickly, and there are just a handful of slots left, so be sure to grab your spot before they are gone.

#### **Iconography Workshop/Retreat: June 25-30, 2023 at Maryvale Retreat Center, Valley City**

Learn to paint an icon with *no previous art experience necessary!* The Diocese of Fargo is sponsoring an iconography workshop and retreat at Maryvale Retreat Center, Valley City. Each participant will learn how to paint/write an icon depicting the Mother of God with the Child Jesus. The price is \$1025 and includes all supplies, accommodations and meals. There will be Mass and personal prayer time each day. The Instructor is Christi Jentz, a professional iconographer who has taught many classes to beginners and advanced students. Information and registration: [fargodiocese.org/art-retreat](http://fargodiocese.org/art-retreat) or call Mary Hanbury 701-356-7909.

#### **Open House at Women's Pregnancy Center**

You are welcome to the Open House at the new location and in the new space of the Women's Pregnancy Center on Tuesday, June 13th. The address is 2810 17th Avenue South, Grand Forks. The new name and the new logo for the Women's Pregnancy Center will be announced at the Open House. Remarks and ribbon cutting will be at 5:00 pm. Tours will be given until 7:00 pm. Light snacks will be provided.

#### **Beginning Experience**

A Beginning Experience Weekend for people who are divorced, widowed and separated will take place on June 23-25, 2023, at St. Francis Retreat Center, Hankinson, ND. Beginning Experience (BE) gives support to people who are going through the grief process the end of a marriage by divorce, the death of a spouse, or the pain and uncertainty of a separation. The Beginning Experience Weekend provides understanding, healing, and a new beginning in life to the participants. Monsignor Skonseng will be the Spiritual Director for the BE Weekend in June. For more information and application, please contact the BE local area representative for Fargo/Moorhead at 701-318-0949.



## Sixth Annual Rural Life Celebration

Please join the parishioners of St. Joseph's in Devils Lake on Sunday, July 2, 2023 at Terry and Paulette Haman's Farm, 9361 46th St. NE, Crary, ND 58327. Guests may begin to arrive at 1:30 pm. Blessing of land, animals, and farm machinery will begin at 2:00 pm followed by a 2:30 pm Mass on the farm. A meal and entertainment will follow. The farm is located .25 miles North and .5 miles east of Crary. For more information visit [www.fargodiocese.org/rural-life](http://www.fargodiocese.org/rural-life). Please RSVP at: (701) 662-7558 or [stjosephchurch@gondtc.com](mailto:stjosephchurch@gondtc.com). Remember to bring a lawn chair or blanket to sit on. You may also bring a container of soil from your fields or garden to be blessed. This event is FREE.

**Thank You:** Thank you to Adriana Braun for the painting the "Holy Spirit" white dove painting for our Altar. Adriana's time and talent were so appreciated for our Pentecost celebration.

