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.



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

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Parish Office: 701-636-4541 www.strosehillsboro.church

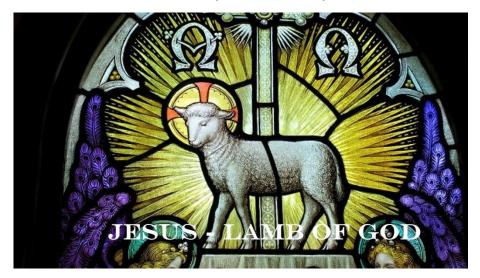
St William's of Norwich Catholic Church

107 Drake Ave Argusville, N.D. 58005

Parish Office: 701-484-5211

www.stwilliamschurch.org

January 14, 2024 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



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

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

Mass Times: Intentions

Jan. 15th Mon. 8:30 AM Mass +Kenneth Vettel

Jan. 16th Tue. 6-7 Adoration 7:00 PM Mass +Christian Roettler

Jan. 17th Wed. 8:30 AM Mass +Carolyn Gross

Jan. 18th Thur. 8:30 AM Mass +Daniel & Elizabeth Downs

Coffee & Rolls following Mass in Social Hall

Jan. 19th Fri. 9:30 AM Mass Care Center +Faithful Departed

Jan. 20th Sat Mass @ 5:00 PM St. Rose + Jim Beitz
Jan. 21st Sun. Mass @ 8:30 AM St. Rose Parishioners

Jan. 21st Sun. Mass @ 10:30 AM St. Williams +Magdelena &

Nikolaus Feist





Ministry Schedule: St Rose of Lima

Care Center: Reader Friday Jan 19th Cece Cotton

Mass at 9:30 AM

St. Rose of Lima

Saturday Jan. 20th Mass 5:00 PM

Lector: Paula Suda

Euch: Paula Suda & David Mueller Altar Servers: Hannah & Kara Mueller Gift Bearers: David & Jeanna Mueller Ushers: David & Jeanna Mueller

Money Counters: Dec. & Jan. Rich & Nancy Gehrke

Sunday Jan. 21st Mass 8:30 AM

Lector: Student Mass

Euch: Jordan Hjelle & Cece Cotton

Altar Servers: Jacob & Bryce Miller, Austin Cotton

Gift Bearers: Youth

Ushers: Paul Geray & David Mueller

St. Williams

Sunday Jan. 21st Mass @10:30 AM

Reader: Lacee Steinberger

EM: Liz Thompson & Luke Steinberger

Servers: Aubrie Margerum & Eli Steinberger

Cleaners/ Coffee- Rolls:

Church Information **Staff**

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Lacee Steinberger (DRE St Williams)

(Council Chair St Williams)

Kirk Howatt

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 William's Church will be hosting Holy Heavenly Hotdish fundraiser,** Sunday January 28th from 1130pm-130pm. Free will offering meal and silent auction event. All proceeds will benefit our Catholic Youth Organization and Altar Society. For questions about the event please contact Lisa Steinberger 701-430-2318 and Amanda Davidson 701-629-0281.

St. Rose CCD & DRE corner:

Sun, Jan 14: Join us from 1-3pm at the FARGODOME to pack rice/veg meals for Feed My Starving Children. Contact Andrea to register (319-505-7632).

- * Wed, Jan 17: CCD students will actively learn about the Holy Eucharist. Please be sure students attend this fun session!
- * Sun, Jan 21: 8:30 Youth Mass at St Rose. Confirmation retreat for 3rd gr + parents: 11:30 lunch 3:00 at St William's church in Argusville.
- * Wed, Jan 24: Circle of Grace safe environment lessons during CCD time. Watch for letter to be sent home with students.
- * Wed, Jan 31: parent meeting for 2nd gr Reconciliation 6:30-7:30pm in family room
- * Sun, Feb 4: Reconciliation retreat for 2nd gr + parents 11:30 lunch 3:00 at St Rose
- * Sun, Feb 11 (NOTE DATE CHANGE): 10:30 Youth Mass, followed by parish potluck!
- * UND Fighting Hawks hockey game. Friday, Mar 1, 7pm vs Western Michigan. St Rose has secured discounted tickets: \$15/youth, \$20/adult. Open to all parishioners + friends! Reserve through Andrea (cell 319-505-7632) before Jan 26.

St. Rose Parish Events.

Collection: Jan. 7th \$1527 CCD youth \$1500 K-C rolls \$194

Men's Group: Meet Wednesday at <u>6:30AM</u> full breakfast with discussion on the handout "Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy" Chapter 1 for Jan. 10th.

K-C's Pancake Breakfast: The Knights will be serving a pancake and sausage breakfast January 21st after the 8:30 Mass. Calendar drawing will also be held. Open to the public. Free will offering.

Free folding tables: There are 2 free Masonite folding tables to give away, were used for the manger and are no longer needed. They will be in the Centers hallway, first for the taking.

K-C Calendar drawing winners: Jan. 1 \$500 Carla Swanson. Jan 2 \$100 Kloe Ackerman Jan 3 \$100 Kathy Dullen. Jan 4 \$100 Richard & Bonnie Mueller. Jan.5 \$100 Steve Johnson. Jan.6 \$400 Alex Cotton. Jan.7 \$200 Thomas Vettel.

Real Presence Radio Banquet: Monday, Feb. 26, 2024 Fargo Delta Hotel 5:30-6:30 social hour 6:30 program & dinner. Cy Kellett speaker (host of "Catholic Answers Live"). If interested contact Msgr. Skonseng or Leo Paintner.

<u>Please Pray For Those Who Are Sick & Suffering</u> <u>St. Rose</u>: Yvonne Anderson, Pennie Feickert, Dennis Goltz, Karen Schumacher, Francis Kritzberger, Elaina Mueller, Deb Kritzberger, Jackie Lovas, Pat Elliot, Cel Baumgartner, Hank Geray, Sarah Cotton, Paul Breen, Bob Tabatt, Tom Salzwedel, Howard Cotton

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

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

The week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins on Thursday, January 18th, and ends on Thursday, January 25th, on the Feast Day of the Conversion of St. Paul, the Apostle. Please pray for unity among Christians, as Jesus prayed: "I pray not only for them, but also for those who will believe in me through their word, so that they may all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I in you, that they also may be in us, that the world may believe that you sent me" (John 17:20-21).

Peter's Pence Collection

Next weekend, January 20-21, we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection at the Masses to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. At St. Rose of Lima Parish, you may use the envelope in your box of offering envelopes. At St. William's Parish, you may use one of the envelopes placed on the table at the entrance of the church. Please write checks out to St. Rose of Lima Church or St. William's Church. Please be generous. For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/es.html.

Beautiful Eucharist

Beautiful Eucharist is a book produced by Matthew Kelly. The book is made up of reflections on the Holy Eucharist by several Catholics to tell us how Jesus is wonderfully present in the Eucharist to nourish and transform our lives. There are plenty of books remaining at the entrances to the church. Please take them for your family members, friends, other parishioners, and any Catholics whom you desire to have a close and grace-filled relationship with Jesus in the Eucharist.

Friends of Chimbote

The Friends of Chimbote is an organization which has its beginnings in the missionary work for Father Jack Davis, a priest from the Diocese of Fargo who served the poor in the city of Chimbote, Peru, most of his priesthood. The mission of the Friends of Chimbote is to transform the lives of the poor through education and action. The new Executive Director of Friends of Chimbote is Mike Smith, who is succeeding Todd Mickelson. Katie, Mike's wife, will be working closely with him on the mission of the Friends of Chimbote. Katie's maiden name is Breen, and she is from Hillsboro. Copies of The Journey, a publication for the community of Friends of Chimbote supporters, have been placed on the tables in the entrance of the church for you to take and read to think about how the Lord may be calling you to be part of this mission to transform the lives of the poor in Chimbote, Peru.

Retrouvaille: A Lifeline for Married Couples

A Retrouvaille weekend will take place on March 2-3 in Fargo. Retrouvaille offers a welcoming and loving space to couples who have been living with the misery of a failing marriage. Retrouvaille offers hope: hope that it is not too late, 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 provides help for marriage problems/difficulties/crises. For more information, call (701) 356-7903 or visit HelpOurMarriage.com.

Cursillo Retreat Coming This Winter

Cursillo is a simple program to help you get to know your Catholic faith and help you grow as a Chistian spiritually, mentally, actively and in community with other faith-filled Catholics. Cursillo is offering a men's retreat at the St. Francis Retreat Center in Hankinson on February 29-Mardch 3, and a women's retreat at the Maryvale Retreat Center in Valley City on March 14-17. For more information, men contact Gary Bausch at (701) 490-0679, and women contact Natasha Volchenko at (701) 849-2040.

9 Days for Life: Pray to Protect Human Life! 9 days for life starts this week on Tuesday January 16th. 9 Days for Life is the US Catholic bishops annual novena surrounding the Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. prolife@usccb.org [undefined:prolife@usccb.org]

Synod Assembly for the Third Synod of the Diocese of Fargo

Bishop Folda called for this synod of the Diocese of Fargo on Pentecost Sunday, June 5, 2022. The last diocesan synod was in 1951. When Bishop Folda called for this synod, he said: I believe we can all see that we are living in an era of change both in our world and in our culture. Some of those changes are positive, and some of them are not. But in the face of those changes, the Church must come to a renewed understanding of her identity as a communion in Christ, the People of God, animated by the grace and gifts of the Holy Spirit. Our diocesan Church is one with the universal Church, and we share in the mission that Jesus gave to his apostles, to "go make disciples of all nations." Through this diocesan synod, we will gather in communion and charity to reflect upon the times in which we live, with all their opportunities and challenges. We will discern the grace of the Holy Spirit at work in our diocesan family, and we will accept once more the invitation of our Lord to proclaim the Good News of our faith to the world. Since the opening of the synod, the Diocese of Fargo has been preparing for the Synod Assembly through listening sessions throughout the diocese and in other ways. The Synod Assembly for the Third Synod of the Diocese of Fargo will soon take place on April 11-13, 2024, in Fargo. The Synod Assembly will include all active priests and deacons of the diocese, delegates from all parishes of the diocese, and other delegates chosen by Bishop Folda. The Directory for the Third Synod of the Diocese of Fargo states: "The purpose of the diocesan synod is to assist the bishop in the exercise of the office proper to him, namely, that of governing the Christian community" (p. 1). It states further: "This diocesan synod is not a parliament which puts the teachings of the Church up for a vote. Rather, it is an instrument for discerning the best way to make available the gifts of the Church, including her timeless doctrines, sacramental life, and pastoral care, to the people of Eastern North Dakota in our concrete circumstances" (p. 1).

Copies of the focus areas and questions to consider which Bishop Folda presented to us and a synod proposal sheet with a sample proposal are on the tables at the entrances of the church. You may take a copy and write up a proposal for the synod. If the Holy Spirit has placed some instruction or some action on your mind and heart for the diocesan synod to consider, please contact the priest, the deacon, or the delegate of your parish, of if you have written a proposal give it to one of them. The delegate of St. Rose of Lima Parish is Cody Kritzberger. His phone number is 701-430-3267. His email address is codykritz@gmail.com. The delegate of St. William's Parish is Daniel Gingrey. His phone number is 701-219-4698. His email is degingrey@hotmail.com. Bishop Folda has asked all of us to pray for this synod during our Eucharistic Revival. Copies of the Synod Prayer are on the tables at the entrances of the church. Please pray for the Holy Spirit to guide this Synod Assembly. --- Msgr. Skonseng

Welcome to Parish Meeting about the Synod of the Diocese of Fargo with Cody Kritzberger, Delegate

All members of St. Rose of Lima Parish are welcome to meet with Cody Kritzberger, our parish delegate to the Synod Assembly of the Diocese of Fargo, on Sunday, January 21st, after the 8:30 AM Mass in the Parish Center. The meeting will begin after the drawing held by the Knights of Columbus around 9:45 AM. You can share with him the needs of our parish, the ministries and services which will respond to these needs, and what the Holy Spirit is saying to you about what is most important for the mission of the Church today. You may also write up a proposal on the proposal sheet available in the synod materials at the entrances of the church and give it to Cody.

The Catholic Leader

You are welcome to take a copy of the magazine, The Catholic Leader, home for your spiritual reading. The Catholic Leader is a family magazine dedicated to providing wholesome and inspirational reading for the enjoyment and enrichment of Catholics. It is free. Copies are given and shipped to our parishes for no cost.

Prayer and Reflection on the Holy Eucharist

What are the thrones and pedestals I keep stored in my heart for other seemingly important people that block the way of Jesus? Lord Jesus, I am sorry for the clutter that prevents you from working deeply in my life when I receive you in the Eucharist; Lord, speak the word of healing for me.