

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 3rd St SE Hillsboro, N.D 58045

Parish Office: 701-636-4541

www.strosehillsboro.church

St William's of Norwich Catholic Church

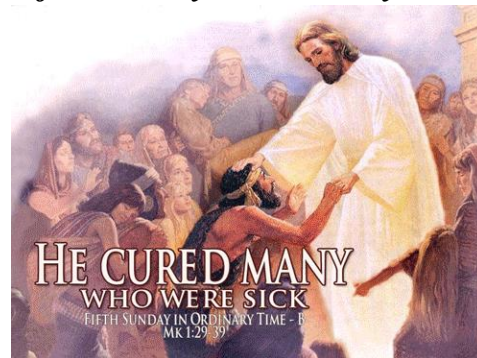
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February 4, 2024

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Each of us has his or her special needs, and perhaps some fear. We suffer with our Health, with a lack of Security or Meaning; we feel Alone. Our secular world likewise has its special needs: we yearn for hope, justice, freedom, leadership, a respect for life – to name just a few! Jesus invites us all to come to Him with faith, leaving behind our paralyzing fears, to be healed as we make our requests. When God heals us, we should respond as Simon's mother-in-law did. "She waited on them," that is to say, she recognized that she was healed for a purpose. Worship of God is the first and primary mission for which the Lord heals us because by giving God worship, we recognize that only His grace can save us. When we experience the healing power of the Lord, we are called to share his mercy with all the brokenhearted. The Lord cures us so that we might be his healing instruments for others, always at the service of the Gospel.

In these early weeks of the Church's Ordinary Time, we are reminded of our rich blessings with God's Life and Love in the person of Jesus! As men and women of faith, may we live and share that Life and Love with our sisters and brothers.

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

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

Mass Times:

Intentions

Feb. 5th Mon. No Mass

Feb. 6th Tue. 6-7 Adoration No Mass

Feb. 7th Wed. No Mass

Feb. 8th Thur. No Mass

Feb. 9th Fri. 9:30 Communion Service Care Center

Feb. 10th Sat Mass @ 5:00 PM St. Rose

+Nathan Ray

Feb. 11th Sun. Mass @ 8:30 AM S. Williams

+Ed Fritel

Feb. 11th Sun. Mass @ 10:30 AM St. Rose

Parishioners



Ministry Schedule:

St Rose of Lima

Care Center: Reader Friday Feb. 9th Patti Kritzberger &
Deacon Curt. Communion Service at 9:30 AM

St. Rose of Lima

Saturday Feb. 10th Mass 5:00 PM

Lector: Teri Wright

Euch: Teri Wright & David Mueller

Altar Servers: Hannah & Kara Mueller

Gift Bearers: Kay Hoff & Jen Johnson

Ushers: David & Jeanna Mueller

Money Counters: Feb. & March- Sydney & Jody Schill

Sunday Feb. 11th Mass 10:30 AM

Lector: Children Mass

Euch: Chuck Beeen & Tammy Kaufman

Altar Servers: Morgan Ptacek, Archer Ktirzberger, Rowdy Boeddeker

Gift Bearers: Youth **Ushers:** Cody Kritzberger & Jen Johnson

St. William's

Sunday Feb. 11th Mass @8:30 AM

Reader: Loralie Fritel **EM:** Julie & Tim Keckler

Servers: Isaac Davidson & Tucker Chadduck

Cleaners/Coffee/Rolls: Trisha Chadduck & Charlie Margerum

Fish Fry: St. William's Men's Club would like to invite everyone to join us for our 21st annual fish fry at the Argusville Community Center, on Friday February 16th from 4:30-7:00PM. Free Will offering (Suggested \$15 donation, Senior Citizen \$10) Children 6 and under are free. Money raised for special projects in our parish.

Church Information

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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. Rose CCD & DRE corner:

* Sun, Feb 11 (NOTE DATE CHANGE): 10:30 Youth Mass, followed by parish potluck!

SEARCH for Christian Maturity is a peer-to-peer ministry, allowing youth (ages 16 and 17) along with young adults (ages 18 and older) to minister to youth and young adults. SEARCH is a way to help you on your journey to discover God, yourself, and a Christian community. This is a time to experience a loving, supportive community of young people who want to learn and experience a closer relationship with God and with others. We have a retreat coming up March 1-3 at Maryvale Retreat Center in Valley City. More details and the application are at www.fargodiocese.org/search4cm or call Dori at 952-210-2219 with questions. Applications are due no later than Monday, February 12th.

St. Rose Parish Events.

Collection: Jan. 28th \$1408 Peter Pence \$60 CCD rolls \$240 Stipends \$220

Men's Group: Meet Wednesday at 6:30AM full breakfast with discussion on the handout "Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy". .

K-C Calendar drawing winners: Jan. 22nd \$100 Cole Paintner Jan. 23rd. \$100 Ryan Opdahl Jan. 24th \$100 Msgr. Skonseng. Jan. 25 \$100 Justin & Shari Gehrke Jan. 26th \$100 Jeff Eliason Jan. 27th \$400 Deb Kritzberger. Jan. 28th \$200 Leif Swenson Jan. 29th \$100 Melissa Kozojed Jan. 30th \$100 Tim Luithle Jan. 31st \$500 Stacey Smelden.

Upcoming events:

February 5th K-C meeting at 7:00 PM supper at 6:30

February 11th Children's Mass and parish pot luck after 10:30 Mass.

February 12th Altar Society meeting 7:00PM

February 14th Ash Wednesday Fish Fry 6:30-7:30

February 18th K-C Fun Night. 4:30-8:00 Social hour, supper & corn hole games.

<p><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, Sarah McWilliams</p>
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<p><u>St. William's :</u> Mary Sahl, Kathy Anderson, Jeff McKinnon, Ashley Moore, Larry Goldade</p>
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Thank You to Bill Kritzberger

We thank Bill Kritzberger for making and putting up the new bulletin boards for the posting of flyers, posters, and announcements. We will no longer be taping posters and announcements on the windows of the doors of the church. You can find news of events and announcements and other messages on the bulletin boards.

Adoration

On this Sunday, February 4th, we will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after the prayer after Communion at the 10:30 AM Mass. After the prayer after Communion, I will expose the Blessed Sacrament, and we will be in the presence of Jesus, adoring Him and praying to Him. Adoration will last a half hour. You can pray for a few minutes and go, or you can pray for the whole half hour and receive the Benediction at the conclusion. During the Eucharistic Revival, all parishes in the United States are encouraged to deepen their faith in and devotion to Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. --- Msgr. Skonseng

Monsignor Skonseng Away for Ski Trip

I will be away for a ski trip on February 5-10 with three other priests to Big Mountain, Whitefish, Montana. The three priests are Father Gary Luiten, pastor of Blessed Sacrament, West Fargo; Father Kurt Gunwall, pastor of St. Alphonsus, Langdon; and Father Eric Olsen, pastor of Our Lady of Peace, Mayville. There will be no daily Masses. There will be a Communion Service on Friday, February 9th, at 9:30 AM at the Care Center. If you need pastoral care, please contact Deacon Curt Kaufman at 701-430-3244. If there is an emergency and you need a priest, Deacon Curt will contact the priest who is on call.---Msgr. Skonseng

Times of Masses for Ash Wednesday, Beginning of Lent

Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, is Wednesday, February 14th. Masses at St. Rose of Lima Church, Hillsboro, will be at 7:30 AM and 5:30 PM. Mass at St. William's Church, Argusville, will be at 7:00 PM.

K-C Fun Night: Sign-up sheets are on the back white tables for this event Feb. 18th. See posters.

Blessing of Throats

The feast day of St. Blaise, bishop and martyr, is on February 3rd. He was believed to have been martyred in the persecution of Licinius, in the early fourth century. He was bishop of Sebaste in Armenia. St. Blaise is associated with the healing of throats because through his intercession a boy was saved from a fish bone stuck in his throat. I have the practice of transferring the blessing of throats to the nearest Sunday. Therefore, we will have the blessing of throats for anyone who wants to receive it at the end of the 5:00 PM Mass at St. Rose of Lima Parish on Saturday, February 3rd, the end of the 8:30 AM Mass at St. William's Parish on Sunday, February 4th, and after the Prayer of the Faithful during the 10:30 AM Mass at St. Rose of Lima Parish on Sunday, February 4th. --- Msgr. Skonseng

Reconciliation Retreat and First Reconciliation

The Reconciliation Retreat for children in the second grade takes place this Sunday, February 4th, from 11:30 AM to 3:00 PM beginning with lunch in the St. Rose of Lima Parish Center, Hillsboro. The children and their parents of both St. Rose of Lima Parish and St. William's Parish will participate in this retreat. During the retreat the children will celebrate the sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time. We do not publish the names of the children because of the confidentiality, privacy, and sacredness associated with this sacrament. Please pray that the children and their parents may experience the eternal mercy of God through the grace of Jesus who forgives the sins of all who turn to Him with sorrowful hearts. --- Msgr. Skonseng

Real Presence Radio Banquet

Members of St. Rose of Lima and St. William's Parishes are invited to attend the Real Presence Radio Banquet and sit together at the same table. We will host a table together. It will take place on Monday, February 26th, at Delta Hotels by Marriott in Fargo from 5:30-6:30 Social Hour and 6:30 Dinner and Program. Cy Kellett from Catholic Answers will be the speaker. If you are interested, please contact Msgr. Skonseng or Leo Paintner, or sign-up on the sheets on the back white table.

Prayer and Reflection on the Holy Eucharist

One very worthwhile meditation to return to frequently is to ponder how Christ has made it possible for me to receive his Body and Blood two thousand years after the first Eucharist. Lord Jesus, thank you for instituting the sacrament of your Body and Blood that I may receive today what you began at the Last Supper and consummated on the Cross at Calvary.

Meeting for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to Those Who Are Ill and Homebound

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion who are willing to take Holy Communion to those who are ill and homebound, please come to this meeting on Sunday, February 18th, at 3:00 PM in the church. The meeting will include prayer, training and instruction, and organization of a schedule of the Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion for taking Holy Communion to those who need and request it. Holy Communion is such a wonderful gift of Jesus. For those who are ill and homebound, Holy Communion gives them grace which they need from Jesus and unites them to Jesus and the Church.--- Msgr. Skonseng

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 Christian 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-March 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.

Synod Assembly for the Third Synod of the Diocese of Fargo

The Synod Assembly of the Diocese of Fargo will take place on April 11-13. Copies of 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, or if you have written a proposal give it to one of them. The delegate of St. Rose of Lima Parish is Cody Kritzer. His phone number is 701-430-3267. His email address is codykritz@gmail.com. The delegate of St. Williams' 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

Operation Andrew Dinner

Operation Andrew Dinner is an opportunity for boys and young men who are interested in the priesthood to eat dinner at the home of Bishop Folda on Tuesday, February 20th, at 5:30 PM. The evening will also include visiting with seminarians, priests, and Bishop Folda about the vocation, life, and ministry of priests. If you would like to go to this dinner with Bishop Folda, please contact Msgr. Skonseng by Monday, February 12th.

Vianney Discernment Weekend

The Vianney Discernment Weekend will take place on February 23-25 at the Maryvale Retreat Center, Valley City. This weekend is for young men, ages 16-30, to pray, think about, and discern the vocation of priesthood. There is no cost for this weekend, but registration is required by Wednesday, February 14th. Discerners may get further information and register at <https://www.fargodiocese.org/vdw>.

