

ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH

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St. Philip's Church

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Sister Parishes

St. Charles Pennington
Saturday at 4:00 PM
(Fishing Opener to Labor Day)

Holy Spirit Newman Center
BSU/NWTC
Sunday at 7:00 PM, Tuesday at 5:30 PM
(School year only)
1701 Birch Lane NE
218-444-4762

St. Philip's Clothing Depot

218-444-3835
Tuesday through Saturday
9:30 AM to 3:00 PM

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3rd Sunday of Easter and Confirmation Sunday Greetings,

This is an exciting weekend for the parish. The sacrament of Confirmation has a liturgical setting that calls us to receive and make use of the Gifts of the Holy Spirit in our lives. It is a wonderful celebration. I thought about the tendency of many to think Confirmation is equal to a graduation. I thought about sending a letter to all people who have been confirmed either recently or maybe some time ago. (Feel free to let me know your thoughts about the letter) It might be something like this:

Greetings to all confirmed in the Holy Spirit,

How are you doing: spiritually, mentally, and physically? It is my prayer that you are finding life fulfilling and satisfying. I hope you are taking the challenges of life in stride and are able to handle the ups and downs. You are in a transition period in your life. Life can be exciting and it can bring some real dangers, if the wrong choices are made.

I hope you are not suffering from a misconception about time after Confirmation. Some people think: Now that I am Confirmed, I am an adult in the eyes of the Church. My education is complete; I get to decide for myself if I will follow the practices of the Catholic Faith. I want to caution you, please do not ignore your faith practices. It will have eternal consequences if you make the wrong choices in life.

Sin is real, Hell is real, and the devil is real. God is real and with you in a tangible way. God's presence is called Grace. The Sacrament you received brought with it seven gifts. (In case you don't remember them by name they are: Wisdom, Understanding, Courage/Fortitude, Knowledge, Right Judgment, Piety, Wonder/Awe/ Fear of the Lord.) It is your choice which ones you will use. They are there for you. Which ones will help you in your adult life? That is why you chose to receive Confirmation. It is not a rite of passage. It is not about now I can make my own choices and I will not have to attend Mass. Mass attendance is important to our spiritual health. Jesus nourishes us body, mind and spirit through the Word of God and his Body and Blood.

For those confirmed in the last 8 years: Do you remember writing Bishop Hoepfner a letter that started like this: I hereby request the privilege of being confirmed in the Catholic faith because . . . (You wrote your reasons, explaining why you wanted to be confirmed and complete your Christian initiation.) You went on to describe how part of your preparation was to be a good steward of your time and talents. You shared with Bishop how you used your gifts by... (Describing your service work and how you felt about it). How are you doing?

You chose a saint's name to be your intercessor and to guide you. Are you praying to your patron saint and asking for help?

How are you doing in assisting your chosen parish by being a lector, a server, an usher, a greeter, in the choir etc. After Confirmation we wanted to commission you in your role as a liturgical minister to aid the parish in regular celebrations.

The passage to adulthood is serious business and has a major impact on how we will act in our adult lives. I take your transition to adulthood seriously and pray you do also. I pray for you as a member of this parish daily.

Blessings on your day! Fr Chuck

Your Parish Representatives:

Parish Council Members: Wanda Baumgartner, Kevin Erpelding, Anita Froelich, Gary Gregg, Mike Headlee, Jodi Maki, Brent Rud, Theresa Wilander

Finance Council Members: Nick Berg, Eileen Bretschneider, Jeff Cwikla, Claude Sand, Shannon Schmitt

School Council Members: Bill Maki, Jaclyn Bergerson, Roben Beyer, Tiffany Fankhanel, Laura Schwindt, Trudy Peterson

Trustees: Joann Gardner, Hank Krigbaum

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Third Sunday of Easter

April 19, 2015

Cry out to the Lord,
all the earth!

MASS INTENTIONS For April 20 - April 26

Monday, April 20:

No Mass Today

Tuesday, April 21:

No Mass Today

No Newman Mass Tonight

Wednesday, April 22:

No Mass Today

Thursday, April 23:

7:00 AM Mass: +Anna Yavarow

10:30 AM Mass (Gold Pine): Poor Souls in Purgatory

10:30 AM Communion Service (Neilson Place)

Friday, April 24:

8:30 AM Mass: +John Ovsak

Saturday, April 25:

8:30 AM Mass: +Edna Eide

5:30 PM Mass: For the People

Sunday, April 26:

7:30 AM Mass: +Mary Larson

9:00 AM Mass: +Lynne Molacek

11:00 AM Mass: +Darrell Tufto

7:00 PM Mass (Newman): +Bernard Anderson

Monday, April 20

9:00 AM to 9:00 PM Adoration (Chapel)

3:30 PM Girl Scout Troop 825 (Social Hall)

3:30 PM Cub Scouts (Social Hall)

Tuesday, April 21

6:00 AM to 9:00 PM Adoration (Chapel)

3:15 PM Little Flowers (Social Hall)

7:00 PM Men's Basketball (Gym)

7:30 PM Marian Devotions (Chapel)

Wednesday, April 22

9:30 AM Rosary for Schools (Chapel)

5:30 PM to 6:20 PM Family Faith Night Meal (Social Hall)

6:30 PM Family Faith Night (Social Hall)

Thursday, April 23

School Accreditation Team Visit

12:00 PM to 9:00 PM Adoration (Chapel)

7:00 PM Prayer & Praise (Chapel)

Friday, April 24

School Accreditation Team Visit

8:05 AM Morning Prayer (Chapel)

8:30 AM to 4:00 PM Book Fair (Social Hall)

5:00 PM Adoration (Chapel)

6:00 PM St. Philip's School Spring Gala (BTCC)

Saturday, April 25

9:30 AM First Eucharist Activity Morning (Social Hall)

4:30 PM KC BBQ Rib Dinner (Social Hall)

4:30 PM Reconciliation (Chapel)

Sunday, April 26

8:35 AM Rosary for Peace (Chapel)

9:00 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word (St. Gregory/Grt Rm)

10:15 AM Rosary for Peace (Chapel)

5:00 PM Holy Hour (Chapel)

The annual Diocese of Crookston Clergy Conference will be held from Monday, April 20 through Wednesday, April 22. For that reason there will be no Morning Prayer or daily Masses celebrated at St. Philip's or the Newman Center on those days.

Please pray for Fr. Chuck and Fr. Don that they have a fulfilling conference with their brother priests.

Bible Readings for the Week of April 20 ~ April 26

Monday, Apr 20:

- Acts 6:8-15
- Ps 119:23-24,26-27,29-30
- Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday, Apr 21:

- Acts 7:51-8:1a
- Ps 31:3cd-4,6,7b,8a,17,21
- Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday, Apr 22:

- Acts 8:1b-8
- Ps 66:1-3a,4-7a
- Jn 6:35-40

Thursday, Apr 23:

- Acts 8:26-40
- Ps 66:8-9,16-17,20
- Jn 6:44-51

Friday, Apr 24:

- Acts 9:1-20
- Ps 117:1bc,2
- Jn 6:52-59

Saturday, Apr 25:

- 1 Pt 5:5b-14
- Ps 89:2-3,6-7,16-17
- Mk 16:15-20

Sunday, Apr 26:

- Acts 4:8-12
- Ps 118:1,8-9,21-23,26,28,29
- 1 Jn 3:1-2
- Jn 10:11-18

INFORMATION & ACTIVITIES

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

Parents or prospective parents who wish to present a child for Baptism are asked to attend a baptism preparation class.

The next session will be on May 5 . Please call the Parish Office at 444-4262 to register, or for more information.



St. Philip's Catholic Community welcomes through the waters of baptism, **Scout Everly Lauer**, daughter of Michael & Anna Lauer, and **Kendrick Glenn Amos**, son of Jersun & Sarah Amos. May they be filled with the Holy Spirit!

St. Philip's extends condolences to the families of **Marcus Moris**, father of Mark Moris, **Cheryl Allen**, mother of Greg Allen, and **Larry Stanek**. May they find rest and peace, & may their families find comfort in God's love.



New Evangelization Summit April 24/25, 2015

Be inspired, receive formation, and connect with other Catholics at the New Evangelization Summit. Join over 4,000 Catholics across the USA and Canada for this premier conference on the New Evangelization. The conference will feature Scott Hahn, Fr. Michael Gaitley, Ralph Martin, Patrick Coffin, JoEllen Gregus, Fr. James Mallon, Ken Yaskinski and Michael Dopp. The NES has been designed to inspire you and help you live out your personal call to evangelize. FARGO is incredibly excited to be a host site for NES. The conference will be webcasted live from Ottawa to Fargo. Register now at www.newevangelization.com Fargo Location: Shanley HS; 5600 25th St. S, Fargo. Doors open at 6pm Friday and finishes by 4:30pm Saturday. Cost: \$50/participant. For questions, call 701.356.7908.

ATTENTION SOFTBALL PLAYERS

There are people interested in having a parish softball team for summer league. We need a manager!!! Interested? Contact Fr. Don.

2nd COLLECTION - APRIL 25/26

The **Catholic Home Missions Appeal** will take place next week. One way that this appeal works to strengthen home mission dioceses in the United States is by funding seminarian formation in poor dioceses. The blessing of seminarians places a financial burden on these dioceses, where educating each seminarian costs \$35-40K per year. Your support is needed for these young men so that they might go back and serve their parishes. Please **strengthen the Church at home** by prayerfully making a gift to next week's appeal.

HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE

The monthly Holy Hour on Sunday, April 26th at 5 PM will include a special intention this month. St. Gianna's Group, a pro-life group within the parish, is sponsoring the Holy Hour as a time of prayer for the pro-life cause. Deacon Kermit will preside. All are welcome to attend and to lift up our voice before Christ pleading for the end to abortion and the respect of each and every human life.



Lives Saved ~ 632

February 18 – March 29

BREAKING NEWS (APRIL 13, 2015) - Two of the three abortion facilities where 40 Days for Life campaigns have been held in the metropolitan Mexico City area were just shut down. One of the nation's leading abortion centers, a Marie Stopes facility in the Roma neighborhood was shut down by the government for numerous violations, following the just-completed 40 Days for Life campaign.

Prayer volunteers in the Mexico City area are thanking God for the recent development and praying that the closures remain permanent. For further coverage visit www.40daysforlife.com (April 13, 2015 article).

NEXT HOUR OF PRAYER AT PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF BEMIDJI: Saturday, May 16; 1-2 PM

STEWARDSHIP OF FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Fiscal Year July 1, 2014 ~ June 30, 2015

Week #41 Contributions (received the weekend of 4/12/2015)	Envelopes	\$21,019.37	Fiscal Year to Date (Week #41): Amount Contributed
	EFT Env.	\$ 0 -	
	Loose Plate	\$ 825.41	
	Children's	\$ 8.96	
	Total	\$21,853.74	
	Envelopes	\$ 647,862.19	
	Loose Plate	\$ 35,018.88	
	Children's	\$ 2,044.23	
	Total	\$ 684,925.30	

STEWARDSHIP - A HABIT OF THE HEART

(96.60% of budget)



DOES GOD CARE ABOUT YOUR MARRIAGE? YOU BET!

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Northern Minnesota Ministry



Find out how much on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. Marriage Encounter is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones and focus only on each other.

The next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends** are May 1-3 & July 17-19 in Buffalo, MN, September 11-13 in International Falls, MN & Irene, SD, October 9-11 in Buffalo, MN & November 20-22 in Prior Lake, MN & Medora, ND. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: northmnwwme.org or contact Alan & Missy at applications@northmnwwme.org or 888-455-3496.



Baby Bottle Fundraiser

Northwoods Pregnancy Care Center (NPCC) is, once again, doing a baby bottle fundraiser for 2015! This weekend, April 18/19 baby bottles will

be available in the narthex. Use the next month or so to fill the bottle with loose change, paper money or a check to help the Care Center. Return the bottles to the church or the parish office anytime until Father's Day.

This is a very important part of the Center's fundraising efforts. This year the need is especially great as Center has purchased a brand new ultrasound machine. This is used to help clients see the window to the womb and see the new baby forming inside. It is very effective in changing minds and hearts to believe in the life of the child- and ultimately, in saving lives.

NPCC is a Christ Centered ministry whose mission is to promote a culture of life in our society in order to serve people experiencing an unplanned pregnancy. We strive to be the hands and feet of Jesus Christ to the women who come through our doors.

In 2013, we served 27 clients. In 2014, we served 35 clients. This year we are on track to serve even more than last year.

We are being effective in our community in helping women to choose life for themselves and their babies. As already stated, the baby bottle fundraiser is one of the main fund raising activities of the year. The NPCC relies on the local community for support.

Thank you for believing in our ministry and helping those in need. Please give generously to this life saving ministry.

BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITY

We have a new video Bible Study beginning soon on the *Book of Exodus*. We would like to welcome some new members to our established group. Please consider joining us. Our first night will be April 28th. We meet on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 PM and we generally wrap up around 8:00 PM. We will gather here at St. Philip's in the Social Hall. To sign up for the group or for more information please call Deacon Kermit at 444-4262.

MARRIAGES & BANNS ~ Please join us in praying for all newly married couples & those preparing for the Sacrament of Matrimony:

*Kevin Murphy and Krystal Rajdl
Exchange of Vows on May 23, 2015*

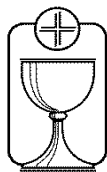
*Rob Wentz and Shari Rolandson
Exchange of Vows on August 1, 2015*

*Dylan Renner and Miranda Thomas
Exchange of Vows on August 1, 2015*

*Joseph Welle and Marisa Locke
Exchange of Vows on August 8, 2015*

*Matt Hemstad and Marisa Mullen
Exchange of Vows on October 30, 2015*

FAITH FORMATION



First Eucharist Prayer Partner Cards

First Eucharist Prayer Partner cards are due by April 24. Cards can be dropped off at the Faith Formation Office, Parish Office or put in the collection. Questions contact Kris Jensen at 444-5849.



Faith Formation Registration for 2015 - 2016

Please drop your Faith Formation registration forms off at the Parish Office. If you need registration forms, contact Kris Jensen at 444-5849.

Discover God's Plan

4U=Jesus! at SonSpark Labs!

Please join us as we experiment with fun and excitement at SonSpark Labs! August 3 to 7, 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM. Registration forms available at the Faith Formation and Parish Office. SonSpark Labs is for children 3 (by September 1, 2014) through 4th Grade (2014 to 2015 school year). Contact Kris for additional information at 444-5849.



ST. PHILIP'S SCHOOL



April 18/19

- Our school Mass this week will be on **Thursday, April 23**, at 8:40 AM. The students of Mrs. Lindseth's class will be our Mass ministers. Please join us. (There will be no Mass on Wednesday, April 22.)
- This week, a team of individuals representing MNSAA (Minnesota Nonpublic Schools Accrediting Association) will be visiting our school to validate the great things that are happening here. If you have the opportunity, please share your opinions of St. Philip's School with them. On Wednesday and Thursday evenings random school families will receive phone calls from members of the team. They will probably be using their cell phones to make the calls, so on those nights, please respond to the unknown number. Thank you.
- Family Faith Night is Wednesday, April 22, beginning at 6:30 PM. Bring the whole family and learn about our Catholic faith. Bishop Hoeppner will be here.
- The Spring Gala will be held at the Country Club on Friday evening, April 24. This is your last chance to get a ticket for this fabulous affair.
- 1st Eucharist Activity Morning is Saturday, April 25, beginning at 9:30 AM. All students preparing to receive the sacrament of Holy Eucharist should attend.
- The Spring Book Fair will be open to the public beginning Monday, April 27.
- Our Kindergarteners will perform for family and friends on Thursday, April 30, at 2:15 PM. in the church. All are welcome to attend.
- Get Safe Environment Certified now. Go to www.crookston.org and follow the Safe Environment prompts. Anyone who volunteers or works in the school needs to attain certification annually. (July 1 starts the new year of certification.) Thanks.

St. Philip's School Spring Gala

Friday, April 24, 2015

Bemidji Town & Country Club

Happy Hour: 6pm ~ Dinner: 7:15pm

Tickets are \$100 per person

Tickets may be purchased at the Parish or School Offices, or after Masses on select weekends. **Table sponsorships are available.* Questions may be directed to:

Tim Dondelinger: 766-2900

Kevin Erpelding: 766-6736

Jim Fankhanel: 766-5856

The 2015 St. Philip's Spring Gala is just around the corner and promises to be a fun-filled night for all who attend. Included with your Spring Gala ticket is admission to the event and a delicious dinner. The event also features a silent auction that will include a Weber Genesis gas grill, a set of braces and treatment from Dr. Bret Cooper (\$4500 value), a 1-week stay at Stennes & Buhn's Moose Lake Resort in Pennington, a Honda generator, and many other exciting goods and services. Also there will be a Ken K. Thompson diamond giveaway, and two guns will be raffled off.

Don't miss the opportunity to help support St. Philip's School and its long standing tradition of excellence. All proceeds will benefit tuition and scholarship programs at St. Philip's School.



Knights of Columbus

BBQ RIB DINNER

Saturday, April 25

4:30-7:30pm



**St. Philip's Social Hall
Open to all!**



**Menu: BBQ Ribs, AuGratin Potatoes,
Vegetables, Dinner Rolls, Cookies &
Beverage**

Adults \$10.00

Children 5 - 12 \$5.00

Children Under 5 Free

Chicken Strips for children by request

TAKEOUT AVAILABLE

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SAVE THE DATE...

Volunteer Appreciation Picnic Supper

Tuesday, May 19

Between 5:00 and 7:00 PM

St. Philip's Social Hall

*If you volunteer anywhere
in the parish or school, you
and your family are invited
to be our guests!*

*Thank
You!*



Parking Lot Sale

Thinking about spring cleaning or having a garage sale this summer? Why not donate or rent a booth at St. Philip's Youth Ministry Parking Lot Sale... all proceeds help sponsor youth mission trips.

*Booth's are available to rent /\$25
contact Paula in the Youth Office for
more information. Sale is
Saturday, June 20th, 8am-4pm.*

Family Faith Night **WEDNESDAY, April 22 at 6:30 p.m.**

An opportunity for the family to learn and grow in faith together. This night is for ALL St. Philip's Families in Faith Formation, School and members of the parish community!!

We will be learning about the Sacraments of Healing led by Bishop Michael Hoeppner. People will have the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. The night will include praise and worship, discussion, family learning, Anointing of the Sick and closing prayer. Family members will learn about our faith together; they will not be separated. Childcare will be available for younger children. Please contact Kris if your family will need childcare by April 20.

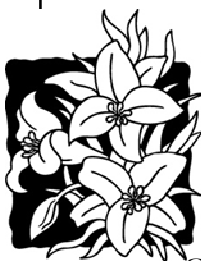
A free-will offer meal will be provided from 5:30 to 6:20 in the Social Hall. Please come and join us!

Questions: Kris Jensen at 444-5849 or Paula DeClusin at 444-4262 x107

Newsboys Concert

- **Middle School and High School Youth are Welcome to attend!**
- **Cost is \$10 per ticket**
- **Registration forms are required and are available in the Youth Office.**
- **Ticket's are limited, so please register early.**

Saturday, April 25th
'We Believe...God's Not Dead'
St. Philip's Youth Ministry is
going the Newsboys concert
at the Sanford Center.



Easter Lilies

*Easter flowers for 2015 are Given
In Memory or in Honor of the following:*

Grandma Ma by the Ballan Family

+Stephanie Vencel Leikvoll by Stephen & Betty Vencel

+Our Grandparents by Eric & Tracie Walter

Deceased Members of Mary Westrum Family

+Anna Rose Yavarow and +Kathryn Marie Yavarow
by Mike & Carrie Yavarow

+Donald R. Toenyan by Terri Toenyan

Tim Haag, Paige Haag, Hannah Haag, Marie Matter, and
Frank Matter Sr. by John & Paulette Haag

+Sophie & Jerry Huderle, +John & Betty Huderle,
+Madonna Bruneau, +Helen & Edwin Barrett

by Lillian Huderle

Merritt & Brandon Lenk

+Joe Senger, +Ed Senger, +Dorothy Boehm, & +Art Miller
by Fran Miller & Family

Harold & Marion Novodvorsky

+Ted & Eva Nylund by Karen & Lee Schaar

Family & Friends of Lisa & Jay Sharpe Family by Lisa Sharpe

+Gary Morse by Mark & Brenda Thorson

+Tom Gray, and +Clarence & Elizabeth Christlieb
by Stephen & Cheryl Christlieb

Martin & Mary Yerbich

+Tom Gray & +Nellie Johnson by Moe & Marleen Webb

Mary Wang

Nick & Bryna VonHoldt

George & Jean Taus

Dan & Kathy Shea

+Deacon Mike Tolin by Tony Schussman

Paul & Barb Schmitz

+Jean Rude by Dan & Darcy Rude

+Doris Robinson, and +Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Robinson
by Richard Robinson

+Donald & Marie Blanche Snyder
by Sandra & Tim Reitmeier

Don & Jan Pohl

Leonilda Burke

Our Parents by Dave & Jane Wilcox

+Our Parents and in Honor of Our Family
by Charlie & Jean Patnode

+Dwight Myhrer by Mrs. Barb Myhrer

Bob & Pam Murray

+Gerald Morin and +Josaphine & Simon Dionne
by Eleanor & Craig Morin

+Ann Schickle, +Bob Schmickle, & +Roger Schmickle
by Bobbie Mikkelsen

Tom & Judy Kriz

Mark & Mary Karzon

+Jack Hunt & +Dorothy Hunt by Jon & Gwen Hunt

Conway & Jenkins Family Members by Duane & Lois Jenkins

+Frank & LaVerna Knox

by Mary Knox Johnson & Dwayne Johnson

Barry & Bobbi Karpinski

+Wayne & Barbara Nessman by Julie Huewe

Ernest Huderle

+Catherine Hadrava, +Mary Donat, +Sofie Kudak, and
Arlene Kudak by Brent & Pat Hadrava

Deceased Relatives and Friends by Marlys & Howard Harder

+Robert Hennebry by Neal & Maureen Holmstrom

+Tom Gray and +Ella & Elmer Granlund by Jvonne Gray

The Gish Family Intentions by Doug & Louise Gish

Gloria & Vernon Gary

+Margaret Fulton by William Fulton

Jess & Marcy Frenzel

Our Granddaughters by Marty & Shirley Fallon

Vance & Susie Balstad

+Bob Evans, +Bobbie Ann Evans, +B.J. & Catherine Selzler,
and +E.L. & Emma Evans by Marian Evans

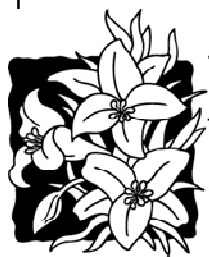
Patrick & Tami Erickson

+Archie Tolman, and Beverly Tolman by Kim Ellingson

Todd & Jennifer Djonne

+Jessica Daigle, +George & Charlotte Guertin,
+Vince & Mary Daigle by Ed & Gerri Daigle

+Kate Kehoe by Paul & Trish Brewinski



Easter Lilies

*Easter flowers for 2015 are Given
In Memory or in Honor of the following:*

Jerry & Suzanne Daniels

+Edward Conway by Lorraine Conway

+Gordy & Edna Nei, and +Sophia Grace Christiansen
by Gary & Janet Christiansen

Mother, Father, Brothers, & Sisters by Gerry Cardinal

+John Bujanovich by Leontine Bujanovich

+Bernard Schmidt by Jeanette & Family

Angie Beaulieu

Bill & Dawn Baumgartner

+Ben & Darlene Baumgartner, & +Ardis Hill
by John & Wanda Baumgartner

Scott & Lois Anderson

David Mendoza & Alicia Sandoval-Mendoza

The McCormick Family by the Henderson's

+Lyle Dosmann by Tammy Johnson & Family

Grandparents, Family, Teachers
by John & Shannon Schmitt

Mark & Nancy Studer

Parents & Siblings by Bob & Paula Lawler

+Tony & Elizabeth Okerlund, +Jack & Dorothy Hunt, &
+Debbie Hunt Roberts by Gene & Nancy Okerlund

+Ellouise Dahlgren & +Mary Lou Johnson
by Linda & Greg Carlson

Deceased Parents & Grandparents
by Neil & Rose Gallagher

Terry & Trish Jones

Kell Lovell

+Desmond H. Sagedahl & +Patricia Swenson
by Flavia Sagedahl

+Chuck Schmitt by Donna Schmitt

+John Seitz, +Ferdie & Christine Neft, +Betty & Wes Seitz,
+Kenny and Aggie Neft, +LaDonna Seitz, &
+Gerard Bahr by Wes & Marge Seitz

+Donald Tobin by His Family

+Tom & Ester Mohler, +Mae & Jim Vollmer, +Jameson
Welling, +Maria Vollmer, +Daniel Bruggeman, &
+Timothy Vollmer by Mark & Midge Mohler

+Henry & Anna Vonasek, and Frank & Florence Abbott
by Ralph & Ellen Vonasek

+Eugene Schmitt & +Teresa Schmitt
by Jim & Susan Schmitt

+Mary Ann Schweder by William Schweder

+Ted R. Anglesburg by Mary Anglesburg

+Ernest Bauer, +Chris Rutledge, the John Long Family,
the Earl Bauer Family by Charolett Bauer

+Lloyd Hoefer, +Thomas & Margaret Morrow
by Jennifer & David Hoefer

+Brian L. Kraft by Don & Bev Kraft

+Andrew & +Benedicto Mack, +Fred Smith, +Dick Rude
by Andy & Marge Mack

+Jack Hunt, +Dorothy Hunt, +Victor Hurt Jr.,
+Thelma Hurt by Vic & Pam Hurt

Sam & Melissa Brown

THANK YOU!

Dear Father Chuck Huck and all the parishioners of St. Philip's Church,

This is a letter from Sister Irene at Saint Elisabeth Convent in Minsk, Belarus. I had the pleasure of visiting your parish on the 19th of February with a display of religious articles and a brief presentation of our community.

On behalf of our sisters we would like to express our sincere gratitude to you and all the parishioners and the staff for the very warm welcome that we received, and for your support that makes it possible for us to continue our work.

Glory be to God that the trip was successful and with the proceeds from this visit we will be able to help drug and alcohol addicts at the monastery farmstead, mentally and physically challenged children and adults, as well as continue the construction of the church on the grounds of psychiatric hospital.

With deep gratitude and love in Christ,

Sister Irene, Brother Poul, and Sisters of St. Elisabeth Convent



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April 2015
Octave of Easter

My dear people,

Easter greetings to you! I am excited to be writing to you to share about the upcoming eighth World Meeting of Families that will be held in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania from September 22-28, 2015. This will be the first time the World Meeting of Families will be held in the United States.

The World Meeting of Families was started by Pope Saint John Paul II in 1994. Holding true to its initial mission, this international event continues to be held every three years in different locations, its purpose is "to strengthen the sacred bonds of families across the globe." As you know, this time last year we were in the midst of a special *Year of Marriage* here in the Diocese of Crookston. As way of yet another unique opportunity for us to continue to learn about and hold up God's plan for marriage. I invite and encourage you to consider being a part of this eighth World Meeting of Families.

To help make this event readily available to you, the Office of the New Evangelization of the Diocese of Crookston will be leading a pilgrimage to the Philadelphia meeting. The pilgrimage will include the opportunity to participate in the Sacraments, hear internationally known speakers, including Father Robert Barron and others, pray at national Shrines, and join me in the celebration of the Eucharist and in celebrating the Eucharist with our Holy Father, Pope Francis.

Details and expenses:

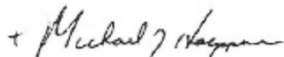
Pilgrimage Dates: September 22-28, 2015

Pilgrimage Starting Price per Person: Single (\$2,195) Double (\$1,795) Triple (\$1,675) Quad (\$1,575)
Registration deadline: June 15, 2015

Adult Conference Participation Fee: Ranges from \$125 to \$325 (depending on package requested)
Early registration deadline before prices gradually increase: April 30, 2015

What a wonderful and blessed pilgrimage this will be! I hope you will come along. To learn more, please visit our diocesan webpage dedicated to the eighth World Meeting Families found at the following link: <http://www.crookston.org/wmf> or call the Office of the New Evangelization at (218) 281-4533, ext. 425.

Sincerely, In the Name of the Lord Jesus,

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Most Reverend Michael J. Hoepfner
Bishop of Crookston

"Walking for Homelessness"

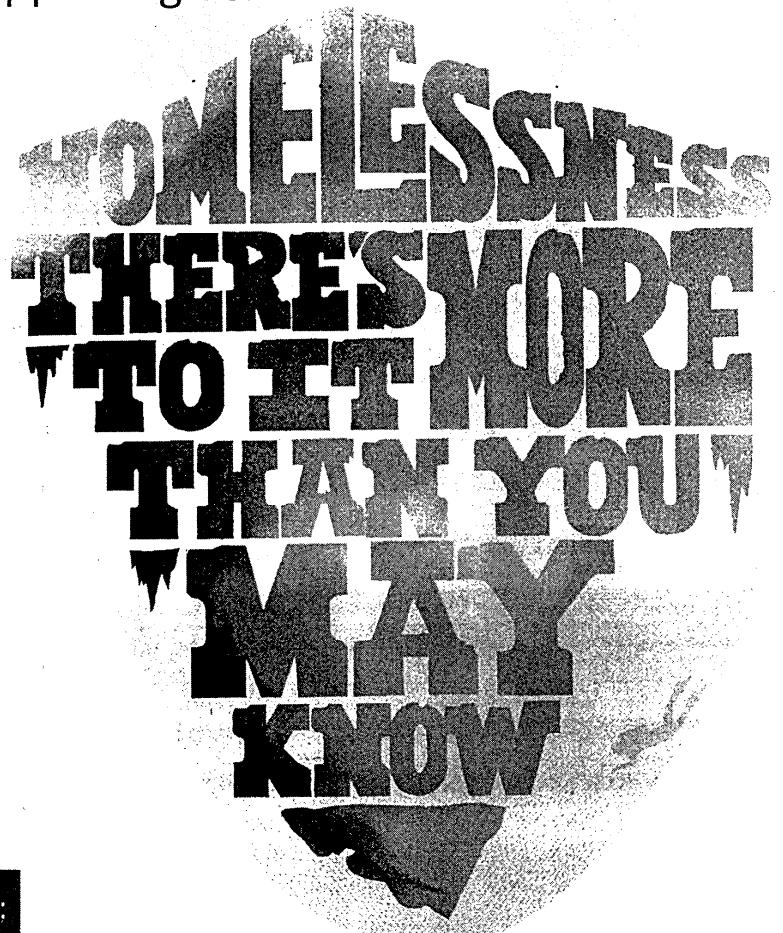
On Saturday May 2nd the students, in Fridays With The Father, at St. Philip's School will be "Walking for the Homeless". The students have chosen homelessness as their local cause through We Day. We will be walking around Lake Bemidji as a way to raise awareness of Homelessness in our community. Please help our cause.

Any donations of food or money would be greatly appreciated. Please bring them to the weekend Masses on May 2nd-3rd We will bring all of the donations to either the food shelf or to Servants of Shelter. Thank you for supporting us.

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— ACROSS THE —
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— WERE —
HOMELESSNESS

222,197
PEOPLE
— WERE —
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FAMILIES



IN A SINGLE NIGHT IN THE UNITED STATES:



*Come. Holy Spirit. Fill the hearts
of your faithful: and kindle in
them the fire of your love.*

**Congratulations to the 11th graders
who were Confirmed April 19, 2015**

Kaitlyn Berglund (*St. Dymphna*)

Josh Cervenka (*St. Michael*)

Jack Dockendorf (*St. Hubert*)

Erik Fitzgerald (*St. Sebastian*)

Rachel Gray (*St. Teresa of Avila*)

Nate Gubbels (*St. Hubert*)

Kayli Holcomb (*St. Teresa of Avila*)

Thomas Mykleseth (*St. Giles*)

Madison Maki (*St. Elizabeth Ann Seton*)

Katrina Marcotte (*St. Margaret of Antioch*)

Franny Mackenroth (*St. Francis of Assisi*)

Anna McLean (*St. Margaret of Scotland*)

Tucker Rockis (*St. George*)

Tatiana Smrekar (*St. Angela Merici*)

Noah Stalberger (*St. Paul*)

Tony Todavich (*St. Anthony*)

Brody Wilander (*St. Andrew*)

Ethan Youso (*Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati*)

Andrea Bunich (*St. Catherine*)

Brenton Columbus (*St. Eligius*)

Madisen Erpelding (*St. Cecilia*)

Tony Geerdes (*St. Anthony of Padua*)

Hannah Gregg (*St. Maria Goretti*)

Cody Hedstrom (*St. Luigi*)

Isaac Londo (*St. Cosmas*)

Heather Marsh (*St. Apollonia*)

Katie Peterson (*St. Cyprian*)

Lilly Revering (*St. Monica*)

Adriane Rickert (*St. Agnes*)

Drew Mystic (*St. Thomas the Apostle*)

Morgan Sagedahl (*St. Kateri*)

Sydney South (*St. Vitus*)

Chase Todavich (*St. Michael*)

Kaitlyn White (*St. Philomena*)

Cole Wright (*St. Luke*)



ST. PHILIP'S SCHOOL HONOR ROLL
3rd GRADING PERIOD
2014-2015



A HONOR ROLL

8TH GRADE:

Riley Berg
Andrew Dondelinger
Elise Fladeboe
Toby Glen
Hannah Leisenheimer
McKenzie Maki
Robert Mangiamele
Emma Muller
Hunter Olson
Will Schwindt
Emma Spaeth
Claudia Vincent
Leah Yavarow
Kinsey Younggren

7TH GRADE:

Blake Bergerson
Rylee Bradley
Caitlyn Herr
Mason Kornezos
Chase Mock
Melanie Richards
Nick Snell
Ellen Walters
Gwen Youso

6TH GRADE:

Allie Beyer
Michael Dickinson
Chelsey Gilbertson
Aaron Heger
Aaron Hoefer
Ella Martin
Sophia Morin
Viswanath Nair
Josh Nyberg
Aidan Spaeth
Paulo Tinsay
Nick Youso

5TH GRADE:

Lauren Berg
Amy Frenzel
Olivea Frenzel
Jaden Henderson
Abby Johnson
Gabby Johnson
Tristan Karzon
Paul Louvar



A HONOR ROLL (con't)

5TH GRADE (con't):

Ashley Maki
Sam Mutnansky
Tatum Offerdahl
Ava Spaeth
Emily Vincent
Bridget Westrum

B HONOR ROLL

8TH GRADE:

Jacob Frenzel
Josh Gilbertson
Matt Johnson
Julia Klisch
Maggie Marcotte
Cole Milz
Nick Schulke

7TH GRADE:

Reid Colley
Jason Gorski
Wyatt Harrom
Dylan Hanners
Jordyn Pollock
Taylor Sommerville

6TH GRADE:

Grant DeClusin
Jackson Gorski
Parker Maki
Hunter Marcotte
John McCalip
Ethan Pochardt
Garret Schwindt

5TH GRADE:

Cami Adams
Jenay Boucher
Jaxon Cole
Jack Fladeboe
Josef Lalli
Charlie McCalip
Colton Pickett
Cade Voge



MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Week of April 25 — April 26

	Apr 25, 5:30 PM Fourth Sunday of Easter	Apr 26, 7:30 AM Fourth Sunday of Easter	Apr 26, 9:00 AM Fourth Sunday of Easter	Apr 26, 11:00 AM Fourth Sunday of Easter
SACRISTAN	Marleen Webb	Al Foley	Mark Studer	Al Swedmark
LECTOR	Flavia Sagedahl Joanna Ferraro	Sue Bruns Cynthia Haskin	Kay Mack Cheryl Krystosek	Tony Schussman Mary Lou Peters
INTERCESSOR	Deacon Kermit	Deacon Kermit	Mary Walter	Marcia Fivizzani
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CAPTAIN	Betty Lindy	Jane Foley	Sue Hengel	Karen Williams
EMHC	Janet Weaver Barry Karpinski Heidi Hiscock Lynn Baird Tamara Ripplinger Lauren Weaver Jim LeClaire	Maggie McCalip Marge Seitz HELP NEEDED Brad Arel Patti Van Camp HELP NEEDED HELP NEEDED	Lorie Erpelding Joann Gardner George Gardner Mark Studer Pat Welch Doug Gish Louise Gish Zach Holcomb David LaZella	Doris Swedmark Tori Koch Paulette Kassa Jane Baukol Courtney Haskins Jennifer Noble Al Swedmark HELP NEEDED HELP NEEDED
HOSPITALITY - Usher	Terri Chmielewski Dave Hiscock Phil Hodapp HELP NEEDED	Bob McCalip Bob Murray Gary Bruns Ron Hendricks	Larry Mack Tony Nistler Mark Froelich Zach Froelich	Hank Imsande Don Pohl Chris Hanevold Mark Moris
HOSPITALITY - Fellowship		Marge Seitz Wes Seitz	Nancy Studer Kevin Erpelding Bob Griggs Susie Griggs	Marilyn Sundrud Pat Odegard Maureen Holmstrom Neal Holmstrom
HOSPITALITY - Greeter	Susan Burlingame Barbara Passeri	Wes Seitz Marian Qvern	Lois Jenkins Darlene Weber	Rosemary Pulczynski Wanda Doty

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