



## **Bulletin Insert**

**08-31-2014**

**NOTE: Thursday, September 4<sup>th</sup>, 5:45 PM Finance Council meeting and at 7:00 PM Pastoral Council meeting.**

**Guy Miller Memorial 5k Run/Walk/Crawl – Saturday, September 20<sup>th</sup> at Minto Community Center – Minto, ND. Race time: 9 AM.** Proceeds from this event benefit the Northeast Regional Water Operations Team, which helps in the search and rescue of victims in northeast ND. For registration, donations, or more information, please visit [www.guymillermemorial.com](http://www.guymillermemorial.com) or search for Guy Miller Memorial on Facebook. For questions, contact Kelly Schanilec at 701-520-0486.

**40 Days for Life – North Dakota starts Sept. 24!** Mark your calendars for the start of our state's 40 Days for Life campaign! The faithful of the Diocese of Fargo are encouraged to participate in the **National 40 Days for Life** campaign that will take place September 24 – November 2. The 40 Days of continuous prayer will begin with a prayer service on **Wed., Sept 24, 7 p.m.** in front of the abortion facility, 512, 1<sup>st</sup> Ave. No. in Fargo. 40 Days for Life is a three-fold effort of prayer – fasting – vigilance that will be conducted in all 50 states across our nation and internationally. Persons can sign up to take an hour vigilance at the state's only abortion facility in Fargo by contacting the Pregnancy Help Center at 701-284-6601 or [phc@polarcomm.com](mailto:phc@polarcomm.com). To learn more about the 40 Days for Life campaign go to: [www.40daysforlifend.com](http://www.40daysforlifend.com).

**Walk with Christ for Life –Respect Life Sunday – October 5** - Bishop Folda invites the faithful of the diocese to join him in the annual Eucharistic procession, *Walk with Christ for Life*, on Respect Life Sunday, Oct. 5. The day's events will begin with Holy Mass at Noon, Cathedral of St. Mary, 604 Broadway, Fargo. This will be followed by a prayerful, peaceful procession to the state's only abortion facility. A short prayer service will be held outside the abortion facility, and then those gathered will return to the Cathedral for Benediction. A lunch will be served by the Cardinal Muench Council Knights of Columbus in the church social hall after Benediction. The *Walk* is sponsored by the Diocese of Fargo Respect Life Office. For more information, call Rachele Sauvageau, (701) 356-7910.

**Rachel's Vineyard Retreat to be held Oct. 3-5:** A word from Pope John Paul II to those suffering because of abortion: "Do not give in to discouragement and do not lose hope... The Father of mercies is ready to give you his forgiveness and peace in the Sacrament of Reconciliation." If you or someone you know has suffered from the physical, emotional, and spiritual effects of a past abortion, there is hope for healing. Rachel's Vineyard offers a safe, non-judgmental, and confidential weekend retreat for anyone: women, men, grandparents, and siblings who struggle with the feelings of loss that can accompany an abortion experience. The weekend begins on a Friday night and concludes on Sunday afternoon. A Rachel's Vineyard Retreat is scheduled for Oct. 3-5, 2014 in Hankinson. For more information, or to register, please call Ruth Ruch at (701) 219-3941 or email her at [ruch@i29.net](mailto:ruch@i29.net). All calls are confidential.

**Attention all Cursillistas!** De Colores! Below is a schedule of upcoming Ultreyas which are open to all those who have attended Cursillo weekends or those who may be interested in attending one. If you have questions please contact Ben Seitz at (701) 540-8248.

**Tuesday September 2 -- Fargo --Sts Anne & Joachim Church      Basement at 7:00 PM**  
**Thursday September 18 -- Belcourt—Queen of Peace Parish      6:00 PM**

**St. Francis of Assisi**, Fisher is holding their Fall Luncheon & Bazaar on Saturday, September 13, 2014 from 11 am - 1:30 pm. Menu: Turkey A'la King, Cranberry Relish, Homemade Dessert and Beverage. Cost - \$8.00. Everyone is Welcome!

The **Catholic Charismatic Renewal** Office in the Archdiocese of St. Paul/Minneapolis & St. John Vianney Seminary is sponsoring **The Charism School & Miracle Healing Service with Damian Stayne in St. Paul, MN on October 17-19, 2014**. Details and registration form can be found at:

[www.ccro-msp.org/charism-school-damian-stayne/](http://www.ccro-msp.org/charism-school-damian-stayne/) A **CHARTER BUS** to this event is available starting in Rugby, continuing to Harvey, Carrington, Jamestown, Valley City and Fargo. Deadline for bus transportation is September 25th. Contact Rosalie Axtman for bus details and other questions: [raxtman@gondtc.com](mailto:raxtman@gondtc.com) or 701.324.2706 or 701-341-1962 Hotel Reservations made on your own at the Holiday Inn Express Roseville at 651-636-5800 and ask for room block **ND Catholic Group**.

**Quilt Bingo** – Park River High School, Park River, ND on September 7<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 PM. Tickets are \$20 for 15 games of bingo, available at businesses throughout Walsh County and at the door. Proceeds will benefit Altru’s Hospice Camp Good Mourning, a grief camp for children who have experienced the death of a loved one. Camp will be held June 26 – 28, 2015 at Park River Bible Camp. For more information, please call Sue Mairs Camp Good Mourning Coordinator @ 701-331-9008.



***ABORTION/EUTHANASIA: We cannot say that all people have dignity while the killing of weaker and more innocent people is allowed through abortion and euthanasia. These are not 'issues', they deteriorate the very foundation of civilization. (Pro-Life Reflections) GF-RTL***

**(Found in chapter 12 – Page #72) (You can find this book at the GF Library. “SAINT MARY’S AND SAINT TIMOTHY’S AND THEIR ECUMENICAL PIONEER PASTOR “(by Rt. Rev. Msgr. M.J. Fletcher)**

As was Father’s creed through life, he asked no favors. What he couldn’t do on his own, he did without—not only in personal matters but in church and school matters as well. He literally bent over backward to keep the parochial schools independent, asking no help or favors of the public schools, no matter how deserving or entitled he thought the cause, lest it might cause controversy among the general public or be misconstrued by them and bring forth any feeling of bigotry that might be lying dormant and stirred by the least provocation. After all, “a burnt child dreads the fire” and he well remembered the days of the Ku Klux Klan, with its animosity, bigotry and hate that had divided the town in the 1920’s. They weren’t pleasant days to remember and he didn’t wish for anything even slightly resembling them to rear its ugly head again. Where there was little doubt of this happening because of the firm bridge of understanding and friendship built between him and the various ministers, as well as school superintendents and officials, it was the general public who could bring pressure to bear and he wasn’t taking any chances. With his feeling of independence he went his proud way.

22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

