



**Mass Schedule**

**SUNDAY LITURGIES**

SATURDAY, May 15	4:00 PM	+Clarence Hall
SUNDAY, May 16	8:30 AM	+Marcella Wolf
	10:30 AM	+Mark Vickerman
Spanish Mass	3:00 PM	OLG Parishioners

**WEEKDAY LITURGIES**

MONDAY, May 17	7:15 AM	Mass
	9:00 AM	Communion Service
TUESDAY, May 18	7:00 PM	Living and Deceased
		Members of the +Mike and +Anna Jundt Family
WEDNESDAY, May 19	9:00 AM	Deceased Members of
		Kathryn Lenertz
THURSDAY, May 20	9:00 AM	+Marilyn Greenheck
FRIDAY, May 21	9:00 AM	Lori King

**SUNDAY LITURGIES**

SATURDAY, May 22	4:00 PM	+Marvin Fettig
SUNDAY, May 23	8:30 AM	+Msgr. Joseph Senger
	10:30 AM	OLG Parishioners

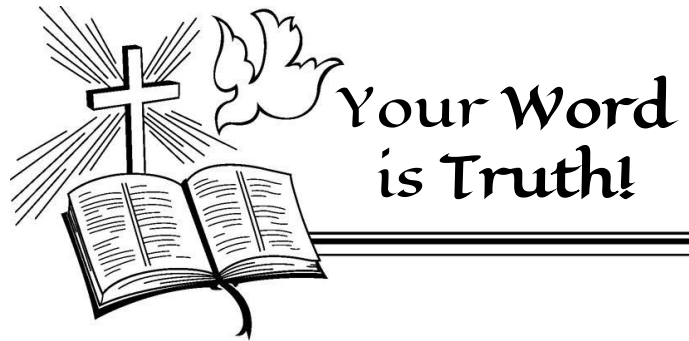
My good sisters and brothers,

Today we celebrate the Feast of Jesus' Ascension even though the traditional date is on the Thursday that is the 40<sup>th</sup> day after Easter. Since so many people have to work on Thursdays and do not have much opportunity to celebrate then, the US bishops have moved it to the Sunday before Pentecost. Though Jesus has ascended into heaven and once again sits at the right hand of the Father as we say in the Creed, He has fulfilled His promise to send us His Holy Spirit whose coming we will celebrate next Sunday which is Pentecost. Let us pray that the Spirit would come down upon us all once again this Pentecost with power to live the new life Jesus came to give us.

Happy seventh and final week of Easter!  
Love and hugs, Fr. Bruce

**Vocation Views** “And they went out and proclaimed the good news everywhere, while the Lord worked with them.” If you are discerning a vocation to proclaim the Gospel as a priest or consecrated religious, contact the Diocese of Bismarck Vocation Director - Fr. Jordan Dosch at [jdosch@bismarckdiocese.com](mailto:jdosch@bismarckdiocese.com) or by calling: 701-223-1033.

**Please submit information for next week's bulletin by 2:00 PM on Tuesday. Thank you.**



<b>Liturgical Ministers</b>		
<b>Pentecost Sunday – May 22-23, 2021</b>		
<b>4:00 PM</b>	<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>
<b>Altar Servers</b>		
Noelle Ploof	Sabryn Ronning	Brookley Haugtvedt
Morgan Leshovsky	Sienna Ronning	Norma Hernandez
<b>Commentators</b>		
Randall Mathura	Les Smith	Jackie Case
<b>Lectors</b>		
Annette Stach	Leonard Niess	Jeff Case
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>		
Deacon Steve	Deacon Steve	Deacon Steve
Dorothy Hoff	Karen Huesers	Brittany Haugtvedt
Kim Kraft	Marie Kenney	Marilyn Levadney
Laura Miller		Julia Koble
<b>Usher Captains</b>		
Connie Orth	Lee Keller	Jeremy Finley
<b>Ushers/Greeters</b>		
Mary Cloe Petz	Lory Keller	Seth Finley
Jan Underdahl	George Lach	Kevin Franks
Marvin Vetter	Kathie Lach	Joshua Franks
<b>8:05 am Rosary Leader for May 23</b>		Dave Lebrun

**Sunday, May 23 – Fellowship Servers**

<b>8:30 AM Mass</b>	<b>10:30 AM Mass</b>
David Woiwode	Cathy Hegre
	Rose Weisenburger
	Stella Lenertz



**Bus for Deacon Degele's Ordination**

The parish will be taking a bus to Bismarck for the Priesthood Ordination for Jacob Degele, who will be assigned to Our Lady of Grace as Parochial Vicar in July. On Friday, June 11, the bus will leave Minot at noon, attend ordination at Cathedral of the Holy Spirit at 3:00 p.m., go to dinner at Kroll's Diner, and then return to Minot. Cost for the trip and dinner is \$20. Please RSVP to parish office at 852-3002. Limited seating is available; so register soon!



**Stewardship of Time, Talent and Treasure**

**Did you know** that Jesus is the perfect steward? He is watching carefully over all who had been entrusted to Him by the Father and then sending them all out into the world in service. Has Jesus called you to service? Look at the people who have answered his call – by serving in a ministry at Mass this weekend: altar servers, readers, Eucharistic ministers, ushers, choir and musicians.

Thank you to all who answered the call to serve Our Lady of Grace Parish.



Adult .....	\$9,529.29
Youth .....	\$158.75
Loose .....	\$521.00
Offering Cards .....	14

**LIFT THESE PEOPLE TO OUR LORD IN PRAYER”**

To add or remove names from our Prayer list, please call our Parish Office at 839-6834

Warren Anderson	Mary Ann Avitua	Alice Bachmeier
Susan Becker	Paul Bergren	Louise Berry
Barbara Bost	Agnes Brandt	Becky Briggs
Jeri Ann Carroll	Dalton Deardorf	Evelyn DeGree
Bruce Doolittle	Reuben Dorr	Ava Dufner
Ramona Ehli	Kathy Ell	Betty Fedorchak
Benedict Feist	Kristel Ficek	Wally Fields
Pat Finken	Geri Flaten	Maurice Foley
Katherine Ganje	Kyle Hardy	Marie Harris
Fr. Charles Heidt	Diane Heidt	Marge Hogoboom
Sofia Huus	Tracey Jackson	Arleen Johnson
Joyce Keyes	Alisha Klabo	Cindy Kramer
Theresa Krebs	Annie Lebrun	Kote Lider
Ron Lucier	Faith Malsom	Josie Mathern
Bonnie Murphy	Shirley Murphy	Harris Olafson
Kevin Peery	Michaela Red Eagle	Jana S.
John S.	Anna Salvey	Roger Sand
Alex Sandoval	Dennis Schaan	Betty Schall
Ed Schall	Jon Schestler	Sharon Schestler
Leo Schaeffer	Carla Schilken	Danny Schatz
Jo-Ahn Schmaltz	Tyler Singleton	Kevin Snodgrass
John Stack	Colleen 'Pinky' Stein	Betty Steinberger
Irene Stevenson	Joan Thompson	Roger Wendt
Ray & Rita Wendt	Rita Wentz	Lee Wieland

And all parishioners, family members and friends suffering because of Covid 19.

For the people and special intentions on our parish prayer chain.

**Save The Date - for The Big Smoke**

The Serra Club of North Central North Dakota has scheduled its fourth annual Big Smoke—an event that benefits seminarians and others seeking a religious vocation — for **Monday, June 28** at the North Dakota State Fair Grounds in the Flickertail Gardens.



Ticket prices have been set at \$35 per person and \$80 for a family that includes children age 16 and under. More details will follow.

**In sympathy** we remember **Lyanna Rae Van Sickle**, great-granddaughter of Paul Bergren; **Helen Helgeson**, sister of Mary Lou Bertsch; **Jean Perron**, mother of Jerri (Robert) Fuller, **Condon McConville**, brother of Liam (Marisa) McConville and **Charlotte Adam**, sister-in-law of Jeri (Robbie)



Novak. We pray for their families and friends who grieve their loss. May the fullness of life be theirs.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

**God’s Share Appeal**

Thanks to the generosity of many parishioners, to date we have pledges totaling **\$63,171.50** which represents 44% of our parish goal. We have received **221** of gift envelopes which represents 17 % of our families participating. Each and every gift is important. If you have not yet had the opportunity, please return a pledge envelope with your response today. Our parish goal is 100% participation. Together with your support we can accomplish many beautiful works of faith, hope and charity.



**Cemetery Blessings**

Every year before Memorial Day, we remember our departed loved ones. Again this year we will be hosting a prayer service at our two local cemeteries. At 7PM, Wednesday May 26, there will be a service at Rosehill. At 7PM, Thursday May 27, there will be a service at Sunset Memorial Gardens. At the end of each service, local Catholic clergy will be available to pray over individual graves of your loved ones. At Rosehill we will meet at the chapel, and at Sunset we meet at the cross near the cemetery entrance.

**Thank You** Our Lady of Grace Respect Life Committee and Minot Right to Life would like to thank everyone for their generosity when buying carnations for Mother’s Day. We raised \$869 for Minot Right to Life. Thank you for all who gave their time to prepare and sell the flowers. May God bless all who work to build a culture of life on a daily basis.

The **Columbian Club/KC Club** in Minot is in **search of a manager and servers**. For more information, please contact Jeff Schmidt at 721-1850.

The Knights of Columbus Council 9906 are hosting a **blood drive** on Tuesday, May 18 from 1:00 – 6:00 pm in the basement of St. Leo’s Catholic Church. Appointments are required and may be made by calling Jim Olson at 837-6200.

## Faith Formation and Youth

Please contact Tanya at the parish, or email [education1@olgminot.org](mailto:education1@olgminot.org), or text 701-219-3194 with questions. Thanks!

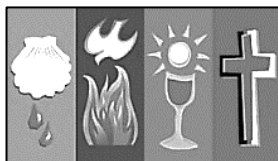
**Thank you to the many volunteers** who joined together to make this Faith Formation year a wonderful experience for the students. If you would like to volunteer with our classes or youth groups next fall, please contact Tanya or Christine in the Faith Formation office.



**Are you graduating** from high school or college this spring? We at Our Lady of Grace would like to recognize this important step in your life. Please join us for the **Mass for Graduates** on Sunday, May 23. A gift will be presented to the graduates and cake and beverages will be served after the Mass. Graduates should come to the parish dining room by 10:15 a.m. so you may process together into the church and sit together during the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Please dress as you will on your graduation day. If you have received your cap and gown by this time, please wear them. If you have questions, please contact the parish office.



If you are new to our parish and are wondering about **sacraments** for your child, at Our Lady of Grace the children prepare for and receive the sacraments of First Reconciliation (confession) and First Eucharist (communion) during their 2<sup>nd</sup> grade year in school. Each year we typically have older children in the program, as well. Please contact the Faith Formation office if you have an older child who needs to receive the sacraments. Sacramental preparation is required for all children, including those who attend Catholic school. For the sacrament of Confirmation, students attend classes in 9<sup>th</sup> grade and are confirmed by the bishop in the fall of 10<sup>th</sup> grade. Older students who have not received the sacrament are also invited to participate in the Confirmation program. Preparation for Confirmation is required for all who wish to receive the sacrament, including those who attend Catholic school.



**Registration forms** for sacramental preparation and for all Faith Formation classes for preschool through grade 9, as well as for our middle school and high school youth groups, will be mailed in early August to all families who are registered members of the church and have children in these age groups.

## Faith Formation/Youth Calendar

5/23: 10:30AM **Mass for Graduates** (please arrive by 10:15AM, see notes above)

6/7-6/10: **Vacation Bible School**

7/11-7/13: **Sonshine Youth Camp**

**By Aug. 10: Registration forms** will be mailed for 2021-2022 Faith Formation classes

## Bishop Ryan Catholic School

**Lot-O-Dough Calendar Winners:** for May 3 – 9, 2021. **\$25 winners:** Richard Burgard, Lola Clark, Waylon Getzlaff, Thomas Steckler, Jean Feist, Dakota Hope Clinic, Dave Anfinson, all from Minot, Dennis Behm from Medina, Dennis Glueckert from Williston, Danny Erickson from MT, **\$100 winner:** Steve Nush from Minot, **\$200 winner:** Peggy Kostenko from Minot. Congratulations to all the winners!

**Are you looking for a fun summer job, done by 5:30 each day and NO WEEKENDS?** Consider joining our **Lions Learning and Fun Summer Care & Camp** at Bishop Ryan Catholic School! Our crew helps supervise students during weekday activities like field trips, indoor and outdoor playtime, creative projects, hands-on activities, and lots of fun! For more information, please contact LLAFCoordinator Courtney Cote (701)838-3355 or [ccote@brhs.com](mailto:ccote@brhs.com)

**Calling All New Lions!** Registration for all students, elementary, middle school and high school, is now open at Bishop Ryan Catholic School! If you've ever considered Catholic education for your family, now is a great time to learn what makes Bishop Ryan so special. We have limited availability in our preschool program for children who are bathroom-trained and three-years-old by July 31, 2021. We're currently welcoming all students in grades 1-12. For more information or schedule a tour, please call Jaimie at (701) 838-3355 or email [jbrunner@brhs.com](mailto:jbrunner@brhs.com).

**We're Hiring:** There are amazing things going on in the hallways and classrooms of Bishop Ryan Catholic School, and our faculty and staff have distinct opportunities to instill virtue and celebrate faith while encouraging our students to achieve academically and socially. If you are called to be part of something special in Catholic education, Bishop Ryan may be the place for you! We are currently seeking applications for a **full-time elementary teacher, secondary religion instructor, secondary Spanish instructor, transition instructor (with specialization in the content areas of math, science or reading), and student aides** for the 2021-2022 school year. For more information or to apply, please contact elementary principal Tanya Steckler or secondary principal Chase Lee at (701) 838-3355.

**SCRIP:** Use Scrip gift cards as gifts and to pay for your purchases. Scrip is available after the weekend Masses, in the parish office and at Bishop Ryan. Using Scrip gift cards helps support Bishop Ryan Catholic School and families for their tuition. Scrip is available for Amazon orders, groceries, gas, dining out, household supplies, clothing, furniture, vehicles, tires & accessories, eye care, bikes, and more.

**PENTECOST PRAYER**

Breathe in me O Holy Spirit  
that my thoughts may all be holy;  
Act in me O Holy Spirit  
that my works, too, may be holy;  
Draw my heart O Holy Spirit  
that I love but what is holy;  
Strengthen me O Holy Spirit  
to defend that is holy;  
Guard me then O Holy Spirit  
that I always may be holy.  
*St. Augustine of Hippo (AD 354-430)*



**Prayer and Reflection**

**Next Week's Gospel: John 20:19-23**  
Pentecost Sunday – May 23, 2021

**Gospel Reflection**

Some events are so life-changing that we have to keep going back to them in memory to grasp their true meaning. That's how it was with the Gospel writers and the Resurrection of Jesus. In this reading, John recalls the evening of the first Easter. Jesus appears in the midst of the disciples and gives them his peace. He breathes on them and gives them the breath of the Holy Spirit so that they have the power to forgive sins.

As we know from the first reading, the Spirit would be experienced again as fire and a mighty wind at Pentecost. But whatever form the Spirit takes, his gifts are intended to bring unity and peace to the Body of Christ.

**Discussion Questions for Gospel**

Why is the power to forgive sins so important in the Christian community? What examples have you seen in your family or your parish of people sharing the peace of Christ?

**Replica of Pietà Statue at Cathedral May 22**

Five hundred years ago, Michelangelo unveiled what would come to be regarded as one of the world's greatest masterpieces of inspired art – the Pietà. Arte Divine, a worldwide distributor of the reproduction of Michelangelo's Pietà, will bring an exact replica of the original Pietà to the Cathedral of the Holy Spirit in Bismarck. This is a precise "1 to 1" marble casting that is faithful in every detail to Michelangelo's original that currently is located at St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. Bishop Kagan will unveil and bless the reproduced Pietà at the Cathedral of the Holy Spirit on Saturday, May 22 at the 5 p.m. (CT) Mass. The statue will remain at the Cathedral through the summer of 2021. The faithful of the diocese, especially those who may never have the opportunity to travel to St. Peter's Basilica in Rome, are invited to come to the Cathedral to stand and pray before this divinely inspired masterpiece that is Michelangelo's Pietà.

**This Week in our Parish**

<b>Saturday, May 15</b>	<i>Rosary</i>	8:30 AM	Main Church
	Charismatic Mass	9:30 AM	Main Church
<b>Sunday, May 16</b>	<i>Misa Española (Spanish Mass)</i>	3:00 PM	Main Church
<b>Monday, May 17</b>	<i>Santo Rosario - Spanish Rosary</i>	5:30 PM	Main Church
	10:30 Choir Practice	7:00 PM	Main Church
<b>Tuesday, May 18</b>	Meeting	6:00 - 7:00 PM	Classroom 5
<b>Wednesday, May 19</b>	Bishop Ryan Catholic School Baccalaureate Mass	5:30 - 6:30 PM	OLG Main Church
<b>Thursday, May 20</b>	Catholic Mothers' Coffee	9:00 - 11:00 AM	Dining Room
	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	9:30 AM - 12:00 AM	Main Church
	Women's Ultreya Group	7:00 PM	Classroom 5
	Choir Practice	7:00 PM	SS's Anne and Joachim
<b>Friday, May 21</b>	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	12:00 AM - 8:20 AM	Main Church
	<i>Adoración Eucarística</i>	7:00 PM	Main Church
<b>Saturday, May 22</b>	<i>Rosary</i>	8:30 AM	Main Church
<b>Sunday, May 23</b>	Graduates Mass and Reception	10:30 AM	Main Church

**Weekend and Daily Mass times are listed inside the front cover of the bulletin.**

*Rosary* - Saturday at 3:35 PM, Sunday at 8:05 AM, Monday - Wednesday and Friday at 3:00 PM

*Rosary* also prayed before daily Masses.

The Breaking Bread missalettes and our bulletins are provided by Thompson Larson Funeral Home. Thank you!



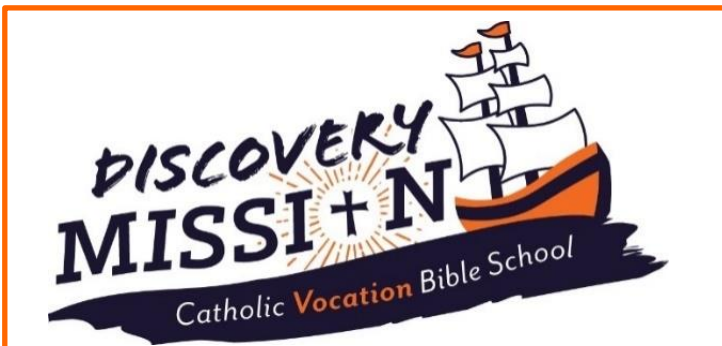
**CITY-WIDE Corpus Christi Eucharistic Procession**

Mark your calendars! A city-wide Eucharistic Procession will be held (weather permitting) on **Sunday, June 6** – The Feast of Corpus Christi (Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ). This **family-friendly event** is open to the public.

The event will begin with a **2PM Mass at Our Lady of Grace Church**. At approximately **3PM** we will process from **Our Lady of Grace to St. Leo the Great Catholic Church**, then to **St. Therese Church of the Little Flower** and then to **St. John the Apostle Catholic Church** where we will end with **Benediction**. You are welcome to join anywhere along the route, and there will be bus transportation available back to your vehicles.

For more information please contact one of the four Minot Catholic parishes.

**Summer Youth Fun!**



**Our Lady of Grace Vacation Bible School** will be held the evenings of **June 7-10** for children age 5 through those who completed grade 2 in spring 2021. VBS will include games, art, praying, singing, and more. Registration forms are available on the bulletin board in the classroom hallway or at the entrances of the church. **Space is limited**, so register early. Deadline is May 30 or when full.

**Volunteers Needed** - please contact the parish office. Adults and students grade 3 or older are welcome to help!

**SPIRITUAL BOOT CAMP**

**Sonshine Youth Camp**

Lake Metigoshe State Park

July 11-13, 2021



\* Sonshine Youth Camp is a Catholic camp for youth who have completed grades three through eight, and who want to know more about Jesus, have fun and meet new friends.

\* Take a brochure and complete the registration form. Financial assistance is available if needed.

\* It's a fun, faith-filled, memory-making camp that's a tradition for the Minot parishes.

*A printable registration form is on the Faith Formation page of our website: [olgminot.org](http://olgminot.org)*

**Help Needed – 2021 Sonshine Camp is July 11-13<sup>th</sup>!!!**

Sonshine Camp will soon be here. Our theme this year is **“Spiritual Boot Camp”**. Fr. Adam Maus, Fr. Jacob Degele, and Fr. Keith Streifel will be our shepherds this year. We **WILL** miss our long-time shepherd, Fr. Bruce. As always, it takes many helpers to make this feasible and successful. Stewardship is a great way to help and give of your time and talent(s).

**Adults to help with:**

- 1) Kitchen duties
- 2) Activities (both indoor and outdoor)
- 3) Crafts (prior to camp and at camp)
- 4) Good News (lessons)
- 5) Cottage Chaperones (especially men 18 and older)

**Counselors:**

- 1) Senior counselors – 16+ and confirmed
  - 2) Junior counselors – Grades 9 and 10 (yrs 2021-2022)
- Campers** – Grades 3 through 8 in the Fall of 2021

As Director of the camp the past 5 years, I can't express the gifts your children and counselors have given to me (love, faith, fun, good example, politeness, etc.). Please allow your children this opportunity to grow in their love for our Lord at the “Spiritual Boot Camp” in July. If you have questions, call me at 701-340-4646 or call the parish office.

Paulette Streitz – Director of the 2021 Sonshine Camp