

**SUNDAY LITURGIES**

SATURDAY, May 8	4:00 PM	+John Fettig
SUNDAY, May 9	8:30 AM	OLG Parishioners
	10:30 AM	+Darren Lenertz

WEEKDAY LITURGIES

MONDAY, May 10	7:15 AM	+Eldon Gruntorod
	9:00 AM	Communion Service
TUESDAY, May 11	7:00 PM	Living and Deceased Members of Catholic Daughters
WEDNESDAY, May 12	9:00 AM	+Corinne Savelkoul
THURSDAY, May 13	9:00 AM	+Blaine Mack
FRIDAY, May 14	9:00 AM	+Jeffrey Stemen

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


My good sisters and brothers,

Happy Mothers' Day to all our moms. President Woodrow Wilson, by an act of Congress, on May 9, 1914 established the second Sunday in May as a day to publicly express our reverence and love for the all the mothers of our country. Whether living or dead, let us remember our moms at God's holy altar today with our love and our prayers.

In our country we now celebrate the Feast of Jesus' Ascension on a Sunday. However, traditionally the Ascension is celebrated on the fortieth day of Easter which would be this coming Thursday. It remains the day to begin the nine-day Novena in preparation for Pentecost. We have included the "Come Holy Spirit" prayer in this bulletin which you can use for your novena prayer or you may find more extensive prayers on the internet. Either way, let us pray that our hearts may be open to this great GIFT which Jesus promised to send us as He ascended into heaven.

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

Vocation Views "God sent His only Son into the world so that we might live through Him." Are you open to the call to be sent into the world as a priest or consecrated religious, that others might live in Christ? If you think God may be offering you this grace, contact the Diocese of Bismarck Vocation Director - Fr. Jordan Dosch at 701-223-1033 or jdosch@bismarckdiocese.com.



Love one another
as I
have loved you.

May 9, 2021

Liturgical Ministers

The Ascension of the Lord – May 15 & 16, 2021

4:00 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM
Altar Servers		
Caleb Haverstock	Kaitlin Klein	Evelyn Keys
Sam Haverstock	Kourtney Klein	Amanda Kinlaw
Commentators		
Scott Foltz	Dave Schoch	Kristel Ficek
Lectors		
Dorothy Hoff	Terrie Schoch	Student
Eucharistic Ministers		
Deacon Mohn	Deacon Mohn	Deacon Mohn
Dana Haverstock	Kaylee Bruns	Sue Simonson
Ann Hoffart	Ken Bittner	Sharon Kapfer
Sharon Johnson		Jamie Keys
Usher Captains		
Ron Nissen	Bonita Humble	Bill Mosser
Ushers/Greeters		
Eli Nissen	Mike Weber	Student
Laura Miller	Isabell Weber	Student
Betty Heintz	Stephanie Lynch	Student
8:05 am Rosary Leader for May 16		Nolan Schmitz

Sunday, May 16 – Fellowship Servers

8:30 AM Mass	10:30 AM Mass
Gloria Niess	Virginia Slavick
Leonard Niess	Dennis & Deb Mittlieder

**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!

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

Stewardship of Time, Talent and Treasure

Did you know that the crosses made available each year for our gardens and fields are made and donated to our parish by the Little Flower Knights of Columbus? We want to thank Mike Brunner, who spearheads this project, and the Little Flower Knights of Columbus. **As we place these crosses in our gardens and fields, what a tremendous reminder that everything we have is a gift from God!**



Adult	\$10,789.00
Youth	\$119.60
Loose	\$325.00
Offering Cards	13

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
Michaela Red Eagle	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.

Catholic Daughters will meet on Tuesday, May 11 at 7:30 PM at Our Lady of Grace Church. Mass begins at 7:00 PM and the meeting will follow in the church dining room. All members are encouraged to attend. May is our “baby shower” month meeting. Members are asked to bring an unwrapped baby item to the meeting. After the meeting, the donated items will be taken to Catholic Charities in Minot to be given to new mothers. Baby items can include clothing, blankets, bottles, bathing supplies or anything the member would like to donate. New potential members are invited to attend the meeting. Lunch will be provided during the meeting.



It is with joy that we welcome and celebrate **Harper Lynn Settersten**, daughter of Steven and Kristin, as a newly baptized member of our parish family. Congratulations.

In sympathy we remember **Les Slagle**, husband of Barb Slagle; **Leander Ziegler**, brother of Rosella (Alfred) Grossman; **Sylvester Hoffner**, brother of Carlotta Goldade; **Barbara Belgarde**, aunt of Sarah Streitz; and **Lettie Annell**. 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

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.



Knights of Columbus Council 4894 monthly meeting will be held Monday, May 10th starting with the rosary at 6:30 PM and followed by the meeting starting at 7:00 PM. All members are welcome and encouraged to attend!

Catholic Resources The following are some wonderful Catholic resources you can check out to grow in Faith and your understanding of our rich Catholic Faith:

Missionaries of Divine Mercy Video clips on U-tube <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pKsEAIK90Xc>

Ascension Presents has much to offer on their website: <https://media.ascensionpress.com/> and their Video clips on YouTube

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCVdGX3N-WIJ5nUvklBTNhAw>

Bishop Robert Barron’s Word on Fire Institute has several great faith resources

<https://www.wordonfire.org/resources/blog/the-word-on-fire-institute-two-years-and-counting/28670/>

Jason Evert has much to offer especially regarding love and relationships

Google Jason Evert or go to <https://chastity.com>

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, or text 701-219-3194 with questions. Thanks!

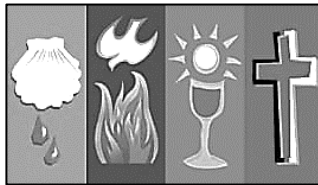
Thank you to the many volunteers who joined together to make this Faith Formation year a wonderful experience for the students. If you would like to volunteer with our classes or youth groups next fall, please contact Tanya or Christine in the Faith Formation office.

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 2nd 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 9th grade and are confirmed by the bishop in the fall of 10th 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 April 26 – May 2, 2021. **\$25 winners:** Aaron Krebsbach, Gil Smestad, Kevin Franks, Linda Burgard, Bradley Lemer, Brad & Melessa Bosch, Hannah Thom, all from Minot, Matt Clinton from Mandan, Maria Schmitz from Beulah, Sarah Schweyen from MN, **\$100 winner:** Gary Levi from Minot, **\$200 winner:** Ryan Nelson from Coleharbor. 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

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.

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.

Area Happenings

This summer, I will be going on a mission trip to Louisa, Kentucky with FOCUS, the Fellowship of Catholic University Students. With the Holy Spirit's aid, all FOCUS activities run on donations. One way for people who cannot physically serve is by spiritually serving through prayers and donations. If you are interested and would like to be a part of my mission trip through a donation, simply go to tinyurl.com/griffinmissiontrip2021. The total cost of the trip is \$900. Griffin Schaeffer



Next Week's Gospel: John 17:11b-19 7th Sunday of Easter – May 16, 2021

Gospel Reflection

Have you ever been present when a grandparent or other relative knew that he or she was in the process of dying? At such times, people often pray for those they are leaving behind and express their love for them. That's what Jesus did at the Last Supper. He knew that his friends would be full of fear and grief at his death. He also knew that they would be threatened by many evil forces in the world.

Jesus prayed to the Father to guard his friends and keep them in his name. He prayed that the Christian community would be one, just as he and the Father are one.

Discussion Questions for Gospel

Jesus says that his friends "do not belong to the world." What do you think he means by that? What are some of the forms of evil in the world that threaten Jesus' followers today? How are we called to respond to evil?

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This Week in our Parish

Saturday, May 8	Men's Book Study	7:30 - 9:00 AM	Dining Room
	<i>Rosary</i>	8:30 AM	Main Church
	Life in Spirit Seminar	9:30 AM - NOON	Classroom 5
Sunday, May 9	Mother's Day Carnations after Mass	5:00 PM	Church Exits
	Mother's Day Carnations after Mass	9:30 AM	Church Exits
	Mother's Day Carnations after Mass	11:30 AM	Church Exits
Monday, May 10	<i>Santo Rosario</i> - Spanish Rosary	5:30 PM	Main Church
	10:30 Choir Practice	7:00 PM	Main Church
	Knights of Columbus 4894 Meeting	7:00 PM	SS's Anne and Joachim
Tuesday, May 11	Meeting	6:00 - 7:00 PM	Classroom 5
	Parish Council Meeting	7:45 PM	SS's Anne and Joachim
	Catholic Daughters	7:35 PM	Dining Room
Wednesday, May 12	Coffee and Donut Fellowship	9:45 AM	Dining Room
	Staff Meeting	10:00 AM - NOON	SS's Anne and Joachim
	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	9:30 AM - 12:00 AM	Main Church
Thursday, May 13	Catholic Enrichment Meeting	12:30 - 2:00 PM	Dining Room
	Women's Ultreya Group	7:00 PM	Classroom 5
	Choir Practice	7:00 PM	SS's Anne and Joachim
	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	12:00 AM - 8:20 AM	Main Church
Friday, May 14	Finance Council Meeting	12:00 PM	SS's Anne and Joachim
	Bingo Social	2:00 PM	Dining Room
	<i>Adoración Eucarística</i>	7:00 PM	Main Church
	<i>Rosary</i>	8:30 AM	Main Church
Saturday, May 15	Charismatic Mass	9:30 AM	Main Church
	Graduates Mass and Reception	10:30 AM	Main Church
Sunday, May 16			

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!

MINOT RIGHT TO LIFE MOTHER'S DAY CARNATIONS will be available after all Masses on Sunday, May 8 and 9. A \$2.00 donation is suggested. Minot Right to Life and volunteers from our parish will be at the church exits with carnations for you to purchase.



Prayer and Reflection

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in us the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and we shall be recreated and you shall renew the face of the earth.

O God,
who by the light of the same Holy Spirit,
did instruct the hearts of the faithful,
grant that we may be truly wise
and ever rejoice in your consolation.
Through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

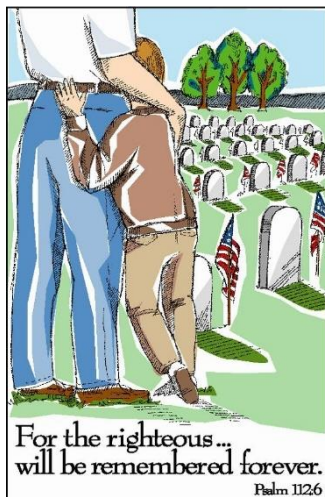
Charismatic Mass

Fr. Bruce Krebs will celebrate a Charismatic Mass
Saturday, May 15 at 9:30 am
Our Lady of Grace Church
Everyone is welcome!



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.



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