

#### **SUNDAY LITURGIES**

SATURDAY, July 17 4:00 PM +Michael Schiele SUNDAY, July 18 8:30 AM OLG Parishioners 10:30 AM +Richard Stanley

Spanish Mass 3:00 PM +Harlan Russell & +Sara Russell

**WEEKDAY LITURGIES** 

Monday, July 19 7:15 AM +Rick McGee

9:00 AM Communion Service

(Mary Eide)

TUESDAY, July 20 7:00 PM Living and Deceased Members

of the +Mike & +Anna Jundt Family

WEDNESDAY, June 21 9:00 AM +Andrew Crockett
THURSDAY, July 22 9:00 AM +Ruth Schaeffer
FRIDAY, July 23 9:00 AM +Burt Schultz

**SUNDAY LITURGIES** 

SATURDAY, July 24 4:00 PM +Frances Tank
SUNDAY, July 25 8:30 AM OLG Parishioners
10:30 AM +Karen Conway

# Liturgical Ministers 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 24 & 25, 2021

17 Sunday in Ordinary Time – July 24 & 23, 2021				
4:00 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM		
Altar Servers				
Amanda Kinlaw	Kaylee Bruns	Joshua Franks		
Honey Lenoire	Raiden Diede	Joshua Harris		
	Brinley Kihlstrom			
Commentators				
Scott Foltz	Dave Schoch	Jeff Case		
<u>Lectors</u>				
Amy Nissen	Terrie Schoch	Kristel Ficek		
<b>Eucharistic Minist</b>	<u>ers</u>			
Fr. Maus	Fr. Maus	Fr. Maus		
Fr. Degele	Fr. Degele	Fr. Degele		
Deacon Steve	Deacon Steve	Deacon Steve		
Sharon Johnson		Kristian Streitz		
Usher Captains				
Rich Matteson	Brian Oswald	Shane Barber		
Ushers/Greeters				
Barb Matteson	Derek Oswald	Alissa Barber		
Dorothy Hoff	Xavier Oswald	Macee Barber		
Mary Larson	Austin Geyer	Michelle Barber		
8:05 am Rosary Le	Les Smith			

#### Sunday, July 25 - Fellowship Servers

8:30 AM Mass
Garnetta Sennett
Jerry Sennett
Connie Lafferty

10:30 AM Mass
Carol Christianson
Doris Bachmeier



Hello everyone,

Writing to you for the first time. I am doing so from SonShine Youth Camp, and we are having a wonderful time. This year the theme is "Spiritual Bootcamp". The campers are receiving education and spiritual tools to help them in the very real spiritual battle that we all face in this life. This is a good lesson for all of us, and I will share some highlights that can help us all.

Since we are beloved children of God, created out of love, by love Himself, in His image, we are meant to participate in that love, both in this life and the next. We are made for spending eternity with God our creator in heaven, our ultimate goal, and the evil one is relentlessly trying to keep this from happening. From small subtle ways to extremely obvious ways, we are tempted to choose things of the world/sin that will ultimately end in lack of satisfaction and discord in the soul (spiritual death) over the good things of God himself and holiness that always satisfy, bring peace, and bear the fruits of the Holy Spirit (life with God). So, what can we do to make sure we are recognizing what is going on and deal rightly with it?

We can employ the words of St. Paul to the Ephesians (one of the great passages the teachers used at camp this year): "Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For we are not contending against flesh and blood, but against the principalities, against the powers, against the world rulers of this present darkness, against the spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places. Therefore, take the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand. Stand therefore, having fastened the belt of truth around your waist, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, and having shod your feet with the equipment of the gospel of peace; besides all these, taking the shield of faith, with which you can quench all the flaming darts of the Evil One. And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. Pray at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints. (Eph. 6:10-18)".

Prayer, living a Sacramental life and being faithful to God and His Church, intentionally making sacrifices for the good of others to overcome selfishness, and asking for help when needed is putting on the armor of God. Facing temptations with the faith and Truth of the Gospel, God's Word, is putting on armor, and we are never left alone. God is always and forever present to us and desires to aid us in the battle of carrying our crosses in life. Let us always act in faith, knowing and trusting that our gracious and loving God will give all the grace needed to choose Him over any temptation if we ask for it. Let us implore the help of the Saints who fought the battle with Jesus before us, and won.

I pray you have a blessed week.

Fr. Maus

#### Stewardship of Time, Talent and Treasure

"He said to them, "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while." MARK 6:31 **Do you** spend time, every day, alone and in silence listening to how God is calling you? If not, you are missing out on a wonderful opportunity to develop a more personal relationship with Him. Unless we talk and more importantly, listen to God every day, how else will we know how He is calling us? Consider joining us for Adoration and spend some "alone" time with God.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is Thursday from 9:45 AM to Friday at 8:20 AM.



Adult	\$6,908.00
Youth	\$94.25
Loose	\$798.00
Offering Cards	

#### Society of St. Vincent de Paul

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus tells his disciples to "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while." Vincent de Paul, a great man of action was also a contemplative. His contemplation of God's love overflowed into practical love for the poor.

Please say a special prayer for the poor and forgotten, and for those who serve them through the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

#### 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

Danny Alford Alice Bachmeier Louise Berry **Becky Briggs** Reuben Dorr Kathv Ell Kristel Ficek Geri Flaten Melodee Groninger Fr. Charles Heidt Sofia Huus Kiana Keller Cindy Kramer Kote Lider Josie Mathern Harris Olafson Jana S. Roger Sand Betty Schall Sharon Schestler Danny Schatz **Kevin Snodgrass** Betty Steinberger Roger Wendt Lee Wieland

Warren Anderson Susan Becker Barbara Bost Jeri Ann Carroll Ava Dufner Betty Fedorchak Wally Fields Maurice Folev Kvle Hardv Diane Heidt Tracey Jackson Joyce Keyes Theresa Krebs Ron Lucier **Bonnie Murphy** Kevin Peery John S. Alex Sandoval Ed Schall Leo Schaeffer Jo-Ahn Schmaltz John Stack Irene Stevenson Ray & Rita Wendt

Mary Ann Avitua Paul Bergren **Agnes Brandt** Evelyn DeGree Ramona Ehli **Benedict Feist** Pat Finken Bill Grieve Marie Harris Marge Hogoboom Arleen Johnson Alisha Klabo Annie Lebrun Faith Malsom Shirley Murphy Michaela Red Eagle Anna Salvey Dennis Schaan Jon Schestler Carla Schilken Tyler Singleton Colleen 'Pinky' Stein Joan Thompson Rita Wentz

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

Please submit information for next week's bulletin by 1:00 PM on Tuesday. Thank you.

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#### Mass Intentions:

One of the greatest acts of charity is to pray for the living and the dead, and the greatest and most powerful prayer we have is the Mass. For this reason, all are encouraged to have a Mass offered for loved ones who have died, or even for the living who have some need.

Our Lady of Grace has immediate openings for Mass Intentions. The Mass for the intentions may not be scheduled at Our Lady of Grace, but we will notify you during the week the Mass is to be said – the date and the location of the Mass. These Mass intentions will be offered by Fr. Maus and Fr. Degele when they concelebrate the Mass here at Our Lady of Grace, when they offer Masses at the Assisted Living Centers and Nursing homes, at Bishop Ryan or wherever they may celebrate a Mass. A Mass Intention stipend is \$10 per Mass.

**Vocation Views** "He had compassion for them because they were like sheep without a shepherd." Will you respond to the needs of Christ's sheep as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Contact Fr. Jordan Dosch, the Diocese of Bismarck Vocation Director - at 701-223-1033 or email him at jdosch@bismarckdiocese.com.

# Bishop Ryan Catholic School

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: The faculty and staff of Bishop Ryan Catholic School 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 secondary religion instructor, secondary English instructor, 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.

## Prayer and Reflection

Next Week's Gospel: John 6:1-15

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 25, 2021

#### **Gospel Reflection**

When large crowds gather, exciting and unexpected things can happen. That's the way it was when Jesus went up on a mountain shortly before the Passover feast. A crowd of five thousand soon gathered around him. They were determined to hear him speak and to see what great signs he might work. Unlike his disciples, Jesus was not concerned about how this huge crowd was to be fed on a few loaves and fishes.

In actions that are now familiar to us, Jesus took the bread, broke it, blessed it and gave it to the people. When the crowd realized that everyone had been fed and there were still leftovers, they were astounded. They wanted to carry Jesus off on their shoulders and make him their king.

#### **Discussion Questions for Gospel**

Look back at the Gospel account. How does it encourage you to act when you feel that you have little to offer to those in need?

### Area Happenings

#### **Nathan Artz Memorial Blood Drive**

Friday, August 6, 2021 from 11:30 - 6:00 P.M. Due to renovations at Little Flower Catholic school building, the drive will be located at St. John the Apostle Catholic Church, Minot.



Summer months mean a decline in the blood supply but an increase in the need for blood. Nathan's blood drive has had over 100 donors in past years - let's do it again together!

Contact Brenda Artz at (701)263-7531 to schedule an appointment.

#### **ND Right to Life Needs Fair Volunteers**

**Volunteers are needed** to staff the State Fair Booth from July  $25 - 31^{st}$ . Shifts are: 10 AM to noon, noon to 3 PM, 3 PM to 6 PM, 6 PM to 9 PM.

# No experience necessary – just a love for life!

Volunteers received free gate admission for days volunteered and a free t-shirt!

Contact Mary Geyer at 701-833-7175

#### Come Join Dakota Hope at ND State Fair Parade!

We need HOPE and CANDY spreaders for the North Dakota State Fair Parade! All ages are welcome **Saturday**, **July 24**<sup>th</sup> **at 8AM**! We are walking/riding from South Broadway to the fairgrounds! All participants get a free



Dakota Hope shirt and free entry into the fairgrounds! We are in **spot #32** so we will be close to the front of the parade! This will be a blast! Don't miss this volunteer opportunity! Volunteers can also help decorate the float on Thursday July 22<sup>nd</sup> or Friday July 23<sup>rd</sup>!

Participants can ride if they prefer! You can help support walkers by keeping the candy stocked! All ages are welcome! Strollers are welcome!

If you have any questions, please contact Karmen at <a href="mailto:adminassist@dakotahope.org">adminassist@dakotahope.org</a> or at 701-852-4675 or register online at <a href="https://dakotahope.org/events/">https://dakotahope.org/events/</a>

#### **World Day for Grandparents**

**Sunday, 25 July 2021**, has been designated by Pope Francis, as the first *World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly*. It coincides with the Feast of Saints Joachim and Anne, grandparents of Jesus, on July 26.

Occurring in the Year of Amoris Laetitia Family 2021-22 with the theme, 'I am with you always', the day draws attention to the vital role grandparents and the elderly play in our communities and in the mission of the Church.

#### This Week in our Parish

Saturday, July 17	Men's Book Study	7:30 - 9:00 AM	SS's Anne and Joachim
	Rosary	9:00 AM	Blessed Sacrament Chapel
	Wedding: Emily Fritel & Nicholas Biberdorf	1:30 PM	Main Church
Sunday, July 18	Misa Española (Spanish Mass)	3:00 PM	Main Church
Monday, July 19	Santo Rosario - Spanish Rosary	5:30 PM	Main Church
	10:30 Choir Practice	7:00 PM	Main Church
Tuesday, July 20	Meeting	6:00 - 7:00 PM	Classroom 5
Thursday, July 22	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	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
Friday, July 23	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	12:00 AM - 8:20 AM	Main Church
	Adoración Eucarística	7:00 PM	Main Church
Saturday, July 24	Rosary	9:00 AM	Blessed Sacrament Chapel

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!