

### Mass/Liturgy Schedule

<b>Sunday, March 7</b>	8:30 AM
+Paul Steckler	
<b>Tuesday, March 9</b>	6:30 PM
+Al & Agnes Makelky	
<b>Sunday, March 14</b>	8:30 AM
+Ray & Billie Simons	

### Confessions

30 minutes prior to Mass or by appointment

**Rosary** 8:05 a.m. on Sundays

### Upcoming Events

Parish Council Meeting	March 9, 7 PM
Stations of the Cross	March 10, 7 PM
Meet & Greet	March 14, 9:30 AM
Faith Formation/CCD	March 14, 9:30 AM
"NO-Bake" bale sale	Feb 28-March 28
Church Cleaning	March 27, 9:00 AM

### PARISH CONTACTS

Pastor:	Msgr. Gene Lindemann	673-3452
Deacon:	Harvey Hanel	202-7190
CCD Director:	Emily Hutzenbiler	734-6166
Altar Society:	Jeanette Fox	460-7136
Parish Council:	Travis Greff	734-6041
Business Mgr.:	Tedi Maher	
(Sacred Heart Office- <b>Tues, Thurs</b> )		734-8131
(St. Hildegard Office- <b>Mon, Wed, Fri</b> )		673-3177
<b>*Offices closed March 12, 15,16,17</b>		

### PARISH EVENTS/NEWS

#### MARCH SERVICE LISTS

**Church Cleaners:** Misty Schafer (group leader), Norma Berg, Terri Schonert, Lodee Arnold, Janet Bergquist, Leann Ochsner, & Roberta Thorson.  
**Yard Care:** Courtney Gratton, (group leader), Jim Grey, Travis Greff, & Doug Quinn.

#### PARISH COUNCIL – MARCH 9

The Parish Council will meet on Tuesday, March 9 at 7:00 pm. **Mass for all parishioners will be offered at 6:30 pm.**

### FROM MSGR. GENE

I am sure you have heard or read that there is a third vaccine for the COVID virus; this one developed and produced by Johnson & Johnson. However, abortion-derived cell lines were used in the design, development, production, and lab testing. Thus, this vaccine is morally compromised and therefore unacceptable for any Catholic physician or health care worker to dispense and for any Catholic to receive due to its direct connection to the intrinsically evil act of abortion. Two morally acceptable vaccines are available and may be used. As always, no one is bound to receive this vaccine, but it remains an individual and informed decision.

### FEBURARY 28 OFFERINGS

Adult Offerings	\$ 1400.00
Youth Offerings	\$ 3.00
Online Offerings	\$ 55.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 1458.00</b>



### STATIONS OF THE CROSS & CONFESSIONS

Please join us for Stations of the Cross held on **Wednesday evenings, at 7 PM during Lent.** We will have **Lenten Confessions on Sunday March 28, at 1:30 pm.**

### FASTING & ABSTAINENCE DURING LENT

Persons 14 years of age or older must abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all the Fridays of Lent. Fasting norms are from age 18-59.

### MEET & GREET – MARCH 14

The Parish is hosting a "Meet & Greet" after the 8:30 Mass, on Sunday March 14. Please join us for fellowship, and to welcome Deacon Harvey, and his wife Meg.

### EASTER FLOWERS

A beautiful way to honor a loved one during the Easter season is to donate to our Easter Flower Fund.



### AFRICAN MISSION APPEAL

#### "Lifting up our Brothers and Sisters in Need"

This weekend is our 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual African Mission Appeal collection. As Catholics, we all have a shared a responsibility to support our church's work. This can be done through your prayers and generous support of our African Mission Team. Please be as generous as you can in supporting the important work of Fr. David Mormon. You are encouraged to follow our missionary in action at: <https://www.facebook.com/BismarckCatholicMission>

### ALTAR SOCIETY "NO BAKE" BAKE SALE

Beginning in February 28, the Altar Society will host a "NO-BAKE" bake sale fundraiser. Envelopes can be found in the church entry. Donations can be put in the collection basket at mass, up until Palm Sunday, March 28<sup>th</sup>. **Please make checks out to "Sacred Heart Altar Society".**

### LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Ministry	March 14	March 21
Lector	Mary Ann Welder	Cori Hilzendeger
Ushers/Greeters	Tom Welder	Randy Hilzendeger
	Shane Morris	Cael Hilzendeger
Altar Server	Colton Nielsen	Mason Nielsen
Eucharistic Minister	Jim Fox	LaVern Holkup
Sacristan	Cindy Opp	LaVern Holkup
Counters	Tom Welder	Jim Porter
	Shane Morris	Connie Roehrich
Rosary	CDA	CDA
Hospitality	Benning Family	Linda Schafer

**\*LITURGICAL MINISTERS: Please make sure that you have a sub if you are unable to fulfill your commitment.**

### AREA EVENTS/NEWS



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY

The Knights of Columbus at Ascension Church are sponsoring a fish fry **each Friday of Lent, from 5:00 to 7:00 PM** in the Ascension Parish Center. The menu includes deep fried cod, mac-n-cheese, baked potato bar, green beans, coleslaw, and

dessert. The cost is \$10/adults, \$6/children aged 12 and under, and a family meal deal of \$32. Carry out is available.

### VIRTUAL MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is offering a Virtual Weekend on **March 19-21, 2021.** Grow deeper in your marriage from the comfort of your own home! A communication tool is taught to help spouses get to know themselves and each other better. For more information, call Rob and Angie at 701-347-1998 or apply at [ndwwme.org](http://ndwwme.org).

### FREE MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT SEMINAR

A great idea for couples to do together during Lent—from your home, at your pace. [MarriageinChrist.com](http://MarriageinChrist.com) is an easy-to-use online program with video presentations, a downloadable workbook, discussion starters, etc. It is simple, practical, and fun! Just 5 sessions. **Free for couples who register by March 31 (\$40 value).**

### RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT APRIL 23-25

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat™ and experience God's healing touch. The next retreat is April 23 -25, 2021. To register, please visit <https://bismarckdiocese.com/rachels-vineyard-retreat>. Or for more information, contact Carol Kling at 605-374-5639 or [ckling@sdplains.com](mailto:ckling@sdplains.com) or contact the national office at 877-467-3463 or [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org).  
*"The retreat greatly helped my healing process. The compassion and concern of all the women involved made it a very comfortable and safe place to share the thoughts and emotions I had buried for so long."*

- Testimony after a **Rachel's Vineyard Retreat™**

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*CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR WILTON MINER'S GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM!*  
*MAY GOD BLESS YOUR JOURNEY!*  
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