



Saint John the Evangelist Sacred Heart - Oakwood

1515 Western Ave

Grafton ND 58237

19th Sunday of Ordinary Time

August 13, 2017

Mission Statement

St. John the Evangelist Parish is a Catholic Community of believers who worship God and share faith with others through welcoming, encouraging, sharing, reconciling, being faithful, praying and healing in Jesus' name.

Eucharist Schedule

Saturdays: 5:00 p.m. - St. John's
Sundays: 7:30 a.m. - Oakwood
 9:30 a.m. - St. John's
 11:30 a.m. - St. John's - Spanish

Reconciliation

Saturdays: 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.
Sundays: 7:10 a.m. - Oakwood
 9:00 - 9:15 a.m.

Adoration – Thursday, 5-10 p.m.

Parish Office: 352-1648
Fr. Tim's Cell phone - 520-0838
Fax number: 352-1608
Parish Kitchen: 352-0499

Pastor: Fr. Tim Schroeder

Deacon/Pastoral Minister:
Rev. Mr. Michael Grzadzielewski
Administrative Assist to the Pastor/
LSTC Coordinator: Rose Marie Kerner
Faith Formation/Music: Brent Hermans
Office Manager: Beverly Dolan
Parish Maintenance: Paul Bina

Parish Lay Directors: Bryan Hurst,
Linda Schumacher.

Pastoral Council: Leanne Campbell,
David Demester, Mary (John) Dusek,
Mary (Tom) Dusek, Jesse Forster,
Monica Gorder, Paul Houdek, Nancy
Miller, Todd Morgan, Christopher
Quinamot, Micky Schumacher, Al
Szklański, Marta Balderas - Hispanic
Ministry Liaison.

Finance Council: Rita Amiot, Russ
Carignan, Linda Schumacher, Bryan
Hurst, JoAnn Lizakowski, Kathy Maus,
Stacey Van Bruggen.

Baptism Prep Classes - Second
Thursday - 7 p.m. in the Gathering Space.
Call 352-1648 to register.

FORMED: Youth and Adult Faith
Formation at formed.org. Parish Access
code: PNWMV2

Bulletin - find it at: stjohnsgrafton.com

Emails: Fr. Tim at
timothy.schroeder@fargodiocese.org
Bev at bev.stjohns@midconetwork.com

Need a ride to church? Call Frank
Janousek at 352-1567 or Jim Kosmatka at
352-3089.

Assumption of Mary - Holy Day of Obligation – Vigil Mass on Monday,
August 14, at 7 p.m., Holy Day Masses on Tuesday, August 15, at 9 a.m.
and 5:15 p.m.

Haiti Committee Meeting: Tuesday, August 15, at 6 p.m. in the rectory. All
are welcome.

Finance Council – Thursday, August 17, 7 p.m. in classroom #6.

Piano Talk Concerts featuring Brent Hermans: 7:00 p.m. in the Parish
Center. Final date for the summer is: August 22 (Live at Isidore's
Nightclub). Refreshments...Free Will Offering.

Faith Formation – Registration forms were mailed out this week. Please
complete and return them soon. We are still in need of teachers! If you can
help, please call Brent (520-2680) or Rose Marie (520-0591).

School Supplies Drive – A drive is being held to help provide school
supplies for some of the students in our schools. If you would be willing to
help - lists can be found at the Ultimate Gym and Shopko.

School Begins – Wednesday, August 23. Please remember to watch for
our children as they head back to school.

Pastoral Council – Thursday, August 31, 7 p.m. in the KC Room.

St. John's has a full-time Maintenance position open. – Benefit
package includes health insurance, 401(k), vacation and sick leave. Salary
dependent on experience. Printable application and job description are
listed on our website, www.stjohnsgrafton.com or can be obtained at the
parish office. Return completed application or resume with cover letter to
the parish office by Friday, August 25, 2017.

FORMED – Formation Begins at the Font – REBORN - You, Your Child
and the Heart of Baptism. When it comes to spiritual life, Baptism is just
the beginning. REBORN prepares you to support your loved one's faith
long after the rite is over, bringing depth and beauty of Baptism to life with
cinematic artistry, an original score and captivating teachers like Edward
Sri and Tim Gray. Check it out on FORMED.



Jesus, as he walks on the water, is showing to his disciples
his divine power. He starts the gospel by being quite forceful:
“Jesus made the disciples get into the boat...” Jesus also,
“dismissed the crowds.” I can imagine that after being fed
through a miracle, the crowds would want to stay around
Jesus and dismissing them would take a little force. Jesus
then “went up the mountain by himself to pray.” Then during the night “he
came toward them walking on the sea.” The disciples cry out in fear, but
Jesus encourages them “Take courage, it is I: do not be afraid.” It is as if
knowing that it was Jesus should be enough to calm them down. Well if
you have God with you, would that not be enough to calm you down? He
tells them: “It is I.” Peter responds by challenging Jesus as if he accepts his
divinity, but wanted proof: “Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you
on the water.” No normal human being could simply command another
human being to walk on water. Jesus does what Peter asks and suddenly
Peter is walking on the water, but his boldness turns into fear when he
takes his eyes off Jesus and notices how strong the waves were. Peter
does what we all should do when we have tried something truly daunting
and challenging, but feel ourselves sinking, he calls out to Jesus: “Lord,
save me.” Jesus did save Peter and will always save us when we call out to
him. He might as well chide us, “O you of little faith, why did you doubt.”
Jesus invites us to do great and wonderful things, but sometimes it is going
to feel like we are stepping out on the water in a raging storm. We have to
trust that if he called us he will always be there even if we do doubt.

Eucharist & Intentions

Saturday, August 12

5:00 p.m. – Joseph & Victoria Rologynski +

Sunday, August 13

7:30 a.m. – Oakwood – Frances Seeba +

9:30 a.m. – Parishioners

11:30 a.m. – Mass in Spanish – Fr. James Jeffrey +

Monday, August 14

10:15 a.m.-Sunset-Memorial Mass-Mary Ann Connor +

7:00 p.m.-Vigil Mass - Bernie, Rose & Jim Meister +

Tuesday, August 15 Assumption - Holy Day

9:00 a.m. – Doris & Stanley Langowski +

5:15 p.m. – Shirley Burns +

Wednesday, August 16

10:15 a.m. – Sunset – Ronald Fernholz +

Thursday, August 17

9:00 a.m. – Martha Rudnik +

1:45 p.m. – LSTC – Gene Schmidt +

Friday, August 18

9:00 a.m. – Archie & Ruth Bina +

Saturday, August 19

5:00 p.m. – Josephine & Norvin Elbert +

Sunday, August 20

7:30 a.m. – Oakwood – Parishioners

9:30 a.m. – Leona Sevigny +

11:30 a.m.–Mass in Spanish–Pedro Pruneda Gonzalez+

Prayers for the Sick: Policy for St. John's and Sacred Heart

Requests run for 3 consecutive weeks: Dorothy Rudnik, Kathy Ruzicka, Mike Tweten, Mike Callahan, Mary Ann Sevigny, Caroline Dvorak, Don & Jane Osowski, Earl Mondry, Jennifer Osowski, Adelaide Dvorak, Deanne Pilon, Diana Dominguez, Hope Reis, Sister Rose Sevigny, Gary Littlefield, Michelle Collette Donarski, Barbara Donelan, Diane Lee, Tom Hartje, David Moe, Roger Amiot, Suzanne Burns, Ramona Latraille, Betty Littlefield, Kevin Hoenke, Frances Boulduc, Connie McCarty, Adly Galle Jaehning.

Our Sympathy: to the family of Shirley Burns, including George "Buzz" (Mary) Burns, Lon (Debbie French) Burns of our parish; to the family of Brian Pilon, including Deanne Pilon, Kayla Pilon, Flora Pilon and Noel (Jill) Pilon of our parish.

Right to Life

In Vitro fertilization deserves a closer look. "Life is created in a lab as a commodity, a product. The faulty premise of in vitro fertilization is that 'I have a right to have a baby.'" explains noted bioethicist, Fr. Tad Pacholczyk. During the course of in vitro fertilization, many eggs become fertilized but only some are implanted. Of those, some may be selectively aborted to avoid a multiple pregnancy. An fertilized eggs not implanted...are frozen in a "frozen orphanage" as an "assembly line for the production of human." Florida Catholic 10/28-11/1

Prayer – For those facing terminal illness or disability that they may turn to Jesus for help in making it through the storms.

Unplanned Pregnancy – call 701-284-6601

Ministry	August 19	August 20	August 26	August 27
August Eucharistic Ministers	5:00 P.M. Plate: Mary Bailly, Patricia Kram Chalice: Carol Bina, Doris Dahlgren, Mike Such, Sheila Trontvet 9:30 A.M. Plate: Greg Dusek, Mary Dusek, Amy Lynn Suda Chalice: Greg Campbell, John Dusek, Donald Suda, Dean Woinarowicz			
Proclaimers	Michael Such	Tony Mayer	Brian Van Bruggen	Pat Wangler
Altar Servers	Chris Fehr Matt Houska	Sydney Suda Josie Suda Paige Suda	Matt Houska Chris Fehr	Tyler Mayer Robert Parsons Smallbeck boys
Greeters	Doug & Susan Kirkeby Betty Feltman	Vicki Midgarden Doris Dahlgren Delores Novak	Lee & Linda Lessard Janice Houska	Greg Campbell family Laurie Johnson
Money Counters		Bev Dolan Sue Callahan		Cynthia Collette Diane Maes

† STEWARDSHIP ☒

**Let us honor God with our first fruits
rather than the leftovers.**

August 6, 2017 \$ 8,266.17

Given in 2017

\$ 194,173.06		\$355,000.00
\$ 76,413.00	God's Gift Appeal 95%	\$ 80,740.00
\$ 622,552.89	Sowing Seeds Campaign	\$741,989.00
\$ 370.00	Kitchen	
\$ 1,000.00	Window	
\$ 20.00	Jail Ministry	
\$ 1,600.00	Unrestricted	
\$ 115.00	Adoration Chapel	
\$ 20.00	Music	
\$ 2,980.00	Haiti School	
\$ 20.00	Parish Center Floor	
\$ 20.00	Media Upgrade	

Stewardship Moment – *"He said, "Come". Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus." Matthew 14:29* When you hear Jesus calling, do you respond immediately and trust that He knows what He is doing? If so, you are walking on water! When we say "yes" to Jesus, we feel the power of His presence in our lives. We can feel the freedom it gives us! Listen how Jesus is calling you to live the extraordinary life He has in mind for you.

Saint Gianna's Shrine – Saint Gianna's Maternity Home in Warsaw is hosting a special day of visitation on Saturday, August 19 from 9-11 a.m.. There will be Mass in the Gianna Home Chapel at 8 a.m. also. You are invited to come and visit the shrine, pray and venerate the relics of Saint Gianna.

61st Annual Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of the Prairies: Sunday, August 13, Carmel of Mary Monastery, Wahpeton ND: 2 p.m. - Guest Speaker (Father Peter Anderl), 3 p.m. - Rosary and Confessions, 5 p.m. - Holy Mass (Celebrant - Most Reverend John T Folda, Bishop of Fargo), 6 p.m. - Picnic. For more information contact or visit the Monastery at carmelwahpeton@gmail.com or www.carmelofmary.org.

Business Office Manager – Holy Family Parish and School is accepting applications for a Business Office This position is responsible for the effective organization and operation of the church administrative, financial and budgetary functions. Salary is dependent on qualifications. Applications can be submitted until Noon, Friday, August 18, 2017. Full job description can requested from parish office. Send applications to: Msgr. Brian Donahue, c/o parish secretary, Holy Family Parish, 1018 18th Ave. South, Grand Forks, ND 58201 or call: 701-746-1454

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Sunday, August 20, 2017

Proclaimer: Jean Kieley

August Cleaning: Group 3

Collection: 8/6/2017 \$ 407.00

Year 2017 \$18,671.01

God's Gift Goal: \$ 8,301.00

Year to Date: 103 % \$ 8,570.00

Lay Directors:

Dennis LeClerc, Lori Cyr

Pastoral/Finance Council: Susan Suda, Cindy Collette, Mark Gourde, Lee Osowski, Bobby Osowski.