

**From the Pastor: Lamb of God**

by Fr. Joseph Evinger

In this series on the Mass we are approaching another crucial moment, the “breaking of the bread.” The symbolism behind this ritual reminds us that just as Jesus was broken and slain for us on the cross so again he is made present to us in this manner. In fact, one of the first titles of the Mass was “The Breaking of the Bread” as we see in the Acts of the Apostles and all throughout the early Church writings. Yes, the Bread of Life entered into our brokenness that we might be put together individually and as a group. We are brought into union with God and with each other through Holy Communion. We become a community. We become the one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. He becomes broken that his flock might be brought together.

While the breaking of the bread occurs the phrase “Lamb of God...” is sung. This prayer is so well known to many of us that we may have forgotten what it means, or have never known. St. John the Baptist was the first who used this title for Jesus calling to mind the Passover lamb. For the Jewish people every year on the feast of Passover each family was to procure a lamb, slay it, sprinkle its blood on the door and then eat the lamb. It was on this feast of Passover that Jesus instituted the first Mass, the Last Supper. It was on this feast that Jesus died for us and rose from the dead. Jesus is the sacrifice of the new covenant in his blood. He fulfills what the old Passover couldn't complete. He is the new and true Passover Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world. Through his mercy we have the hope of not only being brought together and fixed up, but also the hope of life forever and ever. May the mystery of the Mass continue to unfold in our lives all the days of our life.

23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time



*St. Joseph's Church - Twin Buttes*  
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*St. Joseph's Church - Killdeer*

September 6, 2020



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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS

**MONDAY, September 7**

No Mass .....

**TUESDAY, September 8**

No Mass .....

**WEDNESDAY, September 9**

No Mass .....

**THURSDAY, September 10**

No Mass .....

Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration (Killdeer) ..... 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM

**FRIDAY, September 11**

Mass (Killdeer) ..... +Marge Hibl by Mary & Bob Wheeling ..... 7:30 AM

**SATURDAY, September 12**

Confessions (Killdeer) ..... 4:30 – 5:15 PM

Mass (Killdeer) ..... +Adolph & Dorothy Kostelecky by Family ..... 5:30 PM

**SUNDAY, September 13**

Confessions (Halliday) ..... 7:30 - 7:50 AM

Mass (Halliday) ..... Parishioners of St. Joseph's Parishes and St. Paul's ..... 8:00 AM

Confessions (Killdeer) ..... 10:00 - 10:15 AM

Mass (Killdeer) ..... +Richard Jambor by Carla Hlebechuk & Family ..... 10:30 AM

Mass (Twin Buttes)..... +Evelyn Fettig by the Family ..... 2:00 PM Central

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<b>St. Joseph's, Twin Buttes .....</b>	<b>\$256.00</b>

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PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

**Holy Father's Intention:** We pray that the planet's resources will not be plundered, but shared in a just and respectful manner.

**Living:** Jeff Kilzer, Carolyn Klopp, Marvin Schmidt, Jodi Lundberg, Taylin Gessele, Dona Lowman, Mary Ann Antone

**Deceased:** Richard Jambor, Bessie Starr, James Cody Mossett

**Clergy Conference:** Father Joseph will be in Medora September 7-10 for the Fall Clergy Conference. Please keep Fr. Joseph and all Diocesan Clergy in your prayers.

**God's Share Appeal:** The 63rd Annual God's Share Appeal will be held next week in our parish. Just as we are one in the Body of Christ, we must remember that we are one with other parishes in our diocese. Bishop Kagan is asking each of us to make a commitment to support our diocesan ministry. This effort is a means by which we can all work together to care for the Church by sharing the gifts God has entrusted to us. Our parish goal is 100% participation and with your gift we can do it. Please experience the joy of giving and join us as we work to continue God's work of spirituality, charity and education.

**Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration:**

We have Eucharistic Exposition at St. Joseph's church in Killdeer from 8 a.m. through 8 p.m. every Thursday. There are sign up cards at the back of the church. Thank you to those who have signed up.

**Real Presence Banquet:** Fr. Mitch Pacwa, founder of Ignatius Productions will be the keynote speaker at the Real Presence Radio Network Banquet on Saturday, November 21, 2020 at Williston, ND. Come as a guest or sponsor this event at \$250 level or above. You may register online at [RealPresenceRadio.com](http://RealPresenceRadio.com), call 877-795-0122, or email [Jessica@RealPresenceRadio.com](mailto:Jessica@RealPresenceRadio.com) for more information.

**Reminder to all three parishes:** Please follow safety guidelines for Covid-19 by refraining from gathering indoors for visiting before or after Mass. Thank you.