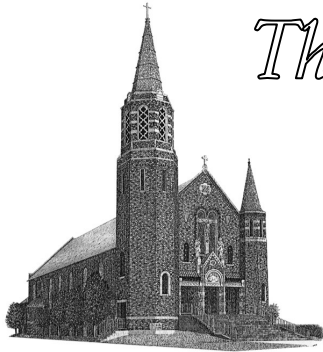
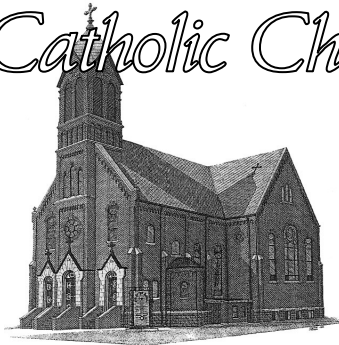


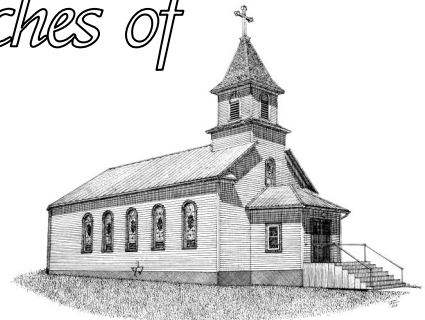
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News and Events

Sympathy and Prayers to the family, relatives, and friends of Timothy Feist, Marlon Ohlhauser, Magdalena Wolbaum, and Clara Braun, sister to Isadore Gross. May they rest in peace.

Please call the Rectory Office at 336-7172 for any reason before coming over. Fr. Shannon & I need to be more careful with this COVID pandemic going on. There are times I am working from home due to the COVID. Any questions, please leave a message on the answering machine & we will get back to you. **Thank You for understanding!**

The Feast Day Of The Immaculate Conception Of The Blessed Virgin Mary is on Tuesday, December 8th. The Mass schedule will be as follows: **December 7th, Monday**—The Eve Of The Immaculate Conception - Mass at 7:30 p.m. at St. Michael's of Rural Linton. **December 8th, Tuesday** —Mass at Strasburg at 5:30 p.m. and Mass at Hague at 7:30 p.m.—**On this feast**, we celebrate Mary's conception free from the stain of Original Sin, and we recognize that Mary's life began at the moment she was conceived in the womb of St. Anne. So, too, does every human life begin at the moment of conception, when it is lovingly knit together by God the Father.

Retirement Fund for Religious Special Collection will be held next weekend, December 12th & 13th at all parishes. In good times and bad, the senior religious have dedicated themselves to God's work. Together with nearly 30,000 elderly sisters, brothers, and religious order priests in the

The Week's Schedule

Sun.,	Dec. 6	8:45 a.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Eddie & Tillie+ Silbernagel & Family
		11:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Michael All Parishioners
Mon.,	Dec. 7	7:30 p.m.	<i>Eve Of The Immaculate Conception Of The Blessed Virgin Mary</i> Mass at St. Michael Herbert Frohlich+
Tues.,	Dec. 8	5:30 p.m.	<i>The Immaculate Conception Of The Blessed Virgin Mary</i> Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Living & Deceased Members Of St. Mary's CUF Council #244
		7:30 p.m.	Mass at St. Mary All Parishioners
Wed.,	Dec. 9	8:00 a.m.	Mass Followed By Adoration at Sts. Peter and Paul Eileen Bosch+
Thur.,	Dec. 10	8:00 a.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul Felix & Katie Wald+ & Family
Fri.,	Dec. 11	9:00 a.m.	Adoration at St. Mary
		10:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Mary Joe Haag+
Sat.,	Dec. 12	4:00 p.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Norman+ & Carol Neis & Family
		7:00 p.m.	Mass at St. Mary Joe & Frances Meier+ & Family
Sun.	Dec. 13	8:45 a.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul James & Barbara Wald+ & Family
		11:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Michael All Parishioners

The Sacrament of Reconciliation: The sacrament is available in Strasburg from 3:15-3:50 p.m. on Saturdays, in Hague from 7:15-7:50 p.m. on Saturdays, and at St. Michael Church 10:30-10:55 a.m. on Sundays. The sacrament is also available about 15 minutes prior to each weekday Mass and can be scheduled at your convenience by calling the parish office.

Eucharistic Adoration at Sts. Peter & Paul Parish in Strasburg on Wednesdays following the 8 a.m. Mass and St. Mary's Parish in Hague on Fridays at 9 a.m. followed by 10 a.m. Mass.

United States, they educated the young, tended the sick, and ministered to the needy. Today, they pray for a world that is hurting. Yet many religious communities do not have enough retirement saving and struggle to provide for aging members. Your tax-deductible gift to the **Retirement Fund for Religious** helps furnish medications, nursing

care, and more. Please be generous. — A brochure and special envelope are attached to this weeks bulletin.

Religion Classes next Sunday, December 13th, before the 11 a.m. Mass at St. Michael's.

No St. Mary's Council meeting in December.

No Strasburg Senior Citizens meeting or noon meal in December. They will resume again on January 26, 2021.

Consecration to Saint Joseph: Men and women across the Diocese are preparing to begin the process of consecration to Saint Joseph by way of Father Donald Calloway's recently-released book. The 33-day preparation can be done in a group or alone and makes for a great way to grow closer to Christ by better living the virtues of Saint Joseph, especially during this time marked by COVID-19. Although the consecration process can be started at any time, the start date chosen for beginning the Diocesan-wide devotion is Wednesday, November 25th so as to make the Act of Consecration on the Feast of the Holy Family, Sunday, December 27th. For more information on how to get started feel free to visit consecrationtostjoseph.org or contact Chris at ckraft@bismarckdiocese.com or (701) 204-7208.

Real Presence Radio invites you to attend a virtual fundraising event on **Thursday, December 10th!** The event will feature Dr. Ray Guarendi as keynote. Host of "The Dr. Is In," Dr. Ray is a Catholic father of ten adopted children, a clinical psychologist, author and comic! If you are interested in attending as a guest or hosting a watch party from your home, please register online at RealPresenceRadio.com/banquet or call 877-795-0122.

Corazon Weekend: Have you lost hope in your marriage? You are not alone! For couples in crisis, the Corazon (Spanish for heart) program can help you begin to put the pieces back together again. The diocese is offering a Corazon weekend on December 11th—13th. For more information or to register, visit bismarckdiocese.com/Corazon or call Amanda at 701-204-7205.

Marriage Encounter Weekend: A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is a private weekend away from the distractions of daily life for couples in good marriages. Give your marriage this gift. The next available weekend is a virtual experience in Buffalo, Minn. the weekend of February 12th-14th, 2021. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information, visit ndwwme.org or at Applications@ndwwme.org or 701-347-1998.

Pray for the sick: Geneva McCord, Leo Roehrich, Beth Kelsch, Gene Millner, Ron Bosch, Victoria Schumacher, Dick Shaw, Tony Baumgartner, Fr. David Zimmer, Phyllis Fischer, Myron Mattern, Marvin Feist, Eugene Getz, Ron Kramer, Todd Moch, Leo & Nancy Weber.

Pray for our deceased: Magdalena Wolbaum, Timothy Feist, Marlon Ohlhauser, Clara Braun, Msgr. Valentine

Gross, Anna Braun, Joe Hager, and Ron Doll.

Stewardship—A Way Of Life: John the Baptist's call to repentance is echoed in the US Bishops' pastoral letter on stewardship: "Christians must beg God for the grace of conversion: the grace to know who they are, to whom they belong, how they are to live – the grace to repent and change and grow, the grace to become good disciples and stewards."

Stewardship Thought: We are all stewards – managers of the many gifts God has bestowed upon us. Our challenge as Christians is to make good use of those gifts.

Vocation Views: God calls us to proclaim the Good News. How do you share that Good News? Pray for the grace to be a faith-filled witness of God's love. (Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11)

Intercessions For Life: May God move us to prepare the way of the Lord by acting with tenderness and compassion, especially toward the most vulnerable amongWe pray to the Lord....

Thank You to everyone who is keeping faithful to your Parish Financial Contributions at all of our Parishes.

Liturgy Assignments

Sts. Peter & Paul, Strasburg

Weekday Lector: Volunteers!

December 8th at 5:30 p.m.—Tuesday—The Immaculate

Lector: Miranda Huber

Head Usher: Marvin Huber

Conception

December 12th at 4:00 p.m. — Saturday

Lector: Jessa Heidrich

Head Usher: Jim & Irene Rohrich



December 13th at 8:45 a.m.— Sunday

Lector: Leona Huber

Head Usher: Mark Scherr

St. Mary, Hague

December 8th at 7:30 p.m.—Tuesday—Immaculate

Lector: Lisa Hulm

Head Usher: Andy Hulm

Money Counters: Duane Wald & Andrea Hulm

Conception



December 12th 7:00 p.m. — Saturday

Lector: Victoria Volk

Head Usher: Donavan Silbernagel

Money Counters: Andy Hulm & Leo Meier

St. Michael, Rural Linton

December 7th at 7:30 p.m.—Monday—Eve Of The Immaculate

Lector: Isadore Gross

Sacristan: Jim Schmidt

Money Counters: Patty Gross, Isadore Gross, Janet Engelhardt

Rosary: Marie Vetter

Conception

December 13th at 11:00 a.m.— Sunday

Lector: Charles Weigel

Sacristan: Rod Jacob

Money Counters: Dan Vetter, Rod Jacob, Kevin Leier

Rosary: 4th Grade

