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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE
St. Anthony~NT Saturday 7:30 PM
St. Anthony~NT Sunday 8:30 AM
St. Anthony~M Sunday 11:00 AM
Confession 15 minutes before Mass
Pastor Fr. Roger A. Synek

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1st SUNDAY OF LENT March 1, 2020

MASS TIME

Weekend Schedule (See Header)
WEEKDAY SCHEDULE
 March 2 - 6
 No Daily Mass Monday

St. Anthony NT Tues 6:30PM
 Holy Hour 5:00pm
 Stations 6:00pm, followed by Mass.

St. Anthony NT Wed 7:00AM

St. Anthony NT Thu 6:00PM
 Stations will begin at 5:30pm
 followed by Mass at 6:00pm
 after Mass Soup & Sandwich.

St. Anthony NT Fri 9:00AM

St. Anthony M Fri 5:30PM
 Stations will begin at 5:00pm followed
 by Mass.

CCD ST. ANTHONY NEW TOWN
 Wednesday, March 4th ~ 6:30-8:00pm

Religious Education

CCD ST. ANTHONY MANDAREE
 Wednesday, March 4th ~ 3:30-5:30pm



ON LINE GIVING

Our parish's online giving system lets you make your one-time, weekly, or monthly donation using your debit card, credit card or bank account. It's easy to allocate different amounts for different collections, and view complete and accurate financial records anytime. If you would like to use On Line Giving to donate to the church please go to our website and click on the donate button

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CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Darby Haugen were united in Marriage on February 22, 2020. Please continue to pray for all marriage couples.



AFRICAN MISSION APPEAL

"By our actions we bring hope to their lives" is the theme for the 31st Annual African Mission Appeal, which begins next weekend in every parish in the diocese of Bismarck. Your gift will help support the work of our Mission Team as they minister on our behalf to our brothers and sisters in Kisii, Kenya, East Africa. The African Mission Appeal brochure and envelope are included in the bulletin. Please prayerfully consider a generous gift to the appeal. You may return your envelope to the parish next weekend. You are invited to read the exciting articles in our Kenya Connection newsletter, which is found inside the Dakota Catholic Action newspaper. It contains interesting news and pictures of our mission team in action. You are also encouraged to follow our missionaries in action at www.facebook.com/BismarckCatholicMission.



DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME

Sunday, March 8
 Turn your clocks ahead one hour.
 If you don't you will be late for Mass!

2020 LENTEN REGULATIONS

Lenten regulations for the Diocese of Bismarck are as follows: Catholics who have celebrated their 14th birthday are to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Fridays in Lent and Good Friday. In addition to abstaining from meat, Catholics who have celebrated their 18th birthday, until they celebrate their 59th birthday, are to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Those who are bound to this regulation may eat only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating solid food between meals is not permitted.



WHY SHOULD WE PRAY

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS?



The most important reason for reviving the practice of making the Stations of the Cross is that it is a powerful way to contemplate, and enter into, the mystery of Jesus' gift of himself to us. Meditating upon the passion of Jesus Christ, draws a soul closer to God.

You give yourself over to the Holy Spirit and become an instrument in the salvation of souls. This one meditation allows you to contemplate Christ's suffering and His victory over sin and Satan.

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LENTEN ALMSGIVING 2020: "Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me." Participate in almsgiving this Lent by bringing food to help fill the shelves of the food pantry. Your donations can be placed in the baskets in the entry way. This year we are asked to donate Spaghetti and Sauce.



FILL A RICE BOWL: Join our faith community and more than 14,000 Catholic communities across the United States in a life-changing Lenten journey of encounter with Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl. During the 40 days of Lent, we will reflect on the challenge of global hunger and how it affects our human family. Visit crsricebowl.org for more.



QUOTE OF THE WEEK: "Lent is a fitting time for self-denial; we would do well to ask ourselves what we can give up in order to help and enrich others by our own poverty. Let us not forget that real poverty hurts: no self-denial is real without this dimension of penance. I distrust a charity that costs nothing and does not hurt." Pope Francis

CURSILLO WEEKENDS: The Cursillo of the Bismarck Diocese will be holding their 2020 Cursillo Weekends at Trinity High School in Dickinson in March. The men's weekend is March 5~8 and the women's weekend is March 19~22. For more information or for applications go to www.bismarckcursillo.com, or call/text Jeremy LaQua (men's) at 701~590~2258 or Kim Kostecky (women's) at 701~590~4726. Seating is limited and early registration is recommended.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKENDS: 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 in this area is March 6-8 in Fargo. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information, visit ndwwme.org or contact Rob and Angie at 701-347-1998.

WOMEN'S LENTEN RETREAT MARCH 14: Area women are invited to the 13th Annual Women's Simple Lenten Retreat on Saturday, March 14 at the Church of St. Joseph in Mandan. Guest speaker is Fr. Craig Vasek, chaplain of athletics at the University of Mary. The day begins with morning Mass and includes a talk on healing and forgiveness and a guided healing exercise, confession, adoration and the rosary. A light breakfast and lunch (taco bar) will be served. Registration details to follow.

A WALK THROUGH HOLY WEEK PARISH MISSION: You are invited to join us at our Parish Mission March 13, 14, and 15 at St. Mary's Church in New England. Please come to any or all sessions to reflect on our faith as we experience "A Walk Through Holy Week" with featured speaker Dr. Leroy Huizenga. Dr. Huizenga is a respected professor in the Department of Theology at the University of Mary. Session topics include "The Life of Jesus Christ," "The Death of Jesus Christ," and "The Resurrection of Jesus Christ." Sessions will be held Friday, March 13 at 7:00pm, Saturday March 14 (including 5:00pm Mass with supper & presentation to follow), and Sunday, March 15 (including 10:30am Mass followed by lunch and presentation). A free will offering will be taken up that evening. For more information, contact St. Mary's parish office at 579-4312.

LENTEN RETREAT AT ANNUNCIATION MONASTERY: All are welcome to join the Oblates of Annunciation Monastery for a Lenten retreat, led by Sister Nancy Gunderson, on Sunday, March 8th from 10 am to 3 pm. The theme is "From Passion to Resurrection in the Gospel of John". Please bring your favorite Bible to the Lenten retreat. Eucharistic Liturgy and lunch are included. There is no charge for this event. Contact Sr. Rosemary DeGracia at 255-1520 for more information.

MARRIAGE MOMENTS: Adam and Eve were tempted by food (from a tree) and the lure of power. The devil also tempted Jesus with food (bread) and the promise of power. May the food you share with each other this week remind you to be of service to each others.

PARENTING POINTERS: Can your family do a "tech fast" of a day without TV or the internet? If not today, choose another day soon. What kind of homemade fun can you substitute?

STEWARDSHIP SUMMARY: What temptations lure us from the path of discipleship? Possessions? Pride? Power? Oh Lord, create for us a clean heart and renew a steadfast spirit within us!

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT: "While we have the opportunity, let us do good to all people – especially to those of the household of the faith." (Galatians 6:10). Catholic education must continue to be available to young people. Help provide that opportunity by making a bequest in your Will for religious education at St. Anthony.

"O Lord, make this Lenten season different from the other ones. Let me find you again. Amen." Henri Nouwen

FLU SEASON: We encourage you to remain healthy at this time by taking the following precautions. Stay home if you are feeling ill. Use the hand sanitizer that is available at all Church entrances.



SOUNDS OF SILENCE: Your stepping stones back into life... SOS (Sounds of Silence) is a suicide support group which provides compassionate support and grief education with the hope that family members and friends will find guidance on the path of healing. The next meeting will be on Tuesday, March 3rd, at 7:00 p.m. at Parkway Funeral Service, 2330 Tyler Parkway, Bismarck. There will be an "open session".

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE
From February 1-12, 2021, St. John the Apostle Catholic Church (Fr. David Richter) is planning a pilgrimage to the Holy Land February 1-12, 2021. They have several available spots for anyone interested in joining the pilgrimage. Signup deadline is March 5, 2020. The group will fly out from Bismarck. Contact St. John Church office at 701-839-7076 if you want more information. We are trying to fill a few spots that are still open.

7th Sunday of Ordinary Time 02-23-2020		Financial Offerings	
		St. Anthony New Town	St. Anthony Mandaree
Parish Income Applied to Expenses	Envelopes	\$ 695.00	\$ 75.00
	Loose	\$ 133.50	\$ 451.00
	Stole Fees	\$ 100.00	
	Blanket Sales		\$ 100.00
	Total	\$928.50	\$626.00
Diocesan	On Line Cath Char	\$ 20.00	
Fiscal YTD		\$ 66,515.04	\$ 56,634.32
YTD Need	Week 34	\$63,750.00	\$79,016.00



Financial Corner: The monthly and YTD totals do not include special collections such as God's Share since that money is forwarded to the Diocese. "YTD Need" is based on slightly increased 2018-19 total expenses and calculated on a weekly basis (SA-NT \$1875/wk, SA-M \$2324/wk). Thank you for your continued time, talent, and finances that you share with your parishes.