

Parish Bulletin for Our Lady of Perpetual Help And St Jude's

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RESPECT LIFE



30 september 2018

26th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Numbers 11:25-29 James 5:1-6 Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Novena for the Legal Protection of Human Life
September 28, 2018

PRAY: May a change in the U.S. Supreme Court move our nation closer to the day when every human being is protected in law and welcomed in life.

Our Father... Hail Mary... Glory Be...

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Claims that thousands of women were dying from illegal abortions at the time of Roe were fabricated for political purposes. The late Dr. Bernard Nathanson,

a chief strategist for legalizing abortion, said he and his associates invented the "nice, round shocking figure" of "5,000 to 10,000 deaths a year" from illegal abortions:

"I confess that I knew the figures were totally false, and I suppose the others did too if they stopped to think of it. But in the "morality" of our revolution, it was a useful figure, widely accepted, so why go out of our way to correct it with honest statistics?"

Research confirms that the actual number of maternal deaths resulting from abortion in the 25 years prior to 1973 averaged 250 a year, with a high of 388 in 1948. In 1966, before the first state legalized abortion, 120 mothers died from abortion. While any death is a tragedy, by 1972, when abortion was still illegal in 80 percent of the country, the number dropped to 39 maternal deaths from abortion.

Furthermore, a groundbreaking 2012 study of abortion in Chile published in a peer-reviewed scientific journal found that Chile's abortion prohibition in 1989 did not cause an increase in the maternal mortality rate (MMR). On the contrary, after abortion was prohibited, the MMR decreased by 69.2% in the following fourteen years.



Catholic Charities
North Dakota

CWO Cookies for Beet Harvest

If you like to bake, please make some cookies and package them 3 to a bag. You may bring them to OLPH church kitchen until Oct 4th. There are labels, with a message for a safe harvest, for you to attach to your bags and then place the bags in the freezer. Thank you.



Fr John will be away next week from Sunday evening to Thursday morning for the annual priest meeting in Jamestown.

The annual Catholic Charities Financial Drive is September 29–30, 2018. An envelope will be located in the pews this coming week. A presentation will be made on the weekend of the 30th of September.

Sunday,
October 7

St. Mary's Cathedral, Fargo

Noon Mass

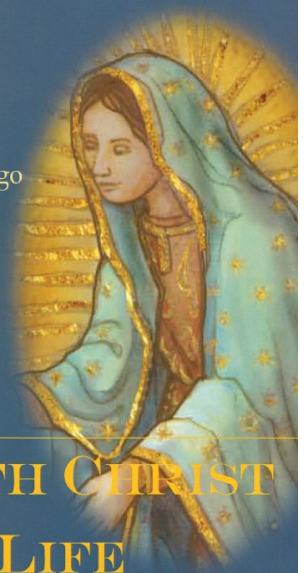
Bishop Folda, main celebrant

1:15 p.m.

Eucharistic Procession
to state's only abortion facility

2:30 p.m.

Meal in church social hall



WALK WITH CHRIST
FOR LIFE

Ethical Decision Making
in Sickness and
Compromised States

Thursday, Oct. 11
7-9 p.m.

Sts. Anne & Joachim Church Social Hall
5202 25 Street South, Fargo

The recent weeks have been a time of shock and betrayal in the Catholic Church. Reports, allegations, and responses have caused their fair share of whiplash among the faithful. Who is righteous? Who is corrupt? Where did the problems start, and how will they end? Who can we trust? This Sunday's readings have some strong words for those who abuse their positions of power. It also offers hope in unlikely places.

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Offertory Sep 23, 2018

OLPH—\$1120.00 Online: \$712.62
ST JUDE—\$882.00 Online: \$563.21

Sep 30- Oct 4—Annual Priest Meetings at Jamestown

Oct 6—Wedding of Sturman & Linneman—OLPH

Oct 7—SJ Youth Group Egg Bake following Mass

Oct 18— Parish Council—OLPH

Oct 21—Fall Dinner Reynolds

Oct 27—St Anne Spaghetti Dinner 11am-1pm

Nov 7—Parish Council—SJ 7pm

Nov 7—SJ Youth Group Turkey Bingo 11a-1o

Nov 22—Thanksgiving Masses:

SJ—830am; OLPH—10:30am

Nov 30—Convocation for Leadership—Fargo

Dec 9—SJ RE Christmas Program 1:30p

Dec 24—Vigil Mass—5pm—SJ

Dec 24— Christmas Eve—11:30p—OLPH

Dec 25—Christmas Day—8:30a—SJ

Dec 25—Christmas Day— 10:30a—OLPH

Mar 3 2019—SJ Youth Group Ham Bingo 1:30p

Mar 13 2019—SJ Youth Group Egg Bake following Mass

Apr 7 2019—Confirmation & First Eucharist, 1pm Hillsboro

mass intentions

SEPTEMBER 2018

29—OLPH +Dorothy Lazur by family
30—OLPH Mass for the People
SJ +Kent Nygaard by J/S Simon
02 NO SCHEDULED MASS
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04—OLPH Private Intention
05—SJ +Parents of Don & Arlene Storbakken
06—SJ +Tom Meagher his dad
07—SJ Mass for the people
OLPH +Sylvester Wald by Millie Wald

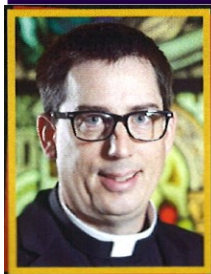
Mass Schedule—Tues-Fri: 9am
Weekend: Sat Vigil 5pm, Sunday 8:30a & 1030a

FALL DINNERS

Oct 7—St Michaels GF Fall Dinner 11a-2p

Oct 21—Fall Dinner, Reynolds ND

Nov 4—St Rose of Lima Hillsboro Fall Dinner—
11:30-1:30p



JERED GROSSMAN
Harvey, ND
Theology III

Please remember in your prayers the men who have started their studies for the Priesthood of Jesus Christ for the Diocese of Fargo.

The second reading fiercely lays bare corruption. The wealth of the rich as “corroded” and “rotted away.” The injustices they’ve done “are crying aloud.” What does James say to this exposed wrongdoing? “That corrosion will be a testimony against you.” When deep patterns of sin and corruption are front-page news, the words of James become chillingly timely. Jesus’ admonishment in today’s Gospel is equally startling. “Whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in me to sin, it would be better for him if a great millstone were put around his neck and he were thrown into the sea.” In the classic hyperbole of his time, Jesus notes that it is better to die than to lead a vulnerable person to sin.

What are we to do with corruption in our midst? “If your hand causes you to sin, cut it off.” This seems to be the cry across the nation in the blogosphere and in local listening sessions. Why weren’t abusers “cut off”? Why was their sin allowed to endure? Why did cultures of protectionism and manipulation become the way of the Body of Christ? We don’t have the answers to these questions, at least not answers that are deeply satisfying. The readings this Sunday aren’t about finding answers. But they are about finding hope.

SEPTEMBER 2018 - 10:30

Sunday - September 30th

Lector: Angie Zafke
EMHC: M Gregoire & W Mager
Gifts: Josh & Danielle Trottier
Servers: Luke & Sarah Mager



October 2018 - 5:00 & 8:30

Saturday - October 6th

Lector: Rod Nett
EMHC: Rod Nett
Gifts: Bob & Carole Bohlman
Server: volunteer

Sunday - October 7th

Lector: Nancy Schumacher
EMHC: J Bittner & Marilyn Chandler
Gifts: Jerry Reule & Carlos Rodriguez
Server: Luke & Sarah Mager

Saturday - October 13th

Lector: Mary Franklund
EMHC: Mary Franklund
Gifts: Nick Shirek & Tom Weber
Servers: Thomas Schumacher & Katie Zafke

Sunday - October 14th

Lector: Michael Bittner
EMHC: Jon Gregoire & Mary Krogstad
Gifts: Darwin Garman & Kindra Hanevold
Servers: Luke Mager & Jacob West

Saturday, Sept 29 - 5:00 p.m. OLPH

Lector: Sue Argenziano
EMHC: Mary Knutson, Jeff Sobolik
Collection: Dan & Kim Lazur
Ring Bell: Frank Argenziano



Sunday, Sept 30 - 8:30 a.m OLPH

Lector: Chandra Fischer
EMHC: Marge Vonesh, Candonn Granger
Collection: Mike Scholand, Jake Unterseher
Gifts: Unterseher family
Servers: Volunteers
Ring Bell: Troy Lazur

Sunday, October 7 10:30 a.m. OLPH

Lector: Val Krogstad
EMHC: Candonn Granger, Marge Vonesh
Collection/Gifts: Bill Leddige, Ryan Sondrol
Servers: Volunteers
Ring Bell: Neil Breidenbach

Sunday, October 14 10:30 a.m. OLPH

Lector: Jake Unterseher
EMHC: Jonathan Vonesh, Joyce Riske
Collection/Gifts: Troy & Lisa Lazur
Servers: Volunteers
Ring Bell: Jerry Linneman