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Office of Catholic Education and Formation

The Office of Catholic Education and Formation assists Bishop Folda in carrying out his mandate to educate and form every Catholic in the mystery of the person of Jesus Christ. The director is Fr. Andrew Jasinski, 701-356-7907, andrew.jasinski@fargodiocese.org. The CEF staff is dedicated to assist parishes and provide resources in the following areas.

Office for Evangelization	Office for Catechesis
<p>(Vacant), 701-356-7908</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Evangelization Initiatives• Young Disciples Camps• Parish Leadership Resources• Diocesan Synod Preparation	<p>Mary Hanbury, 701-356-7909 mary.hanbury@fargodiocese.org</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rite of Christian Initiation• Youth Catechesis, including catechist standards, training and resources• Sacramental Preparation• Resources for special needs catechesis• Safe Environment resources• Adult education resources
Youth and Young Adult Ministry	Respect Life Office
<p>Brady Borslien, 701-356-7902 brady.borslien@fargodiocese.org</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• IGNITE Student Ministry• Youth Minister Training• Middle School Youth Rally• Youth Retreats: SEARCH, NET and Summer Retreats• Catholic Scouting Awards• World Youth Day (Lisbon, Aug. 2023)• Parish Resources (field trips, etc.)• Young Adult Ministry	<p>Tim Mosser, 701-356-7910 tim.mosser@fargodiocese.org</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Life Issues Resources• Pro-Life Activities: Walk with Christ for Life, Youth Pilgrimage, Mass for God's Children, 40 Days for Life, Afternoon of Prayerful Remembrance and Intercession• Post-abortion care
Office of Marriage and Family Life	
<p>Brad Gray, 701-356-7903 / brad.gray@fargodiocese.org Jennie Korsmo, 701-356-7901 / jennie.korsmo@fargodiocese.org</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Marriage Preparation Weekends• Sponsor Couple Training• Natural Family Planning• Anti-Pornography resources• Marriage Enrichment• Retrouvaille (marriage healing program)• Made for Greatness Men's Initiatives• REDEEMED Conferences	

Schedule of Major Events for 2021–2022

July 2021	August 2021	September 2021
<p><i>Young Disciples Camps cancelled</i></p> <p>Jul. 16-18: “Made for Greatness” Men’s Retreat, Fort Ransom</p> <p>Jul. 25-31: NFP Awareness Week</p>	<p>Aug. 13-15: “Jesus Approaches” Women’s Retreat, Hankinson</p> <p>Aug. 27: Catechist Retreat, Maryvale, Valley City</p> <p>Aug. 28: Catechist Retreat, Lake Metigoshe</p>	<p>Sep. 19: Catechetical Sunday</p> <p>Sep. 22–Oct. 31: 40 Days for Life</p>
October 2021	November 2021	December 2021
<p>Oct. 3: Walk with Christ for Life</p> <p>Oct. 9: Fr. Pacholczyk on life issues, St. Mary’s Cathedral, Fargo</p> <p>Oct. 20: Go deeper in <i>Alive in Christ</i>, with its author Dr. White</p> <p>Oct. 21: Middle School Youth Rally, Red Willow Bible Camp</p> <p>Oct. 22: R.E. Exchange, Fargo</p> <p>Oct. 22-24: Retrouvaille, Fargo</p>	<p>Nov. 5-7: SEARCH Weekend</p> <p>Nov. 19: NFP Instructors’ Continuing Education Day</p>	<p>Dec. 8: National Night of Prayer for Life</p> <p>TBD: High School winter break retreat</p>
January 2022	February 2022	March 2022
<p>Jan. 10-20: NET Retreat</p> <p>Jan. 14-16: SEARCH Weekend</p> <p>Jan. 17-22: March for Life Youth Pilgrimage</p>	<p>TBD: Discernment retreat for High School and college men</p> <p><i>Recruit missionaries for Young Disciples and apply for Camps</i></p>	<p>Mar. 4-5: REDEEMED Women’s Conference</p> <p>Mar. 4-6: SEARCH Weekend</p> <p>Mar. 6: Rite of Election</p> <p>Mar. 11-13: Retrouvaille, Fargo</p> <p>Mar. 12-13: Safe Haven Sunday</p>
April 2022	May 2022	June 2022
<p>Apr. 15: Good Friday Stations of the Cross at Abortion Clinic</p> <p>Apr. 29-May 1: SEARCH Weekend</p>	<p>For the schedule of Confirmation and First Eucharist, visit www.fargodiocese.org/confirmation</p>	<p>June 1–July 30: Young Disciples Camps</p>

Marriage Preparation Seminars

Location	2021 Dates	2022 Dates
Fargo	Aug. 20-21, Sep. 17-18, Nov. 12-13	Jan. 14-15, Feb. 11-12, Mar. 25-26, Ap. 22-23, May 6-7, Jun. 10-11, Aug. 12-13
Grand Forks	Sep. 24-25, Oct. 15-16	Jan. 21-22, Mar. 18-19, Apr. 22-23, May 21-21, Jun. 17-18

Marriage in Special Circumstances Seminars

Fargo	Oct. 9	Mar. 12
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