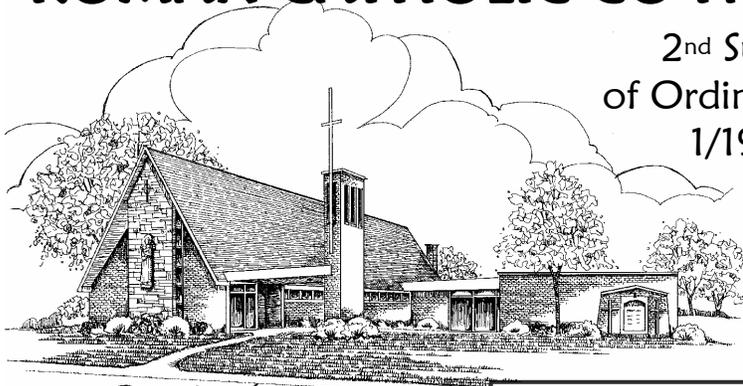


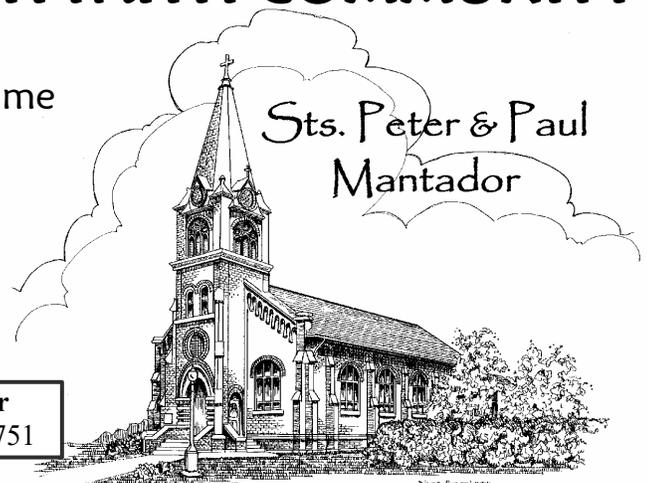
ROMAN CATHOLIC CO-PARISH FAITH COMMUNITY

2nd Sunday
of Ordinary Time
1/19/20



St. Anthony
Mooreton

Fr. Kurt Gunwall, Pastor
701-274-8259 or 701-540-8751



Sts. Peter & Paul
Mantador

St Anthony 1/25 5:00 pm

Lector Jody Lingen
EMHC Dori Palmer, Jane Althoff
Usher Adam Mauch
Servers Paulys

St Anthony 1/26 8:30 am

Lector Arnel Onchuck
EMHC Chance Pausch, Alyson Krier
Usher Dale Althoff
Servers Onchucks

Gifts Rich & Cindy Spellerberg Sts Peter & Paul 1/26 10:30 am

Lector Memory Mauch
EMHC Bill Mauch, Randy Mauch
Usher Jeff Mauch
Servers Mauchs

Mass Intentions *Changes in Bold*

Mon, 20 No Mass - (m) St Fabian, St Sebastian

Tue, 21 No Mass - (M) St Agnes

Wed, 22 St A 5:45 pm Bill Ward (†) -Day of Prayer (fasting) for Protection of Unborn

Thu, 23 Sts PP 5:30 pm Martha Linsmeier - (m) St Vincent, St Marianne Cope

Fri, 24 St A 9:30 am Bill Ward (†) - (m) St Anthony (M) St Francis de Sales

Sat, 25 St A 5:00 pm Fr Larry Haas (†) - (F) Conversion of St Paul the Apostle

Sun, 26 St A 8:30 am All parishioners

Sun, 26 Sts PP 10:30 am Irmina Schultz (†)

Pray for the Sick/Elderly: Leo Althoff, Jerome Birchem, Kate Boll, Wayne Foertsch, Sr Ann Marie Friederichs, Jacinta Goerger, Dennis Iverson, Jim Krump, Erwin Lugert, Dennis Mauch, Kathy (Randy's) Mauch, Macy Mauch, Kassie Pauly, Alice Pausch, Alice Pellman, Patrick Sawyer, Greg Stephens, Tim Sundby, Wayne Ward, Frances Zajac, Carol Zietz. - Send prayer requests to Fr Gunwall

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

January 18-25 is an annual week of prayer for Christian Unity (see Jesus' prayer in John's Gospel on the backside.) We know the Church is not made up of perfect people but of broken, hurting, and sinful people. The world is often upset or disappointed when they are scandalized by our sins and by our divisions. We should not accept these divisions or our sins as normal and therefore o.k. The splintering of the Church is best healed when we are honest about our divisions and sins, and then strive for healing and true unity in God. We strive for unity so to be a witness to God's holiness. The following reflection reminds us that unity with God must come before deep unity will last with others.

Reflection 199: Unity with Jesus is Unity with Others - The Church is glorious for many reasons. One glorious aspect of the Church is the unity found within it. It's true that there is, at times, much internal disunity, hurt and disorder of every kind. But these are not qualities of the Church. These are the effects of the sins of Her members. The Church Herself is the Spotless Bride of Christ. And the more we enter into union with Christ Jesus, the more fully we are a member of this glorious Church. By uniting ourselves to Christ we unite ourselves to the Holy Father. And by uniting ourselves to the Holy Father, we unite ourselves to St. Peter, all the Apostles and all the saints who are living and in Heaven. We become mystically united with Christians throughout the world and our prayer and adoration of God becomes one song of praise rising to the glory of Heaven. And as we unite ourselves, through our unity with Christ, we receive the overabundance of Mercy from God making us one (See Diary #1044).

Do you see yourself as a member of the one Body of Christ? Do you understand that you are called to share in the unity that comes from your union with Him? Loving Jesus with your whole mind, heart, soul and strength brings about a profound love for others. If it does not, then it is not authentic love of God. Reflect upon the effect that your love of God has on your relationship with others. Let your love of God affect you in such a way that you discover an outpouring of love for all people, especially those within the Church. And let that love reveal the deep bond of unity that is established as a result. Unity is glorious. It is a central blessing flowing from the Church and a sign of the Mercy of God.

Lord, help me to always live in union with You and with others. May my love for You overflow into my love for others, especially those who are members of Your Church. I love You, dear Lord, and I trust in You.

<https://divinemercy.life/2019/07/18/reflection-199-unity-with-jesus-is-unity-with-others/>

Emergency Contacts through Tuesday: Fr Simonson (Wyndmere) 701-566-0405; Fr Sautner (Hankinson) 701-640-6525; Fr Anderl (Lidgerwood) 701-640-6050; Fr Tiu (Carmelites) 701-403-6561; Frs Lagodinski & Welle (Wahpeton) 701-899-3278 & 321-507-8101. Then please inform me.

email: mooretonmantadorcatholic@gmail.com / web: mooretonmantadorcatholic.org

News of the Week:

Jan 18-25 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity
Sun, 19 StA 6:30pm Financial Peace University
Wed, 22 StA 6:15pm RE meal

Question of the Week

Am I willing to serve those who are not of my people, as did Jesus, as did Isaiah, Paul, and John the Baptist?

Verse of the Week: "that they may all be one; even as thou, Father, art in me, and I in thee, that they also may be in us, so that the world may believe that thou hast sent me." (John 17:21)

Assignment: Find baptism dates for your family and put them on your calendar. (Really, do this.) **Send a card** of faith or give a call - like a birthday.

Super Bowl Social at St Anthony rectory on Sun, Feb 4. Food, games, and visits begin at 3 pm. Will you be there?

Christmas letter & Prayer cards - I received a few prayer cards so far. I want to emphasize that I really will pray for your specific needs and so I invite you to return those cards by mail or in an envelope in the collection basket.

The Catholic Faith Explained (Symbolon) - I will lead this faith building and education series beginning in February and plan to offer a daytime and an evening session. The videos connected with this are available online too. Watch for a text and email notice and sign-up in church. **Let me know now if you are interested.**

St Mary Magdalen Court 117 of the National Catholic Society of Foresters will hold a **"Soup"er Bowl Fund Raiser** at Sts Peter & Paul for the Food Pantry, Feb 2, 2020. Drop off cans or other non-perishable food in the back of the church. Funds up to \$1,500 will be matched by the High Court of the NCSof-Life Insurance, Annuities, Fraternal Benefits. Donations accepted all month.

Parish news and tasks: 1) We have a single mattress at St Anthony's rectory if you know someone who needs one. 2) We will be working on the sanctuary lights at Sts Peter & Paul in early February and will need scaffolding to reach the peak. Would you like to help on this project? Do you have some scaffolding? 3) We have to do a self-inspection report for each parish when I return from vacation. If you want to understand your parish's needs and lend your eyes to this project, give me a call.

Stewardship Moment: "Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb..." (Isaiah 49:5)

God has given each of us different gifts. In order for God's plan to work, you have to do what God is calling you to do and I have to do what God is calling me to do. And guess what? God has given each of us a different plan! So, stop comparing yourself to others. Don't let envy and jealousy enter your life. Be thankful for the gifts God has given you and generously share them with others.

Prayer for Christian Unity

Loving God, we ask that You would grant us the spirit of wisdom and unity, so that we may be one, even as You are one with our Lord Jesus Christ - and He with You.

Enable all the members of the body of Christ, to live together in unity and fellowship with one another, and lead us into the paths of peace and righteousness - so that we may be well pleasing in Your sight.

We ask You to teach us how to love one another as Christ loved us and help us to show one another the unusual kindness that can only come from knowing Your Son Jesus. May the Spirit stir up in our hearts a desire to be united as one, in the bond of peace and fellowship. This we ask in Jesus' name.

Community Announcements

Peter's Pence Collection, is a worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. For more info, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

Could you use a new tool to tighten up your marriage? Join Fr. Gunwall for Retrouvaille: Feb 7-9, in Fargo - Retrouvaille is an international, peer-run program that has helped hundreds of thousands of hurting married couples turn the tide, find new hope, and rediscover the love that initially brought them together. Surveys have shown that 3 out of 4 couples who complete the entire program are still married five years later with stronger, healthier marriages. For more information visit HelpOurMarriage.com or contact us at (701) 356-7962 or via email at RedRiverRetrouvaille@fargodiocese.org.

Do you want to know God, our Faith, and important topics better? Spend three Sunday afternoons at **Catholic Collage** doing that! You can choose from six short workshops beginning at 1:00 or 2:30 on Feb 9, 16, & 23 in Fargo at Shanley High School. For more information, visit www.catholiccollage.com or contact Joan Schaefer at jschaefer@ideaone.net or 701-364-0444. Pre-registration required. **Bishop Folda & Fr Gunwall are leading a workshop on Catholic History in the US. Fr. Sautner is leading one on the Our Father.**

The FOUR MARKS of the CATHOLIC CHURCH
It is CHRIST who, through the Holy Spirit, makes His Church ONE, HOLY, CATHOLIC and APOSTOLIC and it is He who calls Her to realize each of these qualities.
(Catechism of the Catholic Church 811)

ONE
† FAITH (Eph. 4:5) † SACRIFICE (1 Cor. 5:7-8)
† SACRAMENTAL SYSTEM (1 Cor. 4:1) † HEAD (In 10:16)

HOLY
† IN HER FOUNDER (Mt. 16:18) † IN HER TEACHINGS (Eph. 4:11-12) † IN HER MEANS OF GRACE (2 Pl. 1:3-4) † IN HER MEMBERS TO FOLLOW THE TEACHINGS AND USE THE MEANS OF GRACE PROVIDED, TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DIVINE LIFE OF GOD NOW AND FOREVER (1 Pt. 2:9)

CATHOLIC
† SHE IS NOT THE CHURCH ON ONE NATION OR ONE RACE BUT THE MOTHER OF ALL NATIONS AND ALL RACES (Gal. 4:26) † TEACHING THE COMPLETE AND CORRECT FAITH FOR ALL TIMES, PLACES AND PEOPLES (Mt. 28:18-20)

APOSTOLIC
† SHE CAN TRACE HER ORIGIN IN UNBROKEN LINEAGE BACK TO THE APOSTLES UPON WHOM CHRIST FOUNDED THE CHURCH (Eph. 2:20)

Pray The HOLY ROSARY Daily // www.facebook.com

← Christian Unity will have the four marks of God's Church.

Jan Cleaners: Sts PP: *Donna Thiel, Barb Lingen, Jackie Lingen, Cindy Reiland / **St A:** *Michelle Johnson, Shirley Breuer, Brenda Klosterman, Diana Klosterman, Theresa Link

the Catechism (CCC) helps us read Scripture with the mind of Christ.

3rd Sunday -Ordinary Time - Paragraph #s (not pages)

551, 765: the call of the Twelve

541-543: Reign of God calls and gathers Jews and Gentiles

813-822: unity of the Church



This week's celebrations: Chance Pausch, Jane Althoff, Fr. Kurtis Gunwall.