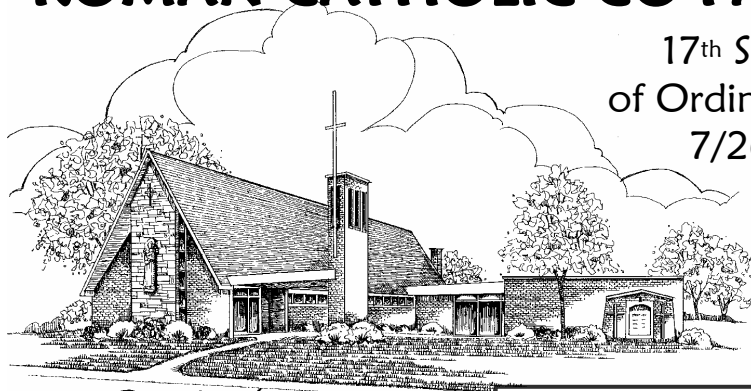


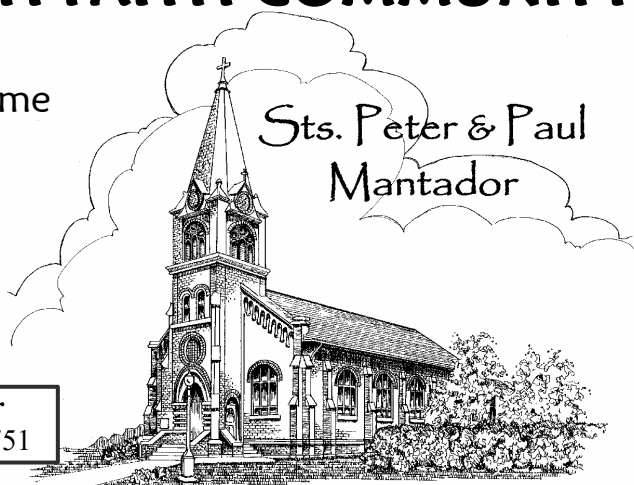
ROMAN CATHOLIC CO-PARISH FAITH COMMUNITY

17th Sunday
of Ordinary Time
7/26/20



St. Anthony
Mooreton

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



Sts. Peter & Paul
Mantador

St Anthony 8/1 5:00 pm

Lector Joe Braun

Usher

Servers Paulys

Sts Peter & Paul 8/2 8:30 am

Lector Craig Pausch

Usher Ron Pellman

Servers Boyles

St Anthony 8/2 10:30 am

Lector Yoney Fobb

Usher Curt Berg

Servers Fobbs

Mass Intentions - Changes in Bold

Mon, 27 No Mass

Tue, 28 StsPP 8:30 am Marie & Francis Babinski (†)

Wed, 29 StA 545 pm Kayomerz Golwalla - (M) St Martha

Thu, 30 StsPP 8:30 am Arlin Schultz (†) - (m) St Peter Chrysologus

Fri, 31 StA 9:30 am Vernon Althoff (†) - (M) St Ignatius of Loyola

Sat, 1 StA 5:00 pm All parishioners - (M) St Alphonsus Liguori

Sun, 2 StsPP 8:30 am Christian Mothers

Sun, 2 StA 10:30 am Christian Mothers [livestream on YouTube]

Pray for the Sick/Elderly: Loretta Althoff, Arnie Foertsch, Bill Giesen, Jacinta Goerger, Larry Goerger, Nargis Golwalla, Tony Heitkamp, Marlys Krump, Erwin Lugert, Dennis Mauch, Diane (Jim) Mauch, Jim Mitchell, Alice Pausch, Alice Pellman, Dean Reiland, Wayne Ward, Aron Waxweiler, Frances Zajac, Carol Zietz. **Send the names of loved ones** in need of prayers to Fr Gunwall.

God & the Church (epilogue)

We profess in the Creed, "I believe in One, Holy Catholic & Apostolic Church..." We profess not just our faith and a church, but the Faith as taught in the Church. How well are we living this?

We are one body, one Church in Christ. "There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of us all, who is above all and through all and in all." (Ephesians 4:4-6). St Paul encouraged and challenged the Christians in Ephesus during the first century of the Church's growth. We need the same encouragement and challenge today. To be the Church is to be united with God and one another.

Splintered denominations do not reveal God's unity and oneness - as He is. Rather, our brokenness reveals our sin and weakness and mars/hides the holiness of God. All people, Christians included, are sinners; no doubt about it. Christians are commanded to admit this in the Sacrament of Confession in order to be reconciled with God and one another. We are told by Jesus not to come to the altar (Holy Communion) if we have wronged another and not made peace with them (Matthew 5:23-24). We have to admit our failings and sins (they usually know it already) to show them (and remind ourselves) that we need God to save us.

God is perfectly holy, one, true, good, and beauty. The Church on earth is imperfectly One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic. As we confess our imperfections so that the strength and holiness of God working in weak, earthen vessels can be seen in us, in spite of us!

So I echo Jesus' call to you even as I ask you to hold me accountable too: be One (in unity), be Holy (in Charity - God is Love), be Catholic (from all & for all), be Apostolic (faithful in the Church Jesus built upon the apostles and still holds together after 2000 years). Pray for the Church! Pray for the World! Sts Peter, Paul & Anthony, pray for us!

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 (Jn. 10:16)



HOLY

- † In her Founder (Mt. 16:18)
- † In her Teachings (Eph. 4:11-12)
- † In her Means of Grace (2 Pt. 1:3-4)
- † In her Members who follow the Teachings and use the Means of Grace provided, to participate in the Divine life of God now & forever (1 Pt. 2:9).



CATHOLIC

- † She is not the Church of one nation or one race but the Mother of all nations and all races (Gal. 4:26) teaching the complete & 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).

"The Church herself, with her marvelous propagation, eminent holiness, and inexhaustible fruitfulness in everything good, her catholic unity and invincible stability, is a great and perpetual motive of credibility and an irrefutable witness of her divine mission." Vatican Council I, De Filius 3:05 3013.

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Questions of the Week

What or whom have I overlooked in searching for the Kingdom of Heaven? How can I develop an understanding heart?

Verse of the Week: "Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it." (1 Corinthians 12:27)

Assignment: Review your words and actions each day. In an evening Examen Do you more often reveal the holiness of God and His Church

or do you mar it? - We ask for the courage and strength to admit our frequent sins & failings to those near us. We commit not to hide behind a false mask or make light of sin - that also offends God and dims the light and goodness we are commanded to shine, to do, to be!

Thank you to the young adults and our parishioners who helped with the Holy Heroes Adventure camp this last week.

Thank you!

Will and Estate (& Funeral) Planning - Tue., Aug 4 - Do you or a loved one need to review your Will or Estate plans? Whether creating a will or updating the one you already have, this seminar can show you some of your options. Steve Schons, Dir. of Stewardship and Development for the Diocese of Fargo, will be on-hand to provide some helpful tips. The 40 minute seminar will cover the key elements of a will, explanation of terminology, and a booklet to get you started with organizing your information. Q&A afterward. Fr. Gunwall will also explain a simple plan for some portions of your funeral (make this a gift for the peace of mind to your kids). The seminar will be held at St. Anthony's Hall, at 6:00 pm. Simple snacks will be served.

We need your help & we invite you to an afternoon of prayer, teaching and celebration! The Carmelite Sisters will host this annual event on Sunday, August 16. There is a talk about Mary's role in the world, the Church, and our lives. Then there is time for confessions with a few priests available, the celebration of Mass, and dinner. Come for all or any part of the day. St Anthony and Sts Peter & Paul share the responsibility this year to set-up, take-down, and host visitors at the Monastery. Signup in the back of the church. We need your participation.

Stewardship Moment: "We know that all things work for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose." (Romans 8:28)

Do you really trust God? Do you really believe that God will provide all that you need? Faith is a challenge for everyone at times. Putting our trust in God, in everything we do, in good times and in bad, means that God's plan for our lives may be quite different than what we planned. When one door closes, another one opens. Trust in God, His plan is always better.

Community Events (spread the word)

A pray for Unity as the Church

"I, therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace." *Ephesians 4:1-3*

God, help {your Church} to walk in a manner worthy of the calling You have given us. Help us in all our interactions with one another to have humble and gentle hearts. Grant us patience for one another, bearing with one another in love. Grant the Body of Christ unity. May we walk humbly with You, God, allowing You to show us our wrongs. - *Candace Crabtree (this and other prayers on www.crosswalk.com on July 7, 2016)*



"JUNÍPERO SOUGHT TO DEFEND THE DIGNITY OF THE NATIVE COMMUNITY, TO PROTECT IT FROM THOSE WHO HAD MISTREATED AND ABUSED IT."

POPE FRANCIS



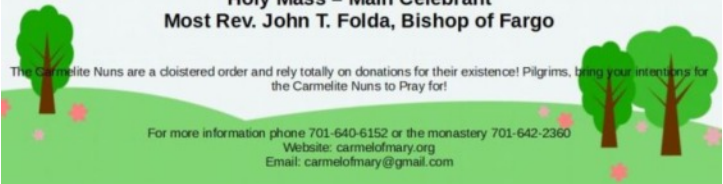
64th Annual Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of the Prairies



Sunday, August 16, 2020
Carmel of Mary Monastery
Wahpeton, ND

2:00pm - Guest Speaker, Fr. Kurtis Gunwall
3:00pm - Rosary / Confessions
5:00pm - Holy Mass
6:00pm - Picnic

Holy Mass - Main Celebrant
Most Rev. John T. Folda, Bishop of Fargo



The Carmelite Nuns are a cloistered order and rely totally on donations for their existence! Pilgrims, bring your intentions for the Carmelite Nuns to Pray for!

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Keeping the House of God beautiful!
July - Sts PP: *Donna Thiel, Barb Lingen, Jackie Lingen, Cindy Reiland / St A: *Jeri Pausch, Tiffany Carlson, Kristin Erbes, Mary Erbes, Alyson Krier, Anita Onchuck



This week's celebrations: Wayne Mauch, Brandon Pauly, Elizabeth Lingen, Joe & Denise Hejtmanek, Justin & Naomi Onchuck, Doug & Diane Birchem.

Happy Anniversary.