

**The Roman Catholic Churches of  
Sacred Heart at Aneta, St. George at Cooperstown,  
St. Olaf at Finley, and St. Lawrence at Jessie**

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**JANUARY 3, 2021, EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

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Monday, January 4, 2021

NO 9am Mass, St George

Tuesday, January 5

9:00 am Mass, St Lawrence

Int. +Ed & Veronica  
Zimprich

1:30 pm Aneta Parkview

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Adoration Tuesday-  
Wednesday @ st George

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Wednesday, January 6

5:00 pm Mass, St George

Int. +Dennis Rhone

Thursday, January 7

9:00 am Mass, St Lawrence

Int. Covid Medical Caregivers

5:00 pm Adoration, St Olaf

Friday, January 8.

9:00 am Mass, St Olaf

Int. +Julie Haaland

Saturday, January 2, 2021

9:00 am Mass, St George

**SATURDAY EVENING**

January 9, 2021

5:00 pm Mass, Sacred Heart

Int. +George & Gertrude  
Kuebler

**SUNDAY, January 10**

**Baptism of the Lord**

8:30 am Mass, St George

Int. For the People

10:30 am Mass, St Olaf

Int. +Julie Haaland

Call to request an intention  
for your beloved, living or  
deceased, or submit special  
envelopes available in  
church entries. Customary  
Offering is \$10. **Checks pay  
to: St George Mass Stipends**

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Sat. 4:30 pm prior to 5:00 p.m.  
Mass

Sun. 8:00 am prior to 8:30 mass

Available Weekdays before mass

**See bulletin for special times**

**The Sacrament of Marriage**

Please notify the Pastor at least  
eight months prior to the date

**The Sacrament of Baptism**

Pease contact the Pastor

**Cemetery Board**

St George — Leon Paczkowski,  
Loren Pfeifer, Aaron Larson,  
Gretchen Kottke

George Maertens - St. Lawrence  
Kelly Kueber — Sacred Heart

**St. George Accompanist**

Sherri Fiebiger, Mara Campbell

**St. George Cantor**

Sonja Johnson

**St. Olaf Organist**

Mary Veldhouse

**St. Olaf Guitarist/Cantor**

Skyler & Brianna Neva

**St. Lawrence Organist**

Sharon Heinz, Sarah Ressler

**St. Lawrence Cantor**

Meghan Ressler, Rachele Zimprich

# Quad Parish Announcements



**KNIGHTS  
OF COLUMBUS**  
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

Meetings are held at St. George Church on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 pm beginning with the Holy Rosary. Next meeting is **Wed. January 13, 2021**

Please send bulletin announcements to [stgeorge@mlgc.com](mailto:stgeorge@mlgc.com)

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## **Quad Parish News:**

### **St Lawrence Parish Council Election Results:**

In the election held last Sunday at the 8:30 am Mass, of the four candidates nominated for two positions, the two receiving most votes were: **Mark Ressler and Matt Maertens.**

**Thank you to our outgoing members, Ryan Ressler and Becky Anderson.**

Thank you to all candidates for stepping forward with willingness to serve.

**Next Council Meeting: Tuesday, January 19, 7pm** in the parish hall. We should be able to review 2020 financial reports by then.

## **Faith Formation**

**January 6** for Pre-K thru 7&8. **All parish members are welcome and encouraged to access materials available on [Formed.org](https://www.formed.org)**

## **Should We Take the Covid-19 Vaccine?**

**1) It is morally acceptable to do so. See fuller explanation in the **January New Earth article**. We as individuals who accept the vaccine are remote from, and not involved in moral cooperation with, any developers of the vaccine who may have used immorally procured stem cell lines to develop their product. This is affirmed by Vatican Congregation for Doctrine of the Faith, USCCB and our foremost Catholic bioethics experts. **See the article printed in the January New Earth.****

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL  
DEFEND US IN BATTLE. BE OUR  
PROTECTION AGAINST THE  
WICKEDNESS AND SNARES OF  
THE DEVIL.

MAY GOD REBUKE HIM WE  
HUMBLY PRAY AND DO THOU,  
O PRINCE OF

THE HEAVENLY HOST  
BY THE DIVINE POWER OF GOD,  
CAST INTO HELL SATAN AND ALL  
THE EVIL SPIRITS WHO PROWL

ABOUT THE WORLD,  
SEEKING THE RUIN OF SOULS.  
AMEN

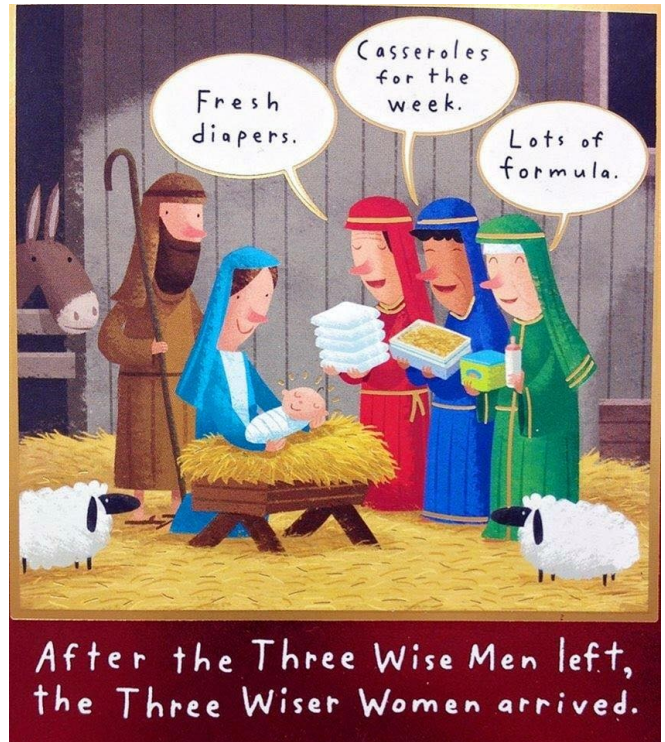


**2) Medical risks and benefits may lead you to your own decision.**

This is up to you; try to carefully weed out fact from fiction in the various reports floating about as you make your decision.

**Gifts of the Magi and Our Gift To-day:** They brought gold to acknowledge him as King, incense to acknowledge the priest whose sacrifice would be his own life, and myrrh, the balm of anointing for burial.

**Today Jesus gives us his gifts:** Riches from the Kingdom of heaven, the wealth of grace to guide our journey; the sacrifice of the Eternal High Priest to the heavenly Father on our behalf in the Sacrifice of the Mass; his death and burial and resurrection to lift us up to eternal life.



**Eternal Rest Grant O Lord:**

**Julie Haaland**, long time Finley resident, passed away on December 27 (also her birthday) at age 59 of cancer.

Funeral Mass was held at St Olaf on Saturday January 2 for immediate family, with burial at Finley Cemetery.

**Father Chuck Leute**, long time pastor of Seven Dolors Church of Fort Totten, ND, passed away on January 1. A funeral will be held in his Dominican Provincial House in Minneapolis later on.

**Of Father Chuck's death, the attending hospice nurse wrote:** "Fr. Chuck was a man who radiated joy and peace in a way that I had never seen before. His appearance of peace and joy increased even as he became unconscious and eventually died.

His sister in Maryland rejoiced in the news that his death aligned with the Solemnity of Our Lady, since Father Chuck had a special devotion to her.

Msgr Goering, our Vicar of Clergy, attests that, having witnessed him playing Marian hymns on a Native American flute in front of an image of Our Lady, he admitted that he was not a great musician, but that "Mother always rejoices in joyful noise."

## Readings for the Coming Week

**Mon, Jan 4:** St Elizabeth Ann Seton

*I Jn 3:22-4:6; Mt 4:12-17,23-25*

**Tues Jan 5:** St John Neumann

*I Jn 4:7-10; Mk 6:34-44*

**Wed, Jan 6:** St Andre Bessette

*I Jn 4:11-18; Mk 6:45-52*

**Thurs, Jan 7:** St Raymond of Penafort

*I Jn 4:19-5:4; Lk 4:14-22*

**Fri, Jan 8:**

*I Jn 5:5-13; Lk 5:12-16*

**Sat, Jan 9:**

*I Jn 5:14-21; Jn 3:22-30*

**Sun, Jan 10: Baptism of the Lord**

*Is 55:11; I Jn 5:1-9; Mk 1:7-11*

### Prayer—Epiphany of the Lord:

*O God, who on this day revealed your Only-begotten Son to the nations by the guidance of a star, grant in your mercy that we, who know you already by faith, may be brought to behold the beauty of your sublime glory.*

*Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.*

### What does "Enthronement" Mean?

The ENTHRONEMENT of the Sacred Heart means (in the words of Father Mateo) *the Official and Social recognition of the loving Kingship of the Heart of Jesus in the Christian family.* The family shows this recognition by giving the image of the Sacred Heart a place of honor in the home and dedicating itself to Him by an act of consecration. In this way the family is brought under the benign influence of the Divine Heart, which asserts itself in all the events of family life.

If your home has not been enthroned, it can be done at any time. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact one of the promoters:

Greg and Mary Lou Hazard 797-2610 Gretchen Kottke 797-7678  
Deacon Wallace Dalman

**Jesus has Invited YOU to Join Him for an Hour of Eucharistic Adoration**

**Why haven't you Responded?**

RSVP to the following:

St George contact Greg Hazard 797-2610

Sacred Heart contact Deacon Wally Dalman 701-786-2186

St Olaf contact Bruce Neva 701-524-1237

St Lawrence George Maertens 797-2734

**Adoration: Adorers Welcome, Needed. Come spend an hour of Eucharistic Adoration** in the St George Our Lady of Eucharist Chapel. See Page 4 of Bulletin for members to contact. info and questions.

**Eucharistic adorers are encouraged to continue your hours of adoration.** The Eucharist is our risen Lord where all the power of His resurrection flows out to all who come into His Presence.