

**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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FEBRUARY 21, 2021, FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Monday, February 22, 2021

5:30 pm Stations, Aneta

Tuesday, February 23

9:00 am Mass, St Lawrence

Int. +Fr Ben Bachmeier

5:30 pm Stations, Jessie

*Adoration Tuesday-
Wednesday @ St George*

Wednesday, February 24

5:00 pm Mass, St George

Thursday, February 25

9:00 am Mass, St Lawrence

5:00 pm Adoration, St Olaf

Friday, February 26

9:00 am Mass, St Olaf

Int. +Fr Ben Bachmeier

5-7pm Fish Fry, Jessie

Saturday, February 27, 2021

9:00 am Mass, St George

SATURDAY EVENING

February 27, 2021

5:00 pm Mass, St Lawrence

Int. Audrey Auen

SUNDAY, February 28

Second Sunday of Lent

8:30 am Mass, Sacred Heart

Int. For the People

10:30 am Mass, St George

Int. +Clarence Johnson

*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

Please 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. March 10, 2021

Please send bulletin announcements to stgeorge@mlgc.com

Quad Parish News:

St George

Confirmation Candidates:

The Quad parishes have 4 children who will be making their first Holy Eucharist/Confirmation this Spring. They are from **St. George; Audrey Eslinger, daughter of Mike & Kristi Eslinger, Jessie Rogers, daughter of Jim & Melanie Rogers & from St. Lawrence; Blake Heinz, son of David & Nicki Heinz and Maddy Maertens, daughter of Matt & Amanda Maertens.** The children & their families **have made banners that are located at the back of their respective home parish.** The banners serve as a reminder to our parishioners to please keep these children in your thoughts & prayers as

they prepare for their sacraments.

St Lawrence

Brunch Today: After the 8:30 am Mass. All are welcome.

KofC Fish Fry will be held on Friday, February 26 at St Lawrence from 5-7pm

Faith Formation

Wednesday, February 24, 5:30 pm at St George.

Lent, Schedule of Masses & Devotions: See the Calendar insert in the entry, listing Stations/Adoration Monday at Sacred Heart, Tuesday at St Lawrence, Thursday at St Olaf, and Friday at St George.

Also with our Wednesday evening Faith Formation, we are planning for **students & family night Stations & Reconciliation March 3,** and Adoration with Reconciliation March 17.

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

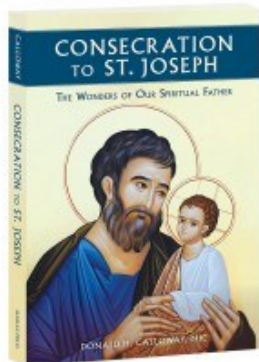
ABOUT THE WORLD,
SEEKING THE RUIN OF SOULS.
AMEN



Special Enrichment/Study for Year of St Joseph:

Father Dale will offer an enrichment study, simply given in the form of **meditation messages during the adoration/stations time in the various parishes throughout the weeks of Lent.** **We will also have a mini-retreat, “St Joseph, guide us in following Jesus,” which you can attend either on March 14 or March 21 at St George from 2:30 to 5pm;**

See Insert to order copy (or copies) of the book by Fr Don Calloway, “Consecration to St Joseph: Marvels of Our Spiritual Father.” (\$15 cost) or the simpler book on “Joseph, Man of Faith (\$5 cost) Or to get on sharing list for either of the two movies on Joseph.



Gods Gift Appeal:

Quad Parish Goals this year: Aneta \$2771 (Last year's goal was \$2519 and we gave \$2486); **Cooperstown \$11,994** (Last year's goal was \$11,795 and we gave \$10,356); **Finley \$5412** (Last year's goal was \$5295 and we gave \$5107); **Jessie \$7752** (Last year's goal was \$7381 and we gave \$8405).

We showed the video last week; you can get a copy from Father Dale if you missed and would like to see it, or you can watch online through the Fargo Diocese website. You can expect your individual appeal mailing about the end of the month of February.

Search Retreats at Maryvale for Our Youth:

A great enrichment opportunity for our high school and college youth ages 16-25. Two weekends available in the near future:

April 16-18, 2021

Deadline for participant application: March 29th

To register: [fargodiocese.org/Resources/Search for Christian Maturity](http://fargodiocese.org/Resources/Search%20for%20Christian%20Maturity)

Retrouvaille: Help for Hurting Marriages

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.

Retrouvaille will be held locally **March 5-7, 2021** in Fargo. For more information visit HelpOurMarriage.com or contact us at (701) 356-7962 or via email at RedRiverRetrouvaille@fargodiocese.org.

Readings for the Coming Week

Mon, Feb 22: Chair of St Peter

I Pt 5:1-4; Mt 16:13-19

Tues Feb 23: St Polycarp

Is 55:10-11; Mt 6:7-15

Wed, Feb 24:

Jonah 3:1-10; Lk 11:29-32

Thurs, Feb 25:

Est C:12-25; Mt 7:7-12

Fri, Feb 26:

Ezek 18:21-28; Mt 5:20-26

Sat, Feb 27:

Dt 26:16-19; Mt 5:43-48

Sun, Feb 28: Second Sunday of Lent

Gen 22:1-18; Rom 8:31-34; Mk 9:2-10

Prayer—First Sunday of Lent:

Grant almighty God, through the yearly observances of Holy Lent, that we may grow in understanding of the riches hidden in Christ and by worthy conduct pursue their effects.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, 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

Here's an Easy Way to Help Fill Shelves of Our Local Food Pantry:
"Get One/Give One" (Griggs County Ministerium Project)

Everyone likes a good BOGO (Buy One Get One Free offer.) But what about the person who does not have enough money to feed themselves and/or their family? How can they benefit from a BOGO? You can help them. That's right, what if you took advantage of the BOGO and donated that item(s) to the local food bank or family in need? What if you **Get One** and **Give One**?

The fact is there are many in our community, children included, that go to bed hungry. Others make choices to pay for medication or food, these are not choices that anyone should even have to think about, but they are.

So, consider participating in Get One/Give One. There are 3 ways to do this: First, inform your checker at Miller's that you want to give one to the food bank, the checker will set that item aside to be taken to the food shelf right here in Cooper. Second, you can take the items to the food shelf yourself. Finally, you can bring the items to Trinity Lutheran and the church will make sure it gets delivered. We always encourage you to shop locally but if you run across a deal in another town, bring the item(s) you **Got and **Give** it here in Cooper.**

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.