
SACRED HEART CHURCH

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Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord –April 5, 2020

MASSES: Father will be celebrating Masses *privately* each day because of the COVID-19 crisis and new Diocesan regulations. **Unfortunately, that means that only Father and no one else will be in attendance.** The Masses Father will be celebrating are listed below. If you wish to have a Mass said for a particular intention, please call the office between 8 am and noon, Monday – Friday and make arrangements with Virginia. The suggested donation for a Mass within the Fargo Diocese is \$10.00. As usual, first come, first served.

“PRIVATE” MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 6-12:



Mon. + Dorothy Foley
Tues. + Rosella and + Leander Richter
Wed. + Eddie Weippert and Maren Krugler
Thurs. HOLY THURSDAY + Fr. Lawrence Haas
Fri. GOOD FRIDAY – NO MASS
Sat. EASTER VIGIL + Marie Mehring
Sun. EASTER - Maren Krugler

MASS LIVESTREAMING FROM THE CATHEDRAL: With the COVID-19 precautions in place at parishes all across the diocese, all Masses have been cancelled until further notice. However, Bishop Folda is concerned about the spiritual well-being of his flock, and is offering daily and Sunday Mass via live-stream beginning tomorrow morning at 7:00 AM in order for the faithful to still take part in the Mass. Daily Mass will live-stream each weekday and Saturday morning at 7:00 AM, and the Sunday Mass will live-stream at 9:00 AM. Can't watch at that time? The Masses will be available to view later in the day. Go to the [Diocese of Fargo YouTube page](#) to watch either the live-stream or the recorded Mass, then say a "Spiritual Communion." The diocese will provide this service until the current health situation allows for the resumption of Mass at local parishes.

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA: Divine Mercy Sunday marks the end of the Divine Mercy Novena, which begins on [Good Friday](#) every year. Christ Himself revealed the Divine Mercy Novena to Saint Faustina on Good Friday 1937 and dictated to her the prayers that make up the novena. **PLEASE PICK UP A DIVINE MERCY PAMPHLET IN BACK WITH THE NOVENA PRAYERS IN IT.**

EASTER LILIES: You are invited to donate lilies to decorate the church at Easter time. Please have them delivered to the church on Friday, April 10th by 6:00 p.m.



PALM SUNDAY: Parishioners can pick up the palms in the back of the church starting at 12:00 noon on Sunday, April 5th.

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR APRIL:

- **Freedom from Addiction:** We pray that those suffering from addiction may be helped and accompanied.

EVANGELIZATION CORNER: "Prayer should be the key of the day and the lock of the night."

George Herbert



GOD'S GIFT APPEAL: Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2020 God's Gift Appeal. Sacred Heart is 84% (\$27,638.00) as of March 27th towards our goal of \$32,932.00. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment card located by the bulletins. Please participate in the support of our diocesan church.

"Whether by pill or invasive surgery, abortion is never good for women."

Janet Parshall, Chief Spokeswoman, Family Research Council

CONGRATULATIONS: **God is ever Faithful** – The presence of faithful and committed couples is a gift that helps us remember God's faithfulness more clearly. Those celebrating 25th or 50th plus Wedding Anniversaries will be highlighted in our bulletins each month. The names will appear on the first Sunday of the month.

- **Bernell & Sharon Neumiller – 55 years on April 10**
- **Jerome & Barb Page – 51 years on April 23**

<u>SUNDAY COLLECTION, MARCH 29, 2020:</u>	<u>Last Year Comparison:</u>
Plate collection	144.00
Children's envelopes	8.25
Sunday envelopes	<u>1,711.50</u>
	1,863.75
Votive Stand	25.00

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN REMINDER: THANK YOU to those who are making their monthly/quarterly/annual payments to our Capital Campaign/Building Fund. The Campaign has come to an end, so if you haven't completed your commitment, please do so soon. If you haven't committed to the campaign thus far, and are able to help us reach our goal, there are extra blue cards and envelopes in the back of the church near the bulletins. Thank you for considering!

- Campaign Goal: \$500,000
- Total Amount Committed/Pledged: \$462,425.13
- Actual Amount Paid: \$453,625.13

NEW MEMBERS: We are always delighted to welcome new members to our church community as you bring new life to our parish. We ask that you stop by the rectory and register in our parish. That way we can get to know you, welcome you as one with us and you will feel more a part of us.

Welcome This week we are especially pleased to welcome Ellen and Cameron Roundy and Sutton who have recently joined our parish.

MAY HE REST IN PEACE: Our sympathy goes out to Bert Murphy and family at the loss of John Murphy, Sr. His funeral was celebrated on Saturday. May your faith give you strength at this time of loss.



WEEKLY PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL PETITIONS: That we may learn to see all of our blessings as abundant gifts from God so that we may use them for the benefit of all God's people.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT: "I am the good shepherd...and I lay down my life for the sheep...and they will heed my voice." - JOHN 10:14-16 When you pray, do you only ask Jesus for the things that you want? Do you ever ask Him what He wants from you? How do you listen for His response? Usually, the answer is in "quiet whispers", so take time every day, in silence, to actively listen for His response.