

JULY 19-25 IS NATIONAL NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING AWARENESS WEEK!

Natural Family Planning (NFP) methods represent authentic family planning. They can be used to both achieve and to postpone a pregnancy. NFP makes use of periodic abstinence ... in order to space births or to limit the number of children when there is a serious reason to do so... this practice fosters in couples an attitude of respect and wonder in the face of human life, which is sacred. It also fosters profound respect for one's spouse, which is necessary for... authentic intimacy. (*Marriage: Love and Life in the Divine Plan*, U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, 2009, p. 20) Find out more about what Natural Family Planning can do for your marriage by visiting www.fargodiocese.org/nfp. While there, check out the list of instructors near you!

REAL PRESENCE RADIO JOB OPENING: Are you excited about what Real Presence Radio is doing with media in the new evangelization and have experience or education in communications or media? Real Presence Radio is now accepting applications for the full-time position of Director of Programming. Be a part of this faith filled effort to draw souls to Christ through radio and digital media! For a job description or to apply please email Brittany@realpresenceradio.com or call 877-795-0122.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT: "The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a man who sowed good seed in his field...He who sows good seed is the Son of Man, the field is the world, the good seed the children of the kingdom." - MATTHEW 13:24, 37-38 As children of God, we are all "good seeds". We are blessed by God with the potential to accomplish much good in the world. We fulfill God's plan when we spend time in prayer every day, use our skills to help others and share our financial gifts to help build God's kingdom on earth. Through our example of gratitude and generosity we sow "good seeds" on earth and ultimately help each other get to Heaven!

WEEKLY PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL PETITIONS: That we may allow stewardship to blossom in our hearts and joyfully share our gifts.



GOD'S GIFT APPEAL: Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2020 God's Gift Appeal. Sacred Heart is 107% (\$35,355.00) as of July 10th towards our goal of \$32,932.00 with 31% participation. 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.

LIVE IN THE WORD OF GOD

Readings for the Week of July 20-26

Monday: Micah 6:1-4, 6-8 & Matthew 12:38-42
Tuesday: Micah 7:14-15, 18-20 & Matthew 12:46-50
Wednesday: Song of Songs 3:1-4 or 2 Corinthians 5:14-17 & John 20:1-2, 11-18
Thursday: Jeremiah 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13 & Matthew 13:10-17
Friday: Jeremiah 3:14-17 & Matthew 13:18-23
Saturday: 2 Corinthians 4:7-15 & Matthew 20:20-28
Sunday: 1 Kings 3:5, 7-12; Romans 8:28-30 & Matthew 13:44-46



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16th Sunday in Ordinary Time – July 19, 2020

NEXT SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE (7/25-26):

Sat. Eve.: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am
Sunday: (Sykeston) 11:00 am

PENANCE SCHEDULE:

Sat. Eve.: 4:00-4:45 pm
or by appointment
Please call Fr. Dodge

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR MONDAY, JULY 20 – SUNDAY, JULY 26:

Effective Monday, May 4th, we resumed the public celebration of the Mass with directives from the Diocese of Fargo. There are many different safety protocols which will be observed until further notice. Please refer to the letter you received in the mail for the different safety protocols referenced by the Diocese.

FOR THE TIME BEING,

ONLY ONE LECTOR AND ONE SERVER WILL BE NEEDED.

MASS SERVERS: Sat. Eve.: Aniston Hoornaert; Sunday: Nicole Lee.

LECTORS: Weekday: Tom Paintner; Sat. Eve.: Rita Reimers; Sunday: Joanna Lee.

PRAYER CHAIN: If you have a special prayer need in your family, please call Gemma Bachmeier (652-2129) to start our parish prayer chain.

POLICY FOR BAPTISM: For all those parents desiring Baptism for their child, they must first attend a Baptism class. Our next class is **Thursday, October 1, 2020 at 7:30 pm in the Parish Hall**. Once you have attended the Baptism class, you are then free to schedule the Baptism by calling the office at 652-2519.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK JULY 20-26:

Mon. 7:30 a.m. + Kautzman Family
 Tues. 7:30 a.m. ROSARY AND DAILY READINGS ONLY
 7:00 p.m. MASS AT SYKESTON + Gary Hafner
 Wed. 7:25 a.m. + Mike Carr
 Thurs. 7:30 a.m. + Tony (Waliser) Smith
 Fri. 7:30 a.m. + John W. Murphy
 Sat. 5:00 p.m. + John W. Murphy
 Sun. 9:00 a.m. For the people of the parishes
 11:00 a.m. MASS AT SYKESTON +Francis and +Leona Richter

CATECHISM CLASSES: Wednesdays at 11:00 am in the parish hall, with social distancing.

BOARD OF EDUCATION: Our current board members are Mary Wendel, Rachel Bickett, Jessica Skadberg, Mark Pazdernik, Jesse Schroeder (proxy John Murphy, Jr.) and Bob House. Effective in August, Jesse Schroeder will be replaced by Dave Richter. We thank our outgoing members, as well as our current and new members, who serve on our Education Board.

LOOKING AHEAD: 1) CCD Summer Fun Day –Wed., Aug. 12th – watch for a sign up soon. 2) Our parish picnic and outdoor Mass is tentatively set for **Sun., Aug. 16th at 10 am in the park.** We hope the COVID-19 restrictions will be lifted by then.

RELIGIOUS ARTICLES will be available for sale next weekend, July 25th–26th before and after the Masses. Items we have on hand are: Crucifixes, baby gifts, Confirmation and First Communion gifts, scapulars, books, children’s gifts, rosaries, Graduation gifts, boxed sympathy, birthday and get-well cards, jewelry, etc. Please call the Rectory (652-2519) weekday mornings, if you wish to look at the religious articles we have for sale at any other time.

🌸🌸🌸 **HELP WITH SUMMER FLOWERS:** We are in need of people willing to take a weekend in the summer to arrange flowers for the altar. We also need cut flowers. We only need two small bouquets beside the two statues and a larger one in front of the altar. Vases are available to use in the church. **A sign-up sheet is in the back of church, if you are willing to help or have flowers to donate. Please sign up.**

COLLECTIONS: Thank you for supporting our parish during this pandemic. We appreciate you sending your donations in or dropping them off. Please note that even though the Masses have resumed, we are not allowed to pass the collection basket during Mass. There is a collection basket on a table in the back of the church where the water and wine used to sit. Please drop off your donations before Mass in that basket when you come into church or after Mass when you are leaving the church. Thank you again for your support!

EVANGELIZATION CORNER: “When God gives you a new beginning, don’t repeat the same mistake.”
Anonymous

▼ CAN YOU HELP? Please sign up!

AN OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE: (MATTHEW 25:31-40) Volunteers from Sacred Heart parish are needed throughout the month of August to help at Carrington’s Daily Bread office (M, W & F’s from 3:30-5:30). This service helps meet an important need in our community! Easy, hands-on training will be provided. Social distancing guidelines are incorporated into the process for both volunteers and the clients they serve. **Please sign up on the sheet in the back of the church.** If you have questions, contact Sharon Boehmer at 652-2405 or Angela Boeshans at 650-8857.

“The greatest destroyer of peace in the world today is abortion, because it is a direct war, a direct killing.” *Mother Teresa of Calcutta*

MARRIAGE: Congratulations to Caylor Rosenau and Kelly Carlson who were united in the Sacrament of Matrimony on Saturday, July 18th at Sacred Heart. “May the peace of Christ dwell always in your hearts and in your home.”



Pregnant and in need? Help is available at OptionLine.org, 1-800-712-HELP.
Homeless and pregnant? Call Good Counsel Homes, 1-800-723-8331, www.goodcounselhomes.org.
Hurting from an abortion? Visit www.AbortionForgiveness.com.

MASS LIVESTREAMING FROM THE CATHEDRAL: Bishop Folda is concerned about the spiritual well-being of his flock, and is offering Sunday Mass via live-stream at 10:00 AM in order for the faithful to still take part in the Mass. 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."

CHECK OUT OUR NEW WEBSITE: www.sacredheartcarrington.org Please check out our new website as there is a lot of information on the site to help us continue our faith journey while at home. You will find up-to-date information on Mass times, ministry schedules, the weekly bulletin, links to popular Catholic news sites etc. **In viewing the bulletin, it will show on the first page. Click on the left side link for the bulletin date you want to view and get the full bulletin.**

HOLY FATHER’S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JULY:

- **Our Families:** We pray that today’s families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.

SUNDAY COLLECTION, JULY 12, 2020:	Last Year Comparison:
Plate collection	15.00 147.75
Children’s envelopes	6.50 6.75
Sunday envelopes	2,678.44 1,773.51
	2,699.94 1,928.01
Lighthouse Stand	20.25