

June 6, 2021 – Corpus Christi



ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE, Pisek ST. JOSEPH, Lankin ~ STs. PETER & PAUL, Bechyne

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Unless noted, all daily Masses are at St. John Nepomucene in Pisek

THIS WEEKEND'S MASS INTENTIONS

06/05 – Saturday – Lankin – **CONFESSION – 4:00pm / MASS – 5:00pm** – † Diane McLaughlin – Ed & Eunice Pecka
06/06 – Sunday – Bechyne – **MASS – 8:30am** – † Phil Bjerkager – Pat & Karen Restad
06/06 – Sunday – Pisek – **ADORATION – 6:30am / MASS – 10:30am** – pro populo (for the people)

MASS INTENTIONS – (June 7 – June 13)

06/07 – Monday – **NO DAILY MASS** – Father Lefor's Intention
06/08 – Tuesday – **5:00pm** – † Justin McKay – Louise Novak
06/09 – Wednesday – **8:00am** – † Maurice Zikmund – Lorraine Zikmund Family
06/10 – Thursday – **8:00am** – (L) Destin Coles Family – Larry & Gayle Coles
06/11 – Friday – **ADORATION – 7:00am / MASS – 8:00am** – † Jason McKay – Francis & Bonnie Jelinek
06/12 – Saturday – Lankin – **CONFESSION – 4:00pm / MASS – 5:00pm** – † Alexander & † Aileen Jelinek
– Francis & Bonnie Jelinek
06/13 – Sunday – Bechyne – **MASS – 8:30am** – † Thomas A. Shirek – Tara Shirek Family
06/13 – Sunday – Pisek – **ADORATION – 6:30am / MASS – 10:30am** – pro populo (for the people)

Reconciliation – ½ hour before daily Mass; 1 hour before 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass on Saturday; ½ hour before 10:30 am Sunday Mass; by appointment.

Adoration – 7:00am – Pisek – Friday
6:30 - 7:00am – Pisek – Sunday – Even Months
7:00 - 8:00am – Lankin – Sunday – Odd Months

Morning Prayer – Weekdays at 7:00 am – Pisek
Evening Prayer – Weekdays at 5:00 pm – Pisek

Baptism – Please call 2 to 3 weeks prior to date requested for baptism.

Wedding – Contact pastor 6 months to 1 year in advance of anticipated date.

New to Parish – Please register at the parish office or call parish secretary, Sue (284-6060).

ST. JOHN'S STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Total Budgeted 2021 Sunday Collection	\$55,645.00
Budget to Date	23,540.00
Actual Sunday Collection to Date	23,732.45
Excess/(Shortfall)	+192.45
Weekly Budget	\$1,070.00
Past week (Total 58 Households Registered)	
10 Households Gave past Week	605.00
Online	100.00
Loose Plate	333.00
Total	1,038.00
Past Week's +Excess/(Shortfall)	(32.00)

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for the members of our Tri-parishes who are sick or hurt:

Denise DeNomme, Nick Denault, Jane Zidon, Heidi Gustafson, Darren Asperheim, Bennie Hodny, Marion Capouch, Cleo Novak, Polly Dusek, Paul Greicar

If you would like a name added to the prayer list, please contact the Parish Office. After 4 weeks names will be removed unless resubmitted. Thank you.

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JUNE

The Beauty of Marriage: Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.

ST. JOSEPH – LITURGY HELPERS

June 12, 2021 – 5:00pm	
Reader	Judy Bosh
Usher	Judy Bosh
Clean	Lori Beneda

S.S. PETER & PAUL – LITURGY HELPERS

June 13, 2021 – 8:30am	
Reader	Pam
Servers	Sawyer
Usher	Joe Bata & Dennis Bina
Clean	Karen Restad & Rachel Bina

ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE – LITURGY HELPERS

June 13, 2021 – 10:30am	
Reader	Joe Miller
Usher	Bernadette & Teresa

WEEKLY BIRTHDAY, ANNIVERSARY, EVENTS & SAINT of the DAY CALENDAR

06/06/21	06/07/21	06/08/21	06/09/21	06/10/21	06/11/21	06/12/21
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<i>Corpus Christi</i> *Corpus Christi Procession and pot luck after 10:30 Mass Joan Miller Diana Bata Kyza Kadlec	A-Taylor & Amy Grabanski	*Deanery Meeting 10:30am, Grafton	<i>St. Ephrem</i> A-Albin & Pam Jallo		<i>Sacred Heart of Jesus</i> *Men's Group - Breakfast - 5:30am; Adoration 7am; Mass 8am *Burial Maxine Kadlec, 10am Pisek *Bismarck Diocese - Priesthood Ordination of Jacob Degele *Pre-Marriage Seminar Grand Forks, 7pm Teresa Brandt Jon Beneda	<i>Immaculate Heart of Mary</i> *Funeral Nettie Greicar 10am Pisek A-Jim & Melanie Pokrzywinski

REFLECTION ON TODAY'S LITURGY

All of today's readings are set in the context of the Passover. The First Reading recalls the old covenant celebrated at Sinai following the first Passover and the Exodus.

In sprinkling the blood of the covenant on the Israelites, Moses was symbolizing God's desire in this covenant to make them His family, His "blood" relations.

Quoting Moses' words in today's Gospel, Jesus elevates and transforms this covenant symbol to an extraordinary reality. In the new covenant made in the blood of Christ, we truly become one with His body and blood.

The first covenant made with Moses and Israel at Sinai was but a shadow of this new and greater covenant made by Christ with all humankind in that upper room (see Hebrews 10:1).

The Passover that Jesus celebrates with His Twelve Apostles "actualizes," makes real what could only be symbolized by Moses' sacrifice at the altar with twelve pillars. What Jesus does today is establish His Church as the new Israel and His Eucharist as the new worship of the living God.

In offering Himself to God through the Spirit, Jesus delivered Israel from the transgressions of the first covenant. And, as we hear in today's Epistle, by His blood He purified us and made us capable of true worship.

God does not want dead works or animal sacrifices. He wants our own flesh and blood, our own lives, consecrated to Him, offered as a living sacrifice. This is the sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving that we sing of in today's Psalm. This is the Eucharist.

What we do in memory of Him is to pledge our lives to Him, to renew our promise to live by the words of His covenant and to be His servants.

There is no other return we can offer to Him for the eternal inheritance He has won for us. So let us approach the altar, calling upon His name in thanksgiving, taking up the cup of salvation.

St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology ~ Sunday Bible Reflections with Dr. Scott Hahn ~ www.salvationhistory.com

OTHER NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

TITHING & DONATIONS

Please remember to send in your weekly tithing to St. John's for all three parishes by using your regular weekly envelopes. Thank you!

Mail to:

St. John Nepomucene Catholic Church
PO Box 27
Pisek. ND 58273

Pisek Announcements

- The Altar Society can no longer keep up with church cleaning, and the parish is asking **ALL PARISH FAMILIES** for an annual contribution towards the payments for cleaning. In the past, families have donated around \$40, but whatever you can contribute would be welcome, payable to the Altar Society.

Bechyne Announcements

- June 23 – Church & Heritage Hall cleaning at 6pm
- June 27 – Sts. Peter & Paul Celebration & potluck meal after 8:30am Mass

Congratulations

to Father Kevin Lorsung on his Ordination to the Priesthood for the Diocese of Fargo on June 5th, and to Deacons Robert Foertsch, Matt Kensok, and Joseph Littlefield on their Ordination to the Diaconate on Friday June 4th.

Also, congratulations to Fr. Lefor on the 22nd Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood on June 5th.

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Pisek – June 12th – 5:30 am
Followed by Adoration at 7am & Mass at 8am

REMIND - NEW PARISH ALERT SYSTEM

Our messaging service with Honeywell Instant Alert System for parish notifications has ended. Our new system is called REMIND. You will receive messages on your cell phone or email.

- Please use the symbol or emoji ☺ to acknowledge when you've received a message, especially for Mass cancellations or major notices during the winter months. It's reassuring to know when communications are effective since we no longer have the notifications going out to landlines.
- You can choose to have the sound notifications on or off. This is done from the Settings menu on your phone under your Applications.
- Responses are blocked on church-wide announcements; however, for smaller groups like Altar Society or Faith Formation, you will be able to see the conversation offered by others.
- Even if you are not a member of the tri-parishes, you are welcome to join our REMIND group.

Contact Rachel Bina 701-284-6282 with any questions.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

"Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them and they all drank from it." - MARK 14:23

Jesus, the perfect steward, gave thanks, just before He gave Himself up for us, completely for our salvation. He offers us the same chance to drink from His cup. In the bread and wine, we meet Christ personally. If we follow Him, drinking from His cup means our own self-sacrifice, using all of our gifts for the benefit of others and to do His work on earth.

TRINITY YOUTH CAMP: A fun, faith-filled camping experience for students entering 4th-8th grade. The Trinity Youth Camp directors and staff are looking forward to our summer 2021 camp sessions! "Lift Your Name on High" is our theme and we invite campers to join us as we learn the many names we call our Lord and the importance of singing praises in His name. All camp sessions will resume as normal this year—praise the Lord! Mask regulations will be determined by each campsite's leadership this summer, and we will still be following state and local recommendations, so stay tuned for updates. We can't wait to see you at camp this year!

Dates and Locations for 2021:

Red Willow: June 23-27

Pelican I: July 14-18

Camp of the Cross: July 21-25

Pelican II: July 28-August 1

For more information and to register, visit:
trinityyouthcampnd.com

4th Annual Rural Life Celebration

Join Bishop John Folda as he invokes God's blessing upon our rural communities at the 4th annual Rural Life Celebration on June 27. The celebration will be held on the Russ and Mary Mauch Farm at 16305 Hwy 13, Barney, ND beginning at 4 p.m. The day will include Mass, blessings of land and machinery, a meal, and entertainment. Bring a container of soil or seed from your field or garden to be blessed. If it rains, the event will be moved indoors. For more information, visit: fargodiocese.org/rural-life.

Made for Greatness Men's Retreat

Would you like to be closer to God, but He sometimes seems distant? Can prayer be a battle for you at times? Join us for the Made for Greatness Men's Retreat on July 16-18 to learn how to go deeper in friendship with God. This will be a time to explore Catholic spirituality specifically as men. There will be comradery, great food, and the chance for real spiritual growth. The retreat will be held at Stiklestad Lodge, a corporate hunting retreat center near Fort Ransom, ND, so there will also be opportunities for trap shooting, campfires, sports and more. To find out more or register, visit www.fargodiocese.org/mfg.

Mass online or on TV

Sunday Mass – Cathedral of St. Mary – Fargo
YouTube Channel – Live at 10:00am

EWTN

Midco Channel 74

Polar Channel 121

DirecTV Channel 370

Dish Network Channel 261

Sunday Mass – Local Stations

10:30am – WDAY Channel 6

10:30am – WDAZ Channel 8