

July 11, 2021 – Fifteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time



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

THIS WEEKEND'S MASS INTENTIONS

07/10 – Saturday – Bechyne – MASS – 5:00pm – † Rudolph & † Lillian Bina – Dennis & Patricia Bina
 07/11 – Sunday – Lankin – ADORATION – 7:00am / MASS – 8:30am – † Debbie Novak – Winslow Helt
 07/11 – Sunday – Pisek – MASS – 10:30am – pro populo (for the people)

MASS INTENTIONS – (July 12 – July 18)

07/12 – Monday – NO DAILY MASS – Father Lefor's Intention
 07/13 – Tuesday – 5:00pm – † Justin McKay – Francis & Bonnie Jelinek
 07/14 – Wednesday – 8:00am – † Edith Bauer – Greg Bauer
 07/15 – Thursday – 8:00am – † Jason McKay – Francis & Bonnie Jelinek
 07/16 – Friday – ADORATION – 7:00am / MASS – 8:00am – (L) Tim DeSautel – Deb Karas
 07/17 – Saturday – Bechyne – MASS – 5:00pm – † Henry & † Marcy Kalash – Tracy & Nick Reineke
 07/18 – Sunday – Lankin – ADORATION – 7:00am / MASS – 8:30am – † Diane McLaughlin – Don & Rose Detloff
 07/18 – Sunday – Pisek – 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
UPDATED INFORMATION UNAVAILABLE	

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for the members of our Tri-parishes who are sick or hurt:
Denise DeNomme, Nick Denault, Jane Zidon, 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 JULY

Social Friendship: We pray that, in social, economic and political situations of conflict, we may be courageous and passionate architects of dialogue and friendship.

ST. JOSEPH – LITURGY HELPERS

July 18, 2021 – 8:30 am	
Reader	Kristi Brintnell
Usher	Marlen McLaughlin
Clean	Breanna Brintnell

S.S. PETER & PAUL – LITURGY HELPERS

July 17, 2021 – 5:00 pm	
Reader	Shawna
Servers	Connor
Usher	James M. Shirek & Jimmie Kovarik
Clean	Karen Restad & Rachel Bina

ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE – LITURGY HELPERS

July 18, 2021 – 10:30am	
Reader	Allen Zidon
Usher	Terrance & Kevin

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

07/11/21	07/12/21	07/13/21	07/14/21	07/15/21	07/16/21	07/17/21
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<i>Fifteenth Ordinary</i>		<i>St. Henry</i>	<i>St. Kateri Tekakwitha</i>	<i>St. Bonaventure</i>	<i>Our Lady of Mount Carmel</i>	
Justin Pic Julia Pic Patty Bata Danny Dub	Judy McLaughlin Brooke Shirek	A – Todd & Terry Knudson	Doris Novak	Connor Hodek Jolene Grove Michael Nord A – Cornelius & Cornelia Jonk	*Men's Group – 5:30am	Hope Jehlicka

REFLECTION ON TODAY'S LITURGY

In commissioning the Apostles in today's Gospel, Jesus gives them, and us, a preview of His Church's mission after the Resurrection.

His instructions to the Twelve echo those of God to the twelve tribes of Israel on the eve of their exodus from Egypt. The Israelites likewise were sent out with no bread and only one set of clothes, wearing sandals and carrying a staff (see Exodus 12:11; Deuteronomy 8:2-4). Like the Israelites, the Apostles are to rely solely on the providence of God and His grace.

Perhaps, also, Mark wants us to see the Apostles' mission, the mission of the Church, as that of leading a new exodus—delivering people from their exile from God and bringing them to the promised land, the kingdom of heaven.

Like Amos in today's First Reading, the Apostles are not "professionals" who earn their bread by prophesying. Like Amos, they are simply men (see Acts 14:15) summoned from their ordinary jobs and sent by God to be shepherds of their brothers and sisters.

Again this week, we hear the theme of rejection: Amos experiences it, and Jesus warns the Apostles that some will not welcome or listen to them. The Church is called not necessarily to be successful but only to be faithful to God's command.

With authority and power given to her by Jesus, the Church proclaims God's peace and salvation to those who believe in Him, as we sing in today's Psalm.

This word of truth, this Gospel of salvation, is addressed to each of us, personally, as Paul proclaims in today's Epistle. In the mystery of God's will, we have been chosen from before the foundation of the world—to be His sons and daughters, to live for the praise of His glory.

Let us, then, give thanks for the Church today, and for the spiritual blessings He has bestowed upon us. Let us resolve to further the Church's mission—to help others hear the call to repentance and welcome Christ into their lives.

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
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Pisek Announcements

- July 22 – Altar Society serving the meal at the Park River Farmers Market (brats, beans, chips & Rice Krispie bars)

bisonCatholic

Do you know a student heading to NDSU this fall? Let them know about St. Paul's Newman Center! St. Paul's Newman Center is the bisonCatholic community! It's a place where students come to encounter Christ on the campus of NDSU. Through the sacraments, bible studies, discipleship, retreats, and social activities, students are encouraged to pursue virtue. They are equipped to live a dynamic Catholic life in the midst of a secular campus! Help an NDSU-bound student set themselves up for success! Invite them to join the bisonCatholic community by registering at <http://www.bisonCatholic.org>.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

"He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick – no food, no sack, no money in their belts." ~ MARK 6:8

Imagine taking nothing but a stick when you go on a trip. The Apostles must have really trusted in God's providential care. Think of all the material things "we can't live without" in today's world. We make our life's journey more difficult because of all the material baggage that we drag along. Putting God first in everything and putting our money and possessions second gives us freedom because we don't become "slaves" to wanting to acquire more things.

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:

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

World Youth Day Info Session

Every three years, the Catholic youth of the world (ages 16-35) come together for one incredible week as one body, one faith, one voice. World Youth Day 2023 (WYD) will be held in beautiful Lisbon, Portugal's capital and largest city. Pilgrims will come to celebrate with one another, deepen their faith, hear from the Pope himself, and be inspired. Dates are yet to be announced but the Diocese of Fargo has already begun planning a WYD pilgrimage! Join us for a fun, one-hour virtual info session where you'll hear from diocesan leaders, get a rundown of the trip itinerary by our pilgrimage leader, Verso Ministries, and learn why YOU should plan to sign up for this trip of a lifetime! Past pilgrim, Kristina Lahr, will also be on hand to share her experience of attending WYD.

The WYD Info Session will take place on Tuesday, June 22, at 7:00 p.m. CT via Zoom. To attend (or access the recording at a later date), please register at <https://bit.ly/3ya3CVI>. We hope to see you there!

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