

## \*COMING EVENTS\*

### May

This month on Wednesdays St. John's helps at the Food Pantry. If you would like to help, call Eleanor Nistler at 872-3362. You don't have to be a member of St. John's. Any help is appreciated.

9<sup>th</sup> ---First Communion at St. Mary's Golva 10:30AM Mass. A potluck will follow the Mass. Dinner rolls, drinks, plates, cups, and silverware will be provided. Everyone is welcome.

----- St. John's will have the 8:00AM Mass today.

-----"Happy Mother's Day" to all mothers

15<sup>th</sup> ---Rosary rally in honor of Our Lady of Fatima on May 15<sup>th</sup> at 10:00AM at St. Mary's Golva. Everyone is welcome!

16<sup>th</sup> ---Senior Mass at St. John's at 10:30AM

20<sup>th</sup> ---Kelly Stolz's funeral at St. John's at 11AM

-----St. Mary's-G parish council meeting at 7:00PM

23<sup>rd</sup> ---Beach High school graduation at 2:00PM

25<sup>th</sup> ---Fr. Berg's 21<sup>st</sup> anniversary to the priesthood

26<sup>th</sup> ---Retired deacons Don Nistler and Bro. Sam Larson 36<sup>th</sup> anniversary to the diaconate.

27<sup>th</sup> ---Please return your God's Share Appeal donation to the parish office by today.

29<sup>th</sup> ---4:00PM Saturday Masses move to the Community Center in Medora for the summer months.

31<sup>st</sup> ---Parish office CLOSED

-----Memorial Day

-----Priests' Retreat in Richardton---Fr. Berg will be gone

### June

1-4--- Priests' Retreat in Richardton---Fr. Berg will be gone

13-17---Vacation Bible School

17<sup>th</sup> ---St. John's parish council meeting at 5:30PM

20<sup>th</sup>---Father's Day

21<sup>st</sup> ---Seminar Golf Tournament

27<sup>th</sup> ---Home on the Range Golf Tournament

### July

15<sup>th</sup> ---St. Mary's-G serves Goldenwest Electric supper

### Aug.

7<sup>th</sup> ---Home on the Range Rodeo

**On Thursday, May 13,** the men's group will continue discussing the Apostolic Exhortation written by Bishop Thomas Olmstead on the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. All men are invited and encouraged to join Fr. Dan in St. John's dining hall from 6:30 AM to 7:30 AM.

**Men's Group Moment:** If you're someone who says, "I don't have time to pray", ask yourself how many times have I looked at my phone today, how many podcasts have I listened to, how many Netflix episodes have I watched. It's not that we don't have "time" to pray, it's that we don't have "love" to pray. God created us out of nothing, in love. He loved us into existence. Are you sure you can't give some of that love back to Him? Try to set aside time to pray and put our focus on Christ. (Matt Fradd, Catholic Apologist and Motivational Speaker)

### Rosary Rally in honor of Our Lady of Fatima

on May 15<sup>th</sup> at 10:00AM at St. Mary's Golva.

**Everyone come PRAY FOR RAIN!!**

#### ST. JOHN'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR 5/15 AND 5/16

**6:30PM Sat. Beach**                      **10:30AM Sun. Beach**

**E. MIN:** Germaine U-----Jess B-----

**SERVERS:** Kirby D-----Bennett B, Aubrie D--

**READER:** Diane S-----Teresa S-----

**GREETERS:** -----

**GIFTS** -----

**USHERS:** Kevin B-----Mike B-----

**MUSIC:** Doris B & Sarah M-----Elaine Z, parish choir-

**ROSARY:** Doris B----- Swenda B-----

**Money Counter:** -----Pat Kukowski-----

**Keep in your prayers....** "I said a prayer for you today that

*God would touch you with his healing hand and give you the comfort and peace you need to get through."* We ask that you please help us keep

our parish family prayer list updated. When we receive a prayer request, the name of the individual in need of our prayers will be printed here in the bulletin for one month. If we are not informed that it is desired they stay on this list longer, their name will be removed. **Please pray for all the sick in our families and our communities but especially for:**

- Those who are in need: Kelly Hardy, Mary Vaira, Dorothy Stolberg, Jean Lechler, Delayne Shanahan, Virginia Bares, Jeff Bares, Darren & Stacey Schieffer, Diane Brown, Chuck Weinreis, Joyce Bosserman, Dick Kukowski, Dave Ekre, Jr., Louis Hafele, a special intention, and for all of our sick parishioners and friends.
- For seminarians Josh Hill, Dustin Johns, and Steven Vetter.
- For our First Communicants: Cruz Dykins, Tegan Feldmann, Mathias Holkup, Landon Gerving, Kenley Maus, Elias Ross, Vada Szudera, and Lyvia Wojahn.
- For †*Dave Quale*, a St. John's parishioner and husband of Marian Quale; and for †*Marge Reynolds*, a sister of Marian Quale; who died. May they both rest in peace and their families be granted comfort.
- For seminarians Josh Hill, Dustin Johns, and Steven Vetter.
- For a safe and successful planting season.
- Pray for continued rain for our crop lands, hay and pasture lands, and gardens.
- Pray for an end to the coronavirus and abortion.

**Don't forget to return your God's Share Appeal donation/envelope by May 27<sup>th</sup>.**

**Job opening....** The tri-parish community is looking for a Director of Religious Education (DRE). Swenda is retiring. If you have questions or would like to apply, call Wendy at the parish office. 872-4153.

**Happy Birthday to Deacon Don on May 8<sup>th</sup>!!**

## Liturgy Schedule

### Sixth Sunday of Easter

#### Week of May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021

**MON. Private Mass** †Clara Portscheller

**TUES. 12:10PM Mass** St. John's Beach

†Jo Buchholz

**WED. 7:30AM Mass** St. Mary's Golva

Jim Schillo

**THURS. 12:10PM Mass** St. John's Beach

†Brenda Quale

**FRIDAY 7:15AM Mass** St. John's Beach

Taryn Hoffer

**SAT. 4:00PM Mass** St. Mary's MEDORA

5/15 †Linda Smurdon (At the church)

**6:30PM Mass** St. John's Beach

†Mary Cook

**SUN. 8:00AM Mass** St. Mary's Golva

5/16 †Dolores Kremers

**10:30AM Mass** St. John's Beach

For the People

*Masses will be live-streamed. To live-stream go to facebook "tri-parish catholic Beach-Golva-Medora"*

## Weekly Offerings

**Thank you for your generous donations. May God bless you!**

**St. John's-B** Adults: \$1,598

Youth: \$0

**St. Mary's-G** Adults: \$1,729

Youth: \$2

**St. Mary's-M** Adults: \$120

Loose: \$70



**Adoration Chapel at St. John's Beach....**The Sacred Heart of Jesus promises you that He will take your name and write it on His heart—**never to be erased** for helping Him with adoration. Stop

in this week. "Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament is not just reserved for the assigned adorer, but for anyone who feels the need to be filled with Jesus' healing and love. Don't feel embarrassed or shy for wanting to spend time before our Savior. Come to our Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel. Feel the presence of our Lord and experience what He can do in your life." If you would like to be an adorer, please call the parish office (4153).

**"Did You Know" Pro-Life Campaign....** The 'no show' rate for an abortion appointment (typically 20%) goes as high as 75% when people are outside the clinic praying. ('To The Heart of the Matter': Shawn Carney, CEO 40 Days For Life)

**A Prayer for Mothers,** especially those afraid of their motherhood

Lord God, we thank you, the Source of Life, for all those who have welcomed and nurtured our lives. In particular, we thank you for our mothers, who with trust in you and self-sacrifice beyond description, have made it possible for us to live and praise you today. Give them the reward of their labors.

Today, Lord, we also pray for mothers who are afraid of being mothers. We pray especially for those carrying a child within them, but afraid to bring that child to birth. Look with favor on these, your daughters, and give them trust and strength. Enable them to give themselves to their children, as you give yourself to us, and to experience the joys of motherhood. Enable us to do our part to encourage them and provide for their needs. We ask this through Christ our Lord. AMEN

**The Diocese of Bismarck** has an opening for a full-time Administrative Assistant. Responsibilities of the position include coordination of office support for the business functions of the Office of Finance and Parish Services. Please submit an application, found at <https://bismarckdiocese.com/documents/Jobs/EmploymentApplicationWeb.pdf>, and a cover letter, resume and three references to Denise Jordan, PO Box 1575, Bismarck, ND 58502 or [djordan@bismarckdiocese.com](mailto:djordan@bismarckdiocese.com).

**Grief Group offered through CHI Home Health and Hospice** every Tuesday for 8 weeks starting May 25<sup>th</sup> from 5-6PM at CHI Home Health and Hospice Office. (986 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. West in Dickinson) There is no charge. Topics to be covered in the weekly sessions include: Understanding the grief experience, handling the difficult emotions of grief, managing the stress of change, preparing for holidays and special occasions, and finding meaning after loss. Space is limited so prior registration is required. Contact Ronda by phone at 701-456-4378.

**Congratulations to those** who were confirmed by Bishop Kagan last Sunday: Eliza Braden, Grace Bosserman, Isabelle Egan, Dane Farstveet, Tyra Feldmann, Elijah Holkup, Tyler and Riley Hauck, Julianna Maus, Emery Noll, Shelby Steele, Kinzie Steiner, and Adam and Andrew Trask.

**There is an easy way** to live-stream our Masses by going on our **new** website [www.triparishnd.org](http://www.triparishnd.org) – click Facebook icon.

