

# The Epiphany of the Lord

Sunday, January 4, 2015

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**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
**Our Lady of Peace:**  
**Saturday 4:15-4:45 pm**

**You may also contact Msgr. Pilon  
as needed for Reconciliation**

Pastor: Msgr. Daniel Pilon	Council Member: Jean Capouch
Lay Director: Karen Gapp	Council Member: David Groven
Lay Director: Al Koshney	Council Member: Dan Keating
Council Member: Mary Stocking	Liturgy Rep: Karen Gapp
Council Member: Chris Yeargan	DRE: Samantha DeLong

**Holy Father's Prayer  
Intentions for January**

**Peace** That those from diverse religious traditions and all people of good will may work together for peace.

**Consecrated life** That in this year dedicated to consecrated life, religious men and women may rediscover the joy of following Christ and strive to serve the poor with zeal.

## MESSAGE FROM MONSIGNOR

### OUR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Our Children and Youth is the theme set by the Diocese for this first month of the Year of the Family. The Church is described as the Body of Christ and the People of God in the teaching from the Second Vatican Council. The purpose and goal of the Church is to be a model and vision for us to see God who is invisible in Himself. Jesus is the first visible presence of God. This is what we celebrate today in the Epiphany. The nations of the world represented by the Magi come to know that God is revealing Himself to the world in Jesus. They come to worship Jesus bringing gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. Jesus in His act of redemption on the Cross and in the Resurrection promises us salvation by the forgiveness of all that prevents us from recognizing God within and among us.

Jesus chooses to form all believers into His Church through which He can continue to encounter and embrace us in the sacraments. Our first experience of Church is in the family. Children and youth are the fruit of the unity and love of husband and wife. The family is the first revelation of God. The love of the Father and the Son for each other gives rise to the third Person of the Trinity, the Holy Spirit. Similarly, the love of husband and wife is expressed in the gift of children. Parents nurture and teach their children about God's love through living their faith and making visible the love of God in their lives.

Because of the reality of sin families are imperfect. No parent can honestly say they are the perfect example and image of God. For that reason we come together in parishes, dioceses and the universal Church to support each other. We come to be nourished in the Eucharist, to be forgiven in Reconciliation, to be healed in the Anointing of the Sick. We introduce new members of our family to God through Baptism and confirm their faith in Confirmation. We accept the call to serve God in Holy Orders or Matrimony. By choosing to meet Christ in these sacraments we accept the support of our fellow believers as we recommit ourselves to living out our faith in our domestic churches. As domestic churches accept the grace of God in their homes, they carry on the work of Jesus. They become light to a world that struggles with the darkness of selfishness and unbelief.

Our Lady of Peace Stewardship December 28, 2014	
Adult Env.	\$2,420.00
Children's Env.	
Plate	63.00
Votive	2.00
Mission Church	
Cookie Walk	20.00
Reimbursement	11.42
Flowers	11.50
Christmas	971.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$3,498,92</b>

WEEKLY LITURGY SCHEDULE				1 <sup>st</sup> Reading	Psalm	2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading	Gospel
			Mass	Intention			
1/5	Mon				1 John 3:22-4:6	2:7-8, 10-12	Matthew 4:12-17, 23-25
1/6	Tue	OLP	9 am		1 John 4:7-10	72:1-4, 7-8	Mark 6:34-44
1/7	Wed	OLP	9 am		1 John 4:11-18	72:1-2, 10, 12-13	Mark 6:45-52
1/8	Thurs	OLP	9 am		1 John 4:19-5:4	72:1-2, 14-15, 17	Luke 4:14-22
1/9	Fri	LMH	9:30 am		1 John 5:5-13	147:12-15, 19-20	Luke 5:12-16
1/10	Sat	OLP	5:00 pm		1 John 5:14-21	149:1-6, 9	John 3:22-30
1/11	Sun	OLP	8:30 am	People of the Parish	Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7	29:1-4, 9-10	Acts 10:34-38
		St. Ag	11:00 am				

	Sat. 5:00 PM January 10	Sun. 8:30 AM January 11
<b>Sacristan</b>	Teresa	Lisa Gapp
<b>Lector</b>	J. Capouch	C. Angen
<b>Euch. Minister</b>	L. Scallon	R. Durkin
<b>Servers</b>	Palmers	Z & D Agnes
<b>Cross-bearer</b>	M Palmer	O. Gapp
<b>Ushers</b>	R. Werran C. Mager	T. Capouch J. Piatz
<b>Gift Bearers</b>	C & C Coles	C & S Yeorgan
<b>Music</b>	Lori & Karen	Kriegers

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 The Sanctuary Candle Offering this week is given for  
 healthy babies as a special intention.  
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**Real Presence Radio Banquet**

Real Presence Radio Banquet fundraiser is February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015 in Fargo with guest speaker Tim Staples, Director of Apologetics and Evangelization at Catholic Answers. Supporters can sponsor a table at the \$250, \$500 or \$1000 level, host a table and invite 8 guests, and/or attend as a guest. Call 1-877-795-0122 or email [carmen@yourcatholicradiostation.com](mailto:carmen@yourcatholicradiostation.com) for more information or to register.

**2015 Secretary Hours**

Due to other job opportunities as a deaconess in the Lutheran Church I will be cutting back on my hours at the Catholic Church. I will be working three days of each week from 8:30-11:30. As a result, I ask that bulletin announcements be emailed or given to me by Wednesday of each week. Thank you!

**Offering Envelopes**

Offering Envelopes for 2015 are now available. Let Faith know if you did not get envelopes and want them. Also, check your address on the top of the envelopes to make sure it is right. If it is not correct let Faith know the changes. Thank you!

**THANK YOU**

**I thank you for the Christmas cards and gifts and goodies. You all have been very good to me. Also I thank you for the good wishes and get well cards during my illness this summer. I also appreciate the many ways you have continued to support and help me as I continue my struggle with my vision. Truly God will reward your kindnesses many times over. Msgr. Daniel Pilon**

**Peter's Pence**

Each year on the last weekend of January we take up a collection for the support of charitable works of Pope Francis and provide emergency assistance to those most in need, including victims of oppression, natural disasters, and war. You will find an envelope in your box of envelopes for this purpose.

**Food Pantry**

The food pantry will now be only open ONE day a month.....the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday. If you need assistance, a new referral form will have to be filled out for 2015 by the end of January.

Adoration is being honored 9:00-10:00 a.m. every Saturday	<b><u>St. Agnes Parish</u></b> PO Box 32, Hunter, ND 58048	<b><u>St Agnes Stewardship</u></b> December 28, 2014	
Sacrament of Reconciliation First Sunday of Month 8:10 – 8:25 Before Mass	DRE: Jessica Shultz Lay Director: Conray Griesbach Lay Director Connie Lerew Council Member: Kristin Olstad Council Member: Bryon Mitzel Christian Women: Sheila Sherritt Liturgical: Jill Moore	<b>Adult's Env.</b>	\$501.00
		<b>Children's Env.</b>	34.00
		<b>Plate</b>	66.00
		<b>Votive</b>	19.75
		<b>Total</b>	<b>620.75</b>

### ST. AGNES LITURGY SCHEDULE

Sunday, January 4		Sunday, January 11	
<b>Lector</b>		<b>Lector</b>	Connie
<b>Communion</b>		<b>Communion</b>	Conray/Charlet
<b>Servers</b>		<b>Servers</b>	Jack/Brandon
<b>Cross Bearer</b>		<b>Cross Bearer</b>	Hunter
<b>Greeters/Offering</b>		<b>Greeters/Offering</b>	Tracy Rundy
<b>Breakfast</b>		<b>Breakfast</b>	

#### **Birthdays & Anniversaries**

**We will be blessings all the birthday people of each month on the first Sunday of the month. On the Third Sunday we will bless all those celebrating anniversaries that month. If someone has a special birthday or anniversary they wish to be recognized, let us know and we can bless it.**

**MINISTRY is service rendered out of love, and with a deep respect for the person served, after the model of Jesus. Ministry is never self-seeking; ministry is giving, and it is the kind of giving in which one loves the persons one gives to. To bring joy, to bring relief from pain and sorrow, to end anxiety and fear, to share what enriches.....this is ministry. Ministry is not an attempt to do someone over in some preconceived pattern. It uncritically respects the individuality, taste, and life choices of the persons served, freeing them to create themselves anew. It urges, inspires, shares, supports; it never forces.**

**These words continue to remind us of who we are and who we can become.**

#### **Job Opening: Full-Time Sustained Giving Officer**

St. Paul's Catholic Newman Center on the NDSU campus, Fargo, ND is seeking a Sustained Giving Officer to build relationships with individuals who have the capacity to give anywhere from \$50 - \$250/month. This position will be expected to increase the monthly giving program anywhere from \$650 - \$900 each month. Along with managing the monthly giving program, the Giving Officer will work side by side with our Campus Missions team to assist them in building up the student campus account through parish talks and all large scale conference fundraising initiatives. Additional responsibilities will include: working with and overseeing all aspects of the newly formed Newman Alumni Board to make connections through alumni socials and gift solicitations. Candidates must have excellent written and verbal communication skills and a desire to grow in understanding of the fund development field. Must be able to work as an effective team member and be results orientated. Compensation will commensurate with experience and qualifications. Please send a cover letter, resume and three references to: [bisoncatholic@gmail.com](mailto:bisoncatholic@gmail.com) Visit: [www.bisonCatholic.org](http://www.bisonCatholic.org) Position open until filled.

**Full-Time Activities Director**

JPII Catholic Schools in Fargo, ND is seeking an Athletic Director to lead its extra-curricular programs and activities within our schools in keeping with the philosophy and mission of JPII Catholic Schools. Duties will include but are not limited to:

- Supervise and evaluate coaching staff
- Scheduling and supervision of events
- Scheduling transportation for events
- Supervise the maintenance of athletic facilities and equipment
- Manage budget for activities
- Promote positive school climate
- Promote positive communications between coaches, parents and students

Preferred: Administrator’s license or the ability to obtain an Administrator’s license, Coaching Experience. Start Date: Negotiable. Deadline to apply: Open Until Filled. For questions please call 701-893-3231 or e-mail Human.Resources@jp2schools.org. Submit Cover letter, Resume, Activities Director Application, Licensures, Transcripts and three letters of recommendation to Human Resources, JPII Catholic Schools, 5600 25th Street South, Fargo, ND 58104.

**Study the New Testament via TV or internet**

Free Catholic Bible Study Resources created by Dr. Jan George. The videos can be viewed for free at [www.sacredheartproductions.org](http://www.sacredheartproductions.org), where accompanying lessons can be downloaded. Sacred Heart Productions is an apostolate dedicated to producing a Bible Study that can be used by individuals or study groups who desire to read Scripture and grow in knowledge and the love of God through His Word.

The New Testament Letters: Part I covering the early letters of St. Paul is currently being aired on local access television on Midcontinent. For more information please see the doors. Lessons can be downloaded at [www.sacredheartproductions.org](http://www.sacredheartproductions.org) under NT Letters Part I. The 15-part schedule can also be found under “Television Programming.”

**A Perfect Marriage is just two imperfect people who refuse to give up on each other.**

**Stewardship Moment**

**COME PREPARED.** It is too easy to come to Mass without a plan, to go through the liturgy without expecting anything significant to happen. This year, don’t let that happen! Every time you come to Mass, come with a plan. Come looking for the grace of His love and the grace of His mercy. Come expecting to find grace to stand firm against temptation. Set these as your goals for this year, and then watch as your life changes.

	<p><b>Pizza Shop</b> Mayville 786-3273</p>	<p><b>SANCTUARY CANDLE</b> <i>You may have the Sanctuary Candle burn for your intention. We ask a donation of \$3.00. Envelopes are available on the entry table.</i></p>
 <p>Mayville 788-3110 Hillsboro 636-5500 Hatton 543-3013</p>		 <p>Portland 788-3791 Mayville 788-9030 www.ffbnk.com</p>
 <p>www.mayportinsurance.com 1-800-448-7999</p>		<p><b>Securian Financial Advisor of ND, Inc.</b> 124 Center Ave SO (located in First &amp; Farmers Bank, Mayville, ND) 701-788-6100</p>