

**Twenty Second
Sunday in
Ordinary Time
Sunday, August 23rd,
2015**

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Saturday Mass: 5 pm
Sunday
1st, 3rd and 5th
11 am
2nd and 4th 8:30 am

**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: Roberta Tangen	Liturgy Rep: Karen Gapp
Council Member: Chris Yeargan	DRE: Samantha DeLong

Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for September

Universal: That opportunities for education and employment may increase for all young people
Evangelization: That catechists may give witness by living in way consistent with the faith they proclaim

MESSAGE FROM MONSIGNOR PHARISEES

A group of Jewish people with whom Jesus often has a tense relationship in the Gospels are the Pharisees. The word Pharisee means separated ones. They began a couple of centuries before Christ with the intention of keeping the Jewish faith from contamination by foreign religions. So they insisted on strict separation from Gentiles. (Gentiles means the nations. It refers to everyone who is not Jewish.) The Pharisees believed it was important to have a vigorous commitment to the teachings of the law. They tended to be pragmatic like the Romans and so they were able to work out a grudging accommodation with the Romans. After the destruction of Jerusalem the Pharisees were permitted to establish a rabbinical school. The Pharisees eventually developed into the Rabbis of today's Judaism.

The tense language between Jesus and the scribes and Pharisees can be misleading. Jesus actually shared a lot in common with the Pharisees as opposed to the Sadducees. Jesus like the Pharisees was not part of the priestly class that controlled Temple worship. Like the Pharisees Jesus believed in the Resurrection of the dead. A major difference is that Jesus makes the Resurrection personal. He proclaims that it is through belief and a personal relationship with Him that we have the promise of eternal life.

A major part of the language difference can also be traced to communication styles. In the Mideast there is a bargaining style of commerce. It is considered an insult to go to a merchant and pay the original asking price. It suggests that a person is so much better and wealthier that they do not have to enter into a conversation. True bargaining will have friendly insults, you are asking way too much or you are offering way too little. People who are used to doing commerce in this argumentative style probably exchange ideas in a similar way. As Jesus and the Pharisees get into discussions what we hear as nasty language could well be friendly insults.

There is some real tension as well. The Pharisees focused on external behavior and obedience to the laws. For them external obedience was essential in order to maintain their identity as Jews in opposition to the influence of occupying powers such as Rome. Jesus on the other hand is concerned that mere external behaviors can turn into hypocrisy. He is insisting that a personal relationship with the Father takes priority. He would point out to the Pharisees that they themselves would sometimes make exceptions to the law. He would point out that this would tend to be for their own personal benefit as is typical for weak human nature. Jesus insisted that they needed to be looking beyond themselves to the needs of their countrymen who probably did not live like faithful Pharisees. The Pharisees would probably object that by focusing on the internal relationship with God, Jesus would be risking the identity of the Jewish people as being people of the Law of God.

WEEKLY LITURGY SCHEDULE					Readings	Psalm	Gospel
			Mass	Intention			
8/31	Mon				Thess4:13-18	96:1,3-5,11-13	Luke4:16-30
9/1	Tue	OLP	9 a		Thess 5:1-6,9-11	27:1,4,13-14	Luke4:31-37
9/2	Wed	OLP	9 a	Ray and Lois Frost	Col1:1-8	52:10,11	Luke4:38-44
9/3	Thurs	OLP	9 a	Francis & Claudius Mitzel	Col1:9-14	98:2-6	Luke5:1-11
9/4	Fri	LMH	9:30 a	Jodie Leiss	Col1:15-20	100:1-5	Luke5:33-39
9/5	Sat	OLP	5:00 p		Col1:21-23	54:3-4,6,8	Luke6:1-5
9/6	Sun	OLP	11a	Theresa Krueger	Isaiah 35:4-7	146:7-10	Mark7:31-37
		StAG	830a		James2:1-5		

OLP Stewardship August 23 rd , 2015	
Adult Env.	1533.00
Childrens Env	5.00
Plate	124.00
GST	472.00
Votive	16.00
Cleaning	20.00
Mass Stipends	50.00
TOTAL	\$2,220.00

Ministry Schedule

Ministry Schedule	Saturday, September 5 th 5 pm	Sunday, September 6 th 11am	Saturday, September 12 th 5 pm	Sunday, September 13 th 830am
Sacristan	Pam	Peg	Teresa	Lisa
Lector	L Scallon	C Mangan	D Cannon	K Peterson
Euch. Minister	K Gummer M Baker G Wolden	M Reiter S Reynolds K Groth	L Scallon G Wolden M Baker	K & C Elliott K Gapp
Servers		J & E Grad	Palmer Family	O Gapp Z Agnes
Cross-bearer	R Werran	L Grad	Palmer Family	D Agnes
Ushers	J& R Flaten	J & R Sobolik	C Mager M Johnson	J Piatz J Morowski
Gift Bearers	Engler Family		J& D Paintner	B&C Cornick

UPCOMING

BAPTISMS NEXT WEEK

At the Saturday evening Mass (Sept. 5) we will be baptizing Rosabella Leah Zapata-Bullhead, daughter of Norberto Junior Zapata and Kateri Bullhead. On Sunday Morning (Sept 6) we will baptize Everlie Paige Gates daughter of Benjamin and Meghan Gates. We welcome these children into our

Church family and into the family of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

LEARNING ABOUT THE FAITH (continued)

We have started the Instructions/RCIA and will continue to meet on Tuesdays at 7 PM. Several people are participating. I would welcome anyone who might have any questions, be interested in learning more about the Church or in joining the Church. We will start with the Catholicism videos as a beginning and then perhaps move on to the Symbolon series. We would plan to meet usually on Tuesday evenings at 7 PM. If you have any questions you can reach me at the parish 701-788-3234 or my cell phone 701-361-2051.

Volunteers needed to shingle small Shed on the West side of the Church. We are planning to do this on the second Saturday in September (the 12th). If you have any questions contact David Groven.

STAINED GLASS WINDOWS

At the last Council meeting we had talked of putting stained glass windows in the upper sections of the windows in the church. We are planning a meeting with River Rat Stained Glass Studio at the church at 9:45 AM on September 1. The purpose is to come up with specific designs and costs to see if we can move forward with this project. Persons who have already donated money to a fund for stained glass windows or might be interested in doing so, should come to have their ideas heard.

Congratulations to John Koster and Johanna Frenzel, parents of Aurora and Caellum who were baptized this past Wednesday. Welcome to the Parish!!

Adoration is being honored 9:00-10:00 a.m. every Saturday	St. Agnes Parish PO Box 32, Hunter, ND 58048	St. Agnes Stewardship August 23 rd , 2015	
Sacrament of Reconciliation First Sunday of Month 8:10 – 8:25 Before Mass	DRE: Jessica Shultz & Michelle Thompson Lay Director: Conray Griesbach Lay Director Connie Lerew Council Member: Kristin Olstad Council Member: Bryon Mitzel Christian Women: Sheila Sherritt Liturgical: Jill Moore	Adult's Env.	427.42
		Assumption	10.00
		Votive	12.00
		Total	\$457.42

ST. AGNES LITURGY SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 30 th 11a		Sunday, September 6 th 830a	
Lector	Connie	Lector	Sharon
Communion	Jill/Margaret	Communion	Roger/Sheila
Servers	Kelsey/Jack	Servers	Brandon/Cierra
Cross Bearer	Emma	Cross Bearer	Eve
Greeters/Offering	Byron/Jill	Greeters/Offering	John/Margaret
Breakfast	Volunteers	Breakfast	Mark/Jessica Roger/Sheila Orv/Jan

I would like to note in addition to the Fargo Diocese Year of the Family there will be the World Meeting of Families and Visit of Pope Francis - The Diocese of Fargo is planning a pilgrimage to the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia, September 22-27, 2015. Itinerary includes Mass with Pope Francis. As soon as details are finalized they will be posted on www.fargodiocese.org/wmof. Or contact Jennie Korsmo at jennie.korsmo@fargodiocese.org or 701-356-7901 for more information.

The St, Agnes Parish Council recently discussed the need for Internet access at the church. Because of the density of the building it is almost impossible to get cell phone connections much less access to the Internet through cell phones. The Religious Education program is looking at having the children do more research projects such as finding information on a given saint. To do this they would require access to the Internet. Here is the cost of what it would be for internet. Please note this with us providing our own wireless router.

Install/set up \$150.00

Monthly rental for modem (required) \$3.95

Monthly fee for internet on our phone bill. \$49.95

We will plan to discuss this further at the next meeting of the Council on Wednesday August 26. If you have any thoughts or questions, please speak to your Council member.

September 8th, 10th and 12th we will be doing painting and update at the church. Any one that can help on these days would be great, contact Sheila or Jill for details.

Upcoming Community Events

St. Timothy's Catholic Church

Manvel, ND Annual Fall Dinner Sunday, September 20, 2015. 11a-3p. They will be serving turkey, dressing, potatoes, gravy, cranberries, carrots, polish sausage, sauerkraut, coleslaw, buns, kolaches, and dessert. All Homemade! Adults - \$11, 6-12 years - \$5, PreSchool – Free, Takeouts - \$12. Farmers Market, Raffle, Bake Sale. Everyone Welcome!

Fourth Annual Quilt Bingo St. John's Catholic Church, Grafton, ND 2 p.m. Sunday, September 13, 2015

Tickets are \$20 for 15 games of bingo, available at businesses throughout Walsh County and at the door
 Proceeds will benefit Altru's Hospice Camp Good Mourning, a grief camp for children who have experience the death of a loved one. For more information please call Sue Mairs, Camp Good Mourning Coordinator at 701.331.9008

125th Anniversary of St. Johns Academy St. John's Academy, Jamestown. Thursday, Sept. 3rd at 1:30pm. Bishop Folda will be visiting classrooms, blessing the new playground, sharing lunch with the kids and celebrating Mass at 1:30 pm. For more information, contact Monsignor Wald at (701)952-6992

Parents: First Teachers of Faith St. Michael's Catholic Church, Grand Forks. Thursday, Sept. 9 at 6:30 pm. Bishop John Folda will be conducting a talk on this topic. For more information, contact the parish.

Second Annual Guy Miller Memorial 5k Run/Walk/Crawl Saturday, September 19, 2015 Minto Community Center – Minto, ND(28 Miles north of Grand Forks); Race Time 9 AM. Silent Auction(UND & NDSU autographed items included. Poster Drawings, Door prizes including \$1,000 to registered participants. Proceeds from this event will go to benefit area volunteer emergency/rescue services. Free TShirts for those who register by Sept.1, 2015.

For More information, please visit www.guymillermemorial.com

Fall Dinner and Bake Sale Sunday Sept. 13th , St. Jude's Catholic Church, Thompson ND. 12 noon-5pm. On the Menu: Turkey, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Dressing, Green Beans, Garden Vegetables, Homemade Buns, Pumpkin Bar. Prices: Adult-\$10, 6-12 years-\$7, 5 and younger-\$4, Take out dinners-\$10.50

	<p style="text-align: center;">Pizza Shop Mayville 786-3273</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">SANCTUARY CANDLE <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 style="text-align: center;">THE FIRST AND FARMERS BANK <i>"We're The One For You"</i></p>
 <p>www.mayportinsurance.com 1-800-448-7999</p>		<p>Portland 788-3791 Mayville 788-9030 www.ffbnk.com</p> <p>Securian Financial Advisor of ND, Inc. 124 Center Ave SO (located in First & Farmers Bank, Mayville, ND) 701-788-6100</p>