

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat, Oct. 4-6

A word from Pope John Paul II to those suffering because of abortion: "Do not give in to discouragement and do not lose hope... The Father of mercies is ready to give you his forgiveness and peace in the Sacrament of Reconciliation." If you or someone you know has suffered from the physical, emotional, and spiritual effects of a past abortion, there is hope for healing. Rachel's Vineyard offers a safe, non-judgmental, and confidential weekend retreat for anyone: women, men, grandparents, and siblings who struggle with the feelings of loss that can accompany an abortion experience. The weekend begins on a Friday night and concludes on Sunday afternoon. A Rachel's Vineyard Retreat is scheduled for October 4-6, 2013 in Hankinson. For more information, or to register, please call Ruth Ruch at (701) 219-3941 or email her at: ruch@i29.net. All calls are confidential.

Walk with Christ for Life: Respect Life Sunday, Oct. 6

Bishop Folda invites the faithful of the diocese to join him in the annual Eucharistic procession, *Walk with Christ for Life*, on Respect Life Sunday, Oct. 6. The day's events will begin with Holy Mass at Noon, Cathedral of St. Mary, 604 Broadway, Fargo. This will be followed by a prayerful, peaceful procession to the state's only abortion facility. A short prayer service will be held outside the abortion facility, and then those gathered will return to the Cathedral for Benediction. A lunch will be served by the Cardinal Muench Council Knights of Columbus in the church social hall after Benediction. Cost for the lunch is \$5/person. The *Walk* is sponsored by the Diocese of Fargo Respect Life Office. For more information, call Rachele Sauvageau, (701) 356-7910.

40 Days for Life North Dakota: Fall campaign - Sept. 25 to Nov. 3

40 Days for Life North Dakota will kick off its fall campaign with an opening prayer service on Wed., Sept. 25, 9 a.m., at the state's only abortion facility, 512 1st Ave. No. in Fargo. The 40 Days for Life campaign is a three-fold effort of prayer – fasting – peaceful vigil that is being conducted globally – the largest coordinated pro-life mobilization in history. For more information or to sign up for your hour of prayer at the state's only abortion facility in Fargo visit: www.40daysforlifend.com; in Fargo call 701-356-7979; or contact the Pregnancy Help Center at 701-284-6601 or phc@polarcomm.com



CANS FOR KIDS

Please save your aluminum cans for a trip for our altar servers. You may place your cans in the wire cage behind the church.

SANCTUARY CANDLE

You may have the Sanctuary Candle burn for your intention. We ask a donation of \$3.00. Envelopes are available on the entry table.

Our Lady of Peace

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**Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
 September 1, 2013**

Sept 2 Mon NO MASS
 Sept 3 Tues OLP 9:00am
 Sept 3 Tues St. Agnes 6:30pm ~Theresa Fletcher
 Sept 4 Wed OLP 9:00am
7:00pm Council Meeting
 Sept 5 Thurs OLP 9:00am +Marty Bjugstad
 Sept 6 Fri LMH 9:30am
 Sept 7 Sat OLP 5:00pm
 Sept 8 Sun St Agnes 11:00am ~ Healing for Pat Elwood
 Sept 8 Sun OLP 8:30am People of the Parish

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Our Lady of Peace: Saturday 4:15-4:45 p.m.
 You may also contact Msgr. Pilon for an appointment

Weekly Readings for

Sept 2-8:

Mon. Thessal. 4:13-18;
 Luke 4:16-30
Tues. Thessal. 5:1-6, 9-1;
 Luke 4:31-37
Wed. Colossians 1:1-8;
 Luke 4:38-44
Th. Colossians 1:9-14;
 Luke 5:1-11
Fri. Colossians 1:15-20;
 Luke 5:33-39
Sat. Colossians 1:21-23;
 Luke 6:1-5
Sun.
 Wisdom 9:13-18b (129C)
 Psalm 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17
 Philemon 9-10, 12-17
 Psalm 119:135
 Luke 14:25-33

Father's Prayer Intentions for August

Parents and Teachers. That parents and teachers may help the new generation to grow in upright conscience and life.
The Church in Africa. That the local Church in Africa, faithfully proclaiming the Gospel, may promote peace and justice.

MESSAGE FROM MONSIGNOR

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

The Preparation of the Gifts begins with the Presentation of the Gifts. In the early days of the Church the Eucharist would be held in the home of one of the wealthier members of the Church. Almost like a potluck meal people would bring the bread and wine for the Eucharist along with monetary gifts to be used to assist the poor. These would be brought forward after the Liturgy of the Word for the celebration of the Eucharist.

As the Church became more established the bread and the wine to be used came from the resources of the local Church. The offerings collected became important not just for the poor but for the upkeep of the buildings and property to serve the needs of the parish community.

In the Offertory Procession the gifts of bread and wine along with the collected offerings are brought forward as a sign of the community's desire to give themselves to God and, along with the bread and wine to become divinized by the power of the sacrifice of Christ.

At this point the priest takes on the role of acting in the person of Christ the Head. The priest takes the gifts of bread and wine and in the name of the people offers them to God. During the Eucharistic prayer these gifts will become Body and Blood of Christ given to us in the Death and Resurrection of Christ.

During the prayers of offering the bread and wine to God an Offertory chant or song may be sung. Then the prayers are said quietly by the priest. If there is no song or chant, then the prayers are spoken out loud and the people respond "Blessed be God forever". This response is inspired by St. Paul's letter to the Romans both in 1:29 and 9:5 where he says that God the creator over all "is blessed forever".



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Liturgical Schedule

Saturday, September 7@ 5:00pm

Sacristan: T. Palmer
Lector: D. Cannon
Euch. Minister: D. von Ruden, S. Reynolds
Servers: M. & K. Palmer
Cross-bearer: I. Palmer
Ushers: J. & R. Flaten
Greeters: K. Gummer, G. Wolden
Gift-Bearer: C. & E. Coles
Music: Karen & Lori

Sunday, September 8@8:30am

Sacristan: P. Littlefield
Lector: S. Hanson
Euch. Minister: S. DeLong, J. Agnes
Servers: J. Doll, O. Gapp
Cross-bearer: K. Carpenter
Ushers: R. Durkin, H. DeLong
Greeters: J. & R. Sobolik
Gift-Bearer: Morowski Family
Music: Karen & Teresa

Job Opening

Looking for a responsible person to watch a seven week old baby Monday-Friday 8:00-4:00pm. If interested, call 701-866-7390.

The all church Bazaar and Quilt Raffle will be on Saturday, October 5, 2013. The quilt tickets are ready to be picked up. They are on the entry table. If you have questions please feel free to contact Connie at 701-430-9708.

If anyone is interested in doing some crafts with picture frames please call Diane Johnson (701)430-9197.

Religious Education will start the Wednesday & Sunday following Labor Day! We are looking for an Advent program coordinator and a VBS coordinator. If interested contact Samantha DeLong @ Samatha.j.delong@gmail.com.

COOL will not start at the Capouch's until September 11th at 7pm. One week after CCD.

POLKA MASS

We will be having a Polka Mass on Sunday, September 15 at the 11 AM Mass. From my experience I have noticed that many people enjoy a liturgy celebrated with Polka type music. Marsha Reiter told me about a group that does Polka liturgies in the area. So I thought we would invite them to provide the music for us on a Sunday. The Sunday that they can come is September 15.

OLP Council will meet on September 4th at 7:00pm!!

Our Lady of Peace Stewardship August 25, 2013

Adult	\$ 1,193.00
Children	4.00
Plate	70.00
Debt Reduction	50.00
Rummage Sale	4.20
Votive	3.00

\$1,324.20

****Rummage Sale made \$3005.86****

AGENDA FOR OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

September 4, 2013

7:00 PM

1. Prayer
2. Review minutes - attachment
3. Review Finances - attachments
4. Organization for Mortgage Burning ceremony
 - a. Liturgy
 - i. Musicians
 - ii. Readers
 - b. Burning
 - i. Fire pit
 - c. Meal
 - i. Food
 - ii. Setting up table and chairs
 - iii. Cleanup
 - d. Other items
5. Parish Charity
 - a. second collection for sister parish on reservation (
6. Parish Representative for Deanery Pastoral Council
 - a. Responsibility is to meet with representatives of each of the parishes in the Deanery about 4 times a year
 - i. Mary Stocking has been the most recent representative from Our Lady of Peace
 - b. Purpose is to serve as a bridge for communication between parishes of the Deanery and the Diocesan Pastoral Council (DPC)
 - i. DPC representative is chosen by the Deanery Council and participates in assisting the bishop as he guides the diocese
7. Other Items
8. Future planning
9. Next meeting date

MORTGAGE BURNING

We will celebrate our having paid off the debt on our building on Wednesday September 25. Our new bishop, John Folda, will join us in this celebration. We will have a Prayer Service at 6 PM and a meal about 6:30 PM. After that will be free time to meet and visit with our new bishop. I am putting this in the bulletin now for your future planning. We will be sending out invitations in a couple of weeks asking for a response so we know how many people to prepare the meal for.

Adoration is being honored
9:00-10:00 every Saturday

St. Agnes Parish

PO Box 32,
Hunter, ND 58048

Mass Schedule at St. Agnes

Sept 3 Tues St. Agnes 6:30pm ~Theresa Fletcher

Sept 8 Sun St Agnes 11:00am ~ Healing for Pat Elwood

Sacrament of Reconciliation—1st Sunday of each month 8:00-8:10

DRE: **NEEDED!!**

Lay Director: Conray

Griesbach

Lay Director: Connie Lerew

Council Member: Denny

Melander

Council Member: Gerry Huwe

Council Member: Bryon

Mitzel

Christian Women: Sheila

Sherritt

St. Agnes Stewardship

August 25, 2013

Adult Envelopes \$ 165.00

Plate 2.55

\$ 167.55

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

- ◆ PFC Cody Goodman - Afghanistan
- ◆ Kashmere Volk
- ◆ Jill Proski
- ◆ Beda MacDonald
- ◆ Pat Elwood

Your Fall Live Drive on Real Presence Radio is coming Sept 11 - 13. Tune in and call in your support for your local Catholic Radio stations AM1370 (Grand Forks) and AM1280 (Fargo/Moorhead). Thank you for your prayers and support. Call 1-877-795-0122 or send your gifts to PO Box 13703 Grand Forks, ND 58208.

The Women's Pregnancy Center is in need. If you have a heart for young women and men that find themselves in an unplanned pregnancy we need you!! We are looking for volunteers to help in several ways:

- Serve as a receptionist – answer phones and greet clients
- Intermittent volunteers for maintenance, projects and mailings
- Volunteer mentor for young women in unplanned pregnancies

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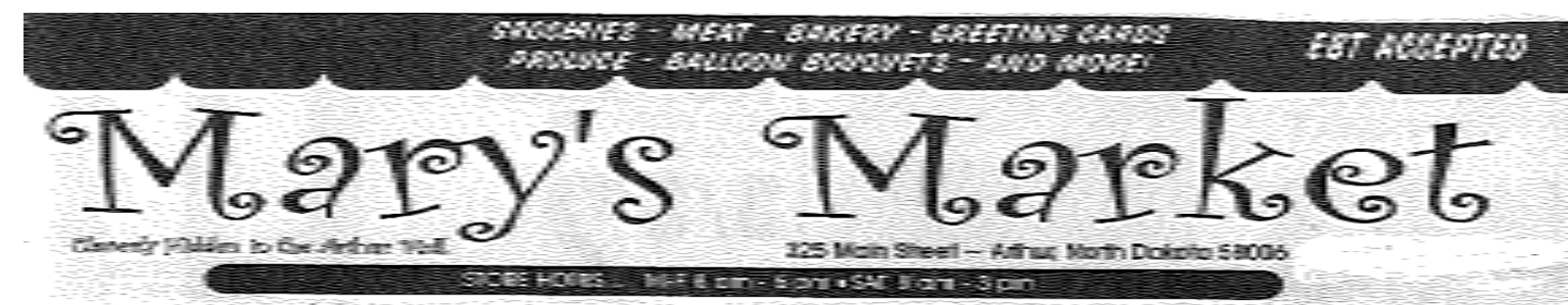
Do you have a copy of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* collecting dust on your shelf? It's time to open its pages. Come and learn about the *Catechism* and why it's an important part of our Catholic faith. **The Gift of the Catechism** will be presented by Dr. Petroc Willey in four locations (Grand Forks, September 10. Rugby, September 11. Oakes, September 12. Fargo, September 15). Supper provided. Free will offering. RSVP required for meal. www.fargodiocese.org/CCC

ST. AGNES TURKEY DINNER AND CHANGE OF MASS SCHEDULE

For future planning again, on October 13 St. Agnes will be having their annual dinner. On that weekend St. Agnes will have the Saturday evening Mass at 5 PM on Oct. 12. Our Lady of Peace will have the 8:30 and 11 AM Masses on Sunday October 13.

OPEN YOUR HEART AND HOME to a Catholic exchange student from France, Germany or Brazil for the coming 2013-2014 school year

Volunteer host families (with or without children) are needed to provide food, a bed and a loving home for the coming school year, one or two semesters, starting in August. EMF students have medical insurance, spending money for their personal expenses and expect to share their host family's daily life including household responsibilities. They speak English, are well-screened and eager to experience life in America. Their stay here is sponsored and supervised by EMF (Educational Merit Foundation), a non-profit, educational exchange program. It is not too late to apply. For more information on EMF students, please call Marie-Claude Dijoud now at 1-800-467-8363 or visit our web site at www.emfusa.org



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