## Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

210 5th Avenue W

West Fargo, ND 58078-1747 Parish Office: 701-282-3321

www.bscwf.org email: info@bscwf.org

October 2-3, 2021

27th Sunday Ordinary Time



#### **Daily Mass & Intentions**

Sunday, October 3

8:30 a.m. - the Parishioners

10:30 a.m. - + Ervin & + Joan Laber

Monday, October 4 - NO MASS

Tuesday, October 5 at Sheyenne Crossings

1:00 p.m. - Lee & Marion Kosteleky

Wednesday, October 6

9:00 a.m. - Brynna Goraczkowski

Thursday, October 7

8:45 a.m. - + Conrad & + Davin Meisch

Friday, October 8

9:00 a.m. - + Paul Wanzek

Saturday, October 9

4-4:30 p.m. Reconciliation

5:15 p.m. - + Jerry Liska

Sunday, October 10

8:30 a.m. – + Donnley & + Patricia Dvoracek

10:30 a.m. – the Parishioners

#### **Offertory Gifts**

September 25-26, 2021

Adult: \$3,014.47 Children: \$14

Improvements: \$55 Firm Foundation: \$358

Poor Fund: \$20

Collected to Date		<b>Goal to Date</b>
\$242,978.22	Adult	\$296,400.00
\$682.58	Children	\$1,170.00
\$118,746.50	Improvements	\$39,000.00
\$378,069.05	Firm Foundation	\$400,000.00
\$64,214.00	God's Gift	\$76,212.00

#### **Mission Statement:**

As loving disciples, we the faith community of Blessed Sacrament, strive for full and active participation in joyfully serving Christ while recognizing the gifts and dignity of all.

# **Welcome!** Fr. Gary Luiten and the

faithful of Blessed Sacrament welcome you.
We hope your time at Blessed Sacrament may

be an opportunity to join in fellowship of our faith and joy in Jesus Christ.

#### This Week:

Sunday - Coffee & Goodies Following Mass

- P/K 10:30 a.m. Classroom #1

No Daily Mass, Tuesday, October 5

Mother Seton Circle: Tues., Oct. 5, 6:30 p.m.

RCIA: Tuesday, October 5, 7 p.m., Library

**1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation Prep**: Wednesday, October 6, 5:30 p.m.

Knights of Columbus, Thurs., Oct. 7, 7 p.m.

#### **Faith Formation**

Lucy@bscwf.org



Class:		
P/K	Oct. 3	10:30 a.m.
Grades 1-5	Oct. 6	5:30 p.m.
B4WOW	Oct. 6	7:00 p.m.
Grades 1-5	Oct. 13	5:30 p.m.
WOW	Oct. 13	7:00 p.m.
P/K	Oct. 17	10:30 a.m.
NO CLASS	Oct. 20	
P/K	Oct. 24	10:30 a.m.
NO CLASSS	Oct. 27	
NO P/K	Oct. 31	

**1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation Preparation Meeting**: Wednesday, October 6 & 13, 5:30 p.m.

Catechist Inservice, Wednesday, October 20.

Middle School Rally – Relit. Sponsored by the Diocese of Fargo. Friday Oct. 22, Red Willow Bible Camp. 9:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. Each year, youth from across the diocese come together for a day of fun, fellowship, and spiritual growth. The theme for this year is called *Relit*.

Covid disrupted our lives and now as we come out of Covid and return to church and to the classrooms, it's time to stoke that fire that is inside all of us. It is time to be *relit* and to bring the gospel to friends and our families.

The cost is \$50 per youth. Blessed Sacrament will pay ½ of the fee for any youth registered in our Faith Formation classes.

Register with Lucy by October 13!!

A bus will be leaving from Fargo that morning and returning in the evening. For more information go to <u>Fargodiocese.net/middle-school-youth-rally</u>

Fr. Gary Welcomes you to RCIA Class. Are you interested in finding out more about becoming Catholic? Contact Fr. Gary Luiten to join the RCIA classes on Tuesdays from 7:00-8:30 p.m. Contact <u>Gary@bscwf.org</u>, 701-282-3321. October 5, 12 & 26.

#### Fall Dinner / Bazaar News

Sunday, October 31, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

The Day Will Be Packed with good food, Country Store, Take-A-Chance Baskets and more. We ask that you get involved in some way, big or small. The Fall Dinner is our largest fundraiser for the parish. The proceeds will go toward general operating expenses such as the cost of property insurance, office supplies, and more. The more we raise at the Fall Dinner, the fewer financial concerns we will have in the future.

Raffle Ticket Challenge: Every household is important for Fall Dinner Success! We challenge you to sell as many Raffle Tickets as possible! For every 20 tickets you sell, we will



award you with one free ticket! The household that sells the most tickets, will be awarded 5 more free tickets! Join the fun!

Raffle Tickets Sales. Please sell your raffle tickets. Return the stubs and money to the parish office. Thank you!

Take-A-Chance Raffle If you want to make a Chance Basket for our bazaar, you can use one of the empty baskets in the Agora. We look forward to all the wonderful baskets each year. If you have questions, contact the committee Chair, Karen Rohrich through the parish office 701-282-3321.

The committee asks you to bring your finished baskets to the church by Wednesday, October 18.

The committee will start selling chances before and after Mass, October 23-24 & October 30-31.

Contributions and Volunteers are Needed: Without your contributions, the Fall Dinner wouldn't be a success! If you can help us with a few items, we greatly appreciate it. See the Fall Dinner Sign-up Board in the Gathering Area.

- homemade canned and baked goods (Country Store).
- Themed basket (Take-A-Chance Raffle).
- Desserts for dinner.
- Cool Whip for dinner.
- Volunteer your time.
- Share the enclosed poster at work, school, or other bulletin boards.
- Finally, sell those raffle tickets and turn in the stubs and money!

Take-A-Chance baskets must be to the church by Monday, October 18. Other contributions and donations need to be here no later than 3 p.m., Friday October 29.

Please call the parish office if you have any questions, 701-282-3321.

Knights of Columbus Sponsors BINGO at our Bazaar! Bingo will start at 2:30 p.m. in the Social Hall. ALL CASH PRIZES including a \$150 Black-out! Other specialty games will be played. The cost is \$.25 per card per game. Specialty games are \$1 per card.

#### **Surrounding Area Fall Dinners**

See the bulletin board for details

Oct. 3: St. Francis De Sales, Moorhead (TAKE-OUT)

St. William's, Argusville

Oct. 10: Holy Spirit, Fargo

St. Joseph's, Moorhead

St. Agnes, Hunter

St. Maurice, Kindred

Oct. 24: Holy Cross, West Fargo

Oct. 31: Blessed Sacrament, West Fargo

St. Elizabeth's, Dilworth (TAKE-OUT)

Nov. 7: Nativity, Fargo

Nov. 11: Sts. Anne & Joachim, Fargo

#### **Music Ministry**

Ronda@bscwf.org

#### **Practice**

#### Joyful Voices

Sunday Oct. 3 9:30 a.m. Sunday Oct. 17 9:30 a.m. Saturday Oct. 23 4:30 p.m. Sunday Oct. 31 9:30 a.m. Joyful Voices will sing at Mass on the day of practice.

#### Contemporary Choir

Sunday Oct. 17 7:45 a.m. Sunday Oct. 31 7:45 a.m. Contemporary Choir will sing at 8:30 a.m. Mass on the day of practice.

#### Contact Ronda if you are interested in assisting at Weekend Masses:

- Instrumentalists
- Song Leaders
- Substitute Accompanists

#### Parish Life

Baptism Basket! There is a baptism basket in the Agora for August Arlo Gartner, 3 1/2 -



month-old son of Jason & Elena Gartner. Please help us welcome August to Blessed Sacrament by filling the basket with 'baby shower' items.

Becoming Catholic: If you or someone you know are interested in becoming Catholic, please contact Fr. Gary Luiten, 701-282-3321.

**Building a Firm Foundation Campaign** 

Phase 2 of the Campaign, tile flooring in the church is complete! Phase 3, replacement of carpet in several areas of the building, will take place in 2022. Pease keep the campaign in your prayers. If you have any questions about the Building a Firm Foundation Campaign. please call the Parish Office, 701-282-3321

**Bulletin Deadline:** Articles are due to Marv Beth in the Parish Office, Tuesdays by Noon, for the following Sunday. Drop them off in the office or email MaryBeth@bscwf.org.

Children's Mass-Bag: If you need something to occupy your child(ren) during Mass. Have them take a Mass Bag! The bags are hanging on the red 'tree' near the coat rack in the Gathering Area. Each bag has crayons, books, and coloring page. The activity and coloring pages are to be taken home. The crayons and books remain in the bag and returned to the 'tree' when Mass is over.

#### Churches United for the Homeless (CUH):

Blessed Sacrament takes supper to CUH the 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Thursdays of the month. We cook the meal here and deliver it to CUH. If you'd like to volunteer contact Karen at Karen@bscwf.org or 701-282-3321. October 28.

Daily Readings - October 3-9, 2021

Oct. 3: Gn 2:18-24, Heb 2:9-11, Mk 10:2-16

October 4: Jon 1:1-2:2,11, Lk 10:25-37

October 5: Jon 3:1-10, Lk 10:38-42

October 6: Jon 4:1-11, Lk 11:1-4

October 7: Mal 3:13-20b, Lk 11:5-13 October 8: JI 1:13-15,2:1-2, Lk 11:15-26

October 9: Jl 4:12-21, Lk 11:27-28

Do you shop at Family Fare? Please save those receipts and turn them in to the Parish Office!! If we collect \$150,000 in Family Fare receipts, we earn \$1,000 for our Faith Formation youth! We've currently collected: \$30,838 worth.

Email Addresses, Phone Numbers and Emergency Contact Information: Does the Parish Office have your current contact information on file? Call 701-282-3321 or email <a href="mailto:MaryBeth@bscwf.org">MaryBeth@bscwf.org</a> to verify your information.

Fall Clean Up: Saturday, October 16, 10 a.m.

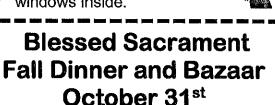
We will be cleaning inside and outside.

It's time to get the church

grounds ready for winter. It is

also time to dust and clean





11 a.m. – 4 p.m. 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.

> Pork Dinner Country Store, MORE!

8 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Take-A-Chance Raffle

> **2:30 – 4:00 p.m.** Bingo

4:00 p.m.
Raffle Drawings

**Finance Council Meeting:** Tuesday, October 19, 7 p.m. in the Library.

Gifts from the Harvest (corn, beans, wheat, etc.) is becoming a more frequent method for farmers to donate. By donating from the harvest, farmers can take advantage of some tax benefits that are more generous than a straight cash donation. For more information, please contact the parish office, 701-282-3321.

God's Gift Appeal Our 2021 God's Gift Appeal is 84% toward the goal of \$73,212.14. If you have not yet made a gift of pledge, please fill out a commitment card located in the magazine rack of the Gathering Area.

Give+ Online, Mobile, or Automatic Withdrawal Giving: Give+ Online, Mobile, or Automatic Withdrawal Giving allows you to contribute to Blessed Sacrament and not worry about your donation envelopes. Use online giving from your computer or smart device to schedule one-time or recurring donations! Or Automatic-Withdrawal (forms online or in the Parish Office.)

- Online Giving: <u>www.bscwf.org</u>, choose 'Get Involved' and 'Give+ Online'.
- Mobile App: Download "GivePlus Church" free.
- Automatic Withdrawal: www.bscwf.org, choose 'Get Involved', 'Donate', 'Automatic Withdrawal' or Contact MaryBeth@bscwf.org to receive a form.
   Thank you for your support

Knights of Columbus Council #6465,
Blessed Sacrament Catholic
Church. The Knights of Columbus
meet once a month during fall,
winter, and spring months, at 7:30
p.m. The next meeting is October 7.
For more information contact the
Parish Office or speak with Eduardo Pablo.

Mass at Sheyenne Crossings: Fr. Gary celebrates Mass at Sheyenne Crossings every Tuesday at 1 p.m. There is no Daily Mass at Blessed Sacrament on Tuesdays.

Mass at Trinity Elementary: Fr. Gary celebrates Mass at Trinity Elementary the SECOND THURSDAY of the month during the school year. There is no daily Mass at Blessed Sacrament on those days. October 14.

Mother Seton Circle Meeting: Tuesday, October 5, 6:30 p.m. in the Social Hall. All female members of Blessed Sacrament are welcome to join. If you have questions, please come to the meeting.

**Moving?** All parishioners are reminded to please call the Parish Office, or drop a note in

the mail, whenever you move either within the parish or out of the parish.

New Member Registration. If you are interested in becoming a registered member of Blessed Sacrament, please see Fr. Gary Luiten, call the Parish Office 701-282-3321 You may also register on our website https://www.bscwf.org/become-a-member/

#### Not Able to go to Sunday Mass?

- Would you like to receive communion?
   Put your name on the 'In-Home
   Communion' list. Call the Parish Office,
   282-3321, give your name, address, and phone number. Please note, you must have received your COVID immunization.
- Watch Blessed Sacrament Mass on TV!
   Our Mass is played on West Fargo Public Access Cable channel (Sparklight #69, Midcontinent #12).

Sunday mornings at 10:30 a.m.

Watch Mass on the Blessed Sacrament
 YouTube Channel Go to YouTube search
 for Blessed Sacrament Church West Fargo
 ND. Or copy and paste this link:
 https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPIK7Ix77I6WWtNNUQxt5rw

You can also access the YouTube recording from our Website and FaceBook page.

#### Our Sympathy to...

- Mary Saxowsky on the death of her husband, David.
- The family of Rosemary Colemann.
   May David and Rosemary rest in the arms of our Lord.

Pastoral Council Meeting: Thursday, October 14, 7 p.m. in the Library.

Prayer Warriors. The Blessed Sacrament Prayer Warriors are a group of individuals who pray for those who have requested prayer. Be a Warrior of Prayer for Blessed Sacrament and contact Wendy Retterath (701-282-6266) or Parish Secretary, Mary Beth Odegaard at 701-282-3321 or MaryBeth@bscwf.org. Please join the Prayer Warrior Group.



Prayer Songs 1, a Christian music CD, by the Holy Bible Defenders. All the songs are written by Blessed Sacrament parishioner, Fred Braun and his daughter Molly Meester. The first song on the CD is called "'God Said' Fr. Gary's Sermon". Purchase your CD in the Parish Office for \$10.

Remembering Those Who've Passed Away.

We pray for the souls of our departed parishioners. May they enjoy everlasting life!
October 4: James Potter, Adeline Quaschnick.

Elizabeth Clark, Marlys Wilson

October 7: Mae Robillard

October 9: Calvin Bensen, Eldora Herbranson

Requesting Prayers If you or a family member would benefit from prayers, please contact the Parish Office. A prayer request could be sent to the Prayer Warriors for that group to pray for; or the prayer request could be posted in the bulletin and that request would be announced at weekend Mass; or both. The prayer warriors are a confidential group, whereas the bulletin and Mass is public. Contact the Parish Office 701-282-3321. You may also request prayers on our website: <a href="https://www.bscwf.org/prayer-wall/">https://www.bscwf.org/prayer-wall/</a>

Sick List: We pray for our ill parishioners and family members. If you, or a loved one, would like to be prayed for by your Blessed Sacrament family, please call the Parish Office. Names will be listed, in the bulletin, for 1 month unless the office is contacted for an extension. Jerry Doran, Jason Ulmer, Lori Pedersen, Marvin Klimek (all relatives of Lou Ulmer), Marlys Miller, Dwight Keller, Annette Roth, Ernie Arlt, Kent Johnson, Dolores Porter, Sandra Nowacki, Penny Adam, Dolores Mazeikis, Fran Gerszewski,

Soup & More Dine-In or Take-Out: Blessed Sacrament cooks and serves a meal on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays of the month. You are welcome to eat with us in the Social Hall or get a take-out meal. Donations are accepted but not required. October Dates: 14 & 28

Sunday Coffee & Goodies. We are looking for volunteers to host Coffee & Goodies after Mass on Sunday. Goodies are provided. To volunteer, contact Karen, 701-282-3321 or email Karen@bscwf.org.

**Trinity Elementary Newsletter** can be viewed on the Trinity website home page. http://www.jp2schools.org/school/trinity/

#### <u>Trivia</u> Jesus' hometown was...

- a) Nazareth in Galilee
- b) Jerusalem
- c) Bethlehem
- d) Jericho

a) Jesus, Mary and Joseph lived in Mazareth where Jesus "Increased in wisdom and age."

#### Vital Statistics - September 2021

<u>Baptisms</u>: Holly Martin, Loretta Burnette <u>Deaths</u>: David Saxowsky, Rosemary Coleman <u>Newcomers</u>: Dane & Alexis Johnston, Kerry & Lilibeth Stroik

**Volunteer!** Contact Karen 282-3321 or email <u>Karen@bscwf.org</u>, if you would like to volunteer for any of the following:

- Coffee & Goodies Most Sundays
- Fall Clean-up October 16, 10 a.m.
- Soup & More October 14 & 28
- Churches United for the Homeless October 28
- Fall Dinner/Bazaar October 29, 30 & 31

Fill out a Time & Talent Sheet and tell us what your interests are! Forms are also available on our website at:

https://www.bscwf.org/time-talent-sign-up/

We Pray for those celebrating Anniversaries and Birthdays. Watch the monthly calendar for the listing of anniversaries and birthdays! Wedding Anniversary: couples celebrating year 40, 50, 55, and 60+. Birthday: those celebrating age 75, 80, 85 and 90+.

#### **Community / Diocesan Events**

National 40 Days for Life Campaign. Sept. 22—Oct. 31. You are called to be part of this important prayer effort to bring an end to abortion. The ND 40 Days for Life effort began at 8 a.m. Sept. 22 in front of the abortion facility at 512 1 Ave N, Fargo. The campaign will provide a peaceful, prayerful presence there from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. every day. Persons can sign up for an hour of prayer by contacting the Pregnancy Help Center at 701-284-6601 or in Fargo 701-356-7979. Email <a href="mailto:phc@polarcomm.com">phc@polarcomm.com</a> or visit 40daysforlifend.com.

Mindful of Race, Wednesdays, October 6, 13, 20, 27 November 3, 10. Presentation Prayer Center with Zoom option. Cost \$35. RSVP to Scott 701-299-2076 or presentationprayercenter@gmail.com:

Participants will read, Mindful of Race: Transforming Racism from the Inside Out by Ruth King. Chapters will be assigned on a weekly basis. For more detail, see the Blessed Sacrament bulletin board.

A Judaic Overview of Challenges in Jewish-Christian Theology. Thursdays, October 7, 14, 21, 28 from 1:30 – 3:30 p.m., Riverview, 5300 12 St S, Fargo. Cost \$35. Register with Scott 701-299-2076 or presentationprayercenter@gmail.com

The goal of the workshop is to provide understanding of major Jewish concepts and practices and their relationship with Christianity and to learn methods for further self-study and understanding. Participants will examine their own religion and faith in response to clarifying concepts, learn new approaches to religious and spiritual self-analysis, and confront challenges raised in Torah and Tanach study. The workshop will discuss Jewish-Christian theologically shared backgrounds, shared practices, prayer, core differences, and controversies. For more detail, see the Blessed Sacrament bulletin board.

Catholic Social Teaching and Theologies of Peace in Northern Ireland. Saturday, October 9, 9-10 a.m., Online via Zoom. Cost \$15. Register with Scott 701-299-2076 or <a href="mailto:presentationprayercenter@gmail.com">presentationprayercenter@gmail.com</a>

Dr. Maria Power will discuss her book "Catholic Social Teaching and Theologies of Peace in Northern Ireland." Investigating the response of the Catholic Church in Northern Ireland to the conflict in the region during the late Twentieth Century. She will discuss how Catholic Social Teaching has been used to promote peace, justice, and nonviolence. For more detail, see the Blessed Sacrament bulletin board.

Catholic Daughters will meet Tuesday, October 14 at St. Anthony's beginning with Mass at 5:15 p.m.; meal to follow and meeting at 6:30 p.m. Members are invited to bring non-perishable food pantry donations. If interested in CDA, please join us at our meeting. Any questions, please send an email to regentctstann@gmail.com.

Churches United Sunday October 19. Help us celebrate the opening of the new location for the Dorothy Day Food Pantry in West Fargo. October 19, 10 a.m. Churches United will host a ribbon cutting ceremony to celebrate the opening of the pantry.

POSTPONED - Churches United - Gourmet Soup Kitchen. Thursday November 11, 6-9 p.m. Holiday Inn, Fargo. We have made the difficult decision to postpone our Gourmet Soup Kitchen until March 14, 2022.

March for Life pilgrimage, January 17-22
The Respect Life Office will be leading its annual youth pilgrimage to the 2022 March for Life in Washington, D.C. All youth in grades 9-12 are invited to participate. The pilgrimage will begin in Fargo Jan. 17 and return Jan. 22.
Pilgrims will also participate in the Mass for Life at the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception and see the sights of Washington, D.C., Emmitsburg, MD., and Gettysburg, PA. The cost of the pilgrimage will be \$800. Limit of 26 participants. Register at fargodiocese.org/march-for-life.

#### **Holy Rosary**

St. Pius V asked the Church to pray the Rosary for a successful outcome for the Christian Navy in its effort to bring safe travel to the Mediterranean Sea. Since then, praying the Rosary has opened the way for many heavenly graces to enter the lives of individuals, families, nations, and the world.

St. John Paul II called the Rosary an essentially contemplative prayer because the calm recitation of the vocal prayers frees the mind to meditate upon the mysteries of Christ's life. Pope Benedict XVI said: "Christ is put at the center of our life, of our time, of our city, through the contemplation meditation of his holy mysteries of joy, light, sorrow, and glory. May Mary help us to within ourselves welcome the emanating from these mysteries, so that through us we can 'water' society, beginning with our daily relationships, and purifying them from so many negative forces, thus opening them to the newness of God."

#### We pray

Lord Jesus, because Mary was your mother and I am now a member of your Body, Mary is my mother as well. She was there at your conception and birth and throughout your life. She was there at your death on the cross and saw you risen in glory ascending to the right hand of the Father. Help me to see you through her eyes. In that way I will come to know you better, love you more intimately, and follow you more closely. I give you this day asking for this grace and that your will may be accomplished in me today.

#### The daily word

Blessed is the fruit of Mary's womb, Jesus!

#### Review

What "mysteries of joy, light, sorrow, and glory" did my day contain?

Excerpts taken from A Year of Daily Offerings by Fr. James Kubicki

# Reflections on the Readings for the 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - October 3, 2021 Fr. Gary Luiten

Just a few thoughts on the readings for this weekend. It is fitting that, on this Respect Life Sunday weekend, the readings begin with speaking about the institution of marriage – the context in which God intends for human life to begin and to grow. The readings today have a "communal nature." They remind us that marriage is good because "it is not good for the man to be alone." The church further teaches and reminds married couples that they have been called to be clear signs of God's love for the church. In fact, marriage is the relationship which most reflects God's own nature of "self-less" love.

The point of the readings today is that God – in using the example of marriage - does intend for people to depend upon one another to some extent – no matter how completely independent we'd like to think we are. We are meant to walk together on the journey – to serve Christ in one another. And on this Respect Life Sunday weekend, it is important to remember that – to see Christ's presence in one another: in the unborn, in the woman who has an unplanned pregnancy, in a person dying, in the person who has severe pain and wants to end his or her life.

There has been a lot of talk in recent years on assisted suicide. Some people even are praised by some members of the media for choosing so, because of their pain. But when we realize that we are, in a sense one large family – the family of humanity – then we realize that taking one's life does not end suffering – it only increases it for the rest of the family left behind who miss that person. Also, for the Christian, there is the sense of "redemptive suffering." St. Paul said, "I fill up in my life what is lacking in the suffering of Christ." That is, Jesus allows us to join our lives – i.e. joys as well as sufferings, in atonement for our sins and the sins of the whole world.

The person we are called to look to as the example of respecting life is Jesus himself. Jesus tells us in the gospel of John to "love one another has I have loved you." I really believe that we are in a "love-starved" society. Our society thinks it knows all about love — but not true love, not God's love. Pope Francis has repeatedly called us to "go out to the peripheries" to care for those "on the outskirts of society." He talks about the "sacredness of each human person" and explained that "loving life means always taking care of the other, wanting the best for him (or her), cultivating and respecting his or her dignity (as a human person)."

We know that this is not always easy, but in the long run, it IS easier. Just think if everyone lived this way – of loving one another as Jesus loved us – how great a world this would be. We know that the world isn't going to change overnight. But the world can begin to change, by the grace of God working through you and me, and working through married couples as the living sign of God's love for us.

Also, since this is the first bulletin of the month, I have a couple other items.

**My birthday**. Thanks so much for all the warm wishes, cards, gifts, and prayers on my birthday last month. You helped make my "double nickel" day the wonderful day it was.

Our Fall Bazaar. This is that time of year for our Fall Bazaar and Raffle. It is our major fundraiser for the year. Hopefully we can get a lot of tickets sold and have a good attendance for the dinner. It will be a hybrid — either dine in or take out — on October 31.

# Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church Annual Fall Dinner & Bazaar Sunday, October 31 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.



Mass: 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

Pork Dinner: 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Bingo: 2:30 p.m. (cash prizes)

Raffle Drawings: 4 p.m.

## Dinner: 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Pork, Vegetable, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Coleslaw, Dessert

> Adults - \$12 Children (6-12) - \$5 Ages 5 & under - Free

Take-Out Available

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Please Note: Plans may change because of COVID



Cash Raffle
17 cash prizes!
\$100 to \$900
Tickets are available at the door



### October 9-10, 2021 – 28th Sunday / OT Ministries of Service

Masses	5:15 p.m. Saturday	8:30 a.m. Sunday	10:30 a.m. Sunday
Proclaimers	K. Jalbert	J. Allmaras	K. Hanson
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	*K. Jalbert	*M.A. Schuster **TBA	*K. Hanson
Gift Bearers	K. Beets, T. Tweeter	L. & L. Juve	B. Novak Family
Servers	Volunteers	M. Allmaras	T. & R. Regner
Ushers	D. & E. Krogen	T. Allmaras, T. Gross	E. Hanson, S. Curfman
Greeters	T. Tweeter, K. Beets	L. & L. Juve	J. & M. Regner
Rosary Leader	P. Pritchard	J. Yourczek	M. Kern
Sacristan	K. Beets	D. Nechiporenko	K. Hanson
Media Minister	N. Althoff	*Bread Minister **Takes communion to home-bound	

Please contact Karen Beets if you are unable to fulfill your Ministry no later than Thursday, October 7, 3 p.m.. 701-282-3321 or Karen@bscwf.org

#### Feast/Holy Day the week of October 3, 2021

Oct. 4: St. Francis of Assisi Oct. 5: St. Francis Seelos Oct. 6: St. Bruno Oct 7: Our Lady of the Rosary Oct 9: Sts. Denis & Leonardi

#### **Blessed Sacrament Directory**

701-282-3321 ~ www.bscwf.org

Fr. Gary Luiten, Pastor - Gary@bscwf.org

Karen Beets - Parish Life/Volunteers - Karen@bscwf.org

Lucy Elshaug - DRE/Youth Ministry - Lucy@bscwf.org

Mary Beth Odegaard - Support Staff - MaryBeth@bscwf.org

Ronda Voss - Music Coordinator - Ronda@bscwf.org

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