



Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

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June 8-9, 2024 – 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Daily Mass & Intentions



Sunday, June 9

9:30 a.m. – the Parishioners

Monday, June 10 - NO MASS

Tuesday, June 11 at Sheyenne Crossings

1:00 p.m. – +Irene Keller

Wednesday, June 12

9:00 a.m. – +Cecelia Kirchoffner

Thursday, June 13

9:00 a.m. – +Albert & +Ann Pickar

Friday, June 14

9:00 a.m. – +Frank Gerszewski

Adoration – 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Parish Office Closed

Saturday, June 15

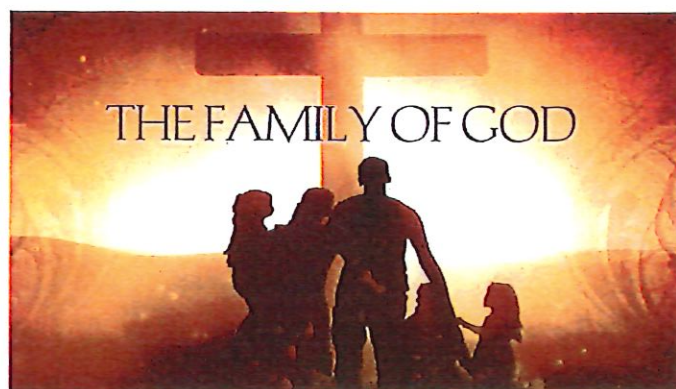
Reconciliation 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

5:15 p.m. – +Marjorie Lee Lenzmeier

Sunday, June 16

9:30 a.m. – the Parishioners

Welcome! Fr. Gary Luiten and the faithful of Blessed Sacrament welcome you. We hope your time with us may be blessed. May it also be an opportunity to join in fellowship of our faith and joy in Jesus Christ.



This Week



Soup 'N More, Thursday June 13, 5:30 p.m.

Staff meeting, Thursday, June 13, 1 p.m.

Adoration: Friday June 14, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Parish Office Closed, Friday, June 14

Weekly Offering



May 25-26, 2024 – Will be reported at a later date.

June 1-2, 2024 – Will be reported at a later date.

Blessed Sacrament Directory

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Faith Formation



2024-2025 Faith Formation Registration. It's time to register your child(ren) for religion classes for the next school year. Please return the registration form with payment as soon as possible. If you have any questions, contact Julie in the Parish Office Julie@bscwf.org,

Preschool and Kindergarten Roundup! Will your child be 4 yrs. old by July 31? We'd love to have them attend the Preschool class. If your child is registered for Public or JPII Kindergarten, in the fall, we will welcome them with loving arms. If you have any questions, contact Julie in the Parish Office Julie@bscwf.org.

We are looking for volunteers to assist with office duties as well as organizing faith formation classrooms and materials. Please contact Mary Beth or Julie in the office if you have time and are interested, 701.282.3321. Thank you

Music Ministry



Choirs are on Summer Break until September. However, we are still in need of weekend song leaders (cantors). Please contact Ronda at Ronda@bscwf.org.

Parish Life



Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church Your Council Representatives Are...

Finance Council

Lori DeKeyser, Cindy Fischer, Karen Hanson*,
Stacy Montgomery, Brad Novak*,
and Steve Willson

Pastoral Council

Kathleen Jalbert, Steve Neva, Robert Norton,
Colter Pratt, Gary Ripplinger, and Ally Wentz

*Blessed Sacrament Lay Director

Baptism Basket– There is a Baptism Baby Basket in the Gathering Area!! The basket is for Bryx Vito Buenaflor 3-Month old Son of Bryan & Shellie Buenaflor. Please help us fill the basket with baby shower items.

Blessing Box – Nonperishable Food Donations
Welcome: Please help us keep our blessing box stocked. Thank you for your kindness. *"Give what you can. Take what you need. Above all, be blessed."*



LAST CHANCE TO SIGN UP TO GIVE BLOOD! The blood drive is Tuesday, June 11 from 3:30 to 6:00 p.m. We have way too many openings this time around. Please, please, please sign up to donate.

Our Sympathy to

- Linda Nilles on the death of her husband, Ted Nilles.

May Ted have eternal life through Jesus, and may their families and friends be comforted by God's kindness.

Can't Attend Sunday Mass?

- Would you like to receive communion?
To receive in-home communion, call the Parish Office, 701-282-3321, give your name, address, and phone number.
- Watch Blessed Sacrament Mass on TV!
Our weekend Mass airs on West Fargo Public Access Cable channel, *Sunday mornings* at 10:30 a.m.
- Watch our Mass on YouTube!
Go to YouTube search for

Blessed Sacrament Church West Fargo.

Or copy and paste this link:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPIK7Ix77I6WwINNUQxt5rw>

Daily Readings – June 9-15, 2024

June 9: Gn 3:9-15, 2 Cor 4:13-5:1, Mk 3:20-35

June 10: 1 Kgs 17:1-6, Mt 5:1-12

June 11: Acts 11:21b-26, 13:1-3, Mt 5:13-16

June 12: 1 Kgs 18:20-39, Mt 5:17-19

June 13: 1 Kgs 18:41-46, Mt 5:20-26

June 14: 1 Kgs 19L9a, 11-16, Mt 5:27:32

June 15: 1 Kgs 19:19-21, Mt 5:33-37

Emergency Contact Information, Email

Addresses and Phone Numbers: Does the Parish Office have your current contact information on file? Call 701-282-3321 or email MaryBeth@bscwf.org to verify your information.

Happy Anniversary! We pray for those couples celebrating a wedding anniversary this week.

- Arland & Verna Rasmussen, June 14, 50 years.

Happy Birthday! We pray for those celebrating a birthday this week.

- Sharon Menschel, June 9
- Pat Barnett, June 10
- Tina Tweeter, June 13

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.

Correction to last weeks petition for the sick.
Larry Kelly is the brother of Charlotte Lancaster not Darlene Kirchoffner. My apologies to Charlotte; Julie Y.

Prayer Requets: We pray for our parishioners, family members, and friends.

Those who are sick or have medical problems:

Larry Mattson, Gary Althoff,
Marie Pulkrabek, Maxine Harms,
John Retterath, Gary Spiech, Larry Kelly,
Larry Ellner

Those who are healing:

Wes Weeding, Kolby Hunsicker, Gary
Lammer.

Other prayer requests:

Jeremy Bosch

Prayer Garden ASSISTANCE NEEDED: We are looking for some assistance outside, watering plants. If you are willing to help, see the Watering Schedule binder on the table in the Gathering Area or contact Mary Beth, in the Parish Office, 701-282-3321 or MaryBeth@bscwf.org

Soup 'N More What's Coming?

Thursdays 5:30-6:60 p.m. Free Will Offering!

June 27 – Early 4th of July Celebration.

Burgers & hotdogs on the grill.

July 11 – TBD

July 25 – TBD

August 8 – TBD

August 22 – Back to School Night.

We Pray In Remembrance of...

June 9: Genevieve Shoman

June 10: Robert Olmstead

June 12: Leslie Jelinek, Agnes Larson,

William Essary, Norbert Block

June 13: Fred Krebsbach, Duane Tougas

June 15: Florence Hagensen

Volunteerism - Stewardship



YOU ARE NEEDED!!! LOOKING FOR DISCIPLES OF BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH.

That's right we are in need of disciples to help make things run smoothly at our family parish. **Do you want to be a disciple? Excepting all ages for:** mass ministers, help with Soup 'N More, Office help, faith formation, prayer warriors, fall dinner, thanksgiving dinner, etc. It takes a village to raise a child, it takes a village of family to run all things at Blessed Sacrament. Contact Julie in the parish office for questions, or to step forward. 701.282.3321

Fall dinner and bazaar! Would you like to be on the committee to review past events and organize this year's dinner/bazaar with other great parishioners. Please let Julie know as we would like to be ahead of the game for the early October event. Call Julie at 701.282.3321.

Reflections by Fr. Gary Luiten



Reflections on the readings of the 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time June 9, 2024

God is revealing to us in the gospel of Mark today, just who Jesus is. Mark tells us who Jesus' family is. It is good to know a little something about his biological family.

Here it almost sounds like Jesus had biological brothers and sisters. But our tradition, which goes back even further than Mark's gospel, even back to the beginning of the church, was that Mary is ever-virgin and that she had no other biological children. But Jesus mentions who is more important than his biological relatives: those who "do the will of God." And, in the case of Mary and Joseph, they fit the bill. They did the will of God as well. So Jesus is really emphasizing here that we are called to "Do the will of God." That is the focus of today's gospel.

So how does one do the will of God in West Fargo in 2024? Paul gives us a hint in the second reading today: He's telling the Corinthians (and God is telling us) not to put stock in things of this world, or we'll be sorry someday. Rather, Paul calls the people to invest in those things that will last. And what will last? Paul mentions in his first letter to the Corinthians, chapter 13, that there are three things that will last: Faith, Hope, and Love, and the greatest of these is love. So if we want to place all our bets on one thing: it is love.

What is love? John says in his first letter, chapter 4, verse 8, that God is love. So it goes back to

putting all our resources energy in knowing and loving God – in acts of love for God and for our neighbor. May God give us the grace in this Eucharist today, and in the Word we heard, and through the kindness of others, to share that love for God and for one another.

Community & Diocesan Events

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS TO MEET

Court St. Ann #261 of the Catholic Daughters of the Americas will meet Tuesday, June 11th at St. Anthony's beginning with the Mass at 5:15 PM, potluck meal to follow, and meeting at 6:30 PM. Members are invited to bring non-perishable food item donations. If interested in CDA, please join us at our meeting. Any questions, please send an email to regentctstann@gmail.com.

Come Away With Me – Women's Retreat. June 13-15, Maryvale. Talks led by Stella Jeffrey on the Holy Spirit and introducing the five keys to allow the Lord to love us. The weekend will include Mass, adoration, confession, silent reflection, and more. Registration is \$50. A suggested donation of \$300 includes room and board.

Seniors 60+ Extravaganza VI, Thursday, June 20, 8:30 a.m. – 2 p.m., West Fargo Fire Hall, 1201 10 Ave E. Informational Booths from several vendors. Refreshments, Complimentary lunch. Pre-registration is required (limited to 120). Call 701-293-1440 to pre-register. Schedule: 8:30 a.m. Check-in. 8:55 a.m. Welcome. On the agenda: "Healthy Aging", "Historical Memories of West Fargo", "The Power of Humor", Door prizes and MORE! Organized by the West Fargo Area Community Program.

3-Day Men's Silent Retreat, June 20-22, Maryvale. A quiet getaway from the busyness of life to focus on the voice of the Lord hidden in the silence of our hearts. Led by Msgr. Joseph Goering. Cost \$250.

Made for Greatness Men's Leadership Summit: June 28-30. The Diocese of Fargo will be hosting the Made for Greatness Men's Leadership Summit at Stiklestad Lodge near Fort Ransom, ND. The Summit will form and equip parish groups of men to step into the breach and call forth a renewal of Catholic masculinity right where they live. Through spiritual formation, leadership training, and practical "how-to's" men will be given all they need to begin preparations for launching a dynamic brotherhood of men striving to be the husbands, fathers,

brothers, and men of God that they are called to be. Visit www.fargodiocese.org/mfg to find out more.

Dear God:

Enlighten what's dark in me....

Strengthen what's weak in me....

Mend what's broken in me....

Bind what's bruised in me....

Heal what's sick in me....

and lastly,

Revive whatever peace and love
has died in me....

BSC PRESENTS...

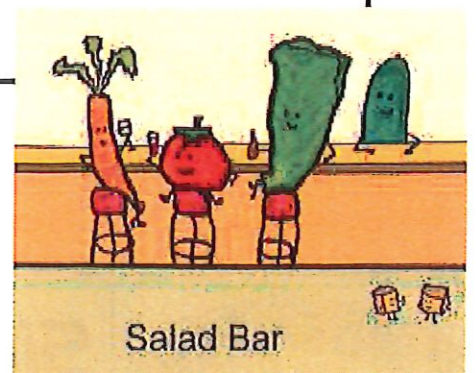
THE SENSATIONAL SALAD BAR

THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2024

SERVING FROM 5:30 TO 6:30 PM

Salad Examples:

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| •Lettuce | •Pasta | •Potato |
| •Broccoli | •Taco | •Chicken |
| •Tuna | •Corn | •Fruit |
| •Egg | •Cucumber | |



**All are welcome
to contribute a
salad. Please
bring by 5pm,
Thursday, June
13th.**

FREE: Free will offering not expected but
will accept.

ALL ARE WELCOME

Blessed Sacrament Church Social Hall

June 15-16, 2024 – 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ministries of Service

Masses	5:15 p.m. Saturday	9:30 a.m. Sunday
Proclaimers	J. Jones	N. Peterson
EMHC	*M. Schiele, J.W. & J. Jones, E. & C. Pablo	*J. Yourczek, F. Lenzmeier, S. & L. DeKeyser, N. Peterson, **N. Peterson
Gift Bearers	Christl Family	F. & D. Lenzmeier
Servers	H. Schiele, VOLUNTEER	VOLUNTEERS
Ushers	K. Jalbert, J. W. Jones	R. & C. Fischer
Greeters	Christl Family	A. Kottsick Family
Rosary Leader	VOLUNTEER	H.J. Puvogel
Sacristan	J. Jones	J. Yourczek
Media Minister	L. Martin	
*Bread Minister **takes communion to the home bound.		

Blessed Sacrament 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.

Feast/Holy Day the Week of June 9, 2024

June 11: Apostle Barnabas

June 13: St. Anthony of Padua



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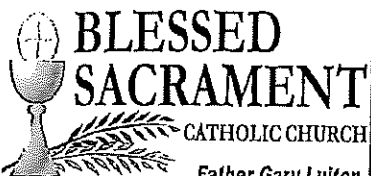
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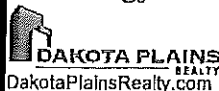


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