



# Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

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## June 14-15, 2025 – Holy Trinity

**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.

### Daily Mass & Intentions

**Sunday, June 15** *Holy Trinity & Father's Day*  
9:30 a.m. – the Parishioners

**Monday, June 16** - NO MASS

**Tuesday, June 17** at Sheyenne Crossings  
1:00 p.m. – +Marjorie L. Lenzmeier

**Wednesday, June 18**  
9:00 a.m. - +Ed McDonald

**Thursday June 19**  
9:00 a.m.- +Cecelia Kirchoffner  
*Parish Office Closed*

**Friday, June 20**  
9:00 a.m. – +Frank R. Lenzmeier  
*Parish Office Closed*

**Saturday, June 21**  
Reconciliation 4:00-4:30 p.m.

5:15 p.m. – +Mary Breker  
**Sunday, June 22** *Corpus Christi*  
9:30 a.m. – the Parishioners

### Weekly Offering

*Thank You for Your Support!*  
**June 7-8, 2025**

Adult: \$4,500.27      Children: \$8  
Improvements: \$392.49  
Poor Fund: \$252

Collected to Date		Goal
\$192,763.73	Adult	\$201,600.00
\$660.00	Children	\$720.00
\$11,651.93	Improvements	\$24,000.00
\$153,431.98	Living our Faith	\$400,807.00
\$55,104.25	God's Gift	\$71,975.59



### This Week

**Thursday, June 19 AND Friday, June 20, 2025**  
*Parish Office Closed*

### Faith Formation

**UPDATES for 2025-26 Faith Formation classes:**  
Registrations for all classes are open. Please register your child(ren) by July 31, 2025:

**Pre-K/K:** Will meet 2 Sundays a month during 10:30 a.m. Mass. Your child must be 4 years old by July 31, 2025.

**Grades 1-5:** Snack will be available from 5:30-5:45 p.m. Class will meet from 5:45-6:45 p.m.

**B4WOW (Grades 6-8) & WOW (Grades 9-12):**  
Meal from 6:30-7 p.m. Class from 7-8 p.m.

**NEEDS FOR 2025-26 FAITH FORMATION:**  
Please take time to pray and consider stepping up to help with the following:

- **Catechist/Teacher:** Grades 1, 3, and 5

**Parents: Get Involved in Wednesday Night Faith Formation – Show Your Child(ren) it really is important!** We need your help to make our Wednesday night faith formation program a success! Your involvement, whether it's assisting in classrooms, helping with activities, or simply being present, makes a huge difference in creating a vibrant and engaging environment for our children to grow in their faith.

We believe that faith formation is a journey best shared, and your participation truly enriches the experience for everyone. Please reach out to Julie to get more information

## 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](mailto:Ronda@bscwf.org).

## Parish Life

### Blessed Sacrament Jubilee Pilgrimage! Friday, July 11, 9 a.m.- 6:45 p.m.

Join us as we visit four of the designated Jubilee Pilgrimage Sites in the Diocese of Fargo.

All are welcome! Bring your friends and family! Youth under 18 yrs., must be accompanied by an adult. Cost: \$25 per person for Blessed Sacrament Parishioners. Non-Parishioners \$35. Reserve your seat on the Jubilee Charter Bus by calling the Parish Office 701-282-3321.

**REGISTER NOW AND SECURE  
YOUR SEAT ON THE BUS!**

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

### Daily Readings – June 15-21, 2025

June 15: Prv 8:22-31, rom 5:1-5, Jn 16:12-15

June 16: 2 Cor 6:1-10, Mt 5:38-42

June 17: 2 Cor 8:1-9, Mt 5:43-48

June 18: 2 Cor 9:6-11, Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

June 19: 2 Cor 9:6-11, Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

June 20: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30, Mt 6:19-23

June 21: 2 Cor 12:1-10, Mt 6:24-34

**Family Room.** We are blessed to have such a great room for our families with young children. The Family Room is on the north side of the church (The room with the blue chairs). This room is reserved for infants and toddlers with their parents and people with special needs during Mass.

**God's Gift Appeal 2025.** Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2025 God's Gift Appeal. Blessed Sacrament is 88% toward our goal of \$71,975. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment card located on the bookcases in 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 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:** [www.bscwf.org](http://www.bscwf.org), choose 'Get Involved' and 'Give+ Online.'
- **Mobile App:** Download "GivePlus Church" free.
- **Automatic Withdrawal:** [www.bscwf.org](http://www.bscwf.org), choose 'Get Involved', 'Donate', 'Automatic Withdrawal' or Contact [MaryBeth@bscwf.org](mailto:MaryBeth@bscwf.org) to receive a form.

Thank you for your support.

**Happy Anniversary!** We pray for those who are celebrating a wedding anniversary this week.

- Frank & LaRae Metzger, June 20, 55 yrs.
- Richard & Linda Zeis, June 20, 55 yrs.

**June 30 is SAVE A LIFE DAY at Blessed Sacrament!** Register online to donate blood on Monday, June 30, 3:45 – 6 p.m. You can also scan the QR code or call Julie in the Parish Office to schedule at time.



### Kitchen Konnection

Upcoming dates, and themes:

June 26 – Cold Salad Bar

July 10 – 4<sup>th</sup> of July Celebration, Hamburgers

July 24 – Polish Night

\*Menus are subject to change.

**Kitchen Konnection – Cold Salad Bar - Do you plan to share a salad on Thursday, June 26 at Kitchen Konnection?** Please reach out to Julie if you are bringing something so we can plan the menu.



ONLY 250 TICKETS  
WILL BE SOLD

**\$100  
PER TICKET**

MUST BE 18 TO PURCHASE  
Need not be  
present to win.  
ND Permit 25-12  
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## KC Blessed Sacrament Council 6465 RAFFLE

Drawing Sunday, July 20th, 2025

11:00 AM

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH  
210 5th Ave W • West Fargo, ND 58078

**GRAND PRIZE \$5000**  
1<sup>ST</sup> \$1000 - 2<sup>ND</sup> \$1000  
3<sup>RD</sup> \$1000 - 4<sup>TH</sup> \$1000  
10 PRIZES OF \$500 EACH

## **Knights of Columbus News:**

### **Halfway There!**

#### **Support Blessed Sacrament & Win Big!**

Don't miss your chance to win big while supporting our parish! The Blessed Sacrament Knights of Columbus Council is holding a raffle with fantastic odds, and we have an exciting update!

We have sold approximately **125 raffle tickets**, which means we are halfway through our goal of 250 tickets! Thank you to all who have participated so far.

This also means **we are close to the number of tickets, where the money for every raffle ticket sold, will go directly to the church.** Let's make this event successful in helping Blessed Sacrament raise funds that directly contribute to capital improvements.

Remember, only 250 tickets will be sold in total, giving you a great chance to win one of the **15 cash prizes**, including the **\$5,000 Grand Prize!** With a total prize pool of \$14,000 and a 1 in 16.67 chance of winning *any* prize for each ticket purchased, your \$100 ticket could bring a significant return. Most importantly, all proceeds will directly fund vital **capital improvements** for our beloved Blessed Sacrament Church. Get your tickets soon before they sell out, and help us invest in the future of our parish while getting a shot at winning thousands!

If you would like to purchase a ticket, please contact Mary Beth at the Parish Office or Eduardo Pablo at [eduardo.pablo@outlook.com](mailto:eduardo.pablo@outlook.com).

### **Knights of Columbus Council # 6465**

Faith in action. Catholic men living their faith at home, in their parish, and their community.



**Next Meeting: Thursday, September 4, 7 p.m.**

#### **2023-2024 Officers**

Grand Knight: Eduardo Pablo  
Deputy Grand Knight: Rory Lee  
Chaplain: Fr. Gary Luiten  
Financial Secretary: Darrell Dimmer  
Treasurer: Darren Rohrich  
Recorder: John Jones  
Chancellor: Steve Curfman  
Advocate: Colter Pratt  
Warden: Darrell Dimmer  
Inside Guard: Bob Kuklok  
Outside Guard: Rick Olstad  
Trustees: Bill Rohrich, Shawn DeKeyser,  
Steve Perreault

**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 or **register on our website** <https://www.bscwf.org/become-a-member/>

**Our Sympathy** to Diane Fink on the death of her brother-in-law, **Brian Kocsis**. May Brian rest in the arms of our Lord.

**Pilgrimage Information:** We have hired a coach bus for our Jubilee Pilgrimage on Friday July 11. The bus holds 50 people. We currently have **27 people signed up**. If we don't fill the bus, we might have to cancel the pilgrimage! We need you to sign up NOW, if you are interested in attending!

**Prayer Requests:** We pray for our parishioners and family members.

**\*Those who are sick or have medical problems:**

*Kathleen Bennett, Sandra Nowacki,  
Kevin Frovarp, John Anderson*

**\*Those who are healing:**

*Michelle Polries, Pauline Klinger, Larry Ellner,  
Veronica Zorn, Kerry Stroik, Joann Moody,  
Kolby Hunsicker, Gary Lammer*

**\*Other prayer requests:**

*Drew Birrenkott, Jason Stone,  
Cindy Wulff, The Bosch Family*

**September 23, 2025 Blood Drive** is available for appointments. Plan a head and get signed up.

#### **Summer Office Hours AND Sunday Mass Time.**

- The Parish Office is closed on Fridays for the summer.
- Sunday Mass will be at 9:30 a.m. through Labor Day Weekend.

**Thank you to Dwight and Elsie Keller** for providing the parish with the seedlings for our gardens! The freewill offering totaled \$284 and was given to the Prayer Garden & Landscaping fund.

#### **We Pray In Remembrance of...**

**June 15:** Florence Hagensen

**June 16:** Jane Debing, Conrad Schuster,  
Marie Kapaun

**June 19:** Genevieve Pulkrabek, James Meehand,  
D.A. Koschney, Alice Brokofisky

**June 20:** Cecil Von Bank, Geraldine Krabbenhoft,  
Anne Anderson, Gerald Hagensen, Alma  
Doyle, Bernice Kirkhoff

**June 21:** Allen Ressler

## Sacraments

Contact Fr. Gary Luiten regarding any of the following sacraments.

701-282-3321 or [Gary@bscwf.org](mailto:Gary@bscwf.org)

- **Baptism:** Parents must attend a preparatory class before the baptism can take place.
- **Marriage:** To be married at Blessed Sacrament, one or both persons of the engaged couple must be practicing Catholics. Contact Fr. Gary Luiten at least six months prior to the wedding.
- **Reconciliation:** Saturday at 4:00 p.m. and upon appointment.
- **For the Sick:** You are encouraged to seek the Sacrament of the Sick if you are suffering from a serious illness or are going to be admitted to the hospital for surgery.

## Volunteerism - Stewardship

**Kitchen Konnection:** We are always looking for more people to get involved at our Kitchen Konnection. It is only 2 Thursdays a month (sometimes 1). It's guaranteed you will build friendships and have fun. Are you Interested?? Please contact Julie in the Parish Office 701-282-3321. Also looking for bakers for each KK.

**Faith Formation:** Looking for 3 teachers for the 2025-2026 School Year. Grades needing new teachers are 1, 3 and 5. Please let Julie know as soon as possible if you are interested. Not only will you teach BSCs youth, but you will learn more about your faith as well. Julie will guide you every step of the way.

**Environment Needs:** Are you interested in becoming involved with "decorating" the church for Liturgical Seasons, please contact Julie. Looking for High School age and up.

**Save The Date – Fall Dinner & Bazaar:** Sunday, October 5, 2025. Committee meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 25, 6:00 p.m.

## Reflections by Fr. Gary Luiten

Trinity Sunday - June 15, 2025

Today we celebrate three-in-one: the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, the three persons in one God. A simple question one might have is, "Why do we believe in the Trinity?" If someone asked you that, what would you say? We believe in the Trinity not because it was some tradition started up by some early ruler, but because it was revealed to us by God himself! Jesus in the gospel sends out the apostles and tells them to baptize "...in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." Here, Jesus mentions in his own words the three persons in God.

So, we believe in the Trinity, not just because it was something our parents believed in, but because it is something that God has revealed to us! The reality of the Trinity is so beyond our limited human minds that the human race could only know it by God's telling us Himself! The concept of a Trinity becomes a little more understandable when we see what the Trinity does that a one God in one person could not do. And this reality of a Trinity shows us that God loves us with a love that is beyond human comprehension. The Father works in creation, the Son works in saving us, and the Holy Spirit works in making us holy. Those are the basic workings of each person of the trinity, and yet, where one works, the other two are present. God does this out of love for us.

And as our response to God's love, God calls us to live unselfishly in God's image. We must realize that this Trinity we speak of actually wants something from us! God wants us to love as He loved. You may think, "Father, that's easier said than done." Maybe so. But it becomes easier when our prayer becomes like that of St. John Vianney: "Lord, please show me how much you love me today." If that be the case, we can't help but to let the Lord drive out the evils of sin and self-centeredness that can creep into our lives. The Trinity can do all that for us, and more than we ever could have imagined, if we allow Him. May the grace of the Eucharist help us to allow the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit to do their work in our lives.

## Jubilee Year of 2025

### International Pilgrimage Site

Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto of Massabielle in Lourdes, France.

Each year, millions of pilgrims visit Lourdes, France. This place of pilgrimage dates back to 1858, when a little peasant girl, Bernadette Soubirous, experienced eighteen visions of the virgin Mary. Thereafter, a spring of water appeared, and miraculous healings were reported by those who came to the water. Lourdes was declared an official pilgrimage site in 1862. People continue to come from all over the world seeking health of mind, body, and spirit.

*Ever Immaculate Virgin Mother of Mercy, health of the sick, refuge of sinners, comforter of the afflicted, you know my wants, my troubles, my sufferings; look with mercy on me. Our Lady of Lourdes, pray for me.*



## Community & Diocesan Events

### Job Openings

#### Part-time Business Manager

St. Benedict Church in Horace, ND is looking to fill the position of Business Manager. This part-time hourly position, with the potential of being full-time depending upon growth, is responsible for managing the day-to-day business operations of the parish. The position is open until filled. For more information and a full job description, please email Kurt at [admin@stbensnd.org](mailto:admin@stbensnd.org).

**JPII Catholic Schools Open Positions:** To apply visit <https://www.jp2schools.org/careers/> or call 701-893-3231 for more information.

#### Teaching Positions – Fall of 2025

- Elementary Teacher – Nativity Elementary
- Math Teacher – Sacred Heart Middle School
- Religion Teacher – Sacred Heart Middle School
- Long-Term Substitute Science Teacher – Sacred Heart Middle School

#### Other Positions

- Evening Custodian – Shanley High School/Sacred Heart Middle School (Immediate Opening)
- Director of Theatre – Shanley High School/Sacred Heart Middle School (Fall 2025)
- Hot Lunch Assistant – Trinity Elementary (Fall 2025)
- Little Deacons Childcare Teacher – Holy Spirit (July 2025)
- Little Deacons Childcare Worker – Holy Spirit Elementary (Fall 2025)
- Paraprofessional – Holy Spirit Elementary (Fall 2025)

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## Father's Day

## June 21-22, 2025 ~ Corpus Christi Ministries of Service

Masses	5:15 p.m. Saturday	9:30 a.m. Sunday
Proclaimers	J. Jones	P. Jorgensen
EMHC	*J. & J. Jones, P. Pritchard, W. Suchla, B. Krogen	*L. Wegner, M. A. Schuster, B. Opoien, **M. Doster, H. Madson
Gift Bearers	A. Larson, T. Tweeter	T. & S. Durbin
Servers	K. & J. Jalbert, <b>Volunteer</b>	<b>Volunteer, Volunteer, Volunteer</b>
Ushers	J. Jones, D. Krogen	A. Pritchard, <b>Volunteer</b>
Greeters	G. Kirkeby, <b>Volunteer</b>	H. Madson, <b>Volunteer</b>
Rosary Leader	P. Pritchard	S. Durbin
Sacristan	W. Suchla	L. Wegner
Media Minister	R. Cwikla	
*Eucharist Minister ~ **Takes to home bound		

