

Mass Schedule

Saturday, December 15	5:00 PM
<i>Parishioners of St. Hildegard & Sacred Heart</i>	
Sunday, December 16	10:30 AM
<i>Myron & Phyllis Rogstad</i>	
Tuesday, December 18	8:00 AM
<i>+Larry Anderson, Sr.</i>	
Wednesday, December 19	8:00 AM
<i>+Henrietta Nistler</i>	
Thursday, December 20	8:00 AM
<i>+Fr. Steve Zastoupil</i>	
Friday, December 21	8:00 AM
<i>+Frances Krush</i>	
Saturday, December 22	5:00 PM
<i>Becky Volk</i>	
Sunday, December 23	10:30 AM
<i>Parishioners of St. Hildegard & Sacred Heart</i>	

Upcoming Events

Dec. 19- CCD (Program practice) 7:00 PM

Dec. 26- No CCD class

Rosary: Before Mass on Sunday

Confessions: Sat (or by appt)..... 3:30 – 4:30 PM

Adoration: Thursday.....3:00-9:00 PM

Parish Contacts

Pastor	Msgr. Gene Lindemann	673-3452
Religious Ed Dir.	Denise Richter	673-3488
Council Chair	Myron Rogstad	673-3325
Altar Society	Corrine Heaton	333-8178
Business Mgr.	Tedi Maher	
(St. Hildegard Office: Mon-Wed -Fri)		673-3177
(Sacred Heart Office: Tues-Thurs)		734-8131

***Please note offices will be closed: Dec. 21, 24, 25**

PARISH EVENTS/NEWS

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, DECEMBER 24 – 5:00 P.M.

Tuesday, DECEMBER 25 – 10:30 A.M.

Liturgical ministers are needed. Please sign up on the ministry sheets in the church entry.

CHREASTERS

MUSIC REHEARSAL TODAY



The ChrEasters will be singing for the Christmas Eve Mass on December 24. Caroling begins at 4:30, followed by Mass at 5 PM. Music practice will be held in the church on Sunday, December 16, at 6:00pm.

SUPPORT THE RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS

Retired Religious give thanks. "This money is pure gift," writes a religious sister of the support made possible by the Retirement Fund for Religious. "It enables us to continue providing care for our elderly sisters." Hundreds of religious communities meet pressing retirement needs while continuing to serve the People of God. Senior Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests ministered for years for little to no pay. Their sacrifices now leave their religious communities without adequate retirement savings. Envelopes are in the church entry. **Your gift for the Retirement Fund for Religious** helps to provide medications, nursing care, and more, for tens of thousands of elderly religious. Thank you for your generosity!

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS



Thank you to all those who have donated to the Christmas flower offering. It is a beautiful way to remember or honor your loved ones. *Christmas Flower Offerings this week have been made in memory of: Meinhard Blotsky, Bill Blotsky, Bill & Rose Jahner, Bill & Delores Doerson, Paul & Agnes Ryberg, and Heather Ryberg*



CCD CHRISTMAS PROGRAM - January 6
After 10:30 Mass. Followed by "Meet and Greet".

DECEMBER 7,8,9 OFFERINGS

Adult	\$ 3,042.00
Youth	\$ 38.00
Loose	\$ 139.35
Flowers	\$ 111.00
Retired Religious	\$ 30.00
Online	\$ 435.00
Total	\$ 3,795.35

LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

Ministry	December 23	December 30
Sat. Lector	Wilma Dunford	Sheila Rogstad
Sun. Lector	Jim Heisler	Marlyn Richter
Altar Servers	John Richter	Andy Richter
	Zachary Richter	Andrew Schweitzer
Ushers	Jim Heisler	Travis Schweitzer
	Josey Milbradt	Frank Schweitzer
Gifts	Josey & Megan Milbradt Family	Travis & Trina Schweitzer Family
Greeter	Jim & Kathy Heisler	Mary Richter
Sacristan	Elvira Rogstad	Holly Schirado
Eucharistic Ministers	Marlyn Richter	Russ Schirado
	Sue Richter	Travis Schweitzer
	*Myron Rogstad	*Holly Schirado
Counter	Dawn Aberle (12/26)	Caroline Sabot (1/2)

***If Deacon Keith Due assists at Mass, the third Eucharistic Minister (*) is not needed**

BAPTISM CONGRATULATIONS



8/5/18: John Robert Harsche, son of Michael and Amber Harsche
10/14/18: Conner Allen Piatz, son of Lance and McKinzy Piatz
11/3/18: Colter West Schmitz, son of Cordell and Abby Schmitz
10/28/18: Kinley Marie Schirado, daughter of Dustin and Dusti Schirado
12/9/18: Eli Richard Leith, son of Scott Leith and Caryn Scholl
May the grace and blessings you receive from God guide you throughout your life!

AREA EVENTS/NEWS

PINOCHLE CARD PARTY TODAY-

DECEMBER 16 Join us at St. Mary's Parish - Sunday, December 16, at 1:00 PM. The entrance fee is \$5.00, lunch served following the games.

MAGI APPEAL - THROUGH THE MONTH OF DECEMBER



Giving gifts to one another has been a tradition for many years. This tradition first started with the Magi bringing gifts to the newborn Messiah! The Catholic Foundation of Western North Dakota is proud to announce its first ever Magi Appeal. Please consider to giving a gift to the Church during this appeal towards our parish endowment. If you would like to donate or give, visit catholicfoundationdob.com or contact the Catholic Foundation office at 701-222-3035.

CHRISTMAS EVE DINNER AT ASCENSION

Church of the Ascension in Bismarck is hosting their annual Christmas Eve dinner on Monday, Dec. 24 from 5:30-7 p.m. in their parish community room. This is a free meal for individuals and families in need, alone or simply want to celebrate Christ's birth with others. Call the parish office at 701-223-3606 to reserve a ride or if you have any questions. Many volunteers are needed to help with this event. You can sign up online to volunteer at: www.ascensionbismarck.org.

ADVENT PENNANCE SERVICES IN BISMARCK



Church of St Mary	Mon, December 17, 7:00 PM
Corpus Christi	Tues, December 18, 7:00 PM
Cathedral	Wed, December 19, 7:00 PM
Ascension	Thurs, December 20, 7:00 PM
Church of St. Anne	Sun, December 23, 3:00 PM