



# Saint John the Evangelist Sacred Heart - Oakwood

1515 Western Ave

Grafton ND 58237

13<sup>th</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time

July 2, 2017

## Mission Statement

St. John the Evangelist Parish is a Catholic Community of believers who worship God and share faith with others through welcoming, encouraging, sharing, reconciling, being faithful, praying and healing in Jesus' name.

## Eucharist Schedule

Saturdays: 5:00 p.m. - St. John's  
Sundays: 7:30 a.m. - Oakwood  
9:30 a.m. - St. John's  
11:30 a.m. - St. John's - Spanish

## Reconciliation

Saturdays: 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.  
Sundays: 7:10 a.m. - Oakwood  
9:00 - 9:15 a.m.

**Adoration** – Thursday, 5-10 p.m.

**Parish Office: 352-1648**  
**Fr. Tim's Cell phone - 520-0838**  
Fax number: 352-1608  
Parish Kitchen: 352-0499

## Pastor: Fr. Tim Schroeder

Deacon/Pastoral Minister:  
Rev. Mr. Michael Grzadzielewski  
Administrative Assist to the Pastor/  
LSTC Coordinator: Rose Marie Kerner  
Faith Formation/Music: Brent Hermans  
Office Manager: Beverly Dolan  
Parish Maintenance: Paul Bina

**Parish Lay Directors:** Bryan Hurst,  
Linda Schumacher.

**Pastoral Council:** Leanne Campbell,  
David Demester, Mary (John) Dusek,  
Mary (Tom) Dusek, Jesse Forster,  
Monica Gorder, Paul Houdek, Nancy  
Miller, Todd Morgan, Christopher  
Quinamot, Micky Schumacher, Al  
Szklański, Marta Balderas - Hispanic  
Ministry Liaison.

**Finance Council:** Rita Amiot, Russ  
Carignan, Linda Schumacher, Bryan  
Hurst, JoAnn Lizakowski, Kathy Maus,  
Stacey Van Bruggen.

**Baptism Prep Classes** - Second  
Thursday - 7 p.m. in the Gathering Space.  
Call 352-1648 to register.

**FORMED:** Youth and Adult Faith  
Formation at [formed.org](http://formed.org). Parish Access  
code: PNWMV2

**Bulletin** - find it at: [stjohnsgrafton.com](http://stjohnsgrafton.com)

**Emails:** Fr. Tim at  
[timothy.schroeder@fargodiocese.org](mailto:timothy.schroeder@fargodiocese.org)  
Bev at [bev.stjohns@midconetwork.com](mailto:bev.stjohns@midconetwork.com)

**Need a ride to church?** Call Frank  
Janousek at 352-1567 or Jim Kosmatka at  
352-3089.



**Office Closed** – Tuesday, July 4.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** – will be moved to Sunday, July 9.

**Piano Talk Concerts featuring Brent Hermans:** 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. Dates for the summer are: July 25 (Movie Songs), August 8 (Why Are We Doing Questionable Music), and August 22 (Live at Isidore's Nightclub). Refreshments...Free Will Offering.

**New on FORMED** – “Religionless Spirituality” Renown Scripture scholar and author, Dr. Tim Gray, provides a fascinating explanation of the importance of the visible Church and the centrality of Christ's mission to establish the Kingdom of God on Earth.

**St. John's invites Children** to Maker Fun Factory VBS: Created by God, Built for a Purpose – An end of summer kids' VBS will be hosted at St. John's from August 7-10. All faiths are welcome. Kids participate in memorable Bible-learning activities, sing catchy songs, play teamwork-building games, make and devour yummy treats, experience one-of-a-kind Bible adventures. Plus, they will learn to look for evidence of God all around them through something called God Sightings. Kids at VBS will join an effort to help stock the food pantry with donations. Maker Fun Factory is for kids who have completed K.- 5th grade and will run from 6 - 8:30 p.m. each day. Contact the Parish Office at 701-352-1648 to register or Nancy at 701-520-0134 for more information.

**Putt 4 a Purpose - Golf Event** – Bishop Folda invites you to the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Bishop's Charity Golf Classic, benefitting Seminarian Education and Youth Programs – Monday, August 7, at Rose Creek Golf course in south Fargo. Join the fun and fellowship for a round of golf, dinner and prizes. For further information, please contact Steve Schons in the Stewardship and Development Office, 701-356-7926/ [steve.schons@fargodiocese.org](mailto:steve.schons@fargodiocese.org).



It is clear in the Gospel for this weekend that a relationship with Jesus is to be more important than any other relationship (Matthew 10:37-42). Our relationship with Jesus ranks above father, mother, son, daughter, even our very own life. And yet that relationship leads us to accept others and give them what Jesus would give. Jesus gave his very life. He says, “And whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple – amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward.” This gospel reminded me of all those children, those “little ones” in Haiti. Fr. Wilfranc has been asking for us to help him to do his summer camp again. We did the camp the first time three years ago after my brother, Greg, died, and I believe, every year since. I offered to give \$500 in his memory and many of you joined me. We sent just under \$8,000 or \$9,000 each year to make that camp happen. This year it will cost about \$1.34 each day for each child for ten days, but there will be 600 children, \$8016 for the two camps. It includes food for the day and teachers. Someone already gave \$770 toward the camps. Does anyone have interest in giving “a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink”? I will give another \$500 to make this camp happen next month. Maybe you can't give that but a \$1.34 will provide a child for one day. Can you do more than one day? In the first reading the “woman of influence” and her husband provided for the prophet Elisha. They gave hospitality, a room for Elisha to stay in.. They received a prophets reward, what they desired, a son in their old age. St. Paul says in the second reading that as Christians we die with Christ: “If, then, we have died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with him.” I often tell people when they help out at the church “their benefits will be out of this world.” It is the same when we store up treasure for ourselves in heaven by giving to the poor.

## Eucharist & Intentions

### Saturday, July 1

5:00 p.m. – Molly & John Landrigan +

### Sunday, July 2

7:30 a.m. – Oakwood – Gail Osowski +

9:30 a.m. – Percy & Agnes Davis +

11:30 a.m. – Mass in Spanish – Parishioners +

### Monday, July 3

9:00 a.m. – James Greenwood +

### Tuesday, July 4 Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July

9:00 a.m. – Leo Feltman +

### Wednesday, July 5

10:15 a.m. – Sunset – Josephine & Norvin Elbert +

### Thursday, July 6

9:00 a.m. – Leonard Schuster +

1:45 p.m. – LSTC – Gwen Miller +

### Friday, July 7

9:00 a.m. – Paul & Grace Brodeur +

### Saturday, July 8

5:00 p.m. – Frank & Mary Dusek

### Sunday, July 9

7:30 a.m. – Oakwood – Alan Collette +

9:30 a.m. – Frank Rose +

11:30 a.m. – Mass in Spanish – Parishioners

### Prayers for the Sick: Policy for St. John's and Sacred Heart

Requests run for 3 consecutive weeks: Phoebe Anderson, Mary Osowski, Don and Jane Osowski, Earl Mondry, Harris Gierszewski, Unborn child of Tawny Frederickson (daughter of Kevin and Phyllis), Doug Praska, LeAnn Baldwin, Steve Walters, DeAnn Pich Holness, Jennifer Osowski, Adelaide Dvorak, Brian & Deanne Pilon, JoAnne Sevigny, Diana Dominguez, Hope Reis, Sister Rose Sevigny, Gary Littlefield, Michelle Collette Donarski, Barbara Donelan, Diane Lee, Tom Hartje, David Moe, Mona Szklarski, Roger Amiot, Suzanne Burns, Ramona Latraille, Betty Littlefield, Kevin Hoenke, Frances Boulduc, Connie McCarty, Adly Galle Jaehning.

**Our Sympathy** to the family of Alice Staskivige.

**Catholic Young Adults Walsh County** – Are you a young adult age 21-30 and looking for some Catholic friends? Email Mary Kerian at [mkerian001@gmail.com](mailto:mkerian001@gmail.com) for more information and to be added to our contact list.

**RPR Network** – Known as one of the first televangelists, Venerable Fulton Sheen was an American Bishop known for his preaching and especially for his work on radio and later, television, from 1930 through 1968. He was loved and admired by people of all faiths as he tackled the important topics of that time. His message is just as relevant today and we are blessed to have recordings of those broadcasts which are aired weekly on Real Presence Radio. He combines humor with solid Catholic Teaching on topics which continue to impact our lives and the world in which we live. Tune in each Saturday evening, 8 p.m. on 1280 AM, 1370 AM, 99.7 or 98.9 FM

Ministry	July 8	July 9	July 15	July 16
<b>July Eucharistic Ministers</b>	<b>5:00 P.M. Plate:</b> Lillian Houska, Catherine Pich <b>Chalice:</b> Brigita Bovaird, Betty Feltman, Kathy Grzadzilewski, Kay Wilebski <b>9:30 A.M. Plate:</b> Pat Dusek, Linda Schumacher, Brad Suda <b>Chalice:</b> Rosa Aguilar, JoAnn Lizakowski, Elaine Novak, David Schumacher			
Proclaimers	Kathy Grzadzilewski	John Dusek	Janice Houska	James Dusek
Altar Servers	Chris Fehr Matt Houska	Logan Dusek Kate LeClerc Josie Suda Paige Suda	Matt Houska Chris Fehr	Claire Bjerneby Sydney Suda Smallbecks
Greeters	Doug & Sue Kirkeby Janice Houska	David Demester Michele Schumacher Griselda Moreno	Lee & Linda Lessard Robin Holt	Jack & Kathy Maus Laurie Johnson
Money Counters		Bev Dolan Paul Bina		Judy Keeley Lunette Kliniske

## † STEWARDSHIP ☒

**Let us honor God with our first fruits  
rather than the leftovers.**

**June 25, 2017 \$ 6,770.36**

### **Given in 2017**

\$ 158,704.40		\$355,000.00
\$ 75,448.00	God's Gift Appeal 93%	\$ 80,740.00
\$ 613,346.73	Sowing Seeds Campaign	\$741,989.00
\$ 370.00	Kitchen	
\$ 1,000.00	Window	
\$ 20.00	Jail Ministry	
\$ 1,560.00	Unrestricted	
\$ 115.00	Adoration Chapel	
\$	Music	
\$ 2,980.00	Haiti School	
\$ 20.00	Parish Center Floor	
\$ 20.00	Media Upgrade	

**Stewardship Moment** – "...whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me. "

Matthew 10:38 Pope Benedict XVI said, "The world offers you comfort. But you were not made for comfort, you were made for greatness." "Comfort" puts me first. "Picking up your cross and following Jesus" puts God and others first. Why settle for comfort when you can achieve greatness! Pick up your cross, ask Jesus for guidance on using your gifts and live the life God intended for you!

**26<sup>th</sup> Annual PEO salad Luncheon** – Tuesday, July 11, from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. at St. John's Catholic Church. Also, we will have "Purses for a Purpose plus Pizzazz. Tickets are \$10 and Take Out Meals are available - call 360-1374.

**Job Postings – FT Teacher** – St. John's Academy, Jamestown, ND is searching for a qualified elementary teacher for the 2017-2018 school year. This is a full time position, starting in August. Applications, with resume and references, should be sent to Lawrie Paulson, Principal [lawrie.paulson@k12.nd.us](mailto:lawrie.paulson@k12.nd.us). Applications will be reviewed until the position is filled.

**PT Teacher** – St. John's Academy, Jamestown, ND, is searching for a half-time teacher for the 2017-18 school year. Applications for the position should be submitted to [lawrie.paulson@k12.nd.us](mailto:lawrie.paulson@k12.nd.us). Applications will be reviewed until the position is filled.

**Development/Stewardship Director** – Sacred Heart School and Parish, East Grand Forks, MN. Full job description found at: [sacredheartegf.net/employment](http://sacredheartegf.net/employment). Application deadline is July 21. Interested candidates should send a cover letter, resume, reference list and letters of recommendation to Carl Adolphson, School President, [cadolphson@sacredheartegf.net](mailto:cadolphson@sacredheartegf.net).

### **Sacred Heart - Oakwood**

**Sunday, July 9, 2017**  
**Proclaimer:** Ed Sevigny  
**July Cleaning:** Group 2

**Collection: 6/25/2017 \$ 140.00**  
**Year 2017 \$15,536.01**  
**God's Gift Goal: \$ 8,301.00**  
**Year to Date: 102 % \$ 8,495.00**

**Lay Directors:**  
 Dennis LeClerc, Lori Cyr

**Pastoral/Finance Council:** Susan Suda, Cindy Collette, Mark Gourde, Lee Osowski, Bobby Osowski.