



# Saint John the Evangelist Sacred Heart - Oakwood

1515 Western Ave

Grafton ND 58237

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 7, 2018

## Mission Statement

**To walk by Faith,  
to be known by Love  
and to be a Beacon of Light  
in our community.**

We are asking that you pray 3 Hail Marys after each Mass for people to come back to their Catholic Faith.

## Eucharist Schedule

Saturdays: 5:00 p.m. - St. John's

Sundays: 7:30 a.m. - Oakwood

9:30 a.m. - St. John's

## Reconciliation

Saturdays: 4:00 - 4:45 p.m. - St. John's

Sundays: 7:10 a.m. - Oakwood

9:00 - 9:15 a.m. - St. John's

**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. Timothy Schroeder

Retired Priest in Residence:

Fr. Bernard Schneider

Deacon/Pastoral Minister:

Rev. Mr. Michael Grzadzielewski

Administrative Assist to the Pastor/

LSTC Coordinator: Vicki Littlejohn

Faith Formation/Music: Brent Hermans

Parish Secretary: DeeDee Vogsland

Environmental Services: David Demester

Paul Bina

**Parish Lay Directors:** Bryan Hurst,

Linda Schumacher.

**Pastoral Council:** Leanne Campbell, Kelly Dokken, Paul Dolan, Mary (John) Dusek, Jesse Forster, Monica Gorder, Paul Houdek, Lee Lessard, Nancy Miller, Micky Schumacher, John Suda, Al Szklarski, Marta Balderas - Hispanic Ministry Liaison.

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

**Baptism Prep Classes** - The 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:** Father Tim at [timothy.schroeder@fargodiocese.org](mailto:timothy.schroeder@fargodiocese.org)  
DeeDee at [office.stjohns@midconetwork.com](mailto:office.stjohns@midconetwork.com)

Need a ride to church:  
Call Frank Janousek at 520-1730  
or Jim Kosmatka at 352-3089.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** - Sunday, Oct. 7, from 1:00-3:00 pm  
*Please join us for some or all of this time of prayer.*



## St. John's Fall Dinner

**Sunday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, 11:00 am - 2:00 pm**

Turkey, Ham & all the fixings with Homemade Pies for Dessert!

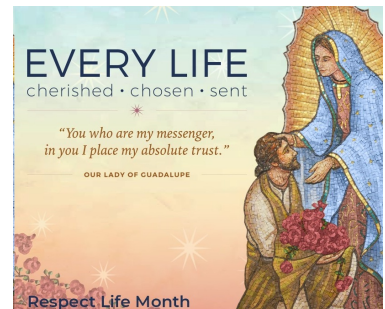
Men, Women, Kids - We need everyone involved for this event to be a success.

We would appreciate any items that you would like to donate for the mini raffle. Items for all ages and interests can be dropped off at the parish office. If you have questions, please call 352-1648.

**WISDOM** - GOD'S VISION FOR LIFE - Begins October 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 pm, and runs for eight sessions. Call 352-1648 to register.

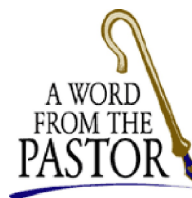
*In Wisdom: God's Vision for Life, Jeff Cavins examines scriptural wisdom as it relates to daily life. Drawing on the wisdom literature of the Bible, these videos will show you how Scripture offers a vision for happiness and well-being in everything from friendships to finances, from making decisions to attaining peace of mind. With this program, you will learn how to gather, gain and grow in wisdom and will experience the joy it brings to your life.*

**Sunday,  
October 7<sup>th</sup>  
will be observed as  
Respect Life Sunday  
In  
Catholic Churches  
across our nation.**



**Friday, November 9<sup>th</sup> - Memory Night** - For those who have lost loved ones in the past year. More details to follow.

**Rosaries** - Join us on Tuesdays & Fridays at 8:30 pm to pray Our Lady of Sorrows Rosary and on Tuesdays at 3:30 at the Sunset Home & after the 5:15 Mass to pray the regular Rosary.



Fr. Wilfrance from our Twin Parish in Haiti recently shared a message saying thanks to all of our St. John's parishioners. There are some who give consistently to Haiti and we, as a parish, give 2.33% of our monthly collection to Haiti. We are able to give \$3000 per quarter (\$1000 per month) to our mission in St. Yves. He says thank you for partnering with him and praying for him. He said his health has been very bad as of late and he asks for your prayers for better health.

On September 19<sup>th</sup>, the bishop announced that on October 5<sup>th</sup> he was going to have a Mass and Holy Hour of reparation at St. Mary's Cathedral. The purpose was to pray for the victims of abuse and the healing of the church. He asked us on a local level to have prayers for the healing of all those who have been victims of sexual abuse, especially by leaders in the church. He mentioned that the Pope has asked us to pray the rosary and the prayer of St. Michael the Archangel. "Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the Power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl through the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen." We have been praying the "Our Lady of Sorrows" rosary at 8:30 pm on Friday night and you can see in this bulletin other times we gather to say the rosary. We need to gather together and personally pray and fast for reparation and for healing.

## Eucharist & Intentions

### Saturday, Oct. 6

5:00 p.m. - Doloria Dusek +

### Sunday, Oct. 7

7:30 a.m. - Mary Jane Sevigny +

9:30 a.m. - Parishioners

### Monday, Oct. 8

9:00 PM - **Evening Mass** - Doloria Dusek +

### Tuesday, Oct. 9

5:15 p.m. - Chad Demers, for his health

### Wednesday, Oct. 10

10:15 a.m. - Sunset - Olivine Houdek +

### Thursday, Oct. 11

9:00 a.m. - Alan Collette +

1:45 p.m. - LSTC - Frances Risky +

### Friday, Oct. 12

9:00 a.m. - Gary Fisher +

### Saturday, Oct. 13

5:00 p.m. - Paul Suda +

### Sunday, Oct. 14

7:30 a.m. - David Collette +

9:30 a.m. - Parishioners

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

Requests run for 3 consecutive weeks: Ron & Jane Nowacki, Monica Rudnik, Dorothy Rudnik, Sally Gaustad, Rob Mihulka, Cody Bruner, Bob LaHaise, Chad Demers, Alice Jochim, Jeanne Silewski, Ann (Mickey) Shaver, Jo Deitz, Lou Orleans, Judith McMillian, Lea O'Keefe, Lon Burns, Ray Capp, Dick Dolan, JoAnn & Roger Mattson, Patrice Katz, Ryan Suda, Kelly Laskowske, Roberto Rodriguez, Emma Basting, John Campbell, Theresa Moen, Dorothy Mae Scholler, Jennifer Osowski, Michelle Collette Donarski, Barbara Donelan, Roger Amiot, Suzanne Burns, Kevin Hoenke, Frances Boulduc, Adly Galle Jaehning, Dennis Czapiewski, Kathy Ruzicka.



Sunday, Oct. 7 - St. Michael's Fall Dinner & Bazaar, Grand Forks, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Sunday, Oct. 7 - St. Mary's Fall Dinner, Bazaar & Fundraiser, Park River, 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Sunday, Oct. 7 - St. Boniface Catholic Church Annual Fall Supper, Walhalla, 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Saturday, Oct. 13 - Sunset Founders Fall Luncheon, Sunset LSH Activity Room, 11:00 am - 1:30 pm

Sunday, Oct. 21 - Grafton Lutheran's Fall Dinner, 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Wed., Oct. 24 - Hoople First Lutheran Church Fall Supper, 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

~ The flyers for these dinners are hanging on the board ~ in the Gathering Space.

## † STEWARDSHIP ☒

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

**Sept. 30, 2018 \$9,242.75**

### Given in 2018

\$ 263,021.18		\$365,000.00
\$ 67,024.00	God's Gift Appeal 82%	\$ 82,228.00
\$ 661,973.15	Sowing Seeds Campaign	\$741,989.00
\$ 130.00	Jail Ministry	
\$ 55,738.16	Unrestricted	
\$ 20.00	Adoration Chapel	
\$ 50.00	Music	
\$ 13,740.95	Haiti School	
\$ 585.00	Parish Center Floor	
\$ 40.00	Media Upgrade	
\$ 470.00	Cemetery Upkeep/Memorials	

**Stewardship Moment** - "So out of the ground the Lord God formed every beast of the field and every bird of the air, and brought them to the man to see what he would call them; and whatever the man called every living creature, that was its name." Genesis 2:19

The creation story reminds us of two important points. First, since the start, God has put the entire world into our care. Second, stewardship has been around since the beginning of mankind, it isn't something recently invented by the Church. Just as past generations built our Church, it is now our responsibility to continue to nurture and develop these gifts for future generations.

**Weekly Prayer of the Faithful Petitions** - That we may care for the planet and be better stewards of the earth's resources.

## Fatima Public Square Rosary Crusade

**will be at St. John's on Saturday, Oct 13 at 12:00**

**noon.** This Rosary Rally will be held in conjunction with thousands of other rallies held all across our country in honor of Our Blessed Mother and to commemorate her appearance at Fatima and to pray that our country will recognize and appreciate Christian values.

**Baptism Class for October will be on October 18th!**



**Faith Formation** - Join us on Wednesdays: Grades 1 - 8, 6:15 - 7:30 and Grades 9 - 12, 7:30 - 8:30

We have 3 upcoming events in October and are looking for volunteers to co-chair these events. They are Squires Style Show Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup>, American Crystal Dinner Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> and American Crystal Coffee Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>. Please call Vicki if you are willing to help. 352-1648

Ministry	October 13	October 14	October 20	October 21
<b>September Eucharistic Ministers</b>	<b>5:00 P.M. Paten:</b> Cindy Janousek, Frank Janousek <b>Chalice:</b> Betty Feltman, Patricia Kram, Kay Wilebski, Mary Bailly <b>9:30 A.M. Paten:</b> Greg Dusek, John Dusek, Linda Schumacher <b>Chalice:</b> Mary Dusek, Jon Jelinek, David Schumacher, Dean Woinarowicz			
<b>Proclaimers</b>	Dean Collette	Paul Dolan	Mary (Tom) Dusek	James Dusek
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Matt Houska Chris Fehr	Josh Blanchard Ethan Lund Kate LeClerc Laila Miller	Chris Fehr Matt Houska	Tyler Mayer Sydney Suda Josie Suda Paige Suda
<b>Greeters</b>	Paul & Sandi Houdek Janice Houska	David Demester Michelle Schumacher Griselda Moreno	Frank & Cynthia Janousek Kay Wilebski	Delores Novak Paddy Hutson Pat Dusek
<b>Money Counters</b>		Judy Keeley Diane Maes		Marta Balderas Jim Kosmatka

### Sacred Heart - Oakwood

Sunday: Oct. 14, 2018

**Proclaimer:** Peter  
**Altar Server:** Kayden Swanson  
**August Cleaning:** Group 2

Collection: 9/30/2018 \$ 1,144.00

Year to Date \$22,584.94  
 God's Gift Goal: \$ 7,471.00  
 Year to Date: 115% \$ 8,580.00

**Lay Directors:**  
 Ed Sevigny, Lori Cyr

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

**Choir** - practice will be on Wednesday at 7:45 pm in the Church.  
We welcome you to come and join us in singing praise to God!



**“To follow the Light that shines forever”**

Within the next couple of weeks you will receive a Summary Report detailing the results of our “To follow the Light that shines forever Program”. Several weeks ago, we began this program and we are beginning to see signs that our Sunday offertory collections are growing through the generosity of many parishioners. Thank you so very much to all who have chosen to participate in this very important program. Your generosity shows your willingness as faithful stewards to be a part of the ongoing mission of St. John the Evangelist.

**Seven Days Away!** We are still in need of **30 workers** Sunday, the 14<sup>th</sup>. Please call Vicki at 352-1648 for the Country Store; such as produce, Mini Raffle items can be dropped off at



and **20 pies** for the Fall Dinner next to sign up. We, also, need items canned and baked goods. Your the parish office. Thank you!

**MEN** - We need volunteers to help move the pews on Sunday the 14<sup>th</sup> after Mass & after the Fall Dinner. This is in preparation for the floors to be restored.

**Book of the Month - The Real Story of Catholic History** by Steven Weidenkopf

We have all heard versions of Catholic history filled with nothing but unrelenting violence, ignorance, worldliness, and bigotry. It is time for the false narratives to be corrected. Weidenkopf's work is packed with research and is diligent in pursuit of the truth, while never whitewashing or explaining away the Church's past faults. *The Real Story of Catholic History* is an essential resource for every bookshelf.

**Public Square Rosary in Veseleyville Saturday, October 13**

Saint Luke's Catholic Church at 12:00 noon. Call Steve Jarolimek with questions. 701-248-3669

**Friendship's Oktoberfest** will be Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am - 6:00 pm at Friendship's Main Office in Grafton. They will be having a Farmer's Market Theme...crafts, produce, jams, jellies, pickles, etc. All proceeds go towards Christmas gifts for the people supported. Please call 352-0060 if you have any questions.



**Young women (ages 16-30)** are invited to “Pax et Bonum” a Day of Reflection with the Franciscan Sisters of Dillingen Saturday, Oct. 20 from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. at St. Anne's Guest Home (524 N. 17<sup>th</sup> St., Grand Forks) Get more information or R.S.V.P. to Sr. Christina by Oct. 10 at 701-746-9401 or [sr.christinaosf@gmail.com](mailto:sr.christinaosf@gmail.com)

***Do you have a little extra time on your hands that you'd like to put to good use?***

St. Anne's Guest Home in Grand Forks is looking for volunteers to help with activities, special events, etc.

We'd welcome any new talents....Do you enjoy singing or have another gift to share? Let us know.

Would you be willing to help with other activities or special events? We'd appreciate that as well.

If interested, please call Paulla at 701-746-9401. Life is great at St. Anne's ~ and you can help make it even better...Think about becoming a volunteer.

**National Life Chain Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup>**, 2:00 - 3:00 pm at two locations. Faith Evangelical Free Church, Hwy. 17 West, Grafton, or at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Highway 17 East, Park River. Join us for one hour of Silent Intercessory Prayer to stop the holocaust of abortion. Coffee and bars will be served at 3 pm at each location.

If you would like to volunteer to bring food for funerals, please call

Susan Kerian at 352-3172 or Mary (Tom) Dusek at 360-0879.

Looking for Volunteers to be Cantors, Eucharistic Ministers, Greeters & a Sacristan. Call the office at 352-1648 & ask for Vicki.



