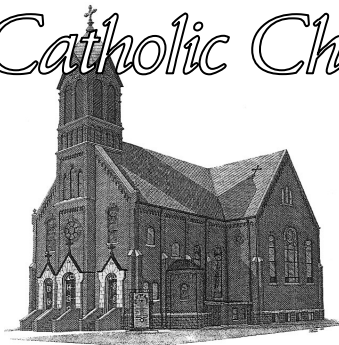
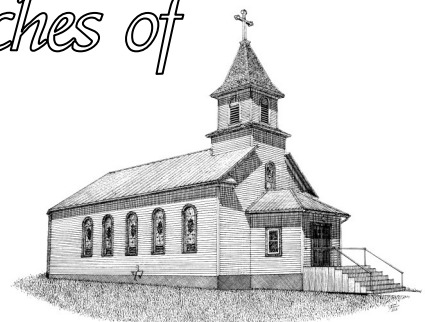


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Sunday, March 18, 2018
Fifth Sunday Of Lent

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News and Events

Sympathy and Prayers to the family, relatives, and friends of Margaret Baumgartner. May she rest in peace.... **The Margaret Baumgartner Family** would like to **Thank** everyone for the generosity shown to them at their mothers passing. **Thank You** to everyone who brought food to the house and funeral luncheon, to St. Mary's Council for leading the rosary and serving the luncheon, the lector, Mass servers, musician, song leader, and to Fr. Benny & Fr. Leonard for the beautiful Funeral Mass. Your kindness was greatly appreciated!

Upcoming Lenten Penance Services

St. Michael, Rural Linton, Sunday, March 18th, Mass at 11 a.m. followed with a Soup & Sandwich Luncheon—then confessions.
St. Mary, Hague, Monday, March 19th, 6:30 p.m.
Sts. Peter & Paul, Strasburg, Wednesday, March 21st, 6:30 p.m.
St. Michael, Herreid, Sunday, March 25th, 5 p.m.

St. Michael's Parish: Stations of the Cross will be held at 7:15 p.m. on Wednesday, March 21st & 28th by the CCD Students. **NO MASS** due to conflicts.

Palm Sunday Breakfast next Sunday, March 25th, sponsored by the Hague and Zeeland Knights of Columbus from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Hague KC Hall. Menu: Sausage, eggs, pancakes, coffee, juice, and dessert. Everyone welcome!

Easter Cantata performances will be held at the Sts. Peter and Paul Parish, Strasburg, on Palm Sunday, March 25th, at 8 p.m. and at the Hope Reformed Church in Westfield on Monday, March 26th, at 7:30 p.m. Everyone welcome!

Mardi Gras Raffle Tickets are for sale! Get yours at Church or at the Strasburg Rectory. The CCD Students will also have tickets available to sell. \$1 a ticket or a book of 10 for \$10.00.

Flowers for Sts. Peter and Paul Church: Anyone wishing to

The Week's Schedule

Sun.,	Mar. 18	8:45 a.m.	Mass at Sts, Peter and Paul Travis Burgad+ & Family
		11:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Michael Followed by Soup & Sandwich & Confessions Rita Wangler+
Mon.,	Mar. 19	6:30 p.m.	Penance Service at St. Mary
Tues.,	Mar. 20	4:00 p.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Robert & Claude Theisgen+ Family
Wed.,	Mar. 21	3:30 p.m.	Stations at Sts. Peter and Paul
		4:00 p.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Friends & Relatives of Bill & Mae Bosch
		6:30 p.m.	Penance Service at Sts. Peter & Paul
		7:15 p.m.	Stations of the Cross at St. Michael's by the CCD Students
Thurs.,	Mar. 22	9:15 a.m.	Mass at Strasburg Care Center James Barth, Jr.+
		4:00 p.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul Esther Davy Family
Fri.,	Mar. 23	6:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross at St. Mary
		6:30 p.m.	Mass at St. Mary All Deceased Family of Mike & Katherine Heier
Sat.,	Mar. 24	4:00 p.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Bill & Mae Bosch Family
		8:00 p.m.	Mass at St. Mary Adam Buechler+
Sun.,	Mar. 25	8:45 a.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Jim & Irene Rohrich & Family
		8:00 p.m.	Easter Cantata at Sts. Peter & Paul
		11:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Michael All Parishioners

The Sacrament of Reconciliation: The sacrament is available in Strasburg from 3:15-3:50 p.m. on Saturdays, in Hague from 6:15 -6:50 p.m. on Saturdays, and at St. Michael Church 10:30-10:55 a.m. on Sundays. The sacrament is also available about 15 minutes prior to each weekday Mass and can be scheduled at your convenience by calling the parish office.

donate money to purchase Easter flowers can do so at any time. Put your donation in an envelope and mark it "**Flower Fund**" along with your name so credit can be given to you.

V.F.W. Auxiliary meeting on Tuesday, March 20th, at 2 p.m. at the Strasburg Senior Citizens Building.

Women's Prayer/Discussion group will meet on Monday

evenings, at 7:00 p.m. in the Sts. Peter and Paul Church basement.

St. Michael of Rural Linton: Parish Council meeting on Tuesday, March 20th, at 7 p.m.

Easter Cantata practice will be held on Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. at the Strasburg Care Center Chapel.

Strasburg KC meeting on Tuesday, March 20th, at 7:30 p.m. at the Strasburg Rectory.

Easter Choir practice at the Sts. Peter and Paul Church on Wednesday, March 21st, following the Penance Service. All ages welcome!

CCD Grades 8-12 are required to attend the Penance Service at Strasburg on Wednesday, March 21st, at 6:30 p.m.

Senior Citizens dinner on Tuesday, March 27th, at noon at the Strasburg Senior Citizens Center. A meeting will follow the dinner. New members welcome!

Students in grades 6-8 across the Diocese of Bismarck are invited to attend our first annual "Lock-in Your Faith" event – an overnight lock-in/retreat at St. Mary's Church in Bismarck Friday night, April 6th, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Lock-in Your Faith will include a variety of prayer experiences, small and large group games and activities, and off site activities including movies and bowling at Midway Lanes. Pizza and other snacks and beverages will be available throughout the night. Cost for youth is \$40. Adult chaperones are also needed. The deadline to register is March 30. You can find out more info and register online at www.bismarckdiocese.com/lockin. For questions, contact Carrie Davis at cdavis@bismarckdiocese.com or (701) 204-7208.

St. Ben's Roofing Up-date: Anonymous Donor Goal: \$10,000.00; Received \$7,790.00; — Balance left: \$4,494.00.

Pray for the sick: Willie Rohrich, Bev Goldade, James Hanson, and Nattie Nagel,

Pray for the deceased: Margaret Baumgartner, Loretta Senger, and James Barth.

Upcoming Mass Times for Holy Week

Notice the Changes on Wednesday, March 28th — Sts. Peter and Paul, Strasburg, 7 p.m. **Living Stations** performed by Grades 10, 11 and 12, followed with a Mass; St. Michael, Rural Linton, 7:15 p.m. Stations Of The Cross with the CCD Students.

Holy Thursday, March 29th — St. Mary, Hague, 5 p.m. and Sts. Peter and Paul, Strasburg, 7:30 p.m.

Good Friday Services, March 30th: Sts. Peter and Paul, Strasburg, 3 p.m. and St. Michael, Rural Linton, 7 p.m.

Holy Saturday, March 31st — Sts. Peter and Paul, Strasburg, 9 p.m.

Easter Sunday, April 1st — St. Mary, Hague, 8:30 a.m. and St.

Michael, Rural Linton, 11 a.m.

Still Needed: On the Holy Thursday 7:30 p.m. Mass at Strasburg, we need 12 volunteers to sign up for the washing of the feet. There is a sign up sheet in the back of church. This can be a woman, man, boy or girl (must be confirmed). If no one signs up, Fr. Benny will not be able to do this during the Holy Thursday Mass.

40 Cans for Lent: The Strasburg KCs invite you to join them in supporting our local food pantry this Lenten Season by donating 40 Cans for Lent — 1 non-perishable food item per day in Lent. Our goal is to collect 1000 lbs. If this goal is met, the Supreme Council will give the Strasburg KCs \$100.00 which the KCs would also donate to the food pantry. Boxes are in place in the middle entry way of the Sts. Peter and Paul Church in Strasburg.

First Communion will be held at the Sts. Peter and Paul Parish for the Strasburg and Hague First Communicants on Sunday, April 8th, at the 8:45 a.m. Mass. The First Communicants and their parents are required to meet at the Sts. Peter and Paul Church on Wednesday, April 4th, at 4 p.m. (One parent needs to attend but request both if possible.)

Fr. Benny will be celebrating his Silver Jubilee as a Priest on Wednesday, April 11th, starting with a Mass with Fr. Benny at 4 p.m., along with other area priests, at Sts. Peter and Paul Church in Strasburg, followed with a supper in the church basement. All our parish members from Strasburg, Hague, and St. Michael's are invited. If you plan on attending, please call Alice at the Strasburg Rectory—336-7172, by April 4th, so we can get a count for the meal. Please come and help Fr. Benny celebrate his very special day!

Liturgy Assignments

Sts Peter & Paul, Strasburg

Weekday Lector: Cil Van Beek

March 24th at 4:00 p.m.—(Palm Sunday Vigil) Saturday

Servers: Jennifer Keller, Jordyn & Katie Heidrich

Lector: Cil Van Beek & Jessa Heidrich

Head Usher: Andy & Mona Reis

Giftbearers: Bertha Holzer & Pat Horner

EMHCs: Lynette Keller & Carrie Heidrich

March 25th at 8:45 a.m.—Palm Sunday

Servers: Rebecca Wikenheiser, Mary Baumgartner, Jadyne Ternes

Lector: Leonard Weichel & Mark Mittleder

Head Usher: Jim & Irene Rohrich

Giftbearers: Jim & Irene Rohrich

EMHCs: Irene Rohrich & Joanne Ternes



St Mary, Hague

March 24th at 8:00 p.m.— (Palm Sunday Vigil) Saturday

Servers: Alexandra & Xavier Volk

Lector: Nancy Deis & Karen Keller

Head Usher: Dennis Hummel

EMCHs: Victoria Volk

Money Counters: Andy Hulm & Duane Wald



St. Michael, Rural Linton

March 25th at 11:00 a.m.— Palm Sunday

Servers: Raymond & Dean Vetter

Lector: Brian Leier & Marie Vetter

Giftbearers: Brian Leier & Kenny Schlosser

Sacristan: Jim Schmidt

Money Counters: Darius Aberle, Scott Jacob, Isadore Gross

Rosary: Isadore Gross

