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**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**  
 St. Anthony~NT Saturday 7:30 PM  
 St. Anthony~NT Sunday 8:30AM  
 St. Anthony~M Sunday 11:00AM  
 Confession 15 minutes before Mass  
 Pastor Fr. Roger A. Synek

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# CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY November 25, 2018

## MASS TIME

Weekend Schedule (See Header)

### WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

No daily Mass this week  
 November 24 ~ 30

### SAINT ANTHONY-MANDAREE

Come out and support our fundraisers!

**BREAKFAST, BINGO &  
 BASKET AUCTION**

Following Sunday Mass  
 November 25



### FIVE TO BE ORDAINED PERMANENT DEACONS

Five to be ordained permanent deacons Those currently completing their five years of formation are scheduled to be ordained on Friday, Nov. 30 by Bishop Kagan at the Cathedral of the Holy Spirit. The candidates and their wives are: Ben and Nadra Auch (St. Vincent's, Mott), Robert Bohn (St. Mary's, Richardton), Leonard and Kristi Krebs (Queen of Peace, Dickinson), John Paul and Grady Martin (Ascension, Bismarck) and Bob and Kim Nutsch (Christ the King, Mandan). These men are the 33rd class of permanent deacons to be ordained for the diocese. Please pray for these five men and their wives as they prepare to serve the people of the diocese.



### BAMBINELLI SUNDAY & CCD PROGRAM NEW TOWN DECEMBER 16<sup>th</sup>

The CCD students will be enacting the story of Bambinelli. The following information will tell you what Bambinellit is about.

On Gaudete Sunday the third Sunday of Advent, we will join in the Vatican tradition of blessing the people holding their Bamband their figurines of baby Jesus call We invite children and adults to bring their baby Jesus figures from the crib or their home Nativity set to Mass. Following the blessing, here's an idea...take your Bambinelli home, wrap it and place it under the tree. Or 'hide' the baby Jesus until Christmas morning. Then, let this be the first gift your family receives on Christmas, when together you place your Baby Jesus figure in the crib. It is sure to be a blessing for your entire family and a wonderful tradition for years to come.



**OUT OF THE OFFICE:** Fr. Roger will be on retreat from Monday, November 24 ~ November 30. Please continue to pray for Fr. Roger and all priests that will be on retreat these coming weeks. In case of a Sacramental Emergency please call Fr. Teji Thanipilly @ the following number (701)220-3059.



### BABY BOTTLE DRIVE TO SUPPORT DAKOTA HOPE CLINIC

Fill bottles with a check, cash, or coins! The goal is to raise money and provide services to young people in need. Your gifts will support health, wellness, and relationship education for young people facing unplanned circumstances in their lives. For more information about Dakota Hope Clinic check out their webpage: <https://dakotahope.org/wp/>



### SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING

God promised his people a king who would triumph over their enemies. Jesus is our King. In Baptism and Confirmation, we are brought under his kingship.

[www.stmichael-stpeter.org](http://www.stmichael-stpeter.org)

### FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION IS A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

People prepare themselves for this day by novenas (an act of devotion where a prayer is said for nine days) and nocturnal vigils. Special prayers and hymns are offered to the Virgin Mary. (Attached is the novena)



### HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION MASS SCHEDULE

Saint Anthony	New Town	Friday	Dec 7	7:30pm
Saint Anthony	New Town	Saturday	Dec 8	9:00am
Saint Anthony	Mandaree	Saturday	Dec 8	11:30am

### ASSUMPTION ABBEY CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> from 1:00 to 4:00 pm. Items being sold are fruit cake, assorted Abbey Breads, apple butter, pickled peppers, Table wine sales and tasting, large assortment Gift items including Soap, T-shirts, wine glasses, books, etc.



### SAINT ANTHONY~MANDAREE

Christmas Party December 9  
 Following 11:00am Mass  
 All are welcome and invited to attend.

**CELEBRATE ST. NICHOLAS' DAY:** St. Anthony of New Town and Mandaree will be celebrating St. Nicholas' Day on December 9th. There will be a special little treat for everyone. See attachment for more information on St. Nicholas' and different traditions throughout the world.



### CODE OF CONDUCT:

The "Diocese of Bismarck Code of Pastoral Conduct" is posted on the bulletin board in the foyer.

**MASS FOR GOD'S CHILDREN:** A Mass for God's Children will be offered at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 29 at St. Wenceslaus in Dickinson for all the children that God has called to His arms directly from the womb or from the care of his or her parents before adulthood. All are welcome to attend, please join us in praying for these children and their families. If you would like your child or family remembered in the program, and/or if your family would like to process a flower to the Mary statue to ask for her prayers for your child and family, register online at [bismarckdiocese.com/godschildren](http://bismarckdiocese.com/godschildren) or contact Christie at 864-354-5046 or [ccollins@bismarckdiocese.com](mailto:ccollins@bismarckdiocese.com)

**SEARCH:** Search for Christian Maturity is a weekend retreat experience sponsored by the Catholic Diocese of Bismarck. The weekends are for anyone of high school or college age (at least 15 years old). Search weekends are held at the Badlands Ministries Camp just south of Medora. Upcoming weekends for 2018~19 are: Nov. 30~Dec. 2; Jan. 11~13; March 8~10; and April 26~28. More information can be found at [www.bismarckdiocese.com/search1](http://www.bismarckdiocese.com/search1).

**NOT MARRIED IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?** Please call the parish (701) 627-4423 to make an appointment, to discuss the Church's teaching on marriage and the possibility of getting married in the Church. This also applies to those who want to learn more about seeking an annulment.

**ANNULMENTS:** (Declarations of Nullity): Video conferencing our tribunal staff is now available on a weekly basis to assist divorced Catholic and non-Catholic persons who may be seeking clarity and or an explanation about the annulment process. GoToMeeting is a confidential and secure way to conduct online interviews and meetings between a tribunal auditor and one interested in the annulment process. The purpose of the meeting would be to get a general overview of the basis for an annulment and to obtain the paperwork necessary to get the process started. For questions or to schedule an appointment, please call 701-204-7203 or toll free at 1-877-405-7435.

**MARCH FOR LIFE – ADDITIONAL SPOTS AVAILABLE!:** Because of the huge response for March for Life this year, the Diocese of Bismarck has added a second bus! We have re-opened registration for youth in grades 9-12 to sign up to attend this wonderful event, January 15-20, 2019. We have about 20 spots open, and registration will stay open until these spots are filled. Cost for youth to attend is only \$300 (includes everything but meals). A non-refundable, \$100 deposit is due at the time of registration (unless your parish is paying). For more information or to register visit [www.bismarckdiocese.com/march](http://www.bismarckdiocese.com/march)

**REAL PRESENCE RADIO FUNDRAISER:** Real Presence Radio will host Teresa Tomeo as keynote speaker at their annual fundraising banquet on Monday, Dec 3 in Bismarck. We invite you to join us! Teresa Tomeo is host of EWTN's "Catholic Connection" as well as a best selling author and print, radio, and television journalist with more than 30 years experience in media. For more information about the event, or to become a sponsor, host a table, or register to attend as a guest, call 877~795~0122 or email [jessyourcatholicradiostation.com](mailto:jessyourcatholicradiostation.com)



**THE BEST ADVENT EVER (FROM DYNAMIC CATHOLIC):** We prepare for everything we consider important in life. And that includes Christmas. We visit family and friends, bake cookies, decorate our trees, and shop for gifts until we're ready to drop. This year, prepare for Christmas in a different way. Join the Dynamic Catholic family for the BEST ADVENT EVER, a free email program from Dynamic Catholic that will help you slow down and focus on what matter most during the busy holiday season. Each day of Advent, you'll receive an email with: \* Short inspirational videos from Allen Hunt and Dominic Albano, with guest appearance from Matthew Kelly \* Practical tips for your everyday life \* Real life stories to encourage you in your faith journey. Plus, every Sunday during the program you'll receive a thought-provoking video reflection that will help you understand how the Gospel relates to your own life. To sign up, visit: [BestAdventEver.com/Christmas](http://BestAdventEver.com/Christmas)

**FIRST SUNDAY ADVENT, DECEMBER 2:** The Advent season marks the beginning of the Christian year in western Christianity. Its length varies from 22 to 28 days, beginning on the Sunday nearest the feast day of St. Andrew and encompassing the next three Sundays, ending on Christmas Day. [www.timeanddate.com](http://www.timeanddate.com) (see attachment)

**PRO-LIFE:** Those who favor euthanasia (mercy killing), speak of the 'right to die'. No one needs a right to die; it's a fact of life. What they really want is the right to kill. Pray to end abortion and euthanasia.

**ANNUNCIATION MONASTERY OBLATE ADVENT RETREAT:** Everyone is welcome to attend the Annunciation Monastery Oblate Advent Retreat on Sunday, Dec. 2 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. We will explore Mary's openness/receptiveness to God's grace. Ways we open ourselves to receive God's grace through prayer, meditating/reflecting on the Word of God, our thoughts, actions and deeds in responding to those we meet/encounter on any given day. How God's grace assists us in our faith journey. Session one will review of the Annunciation and Mary's openness and response to Gabriel's message. Session two examines how we open ourselves to God's messages. The retreat begins at 10 a.m., followed by Eucharistic Liturgy, a light lunch and the afternoon session. There is no fee to attend. Oblates are women and men of varied faith backgrounds who associate themselves with a monastery and live according to the Rule of St. Benedict as their state in life permits. Oblates are supported through relationships with the sisters, other oblates, monthly oblate meetings/reading materials. For more information, contact Sister Patricia Schap, oblate director, or Sister Rosemary DeGracia, assistant oblate director at 701-255-1520.

**STEWARSHIP SUMMARY:** Today's second reading reminds us that the sacrifice of Christ frees us from sin and makes us a royal nation of priest in the service of God. How am I using my gifts to serve God and others?

**STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT:** Jesus asks us to demonstrate our love for him through our generosity to others. In our everyday lives, he calls us to share our gifts of time, talent and treasure with others. Stocks and bonds, especially if appreciated in value over the years, can cost you a lot of capital gains taxes, but they can also make substantial gifts to St. Anthony. Consider such a gift in your Will.



**STEWARDSHIP**  
*Managing God's Gifts To Us*