

St. Leo's Bulletin 03.05.17

Weekly Collection

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| Yearly Budget | \$623,749.63 |
| YTD | 279,384.91 |
| February Goal | \$51,000.00 |
| MTD Collected | 47,141.55 |
| <i>Collections: February 262017</i> | |
| Adult | 8790.00 |
| Children's | 2.00 |
| Loose | 1930.00 |
| Total | 10782.00 |
| Rest. Loan | \$709,123.79 |

Vocation Views

During this time of fasting we may be tempted to go astray. Pray for the grace to follow the way that leads to life. (Matthew 4:1-11)

Stewardship Thought

Stewardship Thought: Jesus reminds us that material things, even something as basic as water, can never satisfy us for long. When we build our lives around material possessions we always want more. True satisfaction only comes when we follow Jesus.

African Mission Appeal

Bishop David D. Kagan has announced March 4-5 as the 2017 African Mission Appeal weekend in our diocese. This special appeal gives you the opportunity to join our Mission Team in ministering to our brothers and sisters in Africa by making a generous gift in two weeks. Deacon Brent and Jessica Naslund and their children, Cameron and Chloe, our missionaries, are currently living and working on our behalf in Kisii, Kenya, East Africa. You are invited to read the exciting articles in our **Kenya Connection** newsletter which is found inside the **Dakota Catholic Action** newspaper or follow them at <https://www.facebook.com/>



Baptisms

Sunday March 5th 2017

Abigail Kathleen Braunberger

Respect Life

For purity of heart: May God grant us the grace to love unselfishly and treat each person with respect; *We pray to the Lord:*

Some people in our society use language about the **right to die** to disguise a **right to kill** – to get the burdensome and inconvenient out of our way. No matter how frail they become, people are always children of God whose lives are valuable beyond measure beyond

Mass Intentions

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| Mon 3.06 | 8:00AM 8:30AM | Communion Service Adoration |
| Tues 3.07 | 8:00AM | + Duane Selfors |
| Wed 3.08 | 8:00AM 12:15PM | Dominic & Sarah Watts Private Intentions |
| Thur 3.09 | 8:00AM 12:15PM | +Bob McDonald Kathy Lapre |
| Fri 3.10 | 8:00AM 12:15PM | Souls in Purgatory Private Intentions |
| Sat. 3.11 | 4:00PM | +Lawrence Schmidt |
| Sun. 3.12 | 8:00AM 9:30AM 11:00AM | Quentin Weigel St. Leo's Restoration St. Leo's Parishioners |

Serra Club Meeting

The Serra Club of North Central North Dakota will have its monthly meeting Saturday, March 11, at Bishop Ryan Catholic School. The meeting begins at 9 a.m. with Mass in the school chapel. It continues with breakfast and a business meeting in the school library, Persons interested in knowing more about the Serra Club are welcome to attend. Serra Club members support seminarians, priests, sisters, and others with a religious vocation.

Knights Corner

- Interested in becoming a member of the Knights Of Columbus? Call Doug Presley at 701-240-7302
- Fellowship: Coffee, rolls, and orange Juice served from 8:30-11:00 on the Sunday's where breakfast aren't served. Stop down and meet your parish family.

Bishop Ryan †

Lot-O-Dough Calendar Winners:

Feb. 20 - 26, 2017 \$25 –Jim Ahmann, Lynn Leifson, Jaimie Brunner, Nathan Washek (won twice), Mike Massine, Aiden Zaback, all of Minot, Nigel Schmitz of Beulah, Colleen Beeter of Norwich, Tom Lundeen of Burlington, \$100 – Ella Bertsch, \$200 – Kathy Wentz, both of Minot. Congratulations to all the winners!

Registration for Little Lions Preschool at Bishop Ryan is now open!

For 2017-18, half-day classes (morning or afternoon) and full-day classes will be offered, starting in August. To register, children must be bathroom-trained and three-years-old by July 31, 2017, for the two-day and three-day half-day classes, or four-years-old by July 31, 2017, for the five-day half-day and full-day classes. Classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis and waitlists are kept for classes that are currently full. For more information, please call Jaimie at (701) 838-3355.

Bishop Ryan Prospective Student Day is coming up on Thursday, March 9th!

Students who are currently in grades 1-11 and interested in seeing what Bishop Ryan has to offer are invited to be part of this great event. Spend the day inside the school, meeting teachers and classmates and finding out what being a Lion is all about! Visiting students are invited to stay for the whole school day, 8am-3pm. For more information, to register by March 7th, or to make arrangements for a different visit day, please call Jaimie Brunner at (701) 838-3355.

Remember to use Scrip

for all your purchases of groceries, gas, household items, and as gifts. Scrip is sold in the Bishop Ryan administration office, at Little Flower, Our Lady of Grace, & St. John's Parish offices and after the weekend Masses at all four Catholic Churches.

EXTRA CONFESSION TIME

Bishop Kagan has asked that each parish have extra confession time on March 24, designated as a day of mercy in our diocese. Here at St. Leo's, we will have extra confession time that day from 7:30PM-9:30PM

Lenten Regulations:

The two days of Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence for Catholics who have reached the age of reason. Fasting is not required after the age of 59, but another form of penance should be substituted. Fasting means eating only the equivalent of two full meals instead of three and no snacking during the day. Abstinence means abstaining from all meats and meat products.

Pre-Marriage Seminar Help

Do you feel your marriage is a gift? Do you want to share that gift with those currently preparing for marriage. The Diocese of Bismarck Pre-Marriage Program is looking for couples who may want to share that gift by helping carry our Pre-Marriage Seminars. If you are interested in learning more about this opportunity please contact Tara Brooke at the Diocese of Bismarck. 701-204-7209 or tbrooke@bismarckdiocese.com

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during Lent at 7PM in the church.

12:15 Lenten Mass

We will also have a 12:15PM Mass Tuesday– Friday for the duration of lent.

KC FISH FRY

Friday, March 10th from 5:00-7:30PM at the KC Club. Serving: Fish, Scalloped Potatoes, Vegetables, Cole-slaw, Dinner Roll, and Dessert. Prices 11(years old) + \$10.00, ages 2 to 10 \$5.00.