

JANUARY 11TH, 2015

Baptism of the Lord

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Monday	8:00AM	Communion Service
January 12	8:30AM	Holy Hour
Tuesday	6:45AM	Angela Holter
January 13	8:00AM	+Duane Jacobson
	8:30AM	Holy Hour
Wednesday	6:45AM	Special Intention
January 14	8:00AM	+Con Koble
	8:30AM	Holy Hour
Thursday	6:45AM	+Marion Louise Baker Frost
January 15	8:00AM	+Irving Traiser
	8:30AM	Holy Hour
Friday	6:45AM	Special Intention
January 16	8:00AM	+Thomas Jensen
	8:30AM	Holy Hour
Saturday	9:30AM	+Mary Johnson
January 17	4:00PM	+Peter Kraft
Sunday	8:00AM	St. Leo's Parishioners
January 18	9:30AM	Daniel Pavlicek
	11:00AM	St. Leo's Restoration Project

WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

DAILY MASSES –Tuesday – Friday 6:45 am & 8am,
Saturdays at 9:30am

Rosary prayed at 7:45 a.m. – Tuesday - Friday

CONFESSIONS are heard at 7:30am Tuesday -
Friday; and Saturdays from 9 to 9:30am and 2:00
– 3:30pm and after Mass by request, or by
appointment.

Vocation Views:

Delight in God's call to you in baptism. What
grace do you need to strengthen your
commitment? Remember, God has set you as a
covenant to the people. (Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7)

Stewardship Corner:

Today we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord. The
US bishops' pastoral on stewardship reminds us
that Baptism gives all of His disciples a share in
His priestly work and calls them "to offer up the
world and all that is in it – especially themselves
– to the Lord of all."

July 1, 2014 June 30, 2015

Yearly Budget	\$ 623,749.63
Year to Date collected	248520.16
Jan. Goal	50,109.92
Month to date collected	11744.73
Collections: Thru Jan 4	
Adult.....	9829.01
Children.....	9.58
Loose	957.72
Total	11744.73
Building Restoration Cost	\$3,100,000.00
Building Restoration Loan Balance	\$ 946,709.79

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FUTURE PRIESTS:

Doug Krebs, Greg Luger, Jordan Dosch, Brandon
Wolf, Jared Wolf, Gregory Crane, Scott Lefor,
Greg Hilzendeger, Ben Franchuk, Paul Gardener,
Anthony Dukart, Joseph Golik, Mark Aune,
Christian Radakowski, Ian Kenny, Matthew
Koppinger, Jacob Degele, Zach Wald, Josh
Schaan Jacob Magnuson, Nicholas Vetter, Jacob
Markel and Benjamin Wanner If you are
considering a call to the priesthood, please call
Father Joshua Waltz at 701-471-5758.

Scrip

Everyone is encouraged to use Scrip gift cards
for all your purchases of groceries, gas,
household items, dining out, remodeling or
building, or as gifts. Using Scrip helps support
Bishop Ryan Catholic School and families for
their tuition. Scrip is available after the weekend
Parish Masses, in the Parish offices during office
hours, and at the Bishop Ryan business office.
Thank you to all of you who purchase Scrip.

Meetings and Events Calendar

Wednesday January 14th

CCD at Bishop Ryan

Sunday January 18th

KC Breakfast in the Church Basement

Monday January 19th from 1PM-6PM

Blood Drive at KC Club

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

St. Leo's – Mondays 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

St. John's – Holy Hour Fridays following 9 am

Mass to 10:30 am

Our Lady – Thursdays 9:30 am to Midnight

Lot-O-Dough Calendars

for \$25 are available for purchase. You still can get your name in the drawings which take place January through June. There are over 300 chances to win! Over \$15,000 will be given away. Calendars are available after the weekend Masses, in the parish offices & at Bishop Ryan Catholic School.

Catholic Daughters

will meet on Tuesday, January 13 at 7:30 PM at Our Lady of Grace church. Mass begins at 7:00 PM with the meeting immediately following Mass. A light lunch will be served during the meeting. All members are encouraged to attend and new members are welcome. Catholic Daughters is the largest origination of Catholic women in the world. Our Minot court, St. Elizabeth's # 170, is the oldest court in the state of North Dakota. It was organized over 100 years ago and includes women from all four Minot parishes and the surrounding area.

After the holidays--think about a tune up!

It might be time for some marriage maintenance! We would never expect a car to run smoothly forever without a tune-up, so why do we expect our marriage relationship to keep running smoothly without a little maintenance? The Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend gives married couples the tools to keep their relationship in top running condition. Save the date for the upcoming Marriage Encounter Weekend February 13-15th, 2015 at Blue Cloud Abbey in Marvin, SD. Call John and Dawn Elsinger at 605-362-0924 now to find out how to schedule your tune-up, or visit www.wwme.org.

PRAYER FOR PARISH PRIESTS

Dear Lord,

We pray that the Blessed Mother wrap her mantle around your priests and through her intercession strengthen them for their ministry.

We pray that Mary will guide your priests to follow her own words "Do whatever He tells you" (Jn 2:5)

May your priests have the heart of St. Joseph, Mary's most chaste spouse.

May the Blessed Mother's own pierced heart inspire them to embrace all who suffer at the foot of the cross.

May your priest be holy, filled with the fire of your love, seeking nothing, but your greater glory and the salvation of souls. Amen

Please Pray for

Michelle Duppong, Director of Adult Faith Formation for the Diocese, was diagnosed with Stage 4 colon cancer on Dec. 29, 2014. She is currently undergoing evaluation at the Methodist Hospital, connected to the network of Mayo Clinics in Rochester, Minn. Michelle and her family have requested prayers for healing through the intercession of Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati.

Confraternity of Christian Mothers

will meet on Tuesday, January 20th in the Church basement at 1PM

Knights Corner

- Fellowship after 8AM and 9:30 AM Masses
- January 15th, monthly meeting 6:40PM Rosary in Church, 7PM meeting in basement. Chili being served.
- January 18th Breakfast in Church basement from 8-12:30 benefiting the Dakota Hope Clinic. Please join us.
- January 19th Monday at the KC Club our KC Blood drive from 1PM-6PM
- contact Neil Zimmerman 701-721-7607 for info and times still available all are welcome.

ROME PILGRIMAGE

SEP. 24 – OCT. 6

The price for the complete land itinerary as detailed above is **\$3,090 U.S. per person**, double occupancy. This price does not include round-trip group airfare from Minot to Rome, for which we have a group rate of **\$1,396**. Thus the total cost of the pilgrimage, land + air, is **\$4,486**.

** The above price is based upon double occupancy in the hotel accommodations. The single supplement for those requesting a single room throughout the pilgrimage is **\$500 U.S.** We will gladly attempt to find roommates for those traveling alone, if there are other such pilgrims available and willing.

Making Your Own Arrangements for Airfare

Participants may use frequent flyer miles or secure their own airfare. However, if doing so results in variations of the flight itinerary, individuals may be responsible for their own transportation to and from the Italian arrival and departure airports.

To Reserve Space on the Pilgrimage

Reservations will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Space is limited. To reserve space on the pilgrimage, complete the reservation form and mail or deliver the form and your NON-REFUNDABLE deposit check in the amount of **\$500 on or before MARCH 1st** (made out to St. Leo's Catholic Church) to:

**St. Leo the Great Catholic Church
Rome Pilgrimage
218 1st St. SE
Minot, ND 58701**

If you have questions, feel free to contact Fr Justin Waltz at St. Leo's Parish or Fr. Joshua Ehli at fatherehli@gmail.com

Included Features:

- Mass offered daily
- A Penance Service at the trip's conclusion
- All transportation throughout Italy by private, air-conditioned motor coach
- All entrance fees and English-speaking guides as per itinerary
- Breakfast provided every day
- Lunches or dinners as listed in the itinerary with wine and mineral water provided at all meals
- Clean and comfortable accommodations with private bath
- All taxes, service charges, and standard tips/gratuities associated with the itinerary

• *Not included are passport fees, items of a personal nature, laundry, and meals not specified in the itinerary. Checked baggage will be limited to one piece per person, plus carry-on. Participants should be advised that a visit to Italy typically involves a good deal of walking. All U.S. citizens traveling to Europe require a passport valid at least 6 months after the dates of travel, and those without a passport are advised to apply for one immediately. U.S. citizens do not require a visa for travel to Italy, and non-citizens should check with their respective consulates. This program is planned in advance, and therefore circumstances beyond our control may require that some changes be made in the actual tour operations, such as a change in days of sightseeing, a substitution of some sight that may be closed for another sight, or the unforeseen cancellation of an event such as the Papal Audience. We reserve the right to vary the itinerary and substitute components of the tour program.*

**More information to come in next week's bulletin