

Mass Intentions

Weekly Collections

Monday February 22 2016	8:00AM 8:30AM	Communion Service Adoration
Tuesday February 23 2016	6:45AM 8:00AM 8:30AM 12:15PM	Jonathon Hill Heather Gates Holy Hour Erich & Aften Grant
Wednesday February 24 2016	6:45AM 8:00AM 8:30AM 12:15PM	Brian Levey +Fr. Gerald Ruelle Holy Hour Theresa Waltz
Thursday February 25 2016	6:45AM 8:00AM 8:30AM 12:15PM	Eric Evanson +Mary & Louis Bohl Holy Hour Karen Hager
Friday February 26 2016	6:45AM 8:00AM 8:30AM 12:15PM	Ann Bodiene Dennis Griffin Holy Hour Fr. Austin Vetter
Saturday February 27 2016	9:30AM 4:00PM	NO MASS +Cecilia Nilson
Sunday February 28 2016	8:00AM 9:30AM 11:00AM	George Bohl Family St. Leo's Parishioners St. Leo's Rest. Project

July 1, 2015—June 30, 2016	
Yearly Budget	\$ 623,749.63
Year to Date collected	255,048.22
February Goal	51,000.00
MTD Collected	<u>21,690.82</u>
Collections: February 14th 2016	
Adult	8886.83
Children	9.38
<u>Loose</u>	<u>1166.21</u>
Total	10,042.42
Rest. Loan Balance:	<u>763,123.79</u>
<u>Stewardship Thought:</u>	
Peter, James and John wanted to build a "booth" for Jesus and just stay on the mountain where His transfiguration took place. But the Son of God, the Chosen One, knew that He must instead keep moving toward His Crucifixion. We, too, must rise from worship and do what we can to hasten the coming of the Kingdom.	

13TH ANNUAL "HAVE A HEART" FOOD DRIVE TO BENEFIT LOCAL AREA PANTRIES AND SOUP KITCHENS.

Suggested Items

Rice, Pasta, Cereal (hot/cold), Soup, Canned Vegetables/Fruit, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Beans, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Baby Food, Diapers, Shampoo & Conditioner, Feminine Products, Deodorant, Lotion, Toilet Paper, Paper Towels, Dish Soap, Laundry Soap and Cleaning Products. Donations can be dropped off in the boxes in the back of the church.

Monetary donations can be sent to:

Minot Area Homeless Coalition
PO Box 1062, Minot, ND 58702

Stations of The Cross

Beginning Friday, February 19th at 7PM St. Leo's will be doing stations of the cross every Friday during lent.

Saturday, 9:30AM Daily Mass

There will be no Saturday daily mass until April 9th . Please pray for Fr. Antony to stay safe during his trip to India.

Women's retreat Feb. 27

Fr. Basil Atwell will speak on "The End of the World" at a Lenten retreat for women at St. Mary's Central High School in Bismarck on Saturday, Feb. 27 from 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Fr. Basil offers his perspective as a monk at Assumption Abbey in Richardton and currently as the pastor of St. Peter Church and St. Bernard Mission School in Fort Yates on the Standing Rock Reservation. The day includes Mass, breakfast and lunch, two talks, a question and answer period, confession, and Eucharistic Adoration. Registration by mail is \$25 if sent by Feb. 19 or \$30 after that date. Student registration is \$15. Mail registrations to: 708 1st Avenue NW, Mandan, ND 58554. For questions call Meikel Englehardt 391-2805 or Patti Armstrong 471-9633.

FOCCUS Training

Just a reminder that I do have a FOCCUS facilitator training coming up on Monday, March 7th. Registration is necessary for this event. I have had several people tell me that they have couples that need to be trained, but at this point there are not many registered for the training. Please go to www.bismarckdiocese.com/foccus and register those couples for your parish. The diocese will then bill the parish.

Men's retreat March 12

Tony Brandt and Chris Stewart from Casting Nets Ministries are the guest speakers at a men's Lenten retreat on Saturday, March 12 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Church of St. Anne in Bismarck. Casting Nets Ministries is a lay apostolate comprised of an experienced team of professional lay Catholic speakers and evangelists. Talks will focus on a man's relationship with God as Father, how that relates to them as earthly fathers and the importance of forgiveness, devotion to the Blessed Mother and friendships with other men of God. The day begins with Mass and includes breakfast and lunch along with time for private prayer in Eucharistic Adoration. Registration of \$25 can be mailed to Mike Bichler at 140 Telstar Dr., Bismarck, ND 58503. Contact Mike at michaelbichler6@gmail.com or 471-0985 with questions.

Ministry Schedule—February 27th & 28th

February 27th 4PM	February 28th 8AM	February 28th 9:30AM	February 28th 11:00AM
<u>Readers</u> Chris Morsfield 852-8133 Scott Johannsen 837-9768	<u>Readers</u> Confraternity of Christian Mothers	<u>Readers</u> Grace Fisher 852-3941 Jeri Grant 839-3999	<u>Readers</u> Floyd Roll 833-3715 Sam Creighton 720-2996
<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u> Joan Audet 838-0106 Chris Morsfield 852-8133 Scott Johannsen 837-9768 Jean Feist 852-6060 Barb Stredwick 838-9683 Pat Richter 838-4690	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u> Confraternity of Christian Mothers	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u> Grace Fisher 852-3941 Rick Halbert 852-8805 Neil Zimmerman 8370055 Don Grant 839-3999 Jeri Grant 839-3999 Dennis Griffin 838-2941 Jose Tarango 575494-1933	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u> Dustin Johns 720-9052 Floyd Roll 839-0922 Kari Berentson 838-4295 Carol Graves 838-9699 Ross Wilde Rick Morales 916-337-4963 Edward Edwards 340-2457
<u>Ushers:</u> Pat Richter 838-4690 Barb Stredwick 838-9683 Third Usher Position Open!!	<u>Ushers</u> George Bohl 838-6535 Elizabeth Ruelle 839-4365 Ed Meier 722-3367	<u>Ushers</u> Neil Zimmerman 837-0055 Verla Zimmerman 837-0055 Don Grant 839-3999	<u>Ushers</u> Dustin Johns 720-9052 Alton Graves 838-9699 Third Usher Position Open!!
<u>Set Up</u> Chris Morsfield 852-8133	<u>Set Up</u> Jean Feist 852-6060	<u>Set Up</u> Jean Feist 852-6060	<u>Set Up</u> Sam Creighton 720-2996



Little Flower Benefit Breakfast

Sunday, February 28th, 9:30 am to 1:00 pm Little Flower Parish Activity Center- Serving a variety of breakfast bakes, muffins, juice & coffee. Co-hosted by the Parish Hospitality Committee and Christian Women's Confraternity. Freewill offering will benefit Bob McDonald who continues to receive medical treatments following his back injury last October.

All are welcome!

Black and Indian Mission:

The purpose of this National Church Collection is to assist needy parishes in the United States that minister to our Black and/or Indian sisters and brothers. Each year, the Diocese of Bismarck applies for a pass-through grant from the National Black and Indian Mission. The diocese does not keep any of the grant funds received, but instead, passes those grant funds to the needy parishes that serve our Indian sisters and brothers in western North Dakota. Typically, the Diocese of Bismarck receives 3 to 4 times MORE in grant funds than what we send to the national office for this collection. We will be doing a second collection for the Black and Indian Mission this weekend, February 20th & 21st.

February 21, 2016: 2nd Sunday of Lent

Are you listening to Jesus, the Chosen One? What is he revealing to you? Let his message dwell in your heart. (Luke 9:28-36)

24 Hours of Mercy

The church will be open for 24 hours through 5 p.m. on March 5 with many priests from the diocese available to hear confessions. Adoration of our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament will also be taking place during this time. The event is part of the pope's Lenten initiative in honor of the Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING (NFP)

Classes will be Monday, February 22, from 6:30-8:30 pm in the Our Lady of Grace Dining room. Please contact Scott or Jen Johannsen at 837-9768 for more information.

Knights Corner:

- ◇ Fellowship this Sunday after the 8 am and 9:30 am Masses. Support our Seminarians.
- ◇ Major Degree Sunday February 28th at the KC Club on Broadway. 1st Degree starting at 12 noon, 2nd Degree at 1 pm and 3rd Degree at 2 pm. Please come ½ before degree to get signed in.
- ◇ If you are interested in joining the Knights of Columbus, please call Steve 818-8819.
- ◇ Brother Knights as we move to end of our year, we are looking for a Treasurer for our council.
- ◇ If you want to be more involved with the Knights and have some bookkeeping and are interested please contact Steve 818-8819.

Carnival Time!

The Bishop Ryan Carnival is taking place this weekend. Saturday is German Night from 5 – 8pm, Sunday is the Turkey Dinner from 11am – 5pm. Meal prices Saturday's meal is \$12 for adults & \$5 for age 12 & under. Sunday's dinner is \$10 for adults & \$5 for age 12 & under. Saturday includes the Midway games, Bingo, & Boutique. Sunday there's Bingo in the afternoon & the Grand Prize drawings at 5pm.

Registration for Little Lions Preschool for 2016-17 at Bishop Ryan is now open!

Half-day classes (morning or afternoon) meet two days, three days or five days a week starting in August, and this year, we're introducing a full-day five-day class . To register, children must be bathroom-trained and three years old by July 31, 2016 for the two-day and three-day classes or four years old by July 31, 2016 for the five-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.

Scrip:

Remember to use Scrip gift cards to pay for all your purchases of groceries, gas, household items, dining out, remodeling or building, or as gifts. The Scrip Program is such an easy way to help support our school. You're shopping anyway for groceries, filling gas, eating out, buying household supplies, and the list goes on - why not use Scrip? By using Scrip, you're not at risk for credit card fraud. Scrip is sold in the Bishop Ryan administration office, at Little Flower, Our Lady of Grace, & St. John's Parish offices and after theirs and St. Leo's weekend Masses.

Lot-O-Dough Calendar Winners:

Feb. 8 - 14, 2016: \$25 – Tom Jundt, Kate Holzer, Matthew Rubbelke, Steve Streitz, Kim Burckhard, Diane Edwards, all of Minot, Harold Wald of Norwich, Chuck Kasper of IL, Ryan Giesinger of AZ, Brock Green of FL, \$100 – Lexi Klein, \$200 – Kyle Erck, both of Minot. Congratulations to all the winners!

Grayson Bahl Leukemia Fund

As most of you know back in September, Grayson Bahl, former BRCS Student, and long time member of St. Leo's was diagnosed with Acute Myeloid Leukemia at age 19.

The Bahls have been faced more than their fair share of hardships in their lives, as Grayson's father Mark passed away in 2014 from Brain Cancer.

Father Waltz, along with the rest of St. Leo's are asking you to take part of your day to read about Grayson's story, and donate whatever you can to help this family with medical expenses. You can visit stleosminot.org and donate to the Medical Fund and read about Grayson's journey on our front page .

African Mission Appeal

Bishop David D. Kagan has announced March 5th-6th as the 2016 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 sister in Africa by making a generous gift in two weeks. Brent and Jessica Naslund and their children, Cameron and Chloe, our missionaries are currently living and working on our behalf in Kissii, 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. It contains interesting news and pictures of our mission team in action, You are also encouraged to follow our missionaries in action at

www.facebook.com/BismarckCatholicMission

Our Parish Office

Open 8:00AM-3:30PM	Monday—Thursday
Open 8:00AM-12:00PM	Friday
Business Office	701-838-1026
Religious Education	701-838-1027
Email	church.stleos@midconetwork.com
Website	Stleosminot.org
Facebook	Facebook.com/stleosminot
Twitter	@Stleoschurch

St. Leo The Great Staff

Pastor	Fr. Justin Waltz
Parochial Vicar	Fr. Jady Nelson
Deacon	Deacon Lloyd Krueger
Finance Manager	Brian Rodgers
Business Manager	Sarah Perry
Director of Religious Ed	Carmela Seright
Sacramental Director	Carmela Seright
Serving Scheduler	Monica Olson
Stewardship Coordinator	Sarah Perry

Weekly Mass Schedule

DAILY MASSES –Tuesday – Friday at 6:45AM, 8:00AM & 12:15PM

Weekend Masses– Saturday at 4:00PM

Sunday's at 8:00AM, 9:30AM, and 11:00AM

Sacrament of Baptism

Please call Carmela at 701-838-1027 or e-mail her at carmela.stleos@midconetwork.com. All new parents are required to have a pre-baptismal meeting with our deacon.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please call Carmela at 701-838-1027 or e-mail her at carmela.stleos@midconetwork.com to make arrangements for your wedding at least 6 months in advance.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday– Friday at 7:30AM

Saturdays from 2:00PM– 3:30PM

Sundays after all Masses.

Also by request or appointment.

RCIA for Adults

Please call or e-mail Fr. Justin Waltz at 701-838-1026, or church.stleos@midconetwork.com to sign up or ask questions about converting to Catholicism. Classes begin in September and end in April of each year.

Rosary

Prayed Tuesday– Friday at 6:45AM

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 until 7:30AM Friday

Little Flower— Wednesdays After 8:00 a.m. Mass until 8:00 pm.

Scrip

Scrip will be sold after all the weekend Masses. Scrip will not be sold in the St. Leo's business office. If you have questions about The Scrip Program please call Jen Jundt at 701-721-2239 or Elaine Benson at 701-838-3355

St. Leo's Soup Kitchen

Mondays from 5:30PM– 6:30PM in the church basement. For questions, donations and volunteer opportunities please call 701-838-1618 Mondays between 3:00PM and 8PM.

St. Vincent de Paul Society

SVDP is made up of Catholics from every parish in Minot. They can help with spiritual guidance, home visits and occasionally financial hardships. They can be reached at 701-833-1269

Bishop Ryan Catholic School

Enrollment	Jamie Brunner	701-838-3355
President	Fr. Jady Nelson	
Principal	Mr. Chase Lee	
Principal	Mrs. Tanya Steckler	