



Saint John the Evangelist Sacred Heart - Oakwood

1515 Western Ave

Grafton ND 58237

Transfiguration of the Lord

August 6, 2017

Mission Statement

St. John the Evangelist Parish is a Catholic Community of believers who worship God and share faith with others through welcoming, encouraging, sharing, reconciling, being faithful, praying and healing in Jesus' name.

Eucharist Schedule

Saturdays: 5:00 p.m. - St. John's
Sundays: 7:30 a.m. - Oakwood
9:30 a.m. - St. John's
11:30 a.m. - St. John's - Spanish

Reconciliation

Saturdays: 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.
Sundays: 7:10 a.m. - Oakwood
9:00 - 9:15 a.m.

Adoration – Thursday, 5-10 p.m.

Parish Office: 352-1648

Fr. Tim's Cell phone - 520-0838

Fax number: 352-1608

Parish Kitchen: 352-0499

Pastor: Fr. Tim Schroeder

Deacon/Pastoral Minister:

Rev. Mr. Michael Grzadzielewski

Administrative Assist to the Pastor/

LSTC Coordinator: Rose Marie Kerner

Faith Formation/Music: Brent Hermans

Office Manager: Beverly Dolan

Parish Maintenance: Paul Bina

Parish Lay Directors: Bryan Hurst,
Linda Schumacher.

Pastoral Council: Leanne Campbell,
David Demester, Mary (John) Dusek,
Mary (Tom) Dusek, Jesse Forster,
Monica Gorder, Paul Houdek, Nancy
Miller, Todd Morgan, Christopher
Quinamot, Micky Schumacher, Al
Szklański, Marta Balderas - Hispanic
Ministry Liaison.

Finance Council: Rita Amiot, Russ
Carignan, Linda Schumacher, Bryan
Hurst, JoAnn Lizakowski, Kathy Maus,
Stacey Van Bruggen.

Baptism Prep Classes - Second
Thursday - 7 p.m. in the Gathering Space.
Call 352-1648 to register.

FORMED: Youth and Adult Faith
Formation at formed.org. Parish Access
code: PNWMV2

Bulletin - find it at: stjohnsgrafton.com

Emails: Fr. Tim at
timothy.schroeder@fargodiocese.org
Bev at bev.stjohns@midconetwork.com

Need a ride to church? Call Frank
Janousek at 352-1567 or Jim Kosmatka at
352-3089.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Sunday, August 6, 1-3 p.m..
Please join us for some or all of this time of prayer.

Pregnancy Help Center - 30th Anniversary Celebration – Sunday, August 6, from 2 - 4 p.m. at the Park River PHC (Hwy 17 and Kensington). We wish to thank you for your tremendous support in helping us serve moms, babies and families for 30 years. We would love to see you!

Maker Fun Factory Vacation Bible School: Begins on Monday, August 7, ending Thursday, August 10. This is a VBS for kids who have completed K.- 5th grade and will run from 6 - 8:30 p.m. each day. Contact the Parish Office at 352-1648 or Nancy at 701-520-0134 to register .

Piano Talk Concerts featuring Brent Hermans: 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. Remaining dates for the summer are: August 8 (Why Are We Doing Questionable Music?), and August 22 (Live at Isidore's Nightclub). Refreshments...Free Will Offering.

Haiti Committee Meeting: Tuesday, August 15, at 6 p.m. in the rectory. All are welcome.

Putt 4 a Purpose - Golf Event – Bishop Folda invites you to the 11th Annual Bishop's Charity Golf Classic, benefitting Seminarian Education and Youth Programs – Monday, August 7, at Rose Creek Golf course in south Fargo. Join the fun and fellowship for a round of golf, dinner and prizes. For further information, please contact Steve Schons in the Stewardship and Development Office, 701-356-7926/ steve.schons@fargodiocese.org.

Faith Formation – (Starting Sept. 20) We are in need of teachers for afternoon and evening classes for grades 1 and 4 plus a team teacher for the evening grade 6 class. Please call Rose Marie (520-0591) or Brent (520-2680) or the Parish Office (352-1648) if you are able to help.

FORMED – Formation Begins at the Font – REBORN - You, Your Child and the Heart of Baptism. When it comes to spiritual life, Baptism is just the beginning. REBORN prepares you to support your loved one's faith long after the rite is over, bringing depth and beauty of Baptism to life with cinematic artistry, an original score and captivating teachers like Edward Sri and Tim Gray. Check it out on FORMED.



In last week's Gospel we hear Jesus say, "Then every scribe who has been instructed in the kingdom of heaven is like the head of a household who brings from his storeroom both the new and the old" (Matthew 13:52). Now in this week in Matthew 17 we get a glimpse of the new that is coming in Jesus, the glorified body, the resurrection. But the two greatest figures of the "Old Covenant" Moses representing the Law because tradition has it that he wrote the first five books of the Bible and Elijah, the greatest prophet of the Old Testament. They are conversing with Jesus showing us that he is one with them. They are one with him. Jesus is to what everything was leading up. Another point about this gospel is the obvious fact that Jesus is talking to two people who were not walking the earth at that time. They had already died or gone directly to heaven like Elijah did in the flaming chariot. This passage gives support for our talking or "praying" to the Saints. God gives us this community of saints living and deceased to help us on the way. Hopefully, our statement in the creed, "we believe in the communion of Saints will take on more meaning as our lives continue.

Vacation Bible School begins on Monday, 6-8:30 p.m. and runs through Thursday. I want to encourage parents to send their children who have completed grades K-5 this past year. This will be a time to learn about their faith and how to see God all around them in their daily lives. There is still time to register. Call the parish office at 352-1648 or Nancy at 520-0134.

Eucharist & Intentions

Saturday, August 5

5:00 p.m. – Mike Staffne +

Sunday, August 6

7:30 a.m. – Oakwood – Alan Collette +

9:30 a.m. – Percy & Agnes Davis +

11:30 a.m. – Mass in Spanish – Parishioners

Monday, August 7

5:15 p.m. – James Greenwood +

Tuesday, August 8

5:15 p.m. – Mona Szklarski +

Wednesday, August 9

10:15 a.m. – Sunset – John & Mollie Landrigan +

Thursday, August 10

9:00 a.m. – Jim Houska +

1:45 p.m. – LSTC – Msgr Joseph Huebech +

Friday, August 11

9:00 a.m. – Henry & Matilda Stoltman +

Saturday, August 12

5:00 p.m. – Joseph & Victoria Rolcgynski +

Sunday, August 13

7:30 a.m. – Oakwood – Frances Seeba +

9:30 a.m. – Parishioners

11:30 a.m. – Mass in Spanish – Fr. James Jeffrey +

Prayers for the Sick: Policy for St. John's and Sacred

Heart Requests run for 3 consecutive weeks: Dorothy Rudnik, Kathy Ruzicka, Mike Tweten, Mike Callahan, Mary Ann Sevigny, Caroline Dvorak, Don & Jane Osowski, Earl Mondry, DeAnn Pich Holness, Jennifer Osowski, Adelaide Dvorak, Brian & Deanne Pilon, Diana Dominguez, Hope Reis, Sister Rose Sevigny, Gary Littlefield, Michelle Collette Donarski, Barbara Donelan, Diane Lee, Tom Hartje, David Moe, Roger Amiot, Suzanne Burns, Ramona Latraille, Betty Littlefield, Kevin Hoenke, Frances Boulduc, Connie McCarty, Adly Galle Jaehning.

Right to Life

Commenting on the undercover videos of Planned Parenthood employees' discussing the sale of fetal parts, Jeanne Monahan-Mancini, president of March for life, stated: "The thing with abortion is, it's very much in the dark. It's a very violent kind of thing. The great gift (of the Planned Parenthood undercover videos) is bringing into light what happens behind closed doors. It was just so clear that there was a lack of respect for these little babies. There were objects, objects for material gain." Florida Catholic 01/08/16

Prayer – That we may carefully listen to God's beloved Son when making life or death decisions.

Unplanned Pregnancy – call 701-284-6601

Saint Gianna's Shrine – Saint Gianna's Maternity Home in Warsaw is hosting a special day of visitation on Saturday, August 19 from 9-11 a.m.. There will be Mass in the Gianna Home Chapel at 8 a.m. also. You are invited to come and visit the shrine, pray and venerate the relics of Saint Gianna.

Ministry	August 12	August 13	August 19	August 20
August Eucharistic Ministers	5:00 P.M. Plate: Mary Bailly, Patricia Kram Chalice: Carol Bina, Doris Dahlgren, Mike Such, Sheila Trontvet 9:30 A.M. Plate: Greg Dusek, Mary Dusek, Amy Lynn Suda Chalice: Greg Campbell, John Dusek, Donald Suda, Dean Woinarowicz			
Proclaimers	Linda Restemayer	JoAnn Lizakowski	Michael Such	Tony Mayer
Altar Servers	Matt Houska Chris Fehr	Tyler Mayer Robert Parsons Smallbeck boys.	Chris Fehr Matt Houska	Sydney Suda Josie Suda Paige Suda
Greeters	Paul & Sandi Houdek Mary (Tom) Dusek	Jon Jelinek Family Christine Bjorneby	Doug & Susan Kirkeby Betty Feltman	Vicki Midgarden Doris Dahlgren Delores Novak
Money Counters		Paul Bina Jim Kosmatka		Bev Dolan

† STEWARDSHIP ☒

**Let us honor God with our first fruits
rather than the leftovers.**

July 30, 2017 \$ 2,901.55

Given in 2017

\$ 185,906.89		\$355,000.00
\$ 76,413.00	God's Gift Appeal 95%	\$ 80,740.00
\$ 619,446.39	Sowing Seeds Campaign	\$741,989.00
\$ 370.00	Kitchen	
\$ 1,000.00	Window	
\$ 20.00	Jail Ministry	
\$ 1,600.00	Unrestricted	
\$ 115.00	Adoration Chapel	
\$ 20.00	Music	
\$ 2,980.00	Haiti School	
\$ 20.00	Parish Center Floor	
\$ 20.00	Media Upgrade	

Memorials

John & Mollie Landrigan	\$ 20.00	Music
Beverly O'Connor	\$ 30.00	Unrestricted
Frances Seeba	\$ 20.00	Cemetery Oakwood

Stewardship Moment – *“And he was transfigured before them; his face shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light.”* Matthew 17:2

Just as the moon reflects the light of the sun, we should reflect Christ's light to the world. When we receive the Eucharist, the body and blood of Jesus, we are called to be supernatural to reflect His love, mercy and forgiveness to others. When we are grateful for all that God has given us, generosity flows through us because we are made in God's image.

61st Annual Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of

the Prairies: Sunday, August 13, Carmel of Mary Monastery, Wahpeton ND: 2 p.m. - Guest Speaker (Father Peter Anderl), 3 p.m. - Rosary and Confessions, 5 p.m. - Holy Mass (Celebrant - Most Reverend John T Folda, Bishop of Fargo), 6 p.m. - Picnic. For more information contact or visit the Monastery at carmelwahpeton@gmail.com or www.carmelofmary.org.

Thank you!

* from The National Child Safety Council and the Walsh County Sheriff's Office for supporting the Child Safety Education Programs in Walsh County. Your generosity will help our local law enforcement to distribute materials to a larger number of children.
 * from Mental Health America of North Dakota for your continued support in helping those in need in our state. ~ Carlotta McCleary, Executive Director
 * from Saint Gianna's Maternity Home - Thank you for helping us to welcome God's precious little ones here at Saint Gianna's. May He bless you for your commitment. ~ Susan

Sacred Heart - Oakwood

Sunday, August 13, 2017

Proclaimer: Peter French

August Cleaning: Group 3

Collection: 7/30/2017 \$ 542.00

Year 2017 \$18,264.01

God's Gift Goal: \$ 8,301.00

Year to Date: 103 % \$ 8,570.00

Lay Directors:

Dennis LeClerc, Lori Cyr

Pastoral/Finance Council: Susan

Suda, Cindy Collette, Mark Gourde,

Lee Osowski, Bobby Osowski.