



**St. Stanislaus Parish**  
Warsaw, ND  
Est. 1900

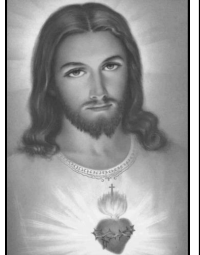
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**April 2, 2017**  
**Fifth Sunday of Lent**

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**Sacred Heart Parish**  
Minto, ND  
Est. 1905

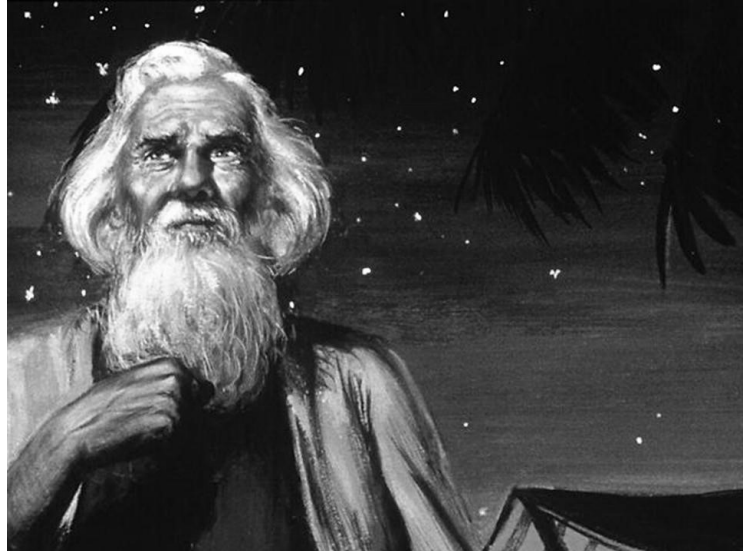
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**Pope Francis**

An Excerpt from the General Audience  
St. Peter's Square  
Wednesday, 29 March 2017

Dear Brothers and Sisters: In the chapter from the Letter to Romans that opened today's Audience, Saint Paul presents Abraham not only as our father in faith, but also as our father in hope. Paul tells us that Abraham put his faith in the God who gives life to the dead, who calls all things into being. Hoping against hope, he trusted in God's promise that, despite his old age and that of Sarah his wife, he would become the father of many nations. In Abraham, we see the close bond existing between faith and hope. Abraham's hope in God's promises was fulfilled in the birth of his son Isaac, and, in the fullness of time, in the "many nations" gathered into a new humanity set free from sin and death by the power of Christ's resurrection.



Faith teaches us, in fact, to hope against hope by putting our own trust in God's word even at those times when hope seems humanly impossible. In our Lenten journey to Easter, may we be confirmed in faith and hope, and show ourselves children of Abraham by accepting the promise of new life given us in the Lord's resurrection.

(To read more, go to [http://w2.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/audiences/2017/documents/papa-francesco\\_20170329\\_udienza-generale.html](http://w2.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/audiences/2017/documents/papa-francesco_20170329_udienza-generale.html))

**DAILY MASS IN WARSAW:** Masses in Warsaw will be celebrated by Fr. Joseph Christensen Mon.-Sat. at 8:00am at St. Gianna's Maternity Home Chapel. Confession is before daily Mass from 7:45-7:55am.

**MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday	April 1	5:00 pm (Minto)	+ Peter & Dorothy Kilichowski by family.	
Sunday	April 2	8:30 am (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	<b>5th Sunday of Lent</b>
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Sylvester Narlock by PNA.	
		4:00pm (Warsaw)	<b>Lenten confessions.</b>	
Monday	April 3	7:00 pm (Minto)	+ Leonard "Rocky" Gruchalla by Robert & Doreen Gruchala.	
Tuesday	April 4	8:00 am (Minto)	Special Intention by Earl & Anne Mondry.	<i>St. Isidore, Bishop &amp; Doctor of the Church</i>
Wednesday	April 5	8:00 am (Minto)	For the health of Wayne Jiskra by Don & Susan Barclay.	<i>St. Vincent Ferrer, Priest</i>
Thursday	April 6	8:00 am (Minto)	Living & deceased members of the Sacred Heart Altar Society.	
Friday	April 7	7:30 am (Minto)	+ Bryan Grabanski by Merlyn & Dolores Grabanski.	<i>St. John Baptist de la Salle, Priest</i> <b>First Friday of the Month</b> <b>Abstinence-Fridays of Lent</b>
No Stations of the Cross in Minto or Warsaw because of <b>Confirmation and First Holy Communion, 6:00pm, April 7, St. Stanislaus Church, Warsaw.</b>				
Saturday	April 8	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Msgr. Joseph Huebsch.	
		5:00 pm (Minto)	+ Martin Altendorf by Charleen Altendorf.	
Sunday	April 9	8:30 am (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	<b>Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord</b>
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Wyatt Feltman by Mark & Sheila Vandal.	

**CONFESSIONS** Sat. 3:45-4:55 pm (Minto), 1/2 hour before weekday Mass, & anytime... just call.  
Also Confession Time: 1/2 hour before Sunday Masses.

**WEEKLY OFFERING** March 26, 2017: **Minto** = \$1,583 **Warsaw** = \$1,488

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## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

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**MINTO: Saturday, April 8: Altar Servers:** Jack Kennedy. **Lector:** John Mozinski & Irene Evenson.

**Ushers:** Lenny Schanilec and Michael Wysocki. **Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:** Intinction with the Precious Blood.

**Sunday, April 9: Altar Servers:** Volunteer needed. **Lector:** Keith Zikmund & Rod Schanilec.

**Ushers:** Donald Rudnik and George Kozel. **Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:** Intinction with the Precious Blood.

**WARSAW: Sunday, April 2: Altar Servers:** Joachim Kazmierczak, Jaxon Sands, Ben Gudajtes. **Lector:** Tony Gudajtes.

**Ushers:** Rodney Risky and Steven Schuster. **Gift Bearers:** Trevor & Brittany Slominski and family.

**Sunday, April 9: Altar Servers:** James Plutowski, Dominic & Damian Bushaw, Connor Gerszewski. **Lector:** Tony Gudajtes & Mary Beth

Feltman. **Ushers:** Rodney Risky & Steven Schuster. **Gift Bearers:** First Holy Communion children.

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## ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE: Holy Thursday: Warsaw—7:00pm. Minto—7:00pm. Good Friday: Warsaw—1:00pm. Minto—7:00pm.**

**Holy Saturday: Warsaw—8:30pm. Minto—8:30pm.**

**THE 2017 ANNUAL GOD'S GIFT APPEAL**— "Let the Church Always be a Place of Mercy". Thank you to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2017 God's Gift Appeal. If you have not yet made a gift to the God's Gift Appeal, we invite you to do so today. Every dollar raised to help make our goal supports important diocesan services. Please be as generous as possible with your pledge. The goal for Sacred Heart is \$25,193 with paid pledges of \$15,615 as of Mar. 30. The goal for St. Stanislaus is \$17,863 with paid pledges of \$8,649 as of Mar. 30.

**LENTEN CONFESSIONS:** Sun., **April 2, 4:00pm** at St. Stanislaus Church, Warsaw.

**EASTER FLOWERS:** If you would like to make a donation for Easter flowers in memory of a loved one or in your own name, please place the info and donation in an envelope, mark which parish it is for, and put it into the collection basket or mail it to the parish office, PO Box 316, Minto, ND 58261.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES** on Wed., **April 5.** Grades K-2 and 4-8 will have classes from 6:15-7:30pm at St. Stanislaus in Warsaw. On **April 5** at 6:30pm Grade 3 and their sponsors from our parishes and the surrounding parishes will be having practice for Confirmation & First Holy Communion at St. Stanislaus, Warsaw. Grades 9-12 will have classes at 7:00pm at Sacred Heart in Minto.

**CONFIRMATION & FIRST COMMUNION** for the surrounding area parishes will be on **Fri., April 7, 6:00pm** at **St. Stanislaus Church, Warsaw.**

Parish celebrations will be at Mass on Sunday, **April 9**, at Sacred Heart Church and at St. Stanislaus Church.

**THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC YOUTH EXTRAVAGANZA** will be happening in Grafton, ND at St. John the Evangelist's Catholic Church, 344-15<sup>th</sup> Street West on Saturday, **April 29.** This event is for students in grades 6 through 12. Keynote speaker is Nic Davidson, known for his comedy-style speaking at the Steubenville conferences. We have two workshop tracks planned, one for High School students and one for Middle School students. Get your 3 on 3 basketball teams ready for a tournament at the Grafton Armory, register them with your other registrations. The 3 on 3 basketball teams must be registered and will be accepted on a first come first serve registration. There will also be a dance in the evening. Price is \$35/student and \$15/chaperone. Please have one chaperone for every 8 students participating. **Deadline** for students to register with their parish is Wednesday, **April 12.** Absolute deadline for parishes to register online at <http://www.fargodiocese.org/annualcatholicyouthextravaganza> is Wednesday, **April 19.** Talk to your pastor, DRE, or Youth Minister for more information and how to register for this special day!

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR — YOUNG DISCIPLES CAMP** at Sacred Heart Church, Minto, **July 10-14** for students who have completed grades K-6.

**WOMEN OF GRACE** on Thursday, **April 6, at 7:15 PM** in the Sacred Heart Church Auditorium, Minto. We are using Jeff Cavins' DVD series on Paul's letter to the Galatians. "Galatians is a study that will re-ignite your love for God as you learn about the astonishing love that God has for you". No homework! There are 8 lessons. Call Joan at 360-2499 if questions. ALL are welcome to attend. Bring a friend!

**WOMEN'S CURSILLO GROUPING** on the 1st Thurs. of the month. Next meeting on **April 6**, after WOG's by Mary's altar, Sacred Heart Church, Minto.

**OPERATION RICE BOWL — ENCOUNTER RESILIENCE:** Please pick up a "Rice Bowl" with attached Lenten calendar from the back of the church, make a donation, and return the "Rice Bowl" to the church after Easter. Using the Lenten calendar, we encounter Dita in Ethiopia and see how her newfound entrepreneurial skills are providing three meals a day for her children—even during a devastating drought. What skills have you discovered this Lent that can be put to good use in building God's kingdom? Visit [csrcicebowl.org](http://csrcicebowl.org) for more information.

**MOTHER DAUGHTER DAYS** will be held **August 17-19** at St. Francis Convent in Hankinson, North Dakota. This is an opportunity for mothers and their daughters to get away, spend some special time together, grow in their faith, and even have a little fun. They join the Sisters for prayer, Mass, meals, and story sharing. If you're interested, please call Sr. Jean Louise at [701-208-1245](tel:701-208-1245) or email [ndfranciscan@yahoo.com](mailto:ndfranciscan@yahoo.com) before August 1.

**25TH ANNUAL "OLD-FASHIONED SPAGHETTI DINNER"** Sun., **April 2, noon to 6:00pm**, Holy Family Catholic Church Social Hall, 1018 18th Ave. S., Grand Forks. Free will offering. **All** proceeds donated to help those less fortunate.

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**THANK YOU** for the following donations: **Sacred Heart Cemetery:** In memory of **Matthew, Mary, Isaac, & Maxmillian Nice** by Jan Altendorf.

**St. John the Baptist Cemetery:** From Arnold Korynta. **Easter Flowers:** In memory of **Mae Korynta and Leona Korczak** by Ray & Kathy Korynta. In memory of **Raymond Rudnik** by Henry Rudnik. In memory of **Lyle Mondry & Raymond Rudnik** by Mary Mondry. In memory of **Pete & Dorothy Kilichowski** by family.

**SACRED HEART CHOIR PRACTICE** Tuesday, **April 4, 7:00pm.** New members are always welcome.

**PARISH CELEBRATION** in honor of the Confirmation/First Communion students will be on Sunday, **April 9**, at the 8:30am Mass at Sacred Heart in Minto. An **eggbake breakfast** provided by the Sacred Heart Altar Society will follow the Mass. (No charge; no free will.) Menu: eggbake, fruit, muffins, quick breads, juice, coffee. All parishioners, relatives, friends, and guests are invited to come downstairs after Mass for the breakfast in honor of the Confirmation/First Communion students. All are welcome!

**LENTEN FOOD PANTRY DRIVE** from Ash Wednesday until Palm Sunday (**April 9**) at Sacred Heart, Minto, for the Walsh County Food Pantry. All kinds of non-perishable food items and non-food items are needed. No open packages or outdated items please. Please put items in the area where the Giving Tree is set up at Christmas time. Items will be taken to the Food Pantry on Monday, April 10.

**SACRED HEART PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** Mon., **April 10**, in the Sacred Heart Church basement at approximately 7:30pm (after the 7:00pm Mass).

**SACRED HEART ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING** Mon., **April 17, 7:00pm**, church basement. All members are encouraged to attend. Note date change from our regular second Monday of the month.

**MARCH CHURCH CLEANING: Lead Family: Rod & Joan Schanilec.** Jane Evenson, Kurt & Jennifer Kelley, Lane Kelley, John & Lynette Kennedy, Dale Korynta, Mathew Korynta, Tyler & Janesa Narloch, Vern Schreiner, Louie Slominski, Sr.

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## WARSAW

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**THANK YOU** for the following donations: **Easter Flowers:** In memory of **Johnny & Martha Rudnik** by Henry Rudnik and by Mary Mondry.

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE WOOD REMNANTS FROM THE BELL TOWER,** contact Roger Feltman.

**ST. STANISLAUS PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** Tuesday, **April 11, 7:00pm** in the St. Stanislaus Church basement.

**DIVINE MERCY BREAKFAST** 9:00am to 1:00pm. Sunday, **April 23**, St. Stanislaus Church, Warsaw. Menu: Langdon sausage, scrambled eggs, pancakes, fruit, coffee, and juice. Free will offering. **Bake sale too.** Everyone is welcome!

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## DIVINE MERCY ADORATION CHAPEL

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**OPEN HOLY HOUR** on Sundays at 2:00pm. You may call Joan Schanilec at 701-360-2499 if you are able to take this holy hour.