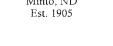


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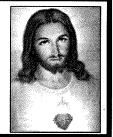
August 21, 2022

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Gateway to Life: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus doesn't answer the question put to Him in this Sunday's Gospel. It profits us nothing to speculate on how many will be saved. What we need to know is what He tells us today—how to enter into salvation and how urgent it is to strive now, before the Master closes the door.

Jesus is "the narrow gate," the only way of salvation, the path by which all must travel to enter the kingdom of the Father. In Jesus, God has come—as He promises in this week's First Reading—to gather nations of every language, to reveal to them His glory.

Eating and drinking with them, teaching in their

streets, Jesus in the Gospel is slowly making His way to Jerusalem. There, Isaiah's vision will be fulfilled: On the holy mountain He will be lifted up, and He will draw to Himself brethren from among all the nations to worship in the heavenly Jerusalem, to glorify Him for His kindness, as we sing in today's Psalm.

In God's plan, the kingdom was proclaimed first to the Israelites and last to the Gentiles, who in the Church have come from the earth's four corners to make up the new people of God.

Many, however, will lose their place at the heavenly table, Jesus warns. Refusing to accept His narrow way they will weaken, rendering themselves unknown to the Father.

We don't want to be numbered among those of drooping hands and weak knees. So, we must strive for that narrow gate, a way of hardship and suffering—the way of the beloved Son.

As this week's Epistle reminds us, by our trials we know we are truly God's sons and daughters. We are being disciplined by our afflictions, strengthened to walk that straight and narrow path—that we may enter the gate and take our place at the banquet of the righteous.

https://stpaulcenter.com/audio/sunday-bible-reflections/gateway-to-life-scott-hahn-reflects-on-the-twenty-first-sunday-in-ordinary-time/



			MASS SCHEDULE	
Saturday	August 20	5:00 pm (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	
Sunday	August 21	8:30 am (Minto)	+ Herman & Evie Schanilec by Rod & Joan Schanilec.	Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Evelyn T. Feltman by Polish National Alliance Lodge No. 3043.	·
Monday	August 22		No Monday morning Mass in Minto.	The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Tuesday	August 23	7:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Frances Kazmierczak by Louis W. Zola.	St. Rose of Lima, Virgin
Wednesday	August 24	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Ernie Misialek by Theresa Lutovsky & Paulette Moberg.	St. Bartholomew, Apostle
Thursday	August 25	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Leona Schuster by Sacred Heart Society of Warsaw.	St. Louis; St. Joseph Calasanz, Priest
Friday	August 26	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Paul Spoonland by Jan Altendorf.	
Saturday	August 27	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Janice Wysocki by Nathan & Sara Riskey.	St. Monica
		5:00 pm (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	
Sunday	August 28	8:30 am (Minto)	+ Fred & Arlene Mondry by Daniel & Stacey Gaustad.	Twenty-second Sunday
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Kathy Gudajtes by Rod & Joan Schanilec.	in Ordinary Time

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 August 14, 2022: Warsaw = \$697.Minto = \$4,984.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

MINTO: Saturday, August 27: Altar Servers: Volunteer needed. Lector: Lynette Kennedy. Sunday, August 28: Altar Servers: Jack & Bennett Kennedy. Lector: Tim Mondry.

WARSAW: Sunday, August 21: Altar Servers: Joseph Vandal. Lector: James Kerian.

Sunday, August 28: Altar Servers: Gabe Gudajtes. Lector: James Kerian.

ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>TUESDAY MORNING MASS</u>: A request for a weekday Mass in Warsaw was made last February. Since then, several parishioners in Warsaw have expressed an interest in having a weekday Mass each week in their parish. Beginning on Tuesday, **August 16**, the Tuesday morning Mass is transferring from Minto to Warsaw. The new Mass time will be **7:30am**. The schedule for the remaining daily Masses in Minto will remain as it is.

<u>GOD'S GIFT APPEAL:</u> Thanks to all our parishioners for their 2022 God's Gift Appeal donations. Sacred Heart is 71.71% towards its goal of \$30,742 and St. Stanislaus is 71.08% towards its goal of \$21,625. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out the commitment card you received in the mail or one of the commitment cards located in the back of the church and return it in the collection basket or mail it to the Diocese of Fargo. Please participate in the support of our diocesan church.

DONATIONS ARE NEEDED FOR OUR CEMETERIES: The mowing season is still here and the cemeteries are in need of funds. Any memorial or donation will be greatly appreciated.

COPING WITH LIFE ALONE, a ten-week support program for those who have suffered the loss of a spouse through death, divorce or separation, will begin Tuesday, September 20, 2022, and continue on each Tuesday through November 22. Each session will be held from 6:30pm to 8:30pm at St. Michael's Pastoral Center in Grand Forks, 418 N 6th St. (across the street from the church). For more information or to preregister, text or call or email Monsignor Daniel Pilon at 701-361-2051 / daniel.pilon@fargodiocese.org. This program is sponsored by Beginning Experience of Eastern North Dakota. To cover the cost of a booklet and other resources, we do ask for a contribution of \$45. Scholarships are available for anyone unable to afford this contribution.

REDEEMED EUCHARISTIC CONFERENCE: September 23-24, 2022, at Delta by Marriott, Fargo. Cost: \$50 for early registration, \$75 after Sept. 5. The early registration discount for the Redeemed Eucharistic Conference ends Monday, September 5. The Conference will feature presentations by Bishop Andrew Cozzens, Msgr. James Shea, Sr. Miriam James Heidland, and Dr. Mary Healy. Have your faith built up through powerful encounters with the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist during Mass with Bishop Folda, a Eucharistic Holy Hour with music provided by Aly Aleigha, and a Eucharistic healing service. In addition to all this, there will also be the rare opportunity to view the relics of Blessed Carlo Acutis and Saint Manuel Garcia. Be sure to reserve your spot at the Delta Hotel in Fargo on September 23 and 24 for the Redeemed Eucharistic Conference. Register online at fargodiocese.org/redeemed or use the registration form attached to the bulletin.

WOMEN'S RETREAT: SPIRITUALITY OF ST. THERESE, THE LITTLE FLOWER: October 7-9, 2022, at the Franciscan Retreat Center, 102 6th St. SE, Hankinson, ND. Cost: \$250. Ashley Njaa will lead women on a 3-day retreat using the spirituality and teachings of St. Therese of Lisieux. Ashley completed her Master's Thesis on St. Therese and has traveled to Lisieux, France. She will be joined by Fr. Jayson Miller, who will be the spiritual director. The retreat begins Friday, October 7, with registration at 6:00pm and concludes with lunch at noon Sunday, October 9. For more info or to register, go to fargodiocese.org/evangelization-retreats-workshops.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT—AUGUST 21, 2022 - Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time: "For behold, some are last who will be first and some are first who will be last." LUKE 13:30 Our cultural standards are different from God's standards. We often rank people by what they have, how powerful they are, or how successful they are. Jesus reminds us that God will not judge us by the same earthly standards. When God asks you, "What have you done with the gifts I have given you?" How will you respond?

<u>CLASSICAL DESSERTS ENCORE:</u> Dr. Jay Hershberger and Dr. Gregory Hamilton return to St. Edward's Church in Drayton for a recital on Sunday, **September 18**, 3:00 pm. The music of Beethoven, Chausson, & Miaskovsky will be performed followed by a dessert buffet of German, French, and Russian pastry. Freewill offering. Proceeds will go to the St. Edward's Building Fund.

<u>FALL DINNER:</u> St. Jude's, Thompson, Sept. 11, 12:00 noon-5:00pm. Menu: Turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes & gravy, green beans, buns, cranberries, garden vegetables, pumpkin dessert. Adults and for all take-outs \$13.00, children ages 6-12 \$8.00, children 5 and under \$5.00. Bake sale too. Handicapped accessible. Everyone is welcome!

<u>CHICKEN & MEATBALL DINNER:</u> St. Mary's, 3rd Ave South and Belmont Road, Grand Forks, Sept. 25, 11:30am-2:30pm. Menu: Chicken, dressing, meatballs, potatoes, gravy, green beans, coleslaw, rolls, dessert. Adults \$15.00, children 5-10 \$8.00, children 4 & under free. Carry-out meals available. Everyone is welcome!

FALL DINNER: Sacred Heart, Minto, Nov. 6, 11:00am-2:00pm at the Minto Community Center. Handicapped accessible. Menu: Ham, meatballs, mashed potatoes & gravy, sauerkraut & pork, carrots, coleslaw, dinner rolls, pies, desserts. Adults \$13.00, children ages 6-12 \$6.00, children 5 and under free. Take-outs available. Quilt/Cash raffle. Mini-Raffle. Bake sale. Everyone is welcome!

MINTO

12TH ANNUAL MINI-RAFFLE to be held on Sun., Nov. 6 at the Sacred Heart Church Fall Dinner at the Minto Community Center. Donations for new items only are requested. Items can be for men, women, or children. If you do crafts or woodworking; if you knit, crochet, embroider, or sew; or if you would like to purchase an item or a gift certificate and would like to donate the item for the mini-raffle, please call Mary Mondry at 248-3795. Items can be dropped off now or as soon as possible, but please call first. All kinds of items are needed. Deadline to drop off items is Oct. 28. Donations received after the Oct. 28 deadline will be held over for a future mini-raffle. Suggestions for the mini-raffle: toys, games, puzzles, CD's, DVD's, books, kitchen items, seasonal decorations, knick-knacks, religious articles, winter scarves and mittens, tools, towels, pillowcases, aprons, gift baskets, jewelry, gift certificates. Your help is needed to make the mini-raffle a success.

<u>AUGUST CHURCH CLEANING:</u> Lead: Julie Nice. Sid & Judy Dvorak, Irene Evenson, Craig & Julie Nice, Sam & Angie Shutt, Mike Wysocki.

WARSAW

<u>AUGUST CHURCH CLEANING:</u> Lead: Eric & Mary Stanislowski. Jimmy Barta & Breanna Riskey Barta, Todd Burianek, David Gerszewski, John & Kris Riskey.

DIVINE MERCY ADORATION CHAPEL

<u>ADORERS ARE NEEDED</u> for the following Holy Hours in the Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel: Mondays at 8:00 p.m. and Fridays at 4:00 pm. Please contact Joan at 360-2499 if you are able to take one of these open hours on a part-time or full-time basis.