



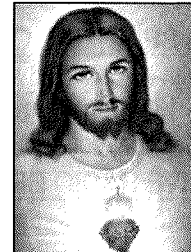
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POPE FRANCIS—ANGELUS

St. Peter's Square—Sunday 12 July 2020

Dear Brothers and Sisters, good day! In this Sunday's Gospel passage (cf. Mt 13:1-23), Jesus tells a great crowd the Parable - which we all know well - of the Sower, who casts seed over four different types of terrain. The Word of God, symbolized by the seeds is not an abstract Word, but is Christ himself, the Word of the Father who became flesh in Mary's womb. Therefore, embracing the Word of God means embracing the personage of Christ; of Christ Himself. There are many ways to receive the Word of God. We may do so like a path, where birds immediately come and eat the seeds. This would be distraction, a great danger of our time. Beset by lots of small talk, by many ideologies, by continuous opportunities to be distracted inside and outside the home, we can lose our zest for silence, for reflection, for dialogue with the Lord, such that we risk losing our faith, not receiving the Word of God, as we are seeing everything, distracted by everything, by worldly things.



Another possibility: we may receive the Word of God like rocky ground, with little soil. There the seeds spring up quickly, but they soon wither away, because they are unable to sink roots to any depth. This is the image of those who receive the Word of God with momentary enthusiasm, though it remains superficial; it does not assimilate the Word of God. In this way, at the first difficulty, such as a discomfort or disturbance of life, that still-feeble faith dissolves, as the seed withers that falls among the rocks.

Again - a third possibility that of which Jesus speaks in the parable - we may receive the Word of God like ground where thorny bushes grow. And the thorns are the deceit of wealth, of success, of worldly concerns... There, the word grows a little, but becomes choked, it is not strong, and it dies or does not bear fruit.

Lastly - the fourth possibility - we may receive it like good soil. Here, and only here the seed takes root and bears fruit. The seed fallen upon this fertile soil represents those who hear the Word, embrace it, safeguard it in their heart and put it into practice in everyday life.

(To read more, go to http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/angelus/2020/documents/papa-francesco_angelus_20200712.html)

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	July 18	5:00 pm (Minto)	+ Alvin Evenson by Jane Evenson.	
Sunday	July 19	8:30 am (Minto)	+ Mary Jean Altendorf by Jan Altendorf.	Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	For all parishioners of Warsaw & Minto.	
Monday	July 20	_____	No Monday morning Masses in Minto.	<i>St. Apollinaris, Bishop & Martyr</i>
Tuesday	July 21	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Joyce Gerszewski by John & Kris Risky.	<i>St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest & Doctor of the Church</i>
Wednesday	July 22	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Richard Stoltman by Betty Feltman.	<i>St. Mary Magdalene</i>
Thursday	July 23	8:00 am (Minto)	For health & prayers for my children & grandchildren by Harold Zola.	<i>St. Bridget, Religious</i>
Friday	July 24	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Susan Gudajtes by John Gudajtes.	<i>St. Sharbel Makhluf, Priest</i>
		2:00 pm (Minto)	+ Funeral for Paul Lunski.	
Saturday	July 25	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Earl Mondry by Anne Mondry.	<i>St. James, Apostle</i>
		5:00 pm (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	
Sunday	July 26	8:30 am (Minto)	+ David Slominski by Rod & Joan Schanilec.	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Rose Schumacher by Harold Zola.	

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.

Confessions in Minto will be in the confessional area & confessions in Warsaw will be in one of the classrooms in the church basement.

WEEKLY OFFERING July 12, 2020: **Minto** = \$4,104 **Warsaw** = \$1,704

ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

A SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITY FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES: Help your son/daughter to develop a personal relationship with the Blessed Virgin Mary and consecrate their life to Her. Fr. Moen is providing a free book to families after the Masses on **July 18 & 19** or upon request. **Preparation begins July 20** and continues for 33 days with a short reading, reflection, and prayer each day. The consecration to Mary is scheduled for the Queenship of Mary at the 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Stanislaus in Warsaw on **Sat., Aug. 22**.

LIVE RADIO BROADCAST: Fr. Moen, Fr. Eppler (Grafton), and Fr. Lefor (Pisek) will be doing a live radio broadcast from **Beaver's Café on Thursday, July 30, from 9:00-11:00 a.m.** The broadcast will be heard on 1370 AM Real Presence Radio.

FR. MOEN WILL BE POSTING THE WEEKEND MASS after 6pm on Saturdays at "Sacred Heart and St. Stanislaus Catholic Churches" Facebook page. Also Fr. Moen has recorded a Holy Hour in the Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel. You can watch it on the parishes' Facebook page or go to the parishes' website www.sh-ss.org

FOR THOSE OF YOU who are able to make a weekly contribution to the church, please mail it to the parish office, PO Box 316, Minto ND 58261; drop it off at the parish office, or put it in the weekend collection basket.

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

REAL PRESENCE RADIO is streaming Daily Mass live Monday through Friday at 9:00am CT on our [Facebook](#) and [YouTube](#) channels with many of our local priests. If you can't join us during that time, please check out our [website](#) for a listing of other times that you can virtually partake in the Mass. Sunday Mass will be broadcast at 7:00am & 10:30am CT on Real Presence Radio. Please check out our [News page](#) for a listing of cancellations and other opportunities to celebrate the Mass.

HOLY LAND OLIVE WOOD CARVINGS—A message from Jane Alatrash: The coronavirus pandemic has forced thousands of pilgrims to leave the Holy Land. The streets of Bethlehem and Jerusalem have been empty for quite some time. The cancellation of pilgrimages is having serious repercussions for many Christian families. In the past, when the Holy Land experienced wartime conditions, some people managed to temporarily find an economic niche outside of tourism. However, the pandemic measures, having affected all business sectors including the olive wood industry, has forced everything to shut down. Even we as the Holy Land Crafts & Pilgrimage group are unable to lend them a hand during this difficult time because of the closures here in the U.S. Because our visit to your parish this year is unpredictable, we humbly ask you to visit our website WWW.HOLYLANDCRAFTS.NET and browse through the beautiful hand carved religious items. We value your support through these unprecedented times. May God bless you & keep you safe.

CATECHIST RETREAT: Friday, August 7, Lake Metigoshe Ministries or Friday, August 28, Maryvale, Valley City. Fr. Andrew Jasinski will direct a retreat with a series of talks reflecting on the presence of Christ in this time of fear and uncertainty. These retreats are primarily for those involved in catechesis, however, all are welcome. The day will begin at **9:00am** and end at **4:00pm**. **Deadline to register for the Lake Metigoshe retreat is Friday, July 31, and for the Valley City retreat, Wednesday, Aug 19.** Please register on-line at <https://www.fargodiocese.org/catretreat>. Any questions, please contact mary.hanbury@fargodiocese.org. 701-356-7909.

YOUTH INVITED TO MARCH FOR LIFE: Youth in grades 9–12 from the Diocese of Fargo are invited to a pilgrimage to the annual March for Life in Washington D.C. 2021. The trip will begin in Fargo on **Jan. 25 and return Jan. 31**. Father Greg Haman will be the spiritual director. In addition to participating in the March for Life and Mass for Life at the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception, youth will also see the sights in D.C., Emmitsburg, Md; and Gettysburg, Pa. The cost for the 7-day pilgrimage is \$800 and includes air and ground transportation, lodging, meals, and tour fees. Spaces go fast, so register today! To obtain a registration form, visit <https://www.fargodiocese.org/march-for-life>.

REAL PRESENCE RADIO JOB OPENING: Are you excited about what Real Presence Radio is doing with media in the new evangelization and have experience or education in communications or media? Real Presence Radio is now accepting applications for the full-time position of Director of Programming. Be a part of this faith filled effort to draw souls to Christ through radio and digital media! For a job description or to apply, please email Brittany@realpresenceradio.com or call 877-795-0122.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT—JULY 19, 2020—16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: "The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a man who sowed good seed in his field...He who sows good seed is the Son of Man, the field is the world, the good seed the children of the kingdom." - MATTHEW 13:24, 37-38 As children of God, we are all "good seeds". We are blessed by God with the potential to accomplish much good in the world. We fulfill God's plan when we spend time in prayer every day, use our skills to help others, and share our financial gifts to help build God's kingdom on earth. Through our example of gratitude and generosity, we sow "good seeds" on earth and ultimately help each other get to Heaven!

MINTO

CONGRATULATIONS to Aria Marie Nelson, daughter of Brandon & Britany (Sass) Nelson, who was baptized on Saturday, July 11, 2020, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Minto.

THANK YOU for the following donations: **St. John the Baptist Cemetery:** From Deb Slominski. In memory of **Violet Theis** by Donald & Bonnie Riske.

SACRED HEART PARISH COUNCIL MEETING Tuesday, **July 28**, 7:00 p.m., in the church basement.

SACRED HEART ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING Monday, **Aug. 10**, 7:00 p.m., in the church basement.

JULY CHURCH CLEANING: Lead: **Susan Barclay**. Sid & Judy Dvorak, Justin Hefta, Mary Mach, Lenny Schanilec, Sharon Sobolik, Mark & Mary Tweten.

WARSAW

THANK YOU to the Collette family for donating the decorative landscape rock on the south side of the church in memory of Vivian Collette-Secrist. We are grateful to Jay Gudajtes, Roger Feltman, and Dale Collette for the resources and labor provided by them and their employees.

ST. STANISLAUS PARISH COUNCIL MEETING Monday, **July 27**, 7:00 p.m., in the church basement.

DIVINE MERCY ADORATION CHAPEL

RENOVATION WORK ON THE ADORATION CHAPEL began on May 1st. The heating and electrical work is now complete. The excess heating pipes were removed from the south wall. The lighting was changed and now has a dimmer feature. The wall texturing and painting has been completed also. We will be installing new tile and carpet and trim boards. The tabernacle altar, monstrance, chairs, and books will all stay the same. Progress is going well and on a steady basis. As soon as the Chapel renovation is complete, Eucharistic Adoration will resume!