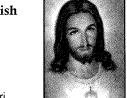


St. Stanislaus Parish Warsaw, ND Est. 1900

June 30, 2024

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacred Heart Parish Minto, ND Est. 1905



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Arise!: Scott Hahn Reflects on Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

God, who formed us in His imperishable image, did not intend for us to die, we hear in today's First Reading. Death entered the world through the devil's envy and Adam and Eve's sin; as a result, we are all bound to die.

But in the moving story in today's Gospel, we see Jesus liberate a little girl from the possession of death.

On one level, Mark is recounting an event that led the disciples to understand Jesus' authority and power over even the final enemy, death. On another level, however, this episode is written to strengthen our hope that we too will be roised from the dead, along with all our loved ones who sleep in C

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Jesus commands the girl to "Arise!"—using the same Greek word used to describe His own resurrection. And the consoling message of today's Gospel is that Jesus is the resurrection and the life. If we believe in Him, even though we die, we will live.

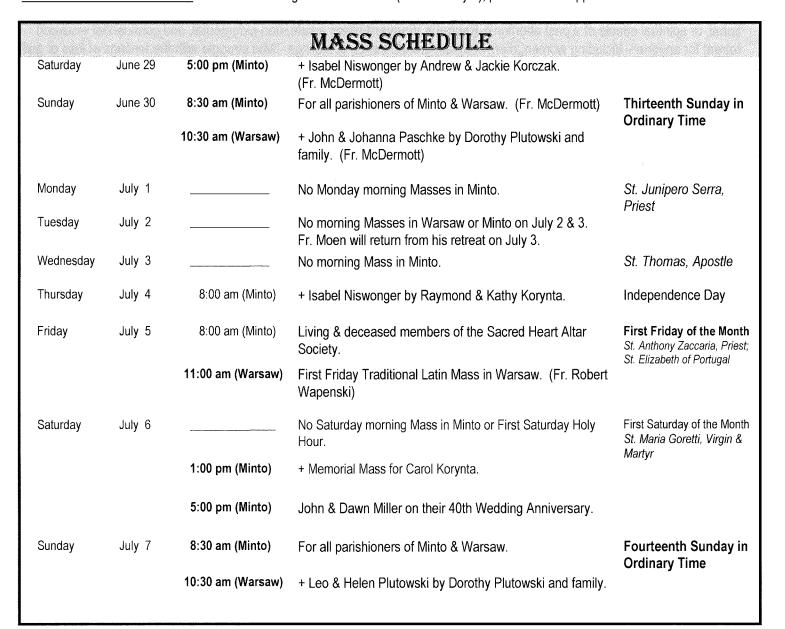
We are called to have the same faith as the parents in the Gospel today—praying for our loved ones, trusting in Jesus' promise that even death cannot keep us apart. Notice the parents follow Him even though those in their own house tell them there is no hope, and even though others ridicule Jesus' claim that the dead have only fallen asleep.

Already in Baptism, we've been raised to new life in Christ. And the Eucharist, like the food given to the little girl today, is the pledge that He will raise us on the last day.

We should rejoice, as we sing in today's Psalm, that He has brought us up from the netherworld, the pit of death. And, as Paul exhorts in today's Epistle, we should offer our lives in thanksgiving for this gracious act, imitating Christ in our love and generosity for others.

https://stpaulcenter.com/audio/sunday-bible-reflections/arise-scott-hahn-reflects-on-the-thirteenth-sunday-in-ordinary-time/

IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY while Fr. Moen is gone for his retreat (June 25-July 3), please call Fr. Eppler in Grafton at 314-750-8937.



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 June 23, 2024: **Minto** = \$1,335. **Warsaw** = \$2,140.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

MINTO: Saturday, July 6: Altar Servers: Jack Lane & Jacob Hefta. Lector: Irene Evenson.

Sunday, July 7: Altar Servers: Adin Kilichowski, Solomon Schanilec, Luke Sobolik. Lector: Ann Mondry.

WARSAW: Sunday, June 30: Altar Servers: James Vandal & Edmund Sweeney. Lector: Mark Vandal. Sunday, July 7: Altar Servers: Joseph Vandal & John Paul Kerian. Lector: Jason Plutowski.

ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

WILL YOUR CHILD BE IN KINDERGARTEN IN THE FALL OF 2024? If yes, please let the parish office know. We will be ordering Kindergarten Religious Ed. books very soon. If you have a child who was born in 2018 or 2019 and could be in Kindergarten in the fall, please let the parish office know at 248-3589 with a definite yes or no as soon as possible. Thank you for your help with this matter. You may also email your response to sacredheartminto@hotmail.com.

GOD'S GIFT APPEAL 2024: If you have not yet completed your God's Gift card, please prayerfully make your pledge and return the envelope in the collection basket or mail it directly to Fargo. Extra commitment cards are located in the back of the church by the bulletins. As of June 21 Sacred Heart was 65.39% towards its goal of \$35,271 with 33.94% participation and St. Stanislaus was 45.52% towards its goal of \$26,167 with 37.93% participation. It is important for all of us to participate in order to support our diocesan church.

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.

REDEEMED EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS: Bishop Folda invites the people of the Diocese of Fargo to join him at the Jamestown Civic Center on Sept. 6-7 for the Redeemed Eucharistic Congress. This two-day Eucharistic event will serve as the local diocesan launch of the National Eucharistic Revival's Year of Mission. An impressive slate of speakers such as Dr. Scott Hahn, Julianne Stanz, and Msgr. Thomas Richter will usher us deep into an encounter with Our Eucharistic Lord so that we can bring Jesus Christ out into the world. In addition to powerful presentations, the Congress will begin with a Eucharistic procession from St. James Basilica to the Jamestown Civic Center and will feature Holy Mass with Bishop Folda, Eucharistic Adoration, opportunities for confession, and a Eucharistic healing service. This is a chance for the people of our diocese to come together in worship of Christ the Lord as we beg for an outpouring of grace and renewal in our area. You can secure your place at this historic event by visiting www.fargodiocese.org/redeemed. (The deadline for the early registration discount ends August 1, so be sure to claim your spot now.)

RACHEL VINYARD RETREAT: HOPE AND HEALING - Have you or someone you know suffered from the physical, emotional, or spiritual effects of a past abortion? Rachel's Vineyard offers a safe, non-judgmental, and confidential weekend retreat for anyone – including women, men, couples, grandparents, or siblings - who struggle with the feelings of loss or guilt that can accompany an abortion experience. The weekend begins on Friday evening and concludes on Sunday afternoon. The next Rachel's Vineyard Retreat in the Diocese of Fargo is scheduled for **September 13-15**. For more information, contact Ruth at 701-219-3941, rruch68@gmail.com or Sherry at 701-520-1229. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

MINTO THURSDAY NIGHT COOKOUTS! Join the fun on Harvey Avenue (Main Street) on Thursday nights in Minto from 5:00-7:00 p.m. from now through August 8. Menu: hamburgers, brats, hotdogs, condiments, beans, sauerkraut, chips, lemonade, and ice cream. All proceeds go to local groups and organizations. Free-will offering. (Suggested: \$10 for adults and \$5 for youth.) To-go meals are available. Host organization on Thurs., July 11, is Knox Presbyterian Church. Everyone is welcome! There will be no cookout on the 4th of July.

ALL ARE WELCOME to the 102nd Anniversary of the Frank Marynik Wayside Cross! – Please join us there for prayer and celebration! Sunday, July 28, following the 10:30am Mass at St. Stanislaus Church in Warsaw. 12 noon Rosary at the Frank Marynik Wayside Cross (directions below). Picnic to follow - Please bring lawn chairs (food will be provided, including some Polish!). Free will offering for Wayside Cross maintenance and picnic food & supplies. Directions from Warsaw: 5 miles east to County Road 2, 2 miles north, and 1/4 mile east to end of the road. Please RSVP - Call or text to Mary at 218-790-1584 by Sunday, July 21, to plan for food count. Thanks! Adorned with an iron statue of the crucified Christ, this wooden wayside cross was inspired in 1922 by Frank Marynik, whose wife was Angeline (Perkerewicz) Marynik. After he shared his experiences with others, a group of his neighbors undertook and completed the original construction and installation of the outdoor shrine. By these actions, they all showed their love of Jesus and their commitments to His teachings. Roadside shrines are a tradition that came over with Polish immigrants as a sign of their dedication of their lands and lives to God!

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THANK YOU to everyone who helped at our first Burger Night on the main street of Minto, on Thursday, June 27. We had a wonderful crew of workers. The food was delicious and a special thanks to everyone who brought in the extra salads. We served 105 people. The grillers and the servers in the food line went above and beyond as it started to sprinkle. It was as successful as could be considering that the rain forced us to close down early!

ROLLS AFTER MASS will be served on Sunday, July 14, after the 8:30 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart Church, Minto. Menu: pastries, fruit, juice, and coffee. Free will offering. Sponsored by the Sacred Heart Altar Society. Everyone is welcome!

JULY CHURCH CLEANING: Lead person: Jennifer Lindenberger. Susan Barclay, Doreen Gruchala, Justin Hefta, Scott & Jennifer Lindenberger, Mary Mach, Ryan & Jessica Sobolik, Sharon Sobolik, Mark & Mary Tweten.

<u>WARSAW</u>

<u>JULY CHURCH CLEANING:</u> Lead: Lee & Sheila Czapiewski. Larry Czapiewski, Kathy Walski, Scott Walski, George Wosick.