



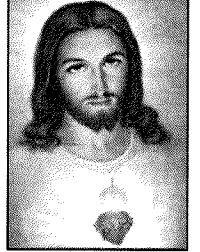
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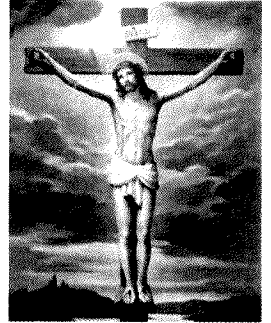
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An Excerpt from Darkness at Noon: Dr. Scott Hahn Reflects on Passion Sunday

Crowned with thorns, our Lord is lifted up on the Cross, where He dies as "King of the Jews." Notice how many times He is called "king" in today's Gospel—mostly in scorn and mockery. As we hear the long accounts of His Passion, at every turn we must remind ourselves—He suffered this cruel and unusual violence for us.

He is the Suffering Servant foretold by Isaiah in today's First Reading. He reenacts the agony described in today's Psalm, and even dies with the first words of that Psalm on His lips. Listen carefully for the echoes of this Psalm throughout today's Gospel—as Jesus is beaten, His hands and feet are pierced; as His enemies gamble for His clothes, wagging their heads, mocking His faith in God's love, His faith that God will deliver Him.

Are we that much different from our Lord's tormenters? Often, don't we deny that He is King, refusing to obey His only commands that we love Him and one another? Don't we render Him mock tribute, pay Him lip service with our half-hearted devotions? (To read more, go to <https://stpaulcenter.com/audio/sunday-bible-reflections/darkness-at-noon-scott-hahn-reflects-on-passion-sunday/>)



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	Mar. 27	5:00 pm (Minto)	+ David Slominski by Deb Slominski & family.	
Palm Sunday	Mar. 28	8:30 am (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Adrian Kosmatka by Mike & Arlene (Kosmatka) Deitz.	
		4:00 pm (Warsaw)	Lenten Reconciliation Service in Warsaw for both Warsaw & Minto together.	
Monday	Mar. 29	6:30 pm (Minto)	+ Rosie & Cyril Gerszewski by Denise & Bill Lien.	<i>Monday of Holy Week</i>
Tuesday	Mar. 30	_____	No Mass in Minto. Fr. Moen will be at the Chrism Mass in Fargo.	<i>Tuesday of Holy Week</i>
Wednesday	Mar. 31	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Jim Gudajtes by Roger Schuster family.	<i>Wednesday of Holy Week</i>
Wednesday	Mar. 31	7:00 pm to 8:00 pm	Extra Confession time in Minto.	
Holy Thursday	April 1	7:00 pm (Warsaw)	For Friends & Benefactors of St. Gianna Home. (Fr. Christensen) _____Adoration until 10:30 pm in Warsaw_____	Holy Thursday
		7:00 pm (Minto)	+ Clarion Carl Wysocki CPL 754 Field Artillery BN KIA WWII Battle of the Bulge by Carol Anne Walski. _____Adoration until Midnight in Minto_____	
Good Friday	April 2	1:00 pm (Warsaw)	Good Friday Service—No intention. (Fr. Christensen)	Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord
		3:30 pm (Minto)	Good Friday Service—No intention. Extra Confession time after the Good Friday Service in Minto.	Good Friday is a day of Fast & Abstinence .
		5:15 pm (Warsaw)	_____Stations of the Cross_____ (Fr. Christensen)	
		7:00 pm (Minto)	_____Stations of the Cross_____	
Saturday	April 3	11:00 am to 12 noon	Extra Confession time in Minto.	
Holy Saturday	April 3	8:30 pm (Warsaw)	St. Gianna Home Divine Mercy Novena. (Fr. Christensen) All are invited downstairs after the Holy Saturday Vigil Mass in Warsaw for a reception, a resurrection party.	Holy Saturday - fulfills your Sunday's obligation.
		8:30 pm (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	
Easter Sunday	April 4	8:30 am (Minto)	+ Joyce Gerszewski by Eunice Kuhn.	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Leona Schuster by Doris Kiedrowski.	

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 March 21, 2021: Minto = \$1,802 Warsaw = \$1,300

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

MINTO: Holy Thursday, April 1: Lector: Vern Schreiner.

Good Friday, April 2: Lectors: Sam Mondry & John Mozinski.

Holy Sat., April 3: Lectors: Jan Altendorf, Irene Evenson, Jennifer Kelley.

Easter Sunday, April 4: Altar Servers: Seth Robinson & Adin Kilichowski. Lector: Keith Zikmund.

WARSAW: Sun., Mar. 28: Altar Servers: Jaxon Sands, Krystian Gudajtes, Blake & Braydon Lizakowski. Lectors: Greg Feltman & Tony Gudajtes.

Holy Thursday, April 1: Lector: Tony Gudajtes.

Good Friday, April 2: Lectors: Tony Gudajtes & 2nd lector.

Easter Sun., April 4: Altar Servers: Simon Plutowski, Joseph Vandal, Jaxon Sands, Damian Bushaw. Lector: Tony Gudajtes.

ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

LENTEN RECONCILIATION SERVICE will be on Sunday, **March 28**, 4:00 p.m. at St. Stanislaus Church, Warsaw, for both parishes together.

EXTRA CONFESSION TIME IN MINTO: Wed., **March 31**, in Minto from 7:00pm to 8:00pm. On Good Friday, **April 2**, in Minto after the Good Friday Service. On Holy Saturday, **April 3**, in Minto from 11:00am to 12:00 noon.

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION: Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land with parish work, Catholic schools, religious education, preservation of sacred shrines, and humanitarian aid to refugees. Please be generous! Envelopes are in your boxed set of envelopes or you may use your own envelope. You may return your envelope any time in the next few weeks. You may also donate in the plate collection on Good Friday.

BISHOP FOLDA will be leading Stations of the Cross at the Fargo abortion clinic (Red River Women's Clinic, 521 1st Ave. N., Fargo) at 10:00 AM on Good Friday. All are welcome to attend.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: A devotion during Lent that is declining in practice is the Stations of the Cross. Stations are scheduled for **Good Friday**, April 2. They will be held in Warsaw at 5:15 p.m. and in Minto at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is encouraged to attend this last Stations of the Cross especially families with children.

EASTER FLOWERS: Envelopes for Easter flowers were attached to a previous bulletin. Please return the envelope by putting it in the collection basket or mailing it to the parish office, PO Box 316, Minto ND 58261. You may also use your own plain white envelope clearly marked "Easter Flowers". Please indicate which parish your donation is for. Thank you for helping our churches look beautiful for Easter!

GOD'S GIFT APPEAL 2021: Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2021 God's Gift Appeal. As of March 19, Sacred Heart Parish is 50% towards its goal of \$27,947 and St. Stanislaus Parish is 41% towards its goal of \$19,659. If you have not yet completed your card, please prayerfully make your pledge and return it by putting your GGA envelope in the regular collection basket, dropping it off at or mailing it to the parish office, or by mailing it directly to the Diocese of Fargo. If you do not have a card, commitment cards are located in the back of the church.

NO HIGH SCHOOL RELIGIOUS ED. CLASS Wed., **March 31**, because of Holy Week. High school religious ed. classes will be held on Wed., **April 7, 14, & 21** from 7:15-8:15 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church, Minto.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES for grades 1-8 at **St. Stanislaus Church, Warsaw**. The last classes for the religious ed. school year for **grades 1-4** will be held on Wed., **April 7**, and for **grades 5-8** on Wed., **April 14**, both from 6:15 to 7:15 p.m. with the parents' session in the church.

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.

HOLY LAND OLIVE WOOD HAND CARVINGS will be available for sale at both Sacred Heart, Minto, and St. Stanislaus, Warsaw, after the Masses the weekend of **April 10 & 11**. 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 the Holy Land Crafts & Pilgrimage group in the USA has been unable to lend them a hand during this difficult time because of the closures here in the U.S. Here is a chance for you to have a genuine olive wood carving from the Holy Land while at the same time supporting Holy Land Christians. Please take the time to browse through their items when they come and then purchase something special from the Holy Land to have in your home. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

OPERATION RICE BOWL: SERVING THE SUFFERING CHRIST. As we enter Holy Week and celebrate Palm Sunday, let's reflect on how our Lord suffered from our indifference: those who proclaimed him king of Jerusalem were the same who called to crucify him. We recognize we are all one human family. Are we contributing to the suffering of our sisters and brothers with our indifference to their realities? How does our faith inspire us to care for them and share the gifts that God has bestowed on us? Rice Bowls are available in back of both churches. Please return them to the church by Sunday, **April 18**, along with your donation. Thank you for helping some of the neediest people in the world with your Lenten sacrifice.

PNA LODGE 3043 will meet this **Tuesday, March 30, at 7:00pm** at the Minto Community Center. All active & social members & friends of PNA are welcome. Plans, activities, scholarships, & donations for 2021 will be discussed.

MINTO

THANK YOU for the following donations: **Easter Flowers:** In memory of **Rita Rudnik** and **Rudy Rudnik** by Felix Rudnik family. In memory of **John H. Riske** by JoAnn Riske and family. In memory of **our fathers Leo & Carl** by Kurt & Jennifer Kelley. In memory of **James, Dominik, Suzanne, Sister Jolenta, and Cyril Gerszewski** by Denise & Bill Lien. In memory of **Ann Schanilec** by Lenny Schanilec. In memory of **Janice Wysocki and grandparents** by Sonny Wysocki and family.

LENTEN FOOD PANTRY DRIVE at Sacred Heart Church, Minto, for the Walsh County Food Pantry in Grafton. 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 or in the green grassy area at the bottom of the ramp as you enter the church using the westside silver door. The items will be taken to Grafton on Monday afternoon, **March 29**. Please have all donations at the church by Monday at noon.

MARCH CHURCH CLEANING: LEAD: Jennifer Kelley. Kurt & Jennifer Kelley, Tim Mondry, Tyler & Janesa Narloch, Rod & Joan Schanilec, Vern Schreiner.
APRIL CHURCH CLEANING: LEAD: Julie Kennedy. Brandon & Heather Lizakowski, Greg & Nancy Lizakowski, Kenneth & Debbie Lunski, Russell & Kate Schanilec, Deb Slominski, Suzi Tibert.

WARSAW

THANK YOU for the following donations: **Easter Flowers:** In memory of **David Slominski** and **our grandparents** by Dale & Anne Gerszewski.
St. Stanislaus Cemetery: In memory of **Florence Feltman** by Paul Schuster, by Art & Joane Wosick, by Gary & Linda Babinski, by Jim Schanilec, by Wallace & Evelyn Feltman, by Audrey Olson, and by Tony & Vicky Gudajtes. In memory of **Jim Gudajtes** by Bremer Bank, by Felix Rudnik, by Darrell Slominski, by Bill & Jody Tibert, by Mark & Suzi Tibert, by Kenneth Slominski, by Dennis & Linda Slominski, & by Francis & Paula Kilichowski.
A RESURRECTION PARTY will be held on Saturday, **April 3**, in the church basement after the Holy Saturday Vigil Mass at St. Stanislaus Church, Warsaw. All are invited downstairs after the 8:30pm Mass for this reception.

DIVINE MERCY ADORATION CHAPEL

THE DIVINE MERCY ADORATION CHAPEL in Minto will be closed from 5:00pm on Holy Thursday through Good Friday and Holy Saturday and will reopen at the regular time of 12 noon on Easter Sunday.