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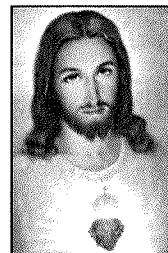
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**Fifth Sunday of Easter**

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# Building His House: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Fifth Sunday of Easter

By His death, Resurrection, and Ascension, Jesus has gone ahead to prepare a place for us in His Father's house. His Father's house is no longer a temple made by human hands. It is the spiritual house of the Church, built on the living stone of Christ's body.

As Peter interprets the Scriptures in today's Epistle, Jesus is the "stone" destined to be rejected by men but made the precious cornerstone of God's dwelling on earth. Each of us is called to be a living stone in God's building. In this edifice of the Spirit, we are to be "holy priests" offering up "spiritual sacrifices"—all our prayer, work and intentions—to God.

This is our lofty calling as Christians. This is why Christ led us out of the darkness of sin and death as Moses led the Israelites from bondage in Egypt. God's covenant with Israel made them a royal and priestly people who were to announce His praises. By our faith in Christ's new covenant, we have been made heirs of this chosen race, called to glorify the Father in the temple of our bodies.

In today's First Reading, we see the spiritual house of the Church being built up as the Apostles consecrate seven deacons so they can devote themselves more fully to the "ministry of the Word."

The Lord's Word is upright and all His works trustworthy, we sing in today's Psalm. So we can trust Jesus when He tells us never to be troubled but to believe that His Word and works come from the Father.

His Word continues its work in the world through the Church. We see its beginnings today in Jerusalem. It is destined to spread with influence and power and to become the imperishable seed by which every heart is born anew.

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	May 6	5:00 pm (Minto)	+ Elmer Altendorf by family.	
Sunday	May 7	8:30 am (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	<b>Fifth Sunday of Easter</b>
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Maria Pokrzywinski by Sacred Heart Society of Warsaw.	
Monday	May 8	_____	No Monday morning Masses in Minto.	
Tuesday	May 9	7:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Willie Kosmatka.	
Wednesday	May 10	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Dale Niswonger by Kevin Bolek.	<i>St. John of Avila, Priest &amp; Doctor of the Church; St. Damien de Veuster, Priest</i>
Thursday	May 11	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Elmer Altendorf by his grandkids.	
Friday	May 12	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Fred & Arlene Mondry by Sam & Mary Mondry & family.	<i>St. Nereus &amp; Achilleus, Martyrs; St. Pancras, Martyr</i>
Saturday	May 13	_____	No Saturday morning Mass in Minto.	<b>Our Lady of Fatima</b>
		5:00 pm (Minto)	For the 2023 graduates and my former teachers, the Sisters of the Resurrection, by Mary Gerszewski.	
Sunday	May 14	8:30 am (Minto)	+ Yvonne Frost by her daughter, Pam Anderson.	<b>Sixth Sunday of Easter</b>
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	For all parishioners of Warsaw & Minto.	<b>Mother's Day</b>

**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** April 30, 2023: **Minto** = \$1,922. **Warsaw** = \$1,366.

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

**MINTO: Saturday, May 13:** Altar Servers: Jacob Hefta, Kole Kittelson, Jack Lane. Lector: Vern Schreiner.

**Sunday, May 14:** Altar Servers: Riley, Eli, & Ezra Robinson. Lector: Joan Schanilec.

**WARSAW: Sun., May 7:** Altar Servers: Jaxon Sands, Ben Gudajtes, Gabe Gudajtes, Estefano Moncada. Lector: John Kerian.

**Sunday, May 14:** Altar Servers: Joseph Vandal, Andrew Riske, Blake Lizakowski, Brayden Lizakowski. Lector: John Kerian.

## ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL:** Thank you for your generous support of last week's Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Your donations help to strengthen the church at home and spread the Gospel across the United States. If you missed the appeal, it is not too late to give. Please use your envelope in your boxed set of envelopes or use your own white envelope clearly marked Catholic Home Missions and put it in the collection basket. You may also donate by visiting [www.usccb.org/home-missions](http://www.usccb.org/home-missions).

**GOD'S GIFT APPEAL:** Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2023 God's Gift Appeal. As of April 28 Sacred Heart Parish is 58.92% towards its goal of \$33,816 with 29.34% participation and St. Stanislaus Parish is 47.95% towards its goal of \$23,788 with 34.09% participation. If you have not made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment card located in the church entry or by the bulletins and return it in the collection basket or mail it directly to the Diocese of Fargo. Please participate in the support of our diocesan church.

**OPERATION RICE BOWL:** Our community changed lives this Lent through CRS Rice Bowl, and we want to say THANK YOU! Please turn in your CRS Rice Bowl as soon as possible. You may also donate online at [crsricebowl.org/give](http://crsricebowl.org/give).

**SPRING LIVE DRIVE:** Mark your calendars! **Real Presence Radio's** annual Spring Live Drive is coming your way **May 10-12**. Join us as we broadcast throughout our five-state listening area and bring you inspiring stories of faith and hope. RPR is 100% listener supported and our mission continues only because of you!! Live Drive phone lines will be open daily from **7:00 AM – 7:00 PM CT!** Donate and you will be entered into a drawing for one of the many great prizes awarded throughout the drive. Call in with your support to **877-795-0122** or donate online at [RealPresenceRadio.com/donate](http://RealPresenceRadio.com/donate).

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR:** Catholic Charities North Dakota is turning 100 this year. They are hosting parties in the four cities where their offices are located. Everyone is invited to the parties no matter if they reside in that city or not.

June 6<sup>th</sup>: The Dakota Zoo in Bismarck will be open to the public with refreshments in the evening.

June 7<sup>th</sup>: The Roosevelt Zoo in Minot will be open to the public with refreshments in the evening.

June 20<sup>th</sup>: Bonanzaville in Fargo from 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm.

June 21<sup>st</sup>: The Myra Museum in Grand Forks from 5:30 to 8:30 pm.

**HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE FALL OF 2024:** Join Bishop Folda for a pilgrimage to the Holy Land **Oct. 21-31, 2024**. For more information and registration, please visit <https://www.fargodiocese.org/events/holy-land>. This pilgrimage is organized by LP Pilgrimages. [www.lpjp.org](http://www.lpjp.org). Call Mary Hanbury for questions: 701-356-7909. Limited spots available.

**STEWARDSHIP MOMENTS: MAY 7, 2023 - Fifth Sunday of Easter:** *"The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone."* - 1 PETER 2:7 Every person has been given gifts from the Holy Spirit. These are called "charisms" and they are used to build God's kingdom of earth. While many people are able to recognize their natural talents and abilities, they may be unsure of their charisms. If you know someone who is struggling for a direction in life, give them a little encouragement. Help them discern their charisms and how God is calling them to use them. Remember - no gift is too small or insignificant in God's salvation plan.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to the following students who received the sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion at St. Stanislaus Church in Warsaw on Friday, May 5: Miranda A. De Luna, Griffin Gudajtes, Monica Kerian, Clare Lund, Tynley Narloch, Josephine Nice, Jaylin Peterka, Veronica Plutowski, Addison Pulak, Hazel Rash, Josie Riskey, Arabella Rodriguez, Joseph Sands, Solomon Schanilec, Penelope Slominski, Luke Sobolik, and Edmund Sweeney.

### MINTO

**THANK YOU** for the following donation: **St. Patrick's Cemetery:** Donation from Harold & Mary Mach.

**SACRED HEART SOLEMN COMMUNION & PARISH CELEBRATION** in honor of the Confirmation/First Communion students will be on Sunday, **May 7**, at the 8:30 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart Church in Minto. A **breakfast** will be provided by the Sacred Heart Altar Society following the Mass. Menu: pancakes, sausage, fruit, muffins, juice, coffee. (No charge; no free will.) 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 to attend this breakfast!!

**MAY CROWNING** will take place at Sacred Heart Church on Sunday, **May 7**, at the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

**SACRED HEART ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING** Monday, **May 8**, 7:00 p.m., church basement. All members are encouraged to attend.

**BACCALAUREATE** at Sacred Heart Church will be at the 8:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, **May 14**. **Rolls, pastries, fruit, coffee, and juice** will be served after Mass in honor of our 2023 graduates. Please come downstairs after Mass and wish them well. This is a free event—no charge and no free will. Everyone is welcome!

**MAY CHURCH CLEANING: Lead: Doreen Gruchala.** Wally Ebertowski, Elaine Kilichowski, Mark & Sue Kilichowski, Denise Lien, Tina Lien, Patrick & Diane Riske.

### WARSAW

**ST. STANISLAUS SOLEMN COMMUNION & PARISH CELEBRATION** in honor of the Confirmation/First Communion students will be on Sunday, **May 7**, at the 10:30am Mass at St. Stanislaus in Warsaw. A **potluck meal** will be served following the Mass in the church basement. Please bring a dish to share. Hot dogs will be provided. Everyone is welcome to attend.

**MAY CROWNING** will take place at St. Stanislaus Church on Sunday, **May 7**, after the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

**BACCALAUREATE** at St. Stanislaus Church will be at the 10:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, **May 14**. **Muffins and pastries** will be served after Mass in honor of our 2023 graduates. Please come downstairs after Mass and wish them well. Everyone is welcome!

**MAY CHURCH CLEANING: Lead: Jason & Bethany Plutowski.** James & Eleri Kerian, Mark & Sheila Vandal, Mary Beth Feltman.