

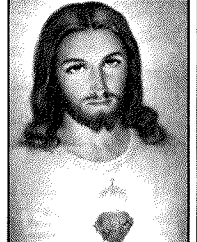


**St. Stanislaus Parish**  
Warsaw, ND  
Est. 1900

**November 1, 2020**

**All Saints' Day**

**Sacred Heart Parish**  
Minto, ND  
Est. 1905



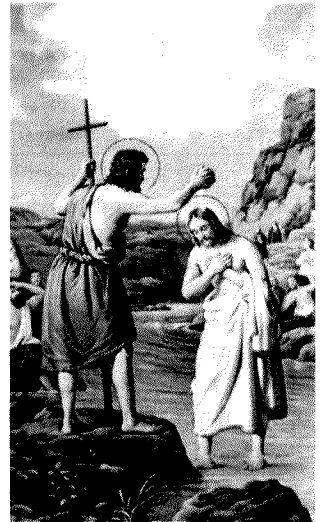
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**POPE FRANCIS—Excerpt from the GENERAL AUDIENCE**  
*Paul VI Audience Hall—Wednesday 28 October 2020*

Dear brothers and sisters, good morning! ...In our itinerary of catechesis on prayer, after traveling through the Old Testament, we now arrive at Jesus. And Jesus prayed. The beginning of His public ministry takes place with His baptism in the river Jordan. The Evangelists are in agreement in attributing fundamental importance to this episode. They narrate how all the people came together *in prayer*, and specify that this gathering had a clearly *penitential* nature (see *Mk 1:5; Mt 3:8*). The people went to John to be baptized, for the forgiveness of sins: it is of a penitential character, of conversion. Jesus' first public act is therefore participation in a choral prayer of the people, a prayer of the people who went to be baptized, a penitential prayer, in which everyone recognizes him- or herself as a sinner. This is why the Baptist wishes to oppose it, and says: "I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?" (*Mt 3:14*). The Baptist understands that it was Jesus. But Jesus insists: His is an act of obedience to the will of the Father (v. 5), an act of solidarity with our human condition. He prays with the sinners of the people of God. Let us keep this clearly in mind: Jesus is the Righteous One, He is not a sinner. But He wished to come down to us, sinners, and He prays with us, and when we pray He is with us, praying; He is with us because He is in heaven, praying for us. Jesus always prays with His people, He always prays with us: always. We never pray alone, we always pray with Jesus. He does not stay on the opposite side of the river - "I am righteous, you are sinners" - to mark His difference and distance from the disobedient people, but rather He immerses His feet in the same purifying waters. He acts as if He were a sinner. And this is the greatness of God, Who sent His Son and annihilated Himself, and appears as a sinner.



Jesus is not a distant God, and He cannot be. Incarnation revealed Him in a complete and humanly unthinkable way. Thus, inaugurating His mission, Jesus places Himself at the forefront of a people of penitents, as if He were responsible for opening a breach through which all of us, after Him, must have the courage to pass. But the road, the journey, is difficult; but He goes ahead, opening the way. The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* explains that this is the newness of the fullness of time. It says: "His filial prayer, which the Father awaits from His children, is finally going to be lived out by the only Son in His humanity, with and for men" (no. 2599). Jesus prays with us. Let us keep this clear in our mind and in our heart: Jesus prays with us. On that day, on the bank of the river Jordan, there is therefore all of humanity, with its unexpressed yearning for prayer. There is, above all, the population of sinners: those who thought they were not beloved by God, those who did not dare cross the threshold of the temple, those who did not pray because they did not consider themselves worthy. Jesus came for everyone, even for them, and He begins precisely by joining them. At the forefront...

(To read more, go to [http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/audiences/2020/documents/papa-francesco\\_20201028\\_udienza-generale.html](http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/audiences/2020/documents/papa-francesco_20201028_udienza-generale.html))

**MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday	Oct. 31	5:00 pm (Minto)	+ David Slominski by Deb Slominski and family.	
Sunday	Nov. 1	8:30 am (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	<b>All Saints' Day</b>
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Richard & Eleanor Wosick by their family.	
Monday All Souls' Day	Nov. 2	8:00 am (Minto)	+ All Souls listed on the All Souls' Day envelopes at Sacred Heart Church.	<b>The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)</b>
		8:30 am (Warsaw at the Church)	+ All Souls listed on the All Souls' Day envelopes at St. Stanislaus Church. (Fr. Christensen, FMI)	
Tuesday	Nov. 3	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Marcellene Zola by Harold Zola family.	<i>St. Martin de Porres, Religious</i>
Wednesday	Nov. 4	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Blanche Rocksvold by family.	<i>St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop</i>
Thursday	Nov. 5	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Mary Jean Altendorf by Jan Altendorf.	
Friday	Nov. 6	7:30 am (Minto)	Elmer Altendorf by Marvin & Sherrie Altendorf.	<b>First Friday of the Month</b>
Saturday	Nov. 7	8:30 am (Minto)	Living & deceased members of the Sacred Heart Altar Society. First Saturday Devotions 7:15 a.m. to 8:15 a.m. in Minto.	<b>First Saturday of the Month</b>
		5:00 pm (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	
Sunday	Nov. 8	8:30 am (Minto)	+ Vic Sobolik by Barb Sobolik.	<b>Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Susan Gudajtes by John Gudajtes.	

**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** October 25, 2020: Minto = \$867 Warsaw = \$1,977

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

**MINTO: Sat., Nov. 7: Lector:** Volunteer needed.

**Sun., Nov. 8: Lector:** Irene Evenson.

**WARSAW: Sun., Nov. 1: Altar Servers:** Dominic Bushaw, Jaxon Sands, Damian Bushaw. **Lector:** Volunteer needed.

**Sun., Nov. 8: Altar Servers:** Simon Plutowski, Ben Gudajtes, Andrew Riske, Gabe Gudajtes. **Lector:** Volunteer needed.

## ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS: THE GIVING TREE** will be up at Sacred Heart in Minto and St. Stanislaus in Warsaw from **Nov. 14 until Dec. 13**. The gifts and food will be taken to Grafton on Nov. 30 and Dec. 14.

**ST. NICHOLAS DAY** will be on Sun., **Dec. 6**, at the end of Mass in both parishes.

**ADVENT RECONCILIATION SERVICE** will be on Sun., **Dec. 13**, 4:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church, Minto, for both parishes together.

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES NORTH DAKOTA:** Last week was Catholic Charities Sunday. This year there has been an increased need for charity care and other services provided by Catholic Charities and so your support is especially needed! If you didn't receive an envelope last week and would like to make a donation, the address is Catholic Charities North Dakota, 5201 Bishops Blvd S Ste B, Fargo ND 58104-7605. You may either mail the envelope yourself or put it in the Sunday collection basket. You may also give securely online at [www.CatholicCharitiesND.org](http://www.CatholicCharitiesND.org) or Facebook. Together let's celebrate "US" – United and Strong!

**ALL SOULS' DAY ENVELOPES** were attached to a previous bulletin. Please list on the envelope your deceased loved ones that you would like remembered in the collective Mass intentions on Monday, **Nov. 2**. Fr. Moen will offer a Mass for the names submitted to Sacred Heart at **8:00 a.m. at Sacred Heart Church, Minto**, and Fr. Christensen will offer a Mass for the names submitted to St. Stanislaus at **8:30 a.m. at St. Stanislaus Church, Warsaw**. If needed, you may put an extra slip of paper inside the envelope with more names. You may also use one of your own plain white envelopes if you don't have an All Souls' Day envelope. Please indicate on all envelopes your name and parish (Sacred Heart or St. Stanislaus) so that the names of your deceased loved ones can be placed by the altar in your parish during the month of November. Return the envelope **before or on** November 2.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES** for grades 1-8 will be held this year at **St. Stanislaus Church, Warsaw**. Next religious ed. classes for **grades 1-4** will be held on **Wed., Nov. 4**, from **6:15 to 7:15pm** with the parents' session running from 6:15 to 7:05pm. Classes for **grades 5-8** will be held on **Wed., Nov. 11**, from **6:15 to 7:15pm** with the parents' session running from 6:15 to 7:05pm. The parents' session will be the same both nights.

**HIGH SCHOOL RELIGIOUS ED. CLASSES** **Wed., Nov. 4**, from **7:15pm to 8:15pm** at **Sacred Heart Church, Minto**.

**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](http://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.

**THE WALSH COUNTY FOOD PANTRY**, 344 West 15th St., Grafton, ND, is putting together holiday baskets for those in need for Thanksgiving and Christmas and would appreciate your help. Requested food items: canned gravy, boxed stuffing, canned cranberries, canned pumpkin, cake mixes, canned fruit, canned vegetables, evaporated milk, cream of mushroom soup, tomato soup, chicken noodle soup, any kind of cereal, spaghetti, any flavor of Jello, macaroni & cheese, paper towels, toilet paper. Cash donations are always welcome! The Food Pantry is open Monday through Thursday from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please drop off items by **Nov. 5**.

**STEWARDSHIP MOMENT—NOVEMBER 1, 2020 – ALL SAINTS' DAY:** "Blessed are you when they insult you and persecute you and utter every kind of evil against you (falsely) because of me." - MATTHEW 5:11 We are all at different points on the path to holiness, on getting to Heaven and becoming a saint. Part of the journey is being mocked and ridiculed by others. When this happens, how do you respond? Do you become silent? Do you react in anger or do you react with love? Fortunately, as one Body of Christ, we are united with the saints already in Heaven. Ask your favorite saint for guidance in defending the Faith.

## MINTO

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Joseph Michael Winters, son of Eric Winters and Tina Lien, who was baptized on Saturday, October 24, 2020, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Minto.

**THANK YOU** for the following donation: **Sacred Heart Cemetery:** In memory of **Allen Mondry** by Ken & Peggy Mondry.

**SACRED HEART ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING** Monday, **November 9, 7:00 p.m.**, in the church basement. All members are invited to attend. Social distancing will be observed. No food or coffee will be served.

**SACRED HEART PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** Tuesday, **November 10, 7:00 p.m.**, in the church basement.

**GENERAL CHURCH CLEANING** at Sacred Heart Church on **Saturday, November 14**. We need your help to clean those areas of the church that don't get attention in the regular monthly cleanings. Cleaning will begin at **9:00am**. If you are not available to help that morning, a list of target areas will be available in the kitchen beginning the prior Saturday. All parishioners are encouraged to help with this deep cleaning of the church building. A special thank you to everyone who helps keep our church looking so beautiful. Contact Helen Zikmund for more information at 701-520-9810.

**NOVEMBER CHURCH CLEANING:** John Kilichowski, Brad & Adrienne Narloch, Rod Osowski, Donald & Bonnie Riske, Jim Riske, Shane & Nicky Robinson.

## WARSAW

**HENNING RESTORATION** is coming to repaint the areas damaged from the storm and to reinstall the communion rail gates. They will be working in the church from November 9–25 and will return after Thanksgiving. The project will take about a month to complete.

**ST. STANISLAUS PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** Monday, **November 9, 7:00 p.m.**, in the church basement.

## DIVINE MERCY ADORATION CHAPEL

**OPEN HOLY HOUR** on **Thursdays at 3:00 p.m.** Other Holy Hours where a second adorer would be appreciated are available also. If you can help, please contact Joan at 360-2499.