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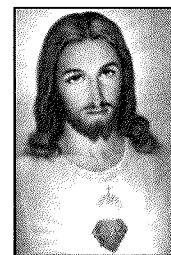
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Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Settling Accounts: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

The day of the Lord is coming, Paul warns in today's Epistle. What matters isn't the time or the season but what the Lord finds us doing with the new life, the graces He has given to us.

This is at the heart of Jesus' parable in today's Gospel. Jesus is the Master. Having died, risen, and ascended into heaven, He appears to have gone away for a long time.

By our Baptism, He has entrusted to each of us a portion of His "possessions," a share in His divine life. He has given us talents and responsibilities according to the measure of our faith.

We are to be like the worthy wife in today's First Reading and the faithful man we sing of in today's Psalm. Like them, we should walk in the "fear of the Lord"—in reverence, awe, and thanksgiving for His marvelous gifts. This is the beginning of wisdom.

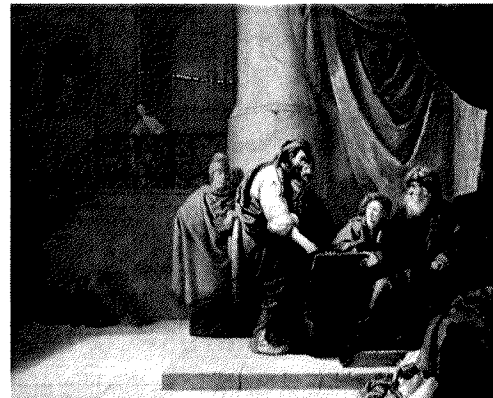
This is not the "fear" of the useless servant in today's parable. His is the fear of a slave cowering before a cruel master, the fear of one who refuses the relationship that God calls us to.

God has called us to be trusted servants, fellow workers, using our talents to serve one another and His kingdom as good stewards of His grace. In this, we each have a different part to play.

Though the good servants in today's parable were given different numbers of talents, each "doubled" what he was given. And each earned the same reward for his faithfulness—greater responsibilities and a share of the Master's joy.

So let us resolve again in this Eucharist to make much of what we've been given, to do all for the glory of God. That we, too, may approach our Master with confidence and love when He comes to settle accounts.

<https://stpaulcenter.com/audio/sunday-bible-reflections/settling-accounts-scott-hahn-reflects-on-the-thirty-third-sunday-in-ordinary-time/>



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	Nov. 18	5:00 pm (Minto)	+ Richard Gerszewski by Chris & Alicia Hoffarth.	
Sunday	Nov. 19	8:30 am (Minto)	+ Joseph Korynta by John & Robynn Berger family.	Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	For all parishioners of Warsaw & Minto.	
Monday	Nov. 20	_____	No Monday morning Masses.	
Tuesday	Nov. 21	_____	No morning Masses Nov. 21 in Warsaw or Nov. 22 in Minto. Fr. Moen will be out-of-town.	<i>The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>
Wednesday	Nov. 22	_____	No morning Mass.	<i>St. Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr</i>
Thursday	Nov. 23	8:00 am (Minto)	In Thanksgiving by Polish National Alliance Lodge 3043 of Warsaw.	Thanksgiving Day - <i>St. Clement I, Pope & Martyr; St. Columban, Abbot</i>
Friday	Nov. 24	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Joyce Gerszewski by Michael Gerszewski and family.	<i>St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, & Companions, Martyrs</i>
Saturday	Nov. 25	8:00 am (Minto)	+ All Souls in Purgatory by Anne Mondry.	<i>St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin & Martyr</i>
		5:00 pm (Minto)	+ Walter Paschke by Ray & Kathy Korynta.	
Sunday	Nov. 26	8:30 am (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe Sunday
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Ben, Julia, & Luke Schuster and Grandma Martha by family.	

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 November 12, 2023: **Minto** = \$2,275. **Warsaw** = \$2,523.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

MINTO: Saturday, November 25: Altar Servers: Volunteers needed. Lector: Ann Mondry.

Sunday, November 26: Altar Servers: Jack & Bennett Kennedy. Lector: Sam Mondry.

WARSAW: Sun., Nov. 19: Altar Servers: Ben Gudajtes, Krystian Gudajtes, Julian Risky, Edmund Sweeney. Lector: Sandy Schuster.

Sun., Nov. 26: Altar Servers: Jaxon Sands, Estefano Moncada, John Paul Kerian, Joseph Sands. Lector: Sandy Schuster.

ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLACK & INDIAN MISSION COLLECTION WAS NOVEMBER 11 & 12. Thank you to everyone who participated in the 139th annual Black and Indian Mission Collection last weekend. Your prayerful support enables people to come to know Jesus Christ in African American, Native American, and Alaska Native communities all over the U.S.A. Spreading the Gospel couldn't happen without your support! If you haven't made a donation yet, you may still do so by putting an envelope in the collection basket. Envelopes are in your boxed set of envelopes or use one of your own envelopes marked Black & Indian Collection and include your name if you so wish.

PARISH EVENT CALENDARS are now available on the website for Sacred Heart and St. Stanislaus Parishes (<https://www.sh-ss.org/Schedules.php>). These calendars will show the different events that are scheduled in the church buildings.

2024 CALENDARS have been set out in back of both churches. Please pick them up.

THE WORD AMONG US BOOKLETS FOR ADVENT have been set out in back of our churches. Please pick up a copy.

"LOVE LIKE A SAINT" is the title of the Fall session for a women's study at Sacred Heart Church, Minto. Next session will be on **Tuesday, Nov. 21**, at 7:15pm.

GIRLS NIGHT OUT! All women are invited to a special event on **Tuesday, December 5**, at 7:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church dining room in Minto! Dawn Holm from Hallock, MN, will be giving an inspirational talk entitled "The Power of Adoration". Following her 45-minute presentation, Christmas treats and sweets will be served. All women are welcome! Bring a friend! For more information, call Joan Schanilec at 701-360-2499.

RELIGIOUS ED. CLASSES for grades K-8 on Wed., **Dec. 6**, 6:30-7:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church in Minto.

THE ADVENT GIVING TREE will be up in Minto and in Warsaw from **Nov. 18 through Dec. 18**. Please take a tag and return a gift in a gift bag. Gifts must be new. There are tags for infants, children, & adults. Suggestions: For infants - diaper sizes 2, 3, & 4; sleepers, t-shirts, blankets. For toddlers and children - mittens, gloves, caps, hats, socks, pajamas, and other types of clothing, and toys. For teens—gift cards. For adults - gloves, slippers, caps, scarves, small throws or fleece blankets (especially for the elderly), gas cards. These items will go to **Walsh County Social Services** to be distributed to those in need. Also there are tags for non-perishable food items and for non-food items for the **Walsh County Food Pantry** at St. John's Church in Grafton. No outdated items or open packages please. Food pantry items do not have to be put into gift bags. Please help those in need during the Christmas season. In Minto, you may put your gifts and food pantry items under the tree like always or you may put your gifts and food pantry items in the green grassy area at the bottom of the ramp as you go in the silver door on the west side of the church. The first batch of gifts will be taken to Grafton on **Dec. 4** and the final batch of gifts will be taken on **Dec. 18**.

HOLIDAY FOOD BASKETS are being prepared for those in need and are available for pickup from **Nov. 13 through Dec. 28**, 1:00pm-4:00pm, Monday through Thursday at the Walsh County Food Pantry, 344 West 15th St., Grafton. The Food Pantry does not deliver baskets.

FAMILY ADVENT CALENDAR CHALLENGE FLYERS for the Walsh County Food Pantry are attached to this weekend's bulletins. For every day from **Dec. 1 to Dec. 24**, add an item to a box or bag for the Food Pantry. Substitute items as you see fit. Donate the contents to the Walsh County Food Pantry **January 2-4, 2024**. Monetary donations are welcome also. Mail them to Walsh County Food Pantry, 344 West 15th St., Grafton ND 58237. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

CHRISTMAS BINGO at St. Mary's Church hall, Park River, on **Dec. 10.**, at 2:00pm. Cash & assorted prizes. \$5. per card. 20 games.

PNA MEETING: PNA Lodge 3043 will meet on Sunday, **November 19, at 6:00pm** at the Minto Community Center. Plans for winter, spring, and summer events will be discussed. All members, guests, and friends of the PNA are welcome to attend. Lunch will be served at the end of the business meeting.

MINTO

THANK YOU for the following donation: **St. John the Baptist Cemetery:** In memory of **Donald Riske** by Bob & Jill Grzadzielewski.

SACRED HEART ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING Monday, **Nov. 20, (Note date change)** at 7:00 pm, church basement. All members are welcome. On the agenda will be the review of the fall dinner and several other items.

SACRED HEART PARISH COUNCIL MEETING Tuesday, **Nov. 28**, 7:00 pm, at the **rectory**. (Note change of date.)

ST. NICHOLAS DAY is on Sun., **Dec. 3**. St. Nick will be visiting at the end of the 8:30 a.m. Mass and will be handing out treats to children of all ages.

ROLLS AFTER MASS ON DEC. 3: Refreshments for everyone will be served in the church basement after the 8:30 a.m. Mass on Sun., **Dec. 3**. Menu: pastries, muffins, quick breads, fruit, juice, coffee. Sponsored by the Sacred Heart Altar Society. This is a free event. **All are invited to come downstairs after St. Nick's visit for some holiday cheer.**

NOVEMBER CHURCH CLEANING: Lead person: **Adrienne Narloch**. Lucas & Kaylina Kelley, John Kilichowski, Bonnie Riske, Jim & Roni Riske, Raul & Kayla Rodriguez.

WARSAW

ST. STANISLAUS PARISH COUNCIL MEETING Monday, **Nov. 27**, 7:00 pm, at St. Stanislaus Church basement. (Note change of date.)

ST. NICHOLAS DAY is on Sun., **Dec. 3**. St. Nick will be visiting at the end of the 10:30 a.m. Mass and will be handing out treats to children of all ages.

DIVINE MERCY ADORATION CHAPEL

OPEN HOLY HOURS on **Sundays at 9 p.m.** and on **Tuesdays at 6 p.m.** If you would like to take one of these holy hours, please call Joan at 701-360-2499.