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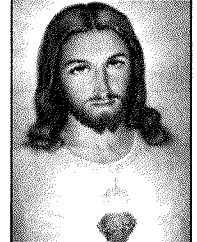
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*POPE FRANCIS—Excerpt from the GENERAL AUDIENCE
Paul VI Audience Hall—Wednesday 14 October 2020*

Dear brothers and sisters, good morning!

As we read the Bible, we continually come across prayers of various types. But we also find a book made up solely of prayers, a book that has become the native land, gymnasium and home of countless men and women of prayer. It is the *Book of Psalms*. There are 150 Psalms to pray.

It forms part of the books of wisdom, because it communicates "knowing how to pray" through the experience of dialogue with God. In the Psalms we find all human sentiments: the joys, the sorrows, the doubts, the hopes, the bitterness that color our lives. The *Catechism* affirms that every Psalm "possesses such direct simplicity that it can be prayed in truth by men of all times and conditions" (CCC, 2588). As we read and reread the Psalms, we learn the language of prayer. God the Father, indeed, with His Spirit, inspired them in the heart of King David and others who prayed, in order to teach every man and woman how to praise Him, how to thank Him and to supplicate; how to invoke Him in joy and in suffering, and how to recount the wonders of His works and of His Law. In short, the Psalms are the word of God that we human beings use to speak with Him.

In this book we do not encounter ethereal people, abstract people, those who confuse prayer with an aesthetic or alienating experience. The Psalms are not texts created on paper; they are invocations, often dramatic, that spring from lived existence. To pray them it is enough for us to be what we are. We must not forget that to pray well we must pray as we are, without embellishment. One must not embellish the soul to pray. "Lord, I am like this", and go in front of the Lord as we are, with the good things and also with the bad things that no-one knows about, but that we inwardly know. In the Psalms we hear the voices of men and women of prayer in flesh and blood, whose life, like that of us all, is fraught with problems, hardships and uncertainties. The Psalmist does not radically contest this suffering: he knows that it is part of living. In the Psalms, however, suffering is transformed into a *question*. From suffering to questioning.

And among the many questions, there is one that remains suspended, like an incessant cry that runs throughout the entire book from beginning to end. A question that we repeat many times: "Until when, Lord? Until when?" Every suffering calls for liberation, every tear calls for consolation, every wound awaits healing, every slander a sentence of absolution. "Until when, Lord, must I suffer this? Listen to me, Lord!" How many times we have prayed like this, with "Until when?", enough now, Lord!

By constantly asking such questions, the Psalms teach us not to get used to pain and remind us that life is not saved unless it is healed. The existence of each human being is but a breath, his or her story is fleeting, but the prayerful know that they are precious in the eyes of God, and so *it makes sense to cry out*. And this is important. When we pray, we do so because we know we are precious in God's eyes. It is the grace of the Holy Spirit that, from within, inspires in us this awareness: of being precious in the eyes of God. And this is why we are moved to pray.....

(To read more, go to http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/audiences/2020/documents/papa-francesco_20201014_udienza-generale.html)



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	Oct. 17	5:00 pm (Minto)	+ Richard Kilichowski by Jane Evenson.	
Sunday	Oct. 18	8:30 am (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Magdalene Culbertson by Wallace & Evelyn Feltman.	World Mission Sunday
Monday	Oct. 19	—————	No Monday morning Masses in Minto.	<i>Sts. John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs</i>
Tuesday	Oct. 20	8:00 am (Minto)	Special Intention.	<i>St. Paul of the Cross, Priest</i>
Wednesday	Oct. 21	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Marjorie Lizakowski by Brad & Nadine Schanilec.	
Thursday	Oct. 22	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Ray Feltman by Jennette Feltman and family.	<i>St. John Paul II, Pope</i>
Friday	Oct. 23	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Chester & Frances Risky by Mary Risky.	<i>St. John of Capistrano, Priest</i>
Saturday	Oct. 24	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Ron Langowski by family and friends.	<i>St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop</i>
		5:00 pm (Minto)	+ Peter & Dorothy Kilichowski by Marvin & Sherrie Altendorf.	
Sunday	Oct. 25	8:30 am (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw,	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Alice Paschke by Chet Paschke 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.

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 11, 2020: Minto = \$1,748 Warsaw = \$1,592

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

MINTO: Sat., Oct. 24: Lector: Jennifer Kelley.

Sun., Oct. 25: Lector: Joan Schanilec.

WARSAW: Sun., Oct. 18: Altar Servers: Joseph Vandal, Arthur Leininger, James Vandal, Michael Vetter. Lector: Todd Burianek.

Sun., Oct. 25: Altar Servers: Andy Plutowski, Krystian Gudajtes, Blake Lizakowski, Brayden Lizakowski. Lector: Todd Burianek.

ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY is this Sunday, **October 18. Here I am, Send Me!** Today on World Mission Sunday, we respond, “**Here I Am, Send Me,**” to our baptismal call to mission, and we offer at the Eucharistic celebration our prayers and our generous financial support through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith to continue the mission of Jesus. Today we are “sent” out to witness to mission in the world through our prayers and sacrifices for our brothers and sisters around the world. As little as \$25 helps support a catechist for a month in remote Latin America; \$75 provides for the work of religious Sisters caring for orphaned children in Africa; and \$100 assists families in sending their children to schools in Asia. As always, your prayers are your most treasured gift to the Missions. Your prayers and financial help, offered today on **WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**, support mission priests, religious Sisters and Brothers, and lay catechists who are Christ’s witnesses to a world so in need of His healing, love, and peace. Envelopes are in your boxed set of envelopes or use your own plain white envelope clearly marked “World Mission Sunday”. A second collection basket will be set out at this weekend’s Masses.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES NORTH DAKOTA OCTOBER 24-25! Please join us in your parish or online at: www.CatholicCharitiesND.org to celebrate Catholic Charities Sunday, the weekend of October 24-25. This year there has been an increased need for our charity care and other services, and so we especially need your support! Watch our video to learn how we are adapting to reach those in need during the pandemic and increasing outreach by adding a new guardianship program for the elderly and mental health issues, starting telehealth for our counseling services, and expanding our AASK program and adding ND Post-Adopt services! You can help by letting others know about these exciting changes and assisting your neighbors in need with a generous donation! Learn more, watch the new video, and give securely online at www.CatholicCharitiesND.org or Facebook. Together let's celebrate “US” – United and Strong!

ALL SOULS' DAY ENVELOPES were attached to last weekend’s bulletins. 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. Joseph 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 in next weekend's collection basket or any time **before** 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 will be on **Wed., Oct. 21** 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 .

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.

SEARCH RETREAT: Do you need a “retreat” from the world around you? Experience God in a personal and real way. SEARCH for Christian Maturity has a retreat coming up **Nov. 6-8, 2020**, at Maryvale Convent in Valley City, ND. **Youth and young adults, 16 and older**, are invited to attend. Details and application are at <https://fargodiocese.net/searchcm> or call/text Dori at 952-210-2219 with questions. Applications are due Monday, **Oct. 19.** Space is limited.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT—OCTOBER 18, 2020 – TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: “*Render therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar's and to God the things that are God's.*” - **MATTHEW 22:21** Everything we are and everything we have belongs to God. We aren't “owners” of anything, we are merely “stewards” of the gifts God has given each of us. All God is asking is that we give back a portion of what He gave us. This is the essence of Stewardship. God should be our first priority in everything. All else comes second, especially our money.

MINTO

SACRED HEART CHURCH FALL DINNER HAS BEEN CANCELED FOR 2020. Mark your calendars for Nov. 7, 2021.

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.

OCTOBER CHURCH CLEANING: Brandon & Katie Gerszewski, Maggie Gerszewski, Lucas & Kaylina Kelley, Kathy Korynta, Jerry Misialek, Kyle & Jane Nice, and Keith & Helen Zikmund.

WARSAW

THANK YOU for the following donations: **St. Stanislaus Cemetery:** In memory of **Vivian Collette Secrist** by family and friends.

DIVINE MERCY ADORATION CHAPEL

THANKS to John Kerian for taking the open Holy Hour on Fridays at 2:00 p.m. and to Lynn Lane for taking the open Holy Hour on Thursdays at 2:00 p.m.! There is **one open Holy Hour on Thursdays at 3:00 p.m.** and other Holy Hours where a second adorer would be appreciated. Contact Joan at 360-2499.