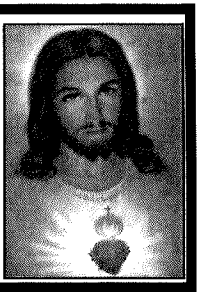




St. Stanislaus Parish
Warsaw, ND
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October 19, 2025
Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Hope from on High: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Lord is our guardian, beside us at our right hand, interceding for us in all our spiritual battles.

In today’s Psalm we’re told to lift our eyes to the mountains, that our help will come from Mount Zion and the Temple—the dwelling of the Lord who made heaven and earth. Joshua and the Israelites, in today’s First Reading, are also told to look to the hilltops. They are to find their help there—through the intercession of Moses—as they defend themselves against their mortal foes, the Amalekites.

Notice the image: Aaron and Hur standing on each side of Moses, holding his weary arms so that he can raise the staff of God above his head. Moses is being shown here as a figure of Jesus, who also climbed a hilltop, and on Mount Calvary stretched out His hands between heaven and earth to intercede for us against the final enemy—sin and death.

By the staff of God, Moses bested Israel’s enemies, parted the Red Sea and brought water from the Rock.

The Cross of Jesus is the new staff of God, bringing about a new liberation from sin, bringing forth living waters from the body of Christ, the new Temple of God.

Like the Israelites and the widow in today’s Gospel, we face opposition and injustice— at times from godless and pitiless adversaries.

We, too, must lift our eyes to the mountains—to Calvary and the God who will guard us from all evil.

We must pray always and not be wearied by our trials, Jesus tells us today. As Paul exhorts in today’s Epistle, we need to remain faithful, to turn to the inspired Scriptures—given by God to train us in righteousness.

We must persist, so that when the Son of Man comes again in kingly power, He will indeed find faith on earth.



<https://stpaulcenter.com/posts/hope-from-on-high-scott-hahn-reflects-on-the-twenty-ninth-Sunday-in-ordinary-time>

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	Oct. 18	5:00 pm (Minto)	+ Peter & Julia Duray by Harold & Mary Mach.	
Sunday	Oct. 19	8:30 am (Minto)	+ Ambrose & Severina Miller by Cecilia Teske and family.	Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time World Mission Sunday
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	For all parishioners of Warsaw & Minto.	
Monday	Oct. 20		No Monday morning Masses in Minto.	St. Paul of the Cross, Priest
Tuesday	Oct. 21	7:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Frieda Walski by the Rosary Society.	
Wednesday	Oct. 22	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Vendelyn & Georgia Burianek by Jimmy & Breanna Barta family.	St. John Paul II, Pope
Thursday	Oct. 23	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Charles & Joseph Koehmstedt by Joe Koehmstedt.	St. John of Capistrano, Priest
Friday	Oct. 24	8:00 am (Minto)	+ For our parents by Rick & Elaine Kilichowski.	St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop
Saturday	Oct. 25	8:00 am (Minto)	+ LaVerne Mahar Costello by Keith & Helen Zikmund.	
Sunday	Oct. 26	5:00 pm (Minto)	+ David Slominski by Deb Slominski and family.	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		8:30 am (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Steve & Joann Slominski by Darrell Slominski and 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	October 12, 2025:	Minto = \$1,881.	Warsaw = \$1,938.
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LITURGICAL MINISTERS

MINTO: Saturday, October 25: Altar Servers: Volunteers are needed. **Lector:** Lynn Lane.
Sunday, October 26: Altar Servers: Jack & Bennett Kennedy. **Lector:** Joan Schanilec.

WARSAW: Sunday, October 19: Altars Servers: Blake, Brayden, & Bennett Lizakowski and John Paul Kerian. **Lector:** Todd Burianek.
Sunday, October 26: Altar Servers: Nolan, Braxton, & Leo Segler. **Lector:** Todd Burianek.

ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU for your response for Mass requests for 2025. The calendar filled up quickly. For now with new Mass requests, one or two Masses will be offered locally and the others will be sent to the Diocese to be offered by other diocesan priests.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES SUNDAY was Sunday, **September 28**. You may still make a donation if you haven't already done so by using the envelope that was attached to a previous bulletin or one of our own envelopes marked Catholic Charities. You may mail it directly to Catholic Charities North Dakota, 5201 Bishops Blvd. S. Suite B, Fargo ND 58104 or you may put your envelope into the collection basket.

SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR GAZA: Thank you to everyone who made a donation for the Special Collection for Gaza. You may still make a donation if you haven't already done so by using one of your own envelopes **marked Gaza** and putting it into the collection basket or mailing it to the parish office, PO Box 316, Minto ND 58261.

ALL SOULS' DAY ENVELOPES were attached to last weekend's bulletins. Please return them in the collection basket by Sun., **Oct. 26**, or mail them to the parish office so that they are received by **Oct. 31** so that they can be placed on the altars of our churches by Nov. 2. List on the envelope your deceased loved ones that you would like remembered in the collective intentions for Mass on Sun., Nov. 2, at Sacred Heart and St. Stanislaus Parishes. 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. Please make checks payable to either Sacred Heart Church or St. Stanislaus Church. The All Souls donations go into the parish's general fund and will show up on your giving record.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY is Sunday, **October 19**. Envelopes are in your boxed set of envelopes or use one of your own envelopes marked World Mission Sunday. This year's theme is "Missionaries of Hope Among the Peoples." Your donations help support the pastoral and evangelizing work of the Church, including building churches, providing healthcare and education, and training future priests and religious. In places where resources are scarce, your generosity makes a profound difference.

NO HIGH SCHOOL RELIGIOUS ED. CLASSES Wed., **Oct. 22**, in the evening. The high school students will be going on the optional annual trip to pray at the Moorhead abortion facility on October 22 in place of having an evening class. Please return your permission form if you have not already done so.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES for grades K-8 on Wed., **Oct. 22**, 6:30pm-7:30pm in Minto.

GOD'S GIFT APPEAL: The goal in Minto is \$32,171.56 and the goal in Warsaw is \$25,064.67. As of October 3, Sacred Heart was 57.07% towards its goal with 32.34% participation. \$18,360.40 has been donated or pledged. St. Stanislaus was 72.27% towards its goal with 35.29% participation. \$18,115.00 has been donated or pledged. You may mail your God's Gift envelope directly to the Diocese of Fargo or put it in the collection basket. Extra commitment envelopes are in back of the church.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN—Living Our Faith, Building Our Future: It is not too late to make a donation or a pledge. As of Sept. 11, Sacred Heart was 76.75% towards its goal of \$157,089. with 31.33% participation. \$120,565.00 has been donated or pledged. St. Stanislaus was 130.15% towards its goal of \$121.884. with 37.50% participation. \$157,637.17 has been donated or pledged. Please make checks payable to Living Our Faith, Building Our Future. You may mail your donation directly to the Diocese of Fargo or you may put your Living Our Faith envelope into the collection basket.

UNDONE WOMEN'S RETREAT: Ladies, do you sometimes feel weighed down by the burdens of life? Do you desire to feel the love of God the Father in a new way and experience the full-flowering of your feminine genius? Jesus declared, "I have come that they might have life and have it to the full." (John 10:10) He wants to bring liberation and fullness to your life, firmly planting you in the conviction that not only are you good, you're His. Blending teaching, prayer, and experiences deeper than words, the **Undone Women's Retreat** has powerfully enabled thousands of women to be soaked in and transformed by this life-changing truth. Will you be next? The retreat will take place on **November 20-22, 2025** and can be attended **in-person** at Sts. Anne and Joachim Church in Fargo, via **livestream**, or even a **hybrid** of the two. Check out the details and reserve your spot today by visiting www.fargodiocese.org/undone. You will not regret it.

"GIFTS FROM THE HARVEST" (corn, beans, wheat, cattle, etc.) By making a donation from the harvest, farmers are able to take advantage of some tax benefits that are more generous than a straight cash donation, Forms are in back of the church.

WINTER HATS & MITTENS COLLECTION: The Degree of Honor will be collecting winter hats, mittens, gloves, scarves, etc. through the month of October. The items will be given to the Minto School. Collection boxes are at Sacred Heart Church, Minto, and St. Stanislaus Church, Warsaw.

65TH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TEA Sat., **Nov. 8, 1:00-4:00pm**, Holy Family Catholic Church, 1018 18th Ave. S., Grand Forks. Bake sale, lefse, raffle, pie, coffee, tea, and cider.

FALL DINNERS: **St. Rose, Hillsboro**, Sun., **Nov. 2, 11:00am-1:30pm**. Turkey dinner (family style), potatoes, gravy, dressing, carrots, pie. **Sacred Heart, Minto**, at the Minto Community Center, Sun., **Nov. 2, 11:00am-2:00pm**. Ham, meatballs, mashed potatoes, gravy, sauerkraut and pork, carrots, coleslaw, dinner rolls, pies, and other desserts. Mini-affle, Quilt/Cash Raffle, Food & Bake Sale.

MINTO

LECTORS ARE NEEDED at Sacred Heart, Minto, for the **Sundays of July, 2026**, and the **Saturdays of November, 2025 & 2026**. Contact Fr. Moen to volunteer.

RAFFLE TICKETS: You may return your quilt raffle tickets in the collection basket **in Minto only** by **Nov. 2** or turn them in at the quilt raffle ticket table at the fall dinner on Nov. 2 up until the time of the drawing. If returning tickets by mail, please mail them so that they are received by **October 31**.

FOOD & BAKE SALE at the Sacred Heart Fall Dinner to benefit the Sacred Heart Religious Education Program, Sunday, **Nov. 2**, 11:00am-2:00pm at the Minto Community Center. All parishioners are welcome to bring items for the Food and Bake Sale. Suggestions: bars, cookies, cakes, cupcakes, pies, bread, rolls, quick breads, candy, squash, apples, pumpkins, other produce, jelly, jam, etc. Please bring your items to the bake sale tables at the Minto Community Center on Saturday, **Nov.1**, or by early Sunday morning, **Nov. 2**.

OCTOBER CHURCH CLEANING: **Lead: Helen Zikmund.** Colleen Alphson, Kathy Korynta, Kyle & Jane Nice, Steve Novak, Shane & Nicky Robinson, Tony & Andrea Solberg.

WARSAW

OCTOBER CHURCH CLEANING: **Lead: John & Heather Narloch.** Austin & Sarah Lessard, Steven & Lisa Schuster, Mike & Kristi Stoltman.