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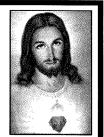
Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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# Caesar and the King: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Lord is king over all the earth, as we sing in today's Psalm. Governments rise and fall by His permission, with no authority but that given from above. In effect, God says to every ruler what He tells King Cyrus in today's First Reading: "I have called you . . . though you knew me not."

The Lord raised up Cyrus to restore the Israelites from exile, and to rebuild Jerusalem. Throughout salvation history, God has used foreign rulers for the sake of His chosen people. Pharaoh's heart was hardened to reveal God's power. Invading armies were used to punish Israel's sins.

The Roman occupation during Jesus' time was, in a similar way, a judgment on Israel's unfaithfulness. Jesus' famous words in today's Gospel, "repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar," are a pointed reminder of this. And they call us, too, to keep our allegiances straight.

The Lord alone is our king. His kingdom is not of this world but it begins here in His Church, which tells of His glory among all peoples. Citizens of heaven, we are called to be a light to the world—working in faith, laboring in love, and enduring in hope, as today's Epistle counsels.

We owe the government a concern for the common good and obedience to laws—unless they conflict with God's commandments as interpreted by the Church.

But we owe God everything. The coin bears Caesar's image. But we bear God's own image. We owe Him our very lives—all our heart, mind, soul, and strength, offered as a living sacrifice of love.

We should pray for our leaders, that like Cyrus they do God's will—until from the rising of the sun to its setting all humanity knows that Jesus is Lord.

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SACRED HEART CHURCH FALL DINNER IS SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5, at the Minto Community Center, 114 Harvey Ave., from 11:00am to 2:00pm. Menu: Ham, meatballs, mashed potatoes & gravy, carrots, sauerkraut & pork, coleslaw, dinner rolls, pies, desserts. Adults \$15.00, Children 6-12 years \$5.00, 5 and under free. Also Quilt/Cash Raffle, Bake Sale, and Mini-Raffle. For take-out dinners, please call Shelley at 701-520-1525 or Heather at 701-741-3105. Everyone is welcome!



			MASS SCHEDULE	
Saturday	Oct. 21	5:00 pm (Minto)	+ Walter Paschke by Mary Mondry and Henry Rudnik.	
Sunday	Oct. 22	8:30 am (Minto)	Rod & Joan Schanilec and family by Janelle Schanilec.	Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	For all parishioners of Warsaw & Minto.	World Mission Sunday
Monday	Oct. 23		No Monday morning Masses.	St. John of Capistrano, Priest
Tuesday	Oct. 24	7:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Felix Rudnik by Edwin & Judy Kowalski.	St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop
Wednesday	Oct. 25	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Keith Barta by Kimball & Julie Lutovsky.	
Thursday	Oct. 26	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Sylvia Dymowski by family & friends.	
Friday	Oct. 27	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Jane & Michael Grzadzielewski by Gary & Liz Grzadzielewski.	
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Funeral for Eugene Dauksavage.	
Saturday	Oct. 28	10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Funeral for John Bishop. (No morning Mass in Minto on Oct. 28.)	Sts. Simon & Jude, Apostles
		5:00 pm (Minto)	+ Donnie Riske by Bonnie Riske and family.	
Sunday	Oct. 29	8:30 am (Minto)	Brad & Nadine Schanilec family by Janelle Schanilec.	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	For all parishioners of Warsaw & Minto.	

<u>CONFESSIONS</u> 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 15, 2023: N

**Minto** = \$3,657.

Warsaw = \$2,344.

## **LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

MINTO: Saturday, October 28: Altar Servers: Volunteers needed. Lector: Lynn Lane.

Sunday, October 29: Altar Servers: Jack & Bennett Kennedy. Lector: Joan Schanilec.

WARSAW: Sun., Oct. 22: Altar Servers: Jaxon Sands, Estefano Moncada, John Paul Kerian, Joseph Sands. Lector: Todd Burianek.

Sunday, October 29: Altar Servers: Jaxon Sands, Joseph Vandal, Damian Bushaw, Ben Gudajtes. Lector: Todd Burianek.

#### **ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

ALL SOULS' DAY ENVELOPES were attached to a previous bulletin. Please return them in the collection basket by Sun., Oct. 29, 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 Mass intentions on Thurs., Nov. 2, at Sacred Heart and St. Stanislaus. Times to be determined. 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.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY COLLECTION ON OCTOBER 22, 2023: Embrace the Pope's Missions with "Hearts on Fire, Feet on the Move" this World Mission Sunday! Today, Pope Francis echoes the universal call of our Baptism—to be Christ's witnesses to the world. As we gather with global Catholics on this World Mission Sunday, our prayers and contributions to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith bolster the Pope's missions enabling: \* over 844,000 catechists to share the faith \* 258,540 Religious Sisters to tend to families and children \* 38,140 seminarians to journey towards the priesthood \* education for 26 million children \* medical assistance in 12,000 clinics. By supporting this cause, we truly live out the call to be the spark that transforms lives. May your prayers and gifts create ripples of love and transformation. Thank you for your missionary zeal! Envelopes are in your boxed set of envelopes or use one of your own envelopes marked World Mission Sunday and include your name if you so wish.

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

HIGH SCHOOL RELIGIOUS ED. CLASSES for grades 9-12 will be on Wed., Oct. 25, 6:45pm to 8:00pm. The girls in grades 11 & 12 will meet at Mary Pat's house in Warsaw (NW of the Gianna Home). The girls in grades 9 & 10 will meet at John & Dawn Miller's house in Minto. The boys in grades 9-12 will have class with Fr. Moen on Wed., Oct. 25, at St. Stanislaus Church basement in Warsaw at 6:45pm.

RELIGIOUS ED. CLASSES for grades K-8 on Wed., Oct. 25, 6:30-7:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church in Minto.

"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, Oct. 24** (notice change to **TUESDAYS**) at 7:15pm. Based on the book of that title by author Elizabeth M. Kelly, we are introduced to seven little known female saints who have lived the virtues of obedience, friendship, perseverance, patience, faith, courage, hope, etc. At the end of each chapter, there are questions for journaling, discussion, and prayer. Each chapter is about 20 pages. Book comments: "Liz Kelly paints the portraits of real woman who sought virtue and holiness in their daily lives. This new book will inspire many to live the life of holiness and peace that we are all called to as disciples of Jesus." Please contact Joan at 360-2499 with questions.

GOD'S GIFT APPEAL: Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2023 God's Gift Appeal. As of Oct. 20, Sacred Heart Parish is 62.42% towards its goal of \$33,816 with 34.13% participation and St. Stanislaus Parish is 53.63% towards its goal of \$23,788 with 37.50% 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.

THE HEALING POWER OF GOD October 27-29 Rachel's Vineyard Retreat: If you or someone you love has been suffering from the emotional and spiritual pains of an abortion – no matter how much time has passed – please know that a Rachel's Vineyard retreat weekend will help your soul transform that pain into hope for the future. You are not alone. Join us from October 27-29 for a safe, loving, and confidential weekend to experience the healing power of God's infinite mercy. This retreat is sponsored by the Diocese of Fargo, ND. To register or get information, contact Carol Kling at 605-374-5639 or <a href="mailto:cking@sdplains.com">ckling@sdplains.com</a>

MADE FOR MORE, NOV. 16, STS. ANNE & JOACHIM CHURCH, FARGO: MADE FOR MORE is an inspired blend of teaching, live music, and art that taps the deepest desires of the human heart revealing their ultimate purpose and goal. Want to be inspired by beauty and the wisdom of the Church? Join Christopher West and Mike Mangione as they offer a vision of the Gospel like you've never heard through the lens of Saint John Paul II's Theology of the Body. Tickets are only \$25 and are on sale now. Get your tickets today by visiting <a href="https://math.nih.goa.

**BINGO** at St. Mary's Church hall, Park River, **Oct. 29** and Christmas Bingo on **Dec. 10**. All at 2:00pm. Cash & assorted prizes. \$5. per card. 20 games.

<u>FALL DINNERS:</u> St. Rose of Lima, Argyle, Sun., **Oct. 29**, 12 noon to 5:00pm. Turkey & ham. Raffle, Bingo, baked goods at the mall. St. Rose of Lima, Hillsboro, Sun., **Nov. 5**, 11:00am-1:30pm. Turkey dinner served family style. Sacred Heart, Minto, Sun., **Nov. 5**, 11:00am-2:00pm at the Minto Community Center. Meatballs, ham, sauerkraut & pork, desserts.

#### **MINTO**

<u>THANK YOU</u> for the following donations: <u>Sacred Heart Cemetery:</u> In memory of **Robbie Votava** by Eugene & Mary Ellen Balek. In memory of **Steve & Annie Stoltman** by Larry & Janice Sieg.

13TH ANNUAL MINI-RAFFLE will be held on Sun., Nov. 5, at the Sacred Heart Church Fall Dinner at the Minto Community Center. The deadline for accepting donations for the 2023 mini-raffle has past. The earlier deadline was due to a clarification in the requirements for applying for a ND gaming permit, which required additional information. If you have any questions, you may contact Lynn Lane or Mary (Lyle) Mondry. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

<u>RAFFLE TICKETS:</u> You may return your quilt raffle tickets in the **collection basket in Minto only by Nov. 5** or turn them in at the quilt raffle ticket table at the fall dinner on Nov. 5 up until the time of the drawing. If returning tickets by mail, please mail them so that they are received by **Nov. 3**.

**FOOD & BAKE SALE** at the Sacred Heart Fall Dinner to benefit the Sacred Heart Religious Education Program, Sun., **Nov. 5**, 11:00am to 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, **November 4**, or by early Sunday morning, **November 5**.

OCTOBER CHURCH CLEANING: Lead: Jane Nice. Colleen Alphson, Kyle & Jane Nice, Steve Novak, Shane & Nicky Robinson, Helen Zikmund.

### **WARSAW**

OCTOBER CHURCH CLEANING: Lead: John & Heather Narloch. Mike Ginter, Jacob Kazmierczak, Josh Kazmierczak, Mike & Kristi Stoltman.