



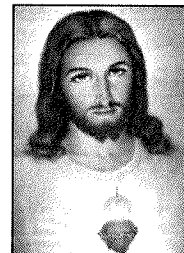
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**October 25, 2020**  
**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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**POPE FRANCIS—Excerpt from the GENERAL AUDIENCE**  
**Paul VI Audience Hall—Wednesday 21 October 2020**

*Dear brothers and sisters, good morning!*

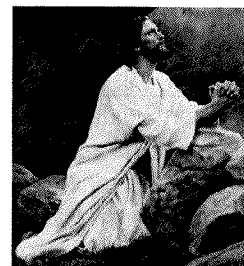
...Today we will complete the catechesis on the *prayer of the Psalms*. Above all, we see how there often appears a negative figure in the Psalms, called the “wicked” person, that is, he or she who lives as if God does not exist. This is the person without any transcendent referent, whose arrogance has no limits, who fears no judgment regarding what he or she thinks or does.

For this reason, the Psalter presents prayer as the fundamental reality of life. The reference to the absolute and to the transcendent – which the spiritual masters call the “holy fear of God” – and which makes us completely human, is the boundary that saves us from ourselves, preventing us from venturing into life in a predatory and voracious manner. Prayer is the salvation of the human being. There certainly also exists a false prayer, a prayer said only for the admiration of others. The person or those persons who go to Mass only to make it seen that they are Catholics or to show off the latest fashion that they acquired, or to make a good impression in society. They are moving toward false prayer. Jesus strongly admonished against such prayer (see *Mt 6:5-6; Lk 9:14*). But when the true spirit of prayer is sincerely received and enters the heart, it then allows us to contemplate reality with God’s very eyes.

When one prays, everything acquires “depth”. This is interesting in prayer, perhaps something subtle begins but in prayer that thing acquires depth, it becomes weighty, as if God takes it in hand and transforms it. The worst service someone can give God, and others as well, is to pray tiredly, by rote. To pray like parrots. No, one prays with the heart. Prayer is the center of life. If there is prayer, even a brother, a sister, even an enemy becomes important. An old saying from the first Christian monks reads: “Blessed the monk who regards every human being as God, after God” (Evagrius Ponticus, *Trattato sulla preghiera*, n. 122). Those who adore God, love His children. Those who respect God, respect human beings.

And so, prayer is not a sedative to alleviate life’s anxieties; or, in any case, this type of prayer is certainly not Christian. Rather, prayer makes each of us responsible. We see this clearly in the “Our Father” that Jesus taught His disciples.....

(To read more, go to [http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/audiences/2020/documents/papa-francesco\\_20201021\\_udienza-generale.html](http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/audiences/2020/documents/papa-francesco_20201021_udienza-generale.html))



**MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday	Oct. 24	5:00 pm (Minto)	+ Peter & Dorothy Kilichowski by Marvin & Sherrie Altendorf.	
Sunday	Oct. 25	8:30 am (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	<b>Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Alice Paschke by Chet Paschke family.	
Monday	Oct. 26	—————	No Monday morning Masses in Minto.	
Tuesday	Oct. 27	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Louise Schanilec by Sacred Heart Altar Society.	
Wednesday	Oct. 28	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Susan Gudajtes by John Gudajtes.	<i>Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles</i>
Thursday	Oct. 29	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Andrew & Frances Kosmatka and John & Martha Ebertowski by Ernestine Ebertowski.	
Friday	Oct. 30	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Rudy Rudnik by Felix Rudnik family.	
Saturday	Oct. 31	—————	No morning Mass in Minto. Fr. Moen will be at the Ordination of Permanent Deacons in Fargo.	
		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 <b>All Souls’ Day</b>	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)	

**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 18, 2020: Minto = \$2,882 Warsaw = \$1,364

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

**MINTO: Sat., Oct. 31:** Lector: Volunteer needed.

**Sun., Nov. 1:** Lector: Irene Evenson.

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

**Sun., Nov. 1:** Altar Servers: Dominic Bushaw, Damian Bushaw, Jaxon Sands. 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.

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY:** Thank you for answering, "Here I Am, Send Me" to your baptismal call to witness for mission on World Mission Sunday! Please continue to pray for missionaries and for the people to whom they bring the "Good News" of Jesus. May God bless you for your generous missionary spirit! If you have not yet made a donation, you may still do so by using the envelope in your boxed set of envelopes or by using your own plain white envelope clearly marked "World Mission Sunday". You may put it in next weekend's collection basket or mail it to the parish office, PO Box 316, Minto ND 58261.

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES NORTH DAKOTA OCTOBER 24-25!** Please join us in your parish or online at: [www.CatholicCharitiesND.org](http://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](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. 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** Wed., **Oct. 28**, 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—OCTOBER 25, 2020 – THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:** *"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul and with all your mind."* – MATTHEW 22:37 Do you put other "gods" before God? Is your love of money, power, status, comfort or some personal possession greater than your love for God? Do you really recognize that everything you have and that everything you are is a gift from God? The good news – it's not too late to put God first in all things in your life.

## MINTO

**THANK YOU** for the following donation: **Sacred Heart Cemetery:** In memory of **Karen Farder** by Michael Farder.

**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.

**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

**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.