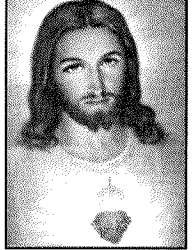




St. Stanislaus Parish
Warsaw, ND
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September 18, 2022
Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Prudent Stewards: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The steward in today's Gospel confronts the reality that he can't go on living the way he has been. He is under judgment. He must give account for what he has done.

The exploiters of the poor in today's First Reading are also about to be pulled down, to be thrust from their stations. Servants of mammon, or money, they're so in love with wealth that they reduce the poor to objects; they despise the new moons and sabbaths—the observances and holy days of God.

Their only hope is to follow the steward's path. He is no model of repentance. But he makes a prudent calculation—to use his last hours in charge of his master's property to show mercy to others, to relieve their debts.

He is a child of this world, driven by a purely selfish motive—to make friends and be welcomed into the homes of his master's debtors. Yet his prudence is commended as an example to us, the children of light. We too must realize, as the steward does, that what we have is not honestly ours, but in truth belongs to another, our Master.

All the mammon in the world could not have paid the debt we owe our Master. So He paid it for us. He gave His life as a ransom for all, as we hear in today's Epistle.

God wants everyone to be saved, even kings and princes, even the lovers of money. But we cannot serve two Masters. By His grace, we should choose to be, as we sing in today's Psalm, "servants of the Lord."

We serve Him by using what He has entrusted us with to give alms, to lift the lowly from the dust and dunghills of this world. By this we will gain what is ours and be welcomed into eternal dwellings, the many mansions of the Father's house.

<https://stpaulcenter.com/audio/sunday-bible-reflections/prudent-stewards-scott-hahn-reflects-on-the-twenty-fifth-sunday-in-ordinary-time/>



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	Sept. 17	5:00 pm (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	
Sunday	Sept. 18	8:30 am (Minto)	+ Marty Olmstead by Kyle & Jane Nice.	Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ William Kosmatka by Polish National Alliance Lodge No. 3043 of Warsaw.	
Monday	Sept. 19	10:30 am (Minto)	+ Funeral for Jane Grzadzielewski.	<i>St. Januarius, Bishop & Martyr</i>
Tuesday	Sept. 20	7:30 am (Warsaw)	The Vandal family by Wendy Daninger.	<i>Sts Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, and Paul Chong Ha-sang, and Companions, Martyrs</i>
Wednesday	Sept. 21	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Dale Niswonger by the Niswonger family.	<i>St. Matthew, Apostle & Evangelist</i>
Thursday	Sept. 22	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Elmer Altendorf by Don & Susan Barclay.	
Friday	Sept. 23	8:00 am (Minto)	+ David Slominski by Deb Slominski and family.	<i>St. Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest</i>
Saturday	Sept. 24	—————	No Saturday morning Mass in Minto.	
		5:00 pm (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	
Sunday	Sept. 25	8:30 am (Minto)	+ Raul Rodriguez, Sr., by family.	Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Victor Richter by Victor & Paige Sweeney.	

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 September 11, 2022: Minto = \$3,874. Warsaw = \$2,014.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

MINTO: Saturday, September 24: Altar Servers: Volunteers needed. **Lector:** Irene Evenson.

Sunday, September 25: Altar Servers: Jack & Bennett Kennedy. **Lector:** Jan Altendorf.

WARSAW: Sun., Sept. 18: Altar Servers: Damian Bushaw, James Vandal, Krystian Gudajtes, Julian Risky. **Lector:** Jason Plutowski.

Sun., Sept. 25: Altar Servers: Ben Gudajtes, Jaxon Sands, Joseph Vandal, Damian Bushaw. **Lector:** Jason Plutowski.

ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

HIGH SCHOOL RELIGIOUS ED. CLASSES for grades 9-12 will start on Wed., **September 21**, at 6:45pm at the St. Gianna Home, Warsaw. Letters and class schedules have been mailed to parents.

RELIGIOUS ED. CLASSES for grades K-8 will start on Wed., **September, 28**, at 6:30 p.m. at St. Stanislaus Church in Warsaw. Parents (orientation) and children (Circle of Grace lesson) need to attend this class. Registration letters have been mailed to parents. If you did not receive a letter and your child or children will be attending religious ed. classes this year, please contact the parish office 248-3589. Remember to return all registration forms by Sept. 21 so that a workbook can be prepared for your child.

COLLECTION FOR THE RELIGIOUS ED. PROGRAM will be taken the weekend of **September 24 & 25** in both parishes. Envelopes are attached to this weekend's bulletins.

MEN FROM THE PARISHES OF ST. STANISLAUS AND SACRED HEART are invited to an inquiry meeting about starting a men's group. The first meeting will be on Tuesday, **October 4**, in the St. Stanislaus Church basement. The meeting will begin with coffee and a light breakfast at **6:15am**. The schedule and format of future meetings will be discussed. The meeting will finish before the 7:30am Mass. The group will be led by Peter Vandal, an Alumni missionary of Hard as Nails Ministry. Catholic men are called to challenge each other to be virtuous men of God the Father. "Iron Sharpens Iron and One Man Sharpens Another." Proverbs 27:17.

GOD'S GIFT APPEAL: Thanks to all our parishioners for their 2022 God's Gift Appeal donations. Sacred Heart is 71.71% towards its goal of \$30,742 and St. Stanislaus is 71.08% towards its goal of \$21,625. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out the commitment card you received in the mail or one of the commitment cards located in the back of the church and return it in the collection basket or mail it to the Diocese of Fargo. Please participate in the support of our diocesan church.

DONATIONS ARE NEEDED FOR OUR CEMETERIES: The mowing season is still here and the cemeteries are in need of funds. Any memorial or donation will be greatly appreciated.

REDEEMED EUCHARISTIC CONFERENCE: Sept. 23-24, 2022, at Delta by Marriott, Fargo. Cost: \$75. The Conference will feature presentations by Bishop Andrew Cozzens, Msgr. James Shea, Sr. Miriam James Heidland, and Dr. Mary Healy. Have your faith built up through powerful encounters with the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist during Mass with Bishop Folda, a Eucharistic Holy Hour with music provided by Aly Aleigha, and a Eucharistic healing service. In addition to all this, there will also be the rare opportunity to view the relics of Blessed Carlo Acutis and Saint Manuel Garcia. Register online at fargodiocese.org/redeemed or use the registration form that was attached to a previous bulletin.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES SUNDAY is the weekend of **October 1 & 2**. Catholic Charities ND relies on the generous support from parishioners and community members to continue to offer much needed services to those who need it most. Services include Guardianship Services for the Vulnerable and Pregnancy, Parenting, and Adoption Services. Envelopes will be attached to the bulletins the weekend of October 1 & 2.

CLASSICAL DESSERTS ENCORE: Dr. Jay Hershberger and Dr. Gregory Hamilton return to St. Edward's Church in Drayton for a recital on Sunday, **September 18**, 3:00 pm. The music of Beethoven, Chausson, & Miaskovsky will be performed followed by a dessert buffet of German, French, and Russian pastry. Freewill offering. Proceeds will go to the St. Edward's Building Fund.

CHICKEN & MEATBALL DINNER: St. Mary's, 3rd Ave South and Belmont Road, Grand Forks, Sunday, Sept. 25, 11:30am-2:30pm. Menu: Chicken, dressing, meatballs, potatoes, gravy, green beans, coleslaw, rolls, dessert. Adults \$15.00, children 5-10 \$8.00, children 4 & under free. Carry-out meals available. Everyone is welcome!

FALL DINNER: St. Brigid's, Cavalier, Sunday, Sept. 25, 11:30am-2:00pm. Dine in or take out. Everyone is welcome!

FALL DINNER: St. Mary's, Park River, Sunday, Oct. 2, 11:00am-1:00pm. Menu: Meatballs, mashed potatoes, veggie, roll, homemade pie. Adults & youth 13 on up \$15.00, children 6-12 \$10.00, age 5 & under free. Raffle, Grandma's Pantry, Board Raffles, Silent Basket Auction, Bingo.

FALL SUPPER: St. Boniface, Walhalla, Sunday, Oct. 2, 2:00 pm-5:00pm. Turkey and all the trimmings! Adults (13 & up) and all take outs \$12.00, Children 6-12 \$6:00, Children 5 and under free. For take outs, call 701-549-3436. Everyone is welcome!

FALL DINNER: St. John's, Grafton, Sunday, Oct. 9, 11:00am-2:00pm. Turkey dinner. Dine in or take out. \$15.00 per plate for all ages. Country Store—homemade baked goods and canned goods. Cash raffle. Quilt Auction. Mini-affle. All are welcome!

FALL DINNER: Sacred Heart, Minto, Sunday, Nov. 6, 11:00am-2:00pm at the Minto Community Center. Handicapped accessible. Menu: Ham, meatballs, mashed potatoes & gravy, sauerkraut & pork, carrots, coleslaw, dinner rolls, pies, desserts. Adults \$13.00, children ages 6-12 \$6.00, children 5 and under free. Take-outs available. Quilt/Cash raffle. Mini-Raffle. Bake sale. Everyone is welcome!

MINTO

12TH ANNUAL MINI-RAFFLE to be held on **Sun., Nov. 6** at the **Sacred Heart Church Fall Dinner at the Minto Community Center**. Donations for **new items only** are requested. Items can be for men, women, or children. If you do crafts or woodworking; if you knit, crochet, embroider, or sew; or if you would like to purchase an item or a gift certificate and would like to donate the item for the mini-affle, please call **Mary Mondry at 248-3795**. Items can be dropped off now or as soon as possible, but please call first. *All kinds of items are needed. Deadline to drop off items is Oct. 28.* Donations received after the Oct. 28 deadline will be held over for a future mini-affle. Suggestions for the mini-affle: toys, games, puzzles, CD's, DVD's, books, kitchen items, seasonal decorations, knick-knacks, religious articles, winter scarves and mittens, tools, towels, pillowcases, aprons, gift baskets, jewelry, gift certificates. Your help is needed to make the mini-affle a success.

SEPTEMBER CHURCH CLEANING: Lead: Josh & Nicole Hefta. Charlene Altendorf, Curtis & Sandy Gerszewski, John & Gloria Mozinski, Carol Osowski, Don Schanilec, Melvin & Cathy Tibert.

WARSAW

FALL PARISH POTLUCK: St. Stanislaus will be having a Fall Parish Potluck following Mass on **October 2**. Sloppy Joes will be served. Please bring an item to share with others. Salads, desserts, chips, dips, or bean dishes are great ideas. All are welcome. Call Bethany Plutowski if you have any questions.

SEPTEMBER CHURCH CLEANING: Lead: Roger & Yvonne Feltman. Gary & Bev Slominski, Wayne Feltman, Jodi Osowski.

DIVINE MERCY ADORATION CHAPEL

WELCOME to new adorers Matthew and Betty Gemmill from the Fordville area who will be doing the Holy Hour on Fridays at 4:00 p.m.!

ADORER IS NEEDED for the following Holy Hour in the Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel: **Sundays at 2:00 p.m.** Please contact Joan at 360-2499 if you are able to take this open hour on a part-time or full-time basis.