

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time January 14, 2018



Father, I abandon myself into your hands; do with me what you will. Whatever you do, I thank you: I am ready for all, I accept all. Let only your will be done in me, and in all your creatures. I wish no more than this, O Lord. Into your hands I commend my soul; I offer it to you with all the love of my heart, for I love you, Lord, and so need to give myself, to surrender myself into your hands without reserve and with boundless confidence, for you are my Father. Amen.
—Prayer of Abandonment by Bl. Charles de Foucauld

7 Ways to say 'Thanks' to God:
From Our Sunday Visitor – for more in depth, visit www.osv.com.

1. Go to Mass
2. Do what Jesus told us to do
3. Don't put a gift from God in your sock drawer
4. Say 'thank you' to others... and mean it
5. Write it down
6. Take care of yourself
7. Avoid ingratitude

Thanksgiving Prayers from Scripture:
[Psalm 95](#); [Psalm 100](#); [Psalm 118:29](#)
[Philippians 4:6](#); [Psalm 103: 1-5](#)
[Psalm 28:7](#); [Psalm 136:1-5](#)

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Sacrament of Reconciliation
St. Bernard: Sat. 3:30 to 4:30 PM
All Saints: 8:00 to 8:20 AM Sunday
Daily: Beginning ½ hour before and ending 10 minutes prior to Mass

Sacrament of Marriage
Contact pastor 6 to 12 months prior.

Sacrament of Baptism
May be celebrated during Sunday Mass or midday on Sunday outside Mass. A class is required prior to the Baptism of your child.
Daily Mass will be said, even if there is a funeral.

**THE CATHOLIC PARISHES OF:
SAINT BERNARD, REDFIELD & ALL SAINTS, MELLETTE**

St. Bernard Office Hours: Mon 8am-4pm; Tues 10am-5pm; Wed 9am-9pm (summer 9am-3pm); Thu 9am-3pm; Fri 8am-3pm

Father Tom's Teaching:

"What are you looking for?"

This is one of the most interesting questions in scripture because it really makes us think. What is it that I really want. Sure there are many things that we want: I want that new video game, I want to do well with my work, I want to watch some TV, I want to hang out with my friends. But we can't even deceive ourselves into believing that this is enough for us. This man in the Gospel asks us what we are REALLY looking for.

When we think about it a little deeper we might answer that we are looking for a relationship or we are looking for a happy career. But that too seems like a means to an end-- a path that we seek in order to have what we really want. "What are you looking for?" How would you answer this question?

As we look around at the change of seasons and the changes of our lives we might finally answer that we are looking for meaning, or fulfillment, or peace amid the chaos of this life. We ultimately want to know that we are not alone in the cosmos.

This man, Jesus, speaks like no one else. He has a deep wisdom that goes to the soul. Maybe he has an answer to my desires. And so we, like James and John, want to learn from him..."where are you staying." Where can I listen to you and learn from you? Can you give me everything that I really want?

He answers us: "come and see!" Come and see who I am and what I have to teach you. If you don't come, you may never know. Christ is inviting us to really give Him a try. Spend time with Him in prayer in the chapel each day for 10-20 minutes; and allow Him to lead you to what you desire.

From the Pastor: I wanted to express my great thanks for the many gifts and prayers that people gave me for Christmas. I will be trying to write individual thank you notes. However, please be aware that in some cases I was not able to read the signatures or addresses--and so won't be able to send you a thank you personally.

9 DAYS FOR LIFE
PRAYER-PENANCE-PILGRIMAGE
The U.S. Bishops annual novena 9 Days for Life takes place Thursday, January 18 – Friday, January 26. Pray for the respect and protection of all human life with new intentions, brief reflections, and more each day. Download the novena online, or participate through Facebook, email, text message or an app. Join at www.9daysforlife.com!

Daily Readings:

Monday, January 15, 2018

1 Sm 15:16-23
Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday, January 16, 2018

1 Sm 16:1-13
Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday, January 17, 2018

St. Anthony, Abbot
1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51
Mk 3:1-6

Thursday, January 18, 2018

1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7
Mk 3:7-12

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins

Friday, January 19, 2018

1 Sm 24:3-21
Mk 3:13-19

Saturday, January 20, 2018

St. Fabian, Pope & Martyr;
St. Sebastian, Martyr
2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27
Mk 3:20-21

Sunday, January 21, 2018

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jon 3:1-5, 10
1 Cor 7:29-31
Mk 1:14-20

St. Bernard Rummage Sale:

Parishioners are invited to donate items for a Rummage Sale that will be held on Thursday, January 25th in the Parish Hall, with the funds going to the St. Bernard Youth Groups for various activities they are planning. See the poster for more information. No furniture will be accepted. Contact Holly Heber or Angela Weller with questions. The Rummage Sale will run from 7am-7pm on Thursday, January 25th, set up will be on Wednesday, January 24th. Workers are needed – please sign up in the back or with Angela in the office. This will be a free-will offering rummage sale, so items do not need prices. Thanks for making this a success!

Schedule for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass: January 15th – 21st

Monday		Jan 15	No Mass – Father's Sabbath Day of Rest
Tuesday	Office Closed – CFSA Mtg.	Jan 16	5:30 PM Mellette † Poor Souls
Wednesday		Jan 17	9:30 AM Lakeside Int. of Carol Miller
Wednesday		Jan 17	7:15 PM Redfield Respect Life
Thursday	Adoration 9am-9pm	Jan 18	8:30 AM Redfield † Lee & Bertha Kruthoff
Friday		Jan 19	8:30 AM Redfield † Geri Heim
Saturday		Jan 20	8:30 AM Redfield † Chris Esser
SATURDAY		Jan 20	5:00 PM Redfield Mass for the People
SUNDAY		Jan 21	8:30 AM Mellette † Terry Akin
SUNDAY		Jan 21	10:30 AM Redfield † Tim & Shirley Binger

Liturgy Schedule for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass - January 20th & 21st

	GREETER/USHER	LECTOR	SERVERS	GIFTS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER	COUNTERS/HOMEBOUND
5:00PM ST BERNARD	Mike & Sandy Jungwirth	Stephanie Hansen	Ivan Blume Lilly Blume Braden Terry	Dianna Clausen Jeanette Noyes	Mike Jungwirth Sandy Jungwirth Margaret Jungwirth	HB 9AM Sunday: Nancy Blume
8:30AM ALL SAINTS	Roger & Deann Zens	Laura Melius	Nathan Melius Landen Melius Nikki Nickeson	Dave & Judy Ortmeier	Roger Hansen Dottie Hansen	Dave Kramp Mark Fischbach
10:30AM ST BERNARD	Bob Oberfoell Elmer Burggraff	Jim Burdick	Simon Burdick Madisen George Autumn Olsen	Jaime Osborn Family	Leonard Deibert Judy Carroll Mary Appel	Team 3 Judy & Marlys

Religious Education: Grade K-6th will meet from 3:30-4:30, Grades 7-9 will meet from 7-8pm, Grades 10-12 meet as directed by the mentors. **Classes Wednesday, Jan. 17th will let out ½ hour early** due to a teacher spiritual enrichment meetings. Elementary will dismiss at 4:30pm and evening will dismiss at 8pm.

Office Closed: The Parish Office will be closed Tuesday as Father, Tracey and Angela will be attending a CFSA Regional Meeting in Aberdeen during the day. Please call Angela cell phone, 450-9816, if needed.

St. Bernard Rummage Sale: More items are needed to hold this rummage sale! Please bring items to the hall for the sale that will be held on Thursday, January 25th from 7am-7pm. The funds will be going to the St. Bernard Youth Groups. Contact Holly Heber or Angela Weller with questions. Workers are needed – please sign up in the back or in the office. This will be a free-will offering sale, items do not need prices.

45th Hour of Reflection and Life Chain Walk: Sunday, January 21, 2018 at State Capitol Rotunda, Pierre. Hoven church have a charter bus to take people to the Hour of Reflection and Life Chain Walk. Contact Sara Colombe at 320-630-7844 to reserve your bus seat!

Community Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Fundraiser Luncheon at Roosters on Sunday January 28th from 11am – 2pm. Broasted Chicken Dinner with all the trimmings. Bring the whole family! *Take-out orders available---Call Roosters to order: 302-0200 *Free Will Offering. Fundraiser for Community Memorial Hospital & Redfield Clinic Equipment Needs

Fr. Tom directing Weekend Retreat at Abbey of the Hills Feb 2nd-4th. Retreat Theme: **Teach Us to Pray** Rediscover peace with Fr. Tom Anderson as he guides you through a weekend of exploration. Learn different ways to pray and grow in your relationship with Christ. Register at www.abbeyofthehills.org.

Job Opportunity: Sacred Heart Parish of Aberdeen is accepting applications for a **Parish Director of Discipleship & Evangelization**. The incumbent will assist the Pastor with the formation needs of parishioners. Responsibilities include planning, organizing and sometimes leading parish events, training and programs as well as recruiting, equipping and forming discipleship leaders to further the mission of discipleship and evangelization within the parish and community. A detailed Job Description can be found at www.sacredheartaberdeen.net or in the Sacred Heart Parish Office. Please send inquiries and resumes to Fr Mark Lichter, 502 2nd Ave SE, Aberdeen SD 57401

Thank You for your generosity!

St. Bernard

Weekly Budget: \$3,565;
Last Week: \$4,347;
Collect YTD: \$105,218
Regular-\$3,331; Child-\$33;
Loose-\$275; Mary-\$237;
Christmas-\$100; Fuel-\$326;
Mass-\$45

All Saints

Child-\$19; Loose-\$92;
Reg-\$1,030; Votive-\$5.64
Mass-\$10

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS NEWS:

Patty Fuegen, Regent – 460-0911 Meets the 3rd Wednesday of each month

CDA Meeting: THIS Wed, January 17th at 5:15pm with supper. Please invite a lady or two to come to the meeting with you!

Baby Layettes: Collection of NB-12mo new items through January. Place items in the bassinet at the front of church or outside the office.

Prayer Chain: Contact Deborah at bbi@abe.midco.net or 460-1123.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS:

James Logan, Grand Knight -472-1403 Meet the 2nd Thu each month at 8pm

If you would like to rent the KC Hall – Contact Joe Keller at 460-3017

***Monthly meeting** is Thursday, February 15th at 8pm at the KC Hall.

Vocation Teaching: A good Vocation Prayer to say every day, from the time we are ten years old until we are ninety years old, is found in today's first reading: "Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening." Try it today!

RIGHT TO LIFE: Shirley Holt –first Wed of each month at 5pm

"Pray with a multi-faceted novena that includes a new intention, brief reflection, bonus information, and suggested actions each day. Sign up now & participate Thursday, January 18 – Friday, January 26: www.9daysforlife.com" –USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

Quilting Bee Prayer Group: Initial planning meeting to start a Quilting Bee Prayer Group on Friday mornings after Mass to make blankets for babies. First meeting will be Friday, January 26th following Mass. Everyone is invited to the meeting and help plan what can be done on Friday mornings in prayer.

Church Pictures: If anyone has any pictures with the interior of the church from prior to 1980, we would like to get a copy of it from you. We have a scanner here at church that we can take a copy of them and return the picture(s) to you. Thank you in advance for looking and sharing these pictures.

Contribution Statements: St. Bernard 2017 contribution statements are prepared. Angela will be handing them out following Mass or you can stop in the office to pick yours up. All will be mailed out prior to Jan 31.

Parent Resources: www.CatholicMom.com has several worksheets, coloring pages, puzzles and activities for children on Sunday's Gospel that is up to date for several weeks in advance.

KC Blood Drive: Monday, January 29th from 12-6:15pm at the KC Hall. Call Marvin Mannie to schedule an appointment at 472-2733 or go to www.bloodhero.com, sponsor code: Redfield.

All Saints News: If the church is locked, call Cindy at 887-3175 or Dolores at 887-3320.

* Special thanks to the religious education families who hosted the potluck this morning.

* January cleaning group members are Terri Fischbach, Judy Gabur, & Paulette Wagner. Please contact Robyn Morgan to set up schedule.

* Additional parking is available on the east end of the church on the grass. The east door into the hall will be unlocked for Mass each Sunday so that people can enter the church for Mass without walking around.

* We have a new opportunity at All Saints to expose our families to some good Catholic content in the form of Lighthouse Catholic Media CDs. Each month 5 new CDs of the same title will be available for parishioners to borrow. These CDs will be located in the entrance of the church.

Upcoming Events

- o AS Religious Ed Teacher Formation/Training at 6:00 PM on Wednesday, January 24, 2018.
- o AS Pastoral Council meets at 6:00 PM on Tuesday, January 30, 2018.
- o Lector training beginning at 7:00 PM followed by Extraordinary Minister training at approx.7:30 PM on Tuesday, January 30th, 2018.