

Daily Readings:

Monday, July 1, 2019

St Junipero Serra, Priest
Gn 18:16-33
Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday, July 2, 2019

Gn 19:15-29
Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday, July 3, 2019

St. Thomas, Apostle
Eph 2:19-22
Jn 20:24-29

Thursday, July 4, 2019

Gn 22:1b-19
Mt 9:1-8

Independence Day

Friday, July 5, 2019

St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest
St. Elizabeth of Portugal
Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67
Mt 9:9-13

Saturday, July 6, 2019

St. Marie Goretti, Virgin & Martyr
Gn 27:1-5, 15-29
Mt 9:14-17

Sunday, July 7, 2019

Fourteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time
Is 66:10-14c
Gal 6:14-18
Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

VOCATION Bible School

Aug 19-22 – Summer VBS!!

Avera Farmer's Stress Hotline: Call 1-800-691-4336. It's free, confidential and available 24/7. Even those with toughened hands and hearts need someone to talk to.

Message from Father Tom:

A few years back we celebrated the "year of the priest." Personally, I was grateful but perhaps a bit uncomfortable with the attention that the "Year of the Priest" afforded. After all, I am frequently impressed by the holiness that our own married, single, or religious (Cont. above...)

(Cont....) persons exhibit. And we are all well aware of the lack of holiness, that some clergy exhibit. As one parishioner joked: "when will we have the year of the farmer?" But, perhaps in this, we are all missing the point. It was never really the year of the *priests*, but the year of the *priesthood*. Priesthood is something far bigger than the individual priests.

What is priesthood? In the Old Testament, the priest was the one to offer sacrifice. Sacrifice and priesthood are inseparably linked. Think for example of the thanksgiving sacrifice offered by Cain and Abel in the book of Genesis. They each took something from their livelihood—grains of wheat and a lamb, respectively—and burned and destroyed it before God almighty.

A priestly act like this presupposes, first, that we owe God everything in our lives. Cain and Able had life, and food, and shelter, and family—all blessings from God. Abraham realized that even his only son Isaac really belonged to God. Secondly, because we have received everything from God, we should give back a portion to symbolize that we recognize it's His. So, a priestly sacrifice is both a reminder for us that we have received everything from God and also a request that God see our devotion to Him and answer our requests for *further blessing*.

Interestingly, both thanksgiving sacrifices and sacrifices of petition are made on a daily basis by people all over the world. When we speak about the priesthood of the laity, we refer to the way that just about anyone can give a sacrifice of thanks God and request further blessings by personal sacrifices. But there is a *third type of sacrifice* and this is the one that was mostly reserved to the Levitical Priesthood and the Priesthood of Christ: the sacrifice of forgiveness. The sacrifice of forgiveness is needed because we have done things against the will of our creator and therefore deserve to die. God has allowed that other things may die in our place: for example bulls and goats were sacrificed on an altar in the Old Testament. These sacrifices were always done ritually, not by just anyone. Thus, a priest is needed--one acceptable before God to offer this sacrifice of forgiveness.

We priests, as men, are not acceptable before God; but our priesthood is actually Christ's priesthood. So, for example, when I stand at the altar during mass, it is actually Christ using my hands to offer the sacrifice to the Father. Christ offers His body and Blood (so he is the victim). Christ is the one standing at the altar: so he is the one priest. Therefore, the reason that we could celebrate a "year of the priest" is because, through God's continued generosity, *Christ is present at every mass* to offer sacrifice for our sins.



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

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

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time June 30, 2019



Peter's Pence Collection: Today is the worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

Lord Jesus,
You have called us to a mission.
You send us into a hurting world
to bring the Good News.
Too often we are afraid.
We want to hold onto
what is comfortable and
predictable.
We want to be with people
who are just like us,
rather than reach out
to the poor and marginalized.
Give us the freedom of your Spirit
so that we can serve one another
out of love.
Let us know the joy of breaking out
of our comfort zone
to find you at work in the most
unexpected places.
Amen.

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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.

Schedule for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass: July 1st – 7th

Monday	Office Closed	Jul 01	** No Mass – Father’s Sabbath Day of Rest
Tuesday		Jul 02	5:30 PM Mellette † Ethelene Fliehe
Wednesday		Jul 03	9:30 AM RCRC † Cletus Stemper
Thursday	No Adoration/Office Closed	Jul 04	8:30 AM Redfield † Chris Esser
Friday	Office Closed	Jul 05	** No Mass (No 1 st Friday Mass in Redfield)
Saturday		Jul 06	8:30 AM Redfield † Dianne Clausen & Family
SATURDAY		Jul 06	5:00 PM Redfield † Seth Robinson
SUNDAY		Jul 07	8:30 AM Mellette Mass for the People
SUNDAY		Jul 07	10:30 AM Redfield † Mike Huber

Liturgical Schedule for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass - July 6th & 7th

	GREETER/USHER	LECTOR	SERVERS	GIFTS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER	COUNTERS/HOMEBOUND
5:00 PM ST BERNARD	Brendan Roth Jeremy Fink	Deb Schultz	Corbin Schwartz Alex Shottenkirk Marcus Johnson	Gerry & Penney Robinson	Val Suchor Diane Svacina Deb Schultz	Homebound 9am Sunday: Bryon Anderson
8:30 AM ALL SAINTS	Dave & Judy Ortmeier	Hailey Boekelheide	Teryn Sparling Ella Boekelheide	Garrett & Rachel Ortmeier family	Denise Clemens David Melius	Chad Boekelheide Garrett Ortmeier
10:30 AM ST BERNARD	Elmer Burggraff Bill Esser	Carol Miller	Kyle Woodring Lincoln Woodring Isabelle Woodring	Mike & Sandy Jungwirth	James Logan Marvin Mannie Ruth Mason	Team 3 Judy & Marlys

Thank you: to everyone who celebrated with Father Tom for his Priest Appreciation and for the Corpus Christi Procession. What a blessing to have all of you gathered in fellowship and prayer!

D-Camp Please pray for our St. Bernard youth attending D-Camp this next week. There are 2 attending High School Camp from July 7th – 10th and 3 attending the Jr. High Camp from July 11th – 14th.

Job Opportunity for Music Director: Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Aberdeen is seeking a full-time Music Director. Full job description can be found at sacredheartaberdeen.net/employment-opportunities.

Footsteps of St. Paul Pilgrimage: June 11-24, 2020 – travel led by Fr. Tom Anderson. Detailed brochures available in August. Travel to Istanbul, Central Greece, Athens, Mykonos, Patmos and Ephesus.

Healing Service: Everyone is invited for a Healing Service following Mass on Saturday, July 13th. More information will be coming. Please prayerfully consider what you would like healing prayers for.

July 4th Activities: The Knights of Columbus need extra help on the 4th of July to pull off all of their activities. Please contact Doug L or Joe Keller to volunteer. Fireworks raffle, Concessions, Bingo, Tractor Pull, etc.

Back to School Supplies Needed: The Good Samaritan Center is looking for the following school supplies to get ready for this next school year: Colored Pencils, Colored Markers, 3-ring Binders, Fun Folders (covers with animals, etc.), and Highlighters. Other school supplies can be brought to the church as well. The Center also gives away a week’s worth of food to families and individuals worth almost \$28/week and try to make it a balanced diet. Health food and monetary donations are always welcome at the Center.

Vacation Bible School: Theme this year is VOCATION Bible School. The youth in grades K-6th are invited to learn more about being a priest, sister or brother, a married person, and a single person from August 19th – 22nd from 1-4pm each day. There will be a program on the final day for parents and friends to attend! To sign up to help or attend, please contact Tracey at sbernarddre@abe.midco.net or call or text her 450-8868.

Religious Education Teachers/Helpers: It takes a lot of volunteers to help our Religious Education program run smoothly. Please prayerfully consider teaching, helping, or substituting for this next religious education year. Please say YES and contact Tracey at sbernarddre@abe.midco.net or call her at 450-8868.

Formed.org: Don’t forget about our wonderful resource found at sbernardredfield.formed.org. If you have been on Formed before, you should have created your own logon and password. If you have not been on before, just visit the page and register! It’s simple to navigate through all the studies, books, movies, etc.

Thank You for your generosity!

St. Bernard

Weekly Budget: \$3,858;
Last Week: \$2,341
Collect YTD: \$190,408
Reg-\$2,022; Child-\$22;
Loose-\$177; Fuel-\$20;
Mass-\$80; Peter Pence-\$20
CFSA: \$350; \$56,558 pledged

All Saints

Child-\$16.50; Loose-\$121;
Reg-\$570; Peter’s-\$75

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS NEWS: Mary Lou Schwartz, Regent – 460-1554

Next CDA Meeting: There is no meeting in July, next meeting is August 21st at 5:15pm in the Parish Library. New members are always welcome.

Thank you: to everyone who helped and attending the Priest Appreciation lunch and Corpus Christi Procession.

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

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS: Doug Lemmer, Gr Knight, 612-201-8165

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

Monthly meeting is Thursday, July 11th at 8pm in KC Hall.

Cemetery Work Day: Thank you to all who helped on Saturday! The cemetery project is such a great service! New date will be listed soon!

Vocation Teaching: Can you imagine Jesus, facing His fate in the Garden of Gethsemane, deciding, “No, I’ll not go through with this? No, vocations mean perseverance. Pray for those struggling vocations.

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

“The purpose of freedom is that we might be servants of one another. Life in the Spirit is always oriented toward love and service for others.” ~United States Conference of Catholic Bishops Religious Freedom Week 2019

Stewardship Snippets: “For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh; rather serve one another through love.” (Galatians 5:13) We like to celebrate the fact that we are free to “live the good life.” But Jesus calls us to a different kind of freedom. St. Paul reminds us that Jesus sets us free so that we can serve one another, share our gifts and promote God’s work here on earth to glorify His name and not honor ourselves.

St. Bernard Campus Plans: The St. Bernard Pastoral Council met in May and decided to proceed with building a new rectory north of the church and to create a drive through drop off closer to the ramp and parking in the area the yard and current rectory are located. We are still working on plans, time tables, and other items. Please be patient as we work on these and we will be getting communication out to all parishioners when we have more finalized plans and time lines. Please pray for this process!

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

* Please contact Jeanne if you are able to help host any of the summer coffee and donut fellowships.

The first one will be Sunday, July 14th followed by August 11th, and September 8th.

* If you have not returned your CFSA pledge card you can put them in the collection on Sunday or drop them in the mail to the parish. If you have misplaced your card let Jeanne know and she can get one for you. We are currently \$3,450 short of our \$14,000 goal. Even if you are unable to contribute financially please return your pledge card. Perhaps you could offer a prayer for the success of the program and the many ministries that are funded by CFSA.

* Cleaning group members for July are: Rose Hoellein, Dottie Hansen, & Deann Zens. Please contact Robyn Morgan to set up the cleaning schedule for the month.

* Hall carpet cleaning is currently scheduled for Tuesday, July 2nd.

* Women in high school and older are invited to the Women’s Scripture Study this summer at All Saints. We will meet eight Friday mornings at 7:30 a.m. in the parish hall. **No study July 5th** the group will meet again July 12, 19, 26, and August 2. All women high school and older are invited to come to as many as you can. We will study each week’s upcoming Sunday mass readings.

Upcoming events:

* Coffee & Donut Fellowship on Sunday, July 14th. Volunteers still needed to furnish and host.

* Morgan/Hall Wedding 4:00 pm on Friday, July 12th.