

Daily Readings:

Monday, August 26, 2019

1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10
Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday, August 27, 2019

St. Monica
1 Thes 2:1-8
Mt 23:23-36

Wednesday, August 28, 2019

St. Augustine, Bishop and
Doctor of the Church
1 Thes 2:9-13
Mt 23:27-32

Thursday, August 29, 2019

The Passion of St. John the Baptist
1 Thes 3:7-13
Mk 6:17-29

Friday, August 30, 2019

1 Thes 4:1-8
Mt 25:1-13

Saturday, August 31, 2019

1 Thes 4:9-11
Mt 25:14-30

Sunday, September 1, 2019

Twenty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time
Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29
Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a
Lk 14:1, 7-14

Religious Education News:

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Registration: Tuesday-Friday this week in the Parish Office, specifically on Tuesday, when you will be coming for school open house in Redfield. If you cannot come in during the week, please contact Tracey to make other arrangements for registering.

Religious Ed Teachers Needed: Please prayerfully consider teaching. **Specific needs would be for 2 male mentors for the sophomore class.** Contact Tracey for more information.

Classes Begin: Religious Education will be starting on **Wednesday, September 18th**. Grades K-6 will meet from 3:30pm-5pm and Grades 7-9 will meet from 7-8:30pm.

Message from Father Tom:

*Do not conform yourselves to this age
but be transformed by the renewal of your mind...*
-Roman 12:1-2

Today we often talk about the "Facebook Feed" or the "Twitter Feed" or the "Instagram Feed". The implication is that when we scroll through these "feeds" we are feeding our minds with stuff. Although I, too, find myself doing this frequently, I'm amazed how often **I go away without feeling "filled up" after these feeds.** So often it feels like I'm am just taking in more of the shallow culture that gets recycled in the latest meme.

One of my great joys in Aberdeen was the chance to have deep conversations with the NSU professors on a regular basis. The primary difference from the "feeds" is that **in these weekly small groups, we weren't just ingesting more of the culture; we were really delving into truth.** We read scripture, great books, and interesting articles...discussing and digesting truth. And we thought deeply about what is true and how to act.

Saint Paul urges us, "do not conform yourselves to this age but be transformed by the renewal of your mind." **In order to do this we have to study holy things, true things.** We can't just continue to feed ourselves the same tired broadcast news, or social media feed. This week commit to two things:

1. I will find something true, good, and/or beautiful to study.
2. I will look for a small group bible study or book study who can help me digest the truths.

An experience of a lifetime! Experience the Notre Dame Tradition celebrity style on October 12 when Notre Dame takes on USC! Your group of four will be flown by private charter from Sioux Falls, SD to South Bend, IN! Also included in this experience is a VIP tour of campus, including the Basilica of the Sacred Heart and the Grotto, tailgating at Notre Dame Stadium, and four awesome 50 yard line seats to the game! All meals and travel expenses are included. Tickets are \$100 each and only 400 are sold! Purchase your ticket on our website at www.ccfesd.org! All proceeds benefit the Bishop Dudley Hospitality House.

Bishop's Charity Hunt is scheduled for Monday and Tuesday, September 23 & 24 at Horseshoe "K" Ranch near Kimball, SD. All proceeds benefit the Newman Catholic Campus Ministry in our diocese. For more information or to register, contact the Catholic Community Foundation toll free at 1-888-246-3386 or on-line at www.ccfesd.org.



**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

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time August 25, 2019



Prayer for Focus

Loving God, I can easily get confused between what I think I need and what I truly desire. You have placed your glorious presence within me. You flow through my veins and reside in the depth of my soul. May your Holy Spirit help me see what is within so that as I live and move in your world I can begin to recognize you in all you have made. Help me create a discerning and disciplined life so that I can dwell more fully in your presence, unite myself with you and contemplate your glory. May I notice you in the smallest and most humble of your creatures and in the vastness of the ocean's depth! May I smell the nectar of your presence in the air that I breathe and know that nothing I can imagine will ever give me what only you can bestow upon me. May I learn to watch for your surprises and relish in the daily blessings that come my way. May I not fall into despair and always live with hope. Then, when I am asked to leave this world and continue my journey to you may I do so without regret and with an eagerness to possess the wonder of your embrace. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

St. Bernard Town Hall Meetings:

All Parishioners of St. Bernard Parish are invited to attend a Town Hall Meeting regarding the Plan for the New Rectory, New Parking Lot and Mary Garden. Final Meeting date: Thursday, August 29th at 7pm.

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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: August 26th – September 1st

Monday	Aug 26	** NO Mass – Father’s Sabbath Day of Rest **		
Tuesday	Aug 27	5:30 PM	Mellette	† Sue Krumm
Wednesday	Aug 28	9:30 AM	ESH	† Leland Strahl
Thursday	Aug 29	8:30 AM	Redfield	† Doyle Harr
Friday	Aug 30	8:30 AM	Redfield	† Dick Esser
Saturday	Aug 31	8:30 AM	Redfield	† Sandy Manning
SATURDAY	Aug 31	5:00 PM	Redfield	† Catherine Deibert
SUNDAY	Sep 01	8:30 AM	Mellette	Mass for the People
SUNDAY	Sep 01	10:30 AM	Redfield	† Marilyn Norwood

Liturgical Schedule for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass - August 30th & September 1st

	GREETER/USHER	LECTOR	SERVERS	GIFTS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER	COUNTERS/HOMEBOUND
5:00 PM ST BERNARD	Dick Hoffart Dallas Jungwirth	John Roos	Alex Shottenkirk Kinley Smith Cecilia Sucho	Pat Jungwirth Family	Paul Hodges John Roos Marilyn Hodges	Homebound 9am Sunday: Paul Hodges
8:30 AM ALL SAINTS	Dave & Judy Ortmeier	Denise Clemens	Jude Ortmeier Tristan Nickeson	LeRoy & Joy Braun	Lisa Morgan Mark Fischbach	Dave Kramp Chad Boekelheide
10:30 AM ST BERNARD	Frank Krumm Monte Mason	Monte Mason	Jayce Logan Kyla Logan Tait Logan	Rich Osborn Family	Rich Gruenwald Ardis Hardie Ruth Mason	Team 2 Sharon, Marilyn, Lucille

Religious Education Sign-Up: In conjunction with the School Open House on Tuesday, August 27th, stop into St. Bernard’s office from 9am-5pm or anytime during that week to register your children for religious education. Costs this year are \$25 per child, no more than \$50 per family. Please let Tracey know if you need assistance for religious education fees, as there are some scholarships available.

Men/Dads/Husbands: “That Man Is You” will begin its Fall Semester September 10th. TMIY, seeks to form men who will be capable of transforming homes & society. This year’s theme is “The Battle Over the Bride” (God, Church). The grace of renewal being offered to men & families through an encounter with Our Lady. Registration will be held August 24th/25th and September 7th/8th, after the weekend Masses. Contact Elmer Burggraff at 605-460-0828 with questions or to register.

RCIA: Fr. Tom is starting RCIA classes every Monday beginning on September 9th at 7pm. September classes will be on initial and frequently asked questions about the faith. RCIA is a systematic approach to learning our faith and for both Catholics and non-Catholics. If you know someone interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, please contact Father, Angela or Tracey. Everyone is welcome!!

Vacation Bible School: Thank you to everyone who attended, helped, donated and made snack and those parents who sent their children to VOCATION Bible school this past week. We had a wonderful time!

“Two Old Priests Biking through Rural SD”: Fr. Mark Lichter and Fr. Terry Anderson will be biking 260 miles from Thursday, August 29th – Thursday, September 5th to raise money for the new St. Thomas More Catholic School and stained glass windows at Aberdeen Sacred Heart. Donations can be made in the office.

Catechetical Sunday Picnic: Sunday, September 15th will be our Kick-Off for Religious Education this year. The Knights, Catholic Daughters and Altar Society will be hosting a Parish Picnic following Mass and the teachers will be available in their rooms for the students to meet them and see their rooms. All parish members are invited to attend!! Menu is brats & hot dogs, macaroni & cheese, chips, desserts and drinks.

SD Farm & Ranch Stress Summit: September 23-25 at Arrowwood Cedar Shore Resort & Conference Center in Oacoma, SD. For more information on the summit visit www.extension.sdstate.edu/events.

Bible Study: If anyone is interested in participating in a bible study on Peter beginning after Labor Day on Thursdays. Contact Cari Mack if you are interested to discuss possible times – afternoons or evenings.

Good Samaritan Center’s shelves are getting empty! They need everything: vegetables, cereal, fruit, soup, PB, stews, tuna, noodles, etc. The September challenge: Each church donate \$500 worth of food! First church to get this gets bragging rights. The church that gives the most gets bragging rights, too.

Thank You for your generosity!

St. Bernard

Weekly Budget: \$3,712;
Last Week: \$4,377
Collect YTD: \$25,493
Reg-\$2,571; Child-\$32;
Loose-\$323; Fuel-\$75;
Holy Day-\$726; RE Fee-\$50;
Memorial-\$450; Mass-\$150
Capital Campaign-\$10,000
Goal of Capital Campaign:
\$400,000. Pledged: \$51,800
Please return pledges by Oct 31,
2018. Pledge cards available in
the office or from Father.

All Saints

Child-\$8; Loose-\$101; Reg-
\$405; Votive-\$2; Hall-\$15;
Assumption-\$136.05

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

Next CDA Meeting: is Wednesday, Sept 18th at 5:15pm in the Library.

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, September 12th at 8pm in KC Hall.

Vocation Bits: Whom the Lord loves, He disciplines. The best way to lead other through the narrow gate is to be formed and disciplines as a leader. Then you can go through the narrow gate, yourself.

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

“Within the ‘people of life and the people for life’, the family has a decisive responsibility. This responsibility flows from its very nature as a community of life and love, founded upon marriage, and from its mission to ‘guard, reveal and communicate love’ (The Gospel of Life, no. 92). –Citing John Paul II, Post-Synodal Apostolic Exhortation Familiaris Consortio (22 November 1981), 17: AAS 74 (1982), 100. Excerpt from Evangelium vitae © 1995, Libreria Editrice Vaticana.

Stewardship Snippets: “For behold, some are last who will be first and some are first who will be last.” (Luke 13:30) Our standards in society are different from God’s standards. We often rank people by what they have, how powerful, or how successful they are. Jesus reminds us that God will not judge by the same earthly standards. When God asks, “what have you done with the gifts I have given you?” How will you respond?

Pheasant Pictures Needed: The Depot is need of pheasant and hunting photos from our area to use for our Pheasantennial Celebration. You bring them in, we will scan and return the originals to you. We are working on an exhibit and a PowerPoint that needs to be completed in Sept. if not sooner.

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

- * Religious Ed Teacher’s Meeting scheduled for this Tuesday, August 27th at 6:00 pm.
- * If you would be willing to provide a dozen cookies or bars for our RE Community Service Night volunteers on September 4th, please let Laura Melius know. Thank you!!!
- * AS Religious Ed will have their 2nd annual Mystery Community Service Night beginning at 6:30 pm on Wednesday, September 4th. Parishioners are encouraged to come and help with this event. Recipients are chosen from nominations and will be revealed that night.
- * Please contact Kris Boekelheide if you are able to help host the Sept 8th Coffee & Pancake Fellowship.
- * Financial reports for All Saints are posted in the entrance of the church for fiscal year July 1, 2018-June 30, 2019. Please contact Jeanne if you would like a copy.
- * Do you have questions about the Catholic faith? RCIA classes with Fr. Tom will begin Monday, Sept. 9 at 7pm at St. Bernard in Redfield. September classes will focus on initial and frequently asked questions about your faith. This class is for everyone—Catholics and non-Catholics!
- * Cleaning group members for August are: Denise Clemens, Sharla Carda, Nila Serfling, & Bunny Vitense. Please contact Robyn Morgan to set up the cleaning schedule for the month.

Upcoming events:

- * **AS Pastoral Council meeting has been rescheduled to Tuesday, September 10th at 6:00 PM.**
- * **Coffee & Pancake Fellowship will be Sunday, September 8th. We will be welcoming Religious Ed teachers, students, and families.**
- * **All Saints will be having pictures taken for a parish directory on November 1st & 2nd. On line scheduling will be available soon and we will also have someone available on Sundays to help you find an appointment time. We are looking for volunteers to help with the directory. We will be creating activity pages for the directory highlighting parish life & our recent renovation. Please let Jeanne know if you would like to be involved in this process.**