

Daily Readings:

Monday, September 9, 2019

St. Peter Claver, Priest
Col 1:24-2:3
Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday, September 10, 2019

Col 2:6-15
Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday, September 11, 2019

Col 3:1-11
Lk 6:20-26

Thursday, September 12, 2019

The Most Holy Name of Mary
Col 3:12-17
Lk 6:27-38

Friday, September 13, 2019

St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and
Doctor of the Church
1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14
Lk 6:39-42

Saturday, September 14, 2019

The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
Nm 21:4b-9
Phil 2:6-11
Jn 3:13-17

Sunday, September 15, 2019

Twenty-Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time
Ex 32:7-11, 13-14
1 Tm 1:12-17
Lk 15:1-32 or 15:1-10

Religious Education News:

Director of Religious Education - Tracey
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Registration: Tuesday-Thursday this week in the Parish Office. If you cannot come in during the week, please contact Tracey to make other arrangements for registering.

Religious Ed Teacher Needs:

***1 male mentor

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.

Mass & Parent Meeting for all grades K-12 will be at 7pm on September 18. This is a required meeting for parents.

Message from Father Tom:

"The bridegroom was long delayed, and they all became drowsy and fell asleep. The foolish [maidens], when taking their lamps brought no oil with them but the wise brought flasks of oil with their lamps." -Matthew 25

The parable of the wise virgins and the foolish virgins is an interesting one. It seems obvious that we are to see ourselves as either the wise or as the foolish virgins. In other words, we are trying to be ready for the coming of an important figure. And we don't know when it is that he will show up.

One of the most interesting features of this parable is that it takes for granted that *all of us* will fall asleep at some future time. **All of us will have lamps that run out eventually.** We may like to think of ourselves as capable of remaining attentive at every moment, but that it not realistic. We ought to be trying to keep Christ in our minds at every moment of the day, but we fail sometimes. How will we possibly be ready when we are such weak creatures? How can we hope to enter the party when we get drowsy so easily?

The real difference between the wise and foolish virgins was that the **wise virgins planned for the fact that at some point their lamps would run out of oil.** The wise among us also plan for the fact that we won't always have the strength on our own. The wise among us seek out the Sacraments and other devotions on a regular basis--confession, daily mass, rosary, meditation on scriptures. The wise among us look for other people who will keep them accountable--small group bible studies or spiritual mentors. This is the oil that they have stored up for when their lamps get low.

Some of us will have not prepared at all. Others of us will be ready with oil...so that we may light our lamps when the Lord comes. So, store up oil for your lamps!

Catechetical Sunday Picnic: Sunday, September 15th will be our Kick-Off for Religious Education this year. 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!!

Teachers: Please get your rooms ready for the Open House on Sept 15th following Mass. Also, please mark your calendars for the teachers meetings on Wednesday, September 11th. Afternoon teachers - 3:30pm and evening teachers - at 7pm.

"Relics Tour of St. Padre Pio: St. Joseph Cathedral, Sunday, September 29. Schedule for the day: Presentation of the Relics **7:30am, 9:15am & 11am Masses**, Public veneration **12-3pm**, Prayer **3:15pm**, Mass in honor of Padre Pio **4pm**.



**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-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time September 8, 2019



“
Love compels
each of us to
resist racism
courageously.
”

—Open Wide Our Hearts



St. Bernard Campus Plan:

If you not able to attend a Town Hall Meeting, we would still like you to have the information. Please stop in the office and we will get you a plan map and pledge form. Thank you!

**Memorial of Saint Peter Claver, Priest
National Day of Prayer for Peace in Our
Communities**

St. Peter Claver was a Jesuit missionary from Spain who, in the 1600s, served and ministered to captured and enslaved Africans as they were taken off the slave ships landing in South America. St. Peter Claver desired to offer his life as “a slave of the slaves.”

The U.S. Catholic bishops suggest that parishes “could use the National Day of Prayer for Peace in Our Communities, which falls on the feast of St. Peter Claver (September 9), to organize activities that foster community, dialogue, and reconciliation. These encounters will help open our minds and hearts more fully and continue the healing needed in our communities and our nation.”

Prayer Resources are at the entrances.

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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: September 9th – 15th

Monday	RCIA – 7pm	Sep 09	** NO Mass – Father’s Sabbath Day of Rest **		
Tuesday		Sep 10	5:30 PM	Mellette	† Arlene Pollock
Wednesday		Sep 11	8:30 AM	Redfield	† Ron Esser
Thursday	Adoration 9am-9pm	Sep 12	8:30 AM	Redfield	† Doyle Harr
Friday		Sep 13	8:30 AM	Redfield	† Aliene Lemmer
Saturday		Sep 14	8:30 AM	Redfield	† Steve Robinson
SATURDAY		Sep 14	5:00 PM	Redfield	† Burton Baloun
SUNDAY		Sep 15	8:30 AM	Mellette	Mass for the People
SUNDAY		Sep 15	10:30 AM	Redfield	† Ron Esser

Liturgy Schedule for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass - September 14th & 15th

	GREETER/USHER	LECTOR	SERVERS	GIFTS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER	COUNTERS/HOMEBOUND
5:00 PM ST BERNARD	Richard Hoffart Brian Fallon	Diane Svacina	Marcus Johnson Corbin Schwartz Alex & Nick S.	Hugh Mack Family	Diane Svacina Hugh Mack Carol Miller	Homebound 9am Sunday: Joe Keller
8:30 AM ALL SAINTS	Roger & DeAnn Zens	Hailey Boekelheide	Nathan Melius Troy Nickeson	Megan Braun Ashley Schnell Family	Garrett Ortmeier Kris Boekelheide	Garrett Ortmeier Barb Breidenbach
10:30 AM ST BERNARD	Frank Krumm Monte Mason	Jim Millar	Easton Millar Autumn Olsen Kyle Woodring	Roger Appel Family	Tracey Millar Holly Bottum Jim Burdick	Team 2 Sharon, Marilyn, Lucille

Religious Education Sign-Up: Stop in Tuesday-Thursday this week to register your children or call Tracey at 450-8868. Cost 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.

“That Man Is You” will kick off Tuesday, September 10th at 5:45am in the parish hall. Week 1 “The Unveiling of Love” Bullet points; A New Trader Story, Real Impact of the 7 Steps of TMIY, Despite the News- Love is Possible, The Stats on Young People and Love, The Church Has the Answer, The Path Forward. Looking forward to seeing you all there. Elmer B., Coordinator, 460-0828.

RCIA: Fr. Tom is starting RCIA classes every Monday beginning THIS Monday, 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!!

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 23-35 at Arrowwood Cedar Shore Resort & Conference Center in Oacoma, SD. For more information on the summit visit www.extension.sdstate.edu/events.

Bible Study: Everyone is invited to a video study on Peter on Thursdays at 4pm & 7pm in the Parish Library.

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!

Pheasant Pictures Needed: The Depot is in 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. ~Mary Schwartz

Campus Plan: Father would like everyone informed of the Campus Plan and Capital Campaign. There is a board in the back of church to view the plan that will be completed in the next 4-5 years. St. Bernard is running a Capital Campaign to raise \$400,000 over the next 5 years. Pledge cards are available in the office or in the back of church. If you have any questions, please contact Father Tom or Angela.

Thank You for your generosity!

St. Bernard

Weekly Budget: \$3,712;
Last Week: \$3,600
Collect YTD: \$32,018
Reg-\$2,346; Child-\$29;
Loose-\$287; Stole-\$200
Fuel-\$335; RE Fee-\$325;
Mass-\$50; Supplies-\$28
Capital Campaign-\$1,800
Goal of Capital Campaign:
\$400,000, Pledged: \$93,050
Please return pledges by
Nov 1, 2019. Pledge cards
available in the office.

All Saints

Child-\$10; Loose-\$169;
Reg-\$420; Mary-\$10
CFSA \$11,550 of \$14,000
goal collected to date

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 THIS Thursday, September 12th at 8pm in KC Hall.

Vocation Bits: Jesus says clearly: “Anyone who does not take up the cross and follow me cannot be my disciple.” You and Jesus can carry your cross together. Then you can follow! Pray for vocations and discernment.

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

“By our baptism, we are members of Christ’s body and sharers in his mission. Imitating Christ, we must care for all members of our communities, honoring each person as unique, sacred, and created in the image of God. ~USCCB, “Open Wide Our Hearts” Bulletin Insert

Stewardship Snippets: “Every one of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple.” (Luke 14:33) When we first hear this statement, it seems that Jesus is making an unrealistic demand upon us. How can we renounce all of our possessions? We need them to live. However, what we must renounce is the belief that they belong to us.

Everything that we have belongs to God alone. All of our resources are entrusted to us not only for our own use, but also so that we can help others. Once we renounce the idea that we possess or are entitled to anything, it is much easier to share the many gifts that God has given us. Then we truly are His Disciples.

Parish Directory: They have shipped and will be here next week. Anyone who had their picture taken or submitted a picture gets a directory. You are welcome to stop in the office after Wednesday next week to pick up your directory. The lateness is due to getting the domes painted and wanting a new cover picture.

Rosary at Planned Parenthood: Bishop Swain prays the Rosary each Tuesday at noon. Join him in this prayer from your own home. Also a Jericho Rosary prayer to “break down” the walls of PP Tuesdays-7pm.

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

* AS Pastoral Council meeting 6:00 pm on Tuesday, September 10th.

* Special thanks to Kris Boekelheide, Joy Braun, Bunny Vitense, Nila Serfling, & Cindy Akin for preparing & serving our Coffee & Pancake Fellowship this morning.

* Do you have questions about the Catholic faith? RCIA classes with Fr. Tom will begin Monday, Sept. 9 @ 7:00 pm 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! Contact Fr. Tom, Angela, or Tracey at St. Bernard Parish in Redfield for more information.

* Cleaning group members for September are: Shirley Clemens, Laura Braun, & Gwen Malsam. Please contact Robyn Morgan to set up the cleaning schedule for the month. (With Religious Ed back in session please wait until after RE classes on Wednesday nights to clean.)

* **All Saints will be having pictures taken for a parish directory on Friday and Saturday November 1st & 2nd. On line scheduling will be available soon and we will also have someone available on Sundays beginning next Sunday, September 15th 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. If you have pictures of activities or the renovation that you would be willing to share please let Jeanne know and we will get those collected for our activity pages.