

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH MONEY LINE ~ YEAR ENDING 6/30/2010

| | <u>INCOME RECEIVED</u> | <u>SPECIAL COLLECTIONS AND FUNDS</u> |
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| THIS WEEK: (April 11) | \$ 6744.77 | Adopt-A-Student \$ 371.12 |
| THIS MONTH: (April) | \$ 19757.33 | |
| YEAR TO DATE: | \$ 288658.90 | |

TOTAL ENVELOPES ISSUED: 818 LAST WEEK NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTORS : 178 (22%)
AVERAGE DONATION PER ENVELOPE: \$28.72 YOUTH ENVELOPES: \$18.60 (19 envelopes)
OUR GOAL IS \$7632.00 PER WEEK TO MEET OUR CURRENT BUDGET

**"YOUR GIVING IS A RETURN OF THE BLESSING THAT GOD HAS BESTOWED ON YOU.
BE A BLESSING AND YOU WILL BE BLESSED."**

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS: In today's Gospel, Jesus tells Peter again and again. "If you love Me, feed my sheep." He says the same to each of us, "If you love Me, use the gifts I have given you to serve your brothers and sisters"

Stewardship Thought: Jesus tells Peter to "Feed my sheep." By our stewardship of time, talent and treasure, we are called to participate in the mission of the church as conferred to Peter soon after that first Easter.

Have you made your Will? The State of North Dakota has made one for you—which may not distribute your estate according to your wishes. For your protection and security of your heirs, consult an attorney about making out your Will.

NISTLER'S RETIRING Church of Sacred Heart in Wilton, will be holding an Open House Retirement for Jim & Henrietta Nistler on Sun., May 2nd, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. All invited. If you are unable to attend, please send a card. Jim and Henrietta have done much for the diocese, not only here in North Dakota, but also in their service as our missionaries to Africa. We have been greatly blessed by them and their ministry of selfless love and sacrifice

RACHELS VINEYARD The Diocese of Bismarck is sponsoring a weekend retreat April 23-25 in the Bismarck area, for anyone struggling with the emotional or spiritual pain of an abortion. Location is given out upon registering. Call Joyce McDowall at 701-222-3035 or Carol at 605-374-5639. Further information on the web at www.rachelsvineyard.org.

BABY QUILT AUCTION - Catholic Charities of ND is hosting it's 1st Heirloom Baby Quilt Auction on Wed., June 2nd at the Fargo Country Club to benefit the Pregnancy, Parenting, and Adoption program of our agency. Looking for volunteers who would be willing to donate a baby quilt to our auction. For more information please call Sonia Lunardi @ 701-258-7580.

BADLANDS MINISTRIES & THS HOST LOCK-IN -
"Cruising with Chris....." for grades 6-9 on April 30th. For more info call Carla Folske at 483-3547.

MOTHERS IN PRAYER Next is set for April 21 & May 5 at Queen of Peace at 9:30 am.

EVENTS TO LOOK FORWARD TO

Bingo- Dickinson Charities - Sunday 2 pm & Fri. -7pm
April 18: St. Anthony Breakfast
April 21: Medical Mission Team
April 23-24: Rachel's Vineyard
May 2: Nistler Retirement



THE JOURNEY OF A NEW LIFE: Week 4. My brain is developing rapidly and so are my stomach, esophagus, pancreas, intestines, kidneys, and reproductive organs. Mommy will realize any day now that I am here with her. I can hardly wait to feel her arms around me.

LIGHTHOUSE Congratulations to Heather Schieno—Lighthouse Media drawing winner. Please choose a CD of your choice from the display stand & drop postcard into the payment box to indicate that you have received your CD. Enjoy!!
LIGHTHOUSE CD'S Check out the new stands at the bottom of each of the side entry steps. There are also books located on the table at the back of the church. This week's feature: "*Glimpses Along the Way of the Cross*" by Fr. James Shea.

BIBLE STUDY GROUP Bible Study Monday nights 7 pm. 15 Patterson Lake Drive. No homework. No experience necessary. Call Robin 483-0065

MEDICAL BENEFIT for Lee Steffan on Mon., April 26th from 5:30—9:30 at the Eagles. A spaghetti dinner, auction and bake sale will be held to help defray Lee's medical costs for treating Wilson's Disease. A medical acct. has been set up at Am. Bank Center.

BADLANDS RIGHT TO LIFE Monthly meeting will be held on Monday, April 19, 2010 at 7:00 pm in the lower level of the Gate City Bank. Everyone is welcome. For more information please contact Marlo Nelson/President at 483-6470 or 290-0018.

MEDICAL MISSION TEAM SPAGHETTI SUPPER on Wed. April 21st from 5-7:30 at the Eagles!

DIOCESE OF BISMARCK is firmly committed to the health and protection of our children and young people. We encourage anyone who has suffered abuse from a priest or other person in the church to please come forward and let us know. To report allegations of sexual abuse, please contact: Deacon Joel Melarvie, chancellor, Diocese of Bismarck, PO Box 157, Bismarck, ND 58502 or call 1-877-405-7435. The complaint form and policies can be found on the diocesan website at: www.bismarckdiocese.com. All information received will be treated with confidentiality. All alleged victims are advised of their right to report the alleged abuse to public authorities. We want to make every effort to assist those who have suffered from abuse in the past and provide assurances that such abuse will not happen again.

*LIFE IS NOT SO MUCH WHAT EACH INDIVIDUAL MAKES OF IT, BUT
WHAT WE MAKE OF IT FOR EACH OTHER.*

Helen Keller

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| Mon. | Apr. 19th | 8:00 AM | Communion Service |
| Tues. | Apr. 20th | 7:00 PM | +Kelly Ann Huschka by Tom & Georgia Huschka |
| Wed. | Apr. 21st | 8:00 AM | +Ted Binek by family & friends |
| | Evergreen | 10:00 AM | +Vince Dolechek by Peter & Mary Morel |
| Thurs. | April 22nd | 8:00 AM | +Frances Wanner by family |
| Fri. | April 23rd | 8:00 AM | +Marcella Martin by Deacon Joel & Pat Mattson |
| Sat. | April 24th | 5:00 PM | +Richard Marsh by Bernice Mueller |
| Sun. | April 25th | 8:00 AM | +Clarence Messer by Polly Messer |
| | | 10:30 AM | St. Joseph Parishioners |

DICKINSON CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

Raffle Winner— Clifford Mayer—\$50

To view events at DCS visit:

www.DickinsonCatholicSchools.k12.nd.us.

Taking registration for Preschool (4 day afternoon class). Please call Peggy Mayer at 225-8094 for information. Trinity High School and Elementary Registrations: Packets are being sent this week. Questions call Trinity East Coralie 225-9463, Trinity West Audrey 225-8094 or High School Norene 483-6081. Share it! Consider inviting a friend to consider the option of virtue based education. Trinity High School Mass Thursday 22nd 9:15am.

CCD NEWS Safe environment for CCD students on April 28th. Look for letter in mail this week and call if you didn't receive one!

YOUTH GROUP NEWS!

Youth Praise- The youth music group that provides music for Mass once a month and for other special events is expanding its membership to include young adults ages 18-25. If you sing, play guitar, drums, piano, or bass guitar, please join us! We primarily do contemporary Praise and Worship music or put a contemporary twist on traditional hymns. We practice every Monday from 7:30-9:00 PM in the choir loft. If you are interested please contact Carrie at 701-260-4478 or stjosephs.youthministry@gmail.com.

Jr. High- Join us for youth group this Sunday from 6:30-8:30 PM in the youth room. We will be making plaster of paris masks that we will then be decorating and using for other activities for youth group on the 25th.

High School- Bible Study will be on Saturday, April 24th at 10 AM at Badlands Brew. Come join us for coffee, tea or a smoothie while we hang out and discuss the Sunday readings!

ANNUAL GOD'S SHARE APPEAL which supports the work of the Catholic Church in western ND will be conducted in every parish in 2 wks. The God's Share Appeal is not just another Sunday collection. It is a unified effort in which all Catholics of the Diocese of Bismarck join together the mission and ministry of the Catholic Church in Western ND. It is an opportunity to voluntarily support the work of the larger Church by returning a portion of what God has given to us through a pledge to the God's Share Appeal. In the next 2 wks, you will be receiving a letter, brochure and pledge envelope from Bishop Zipfel. Please take the time to prayerfully consider what you are able to give in support of Bishop Zipfel's ministry.

PASTA BENEFIT and Silent Auction on Sunday, April 18th, from 3-7pm at the Elks Lodge. Proceeds will benefit Angie Deavy and the Hawks Point Angels Relay for Life team. Angie Deavy is the mother of Cindi Deavy and Tammy Huether. She was diagnosed with inflammatory breast cancer in 2009 and is currently undergoing treatment.

MAY LITURGY schedules are now available!

THIS WEEK'S PARISH HAPPENINGS

April 22nd: Adoration until 4 pm
May 2nd: Coffee & Rolls after 8 am Mass—Library Open

PRAY FOR THE SICK PARISHIONERS who have asked for our prayers:
Aggie Krebs, Val Stockert, Adrian Luptak, Joe Wegh, Shirley Fetch, Gerald Decker, James Lambert, Rose Grinsteiner, Leo Hartman, Mary Olheiser, Shirley D. Banyai, Marge Kostecky, Rose Filipi, Monica Peterson, Larry Ewoniuk. **This week's special prayer request** Park Villa residents and our women & men serving in the Military Service.

OUR CONDOLENCES to the family of Beatrice Kuntz & Amos Andres who recently passed away.

WELCOME TO new parishioners: Summer & Ryan Goetz!

CONGRATULATIONS TO newly baptized Kaitlyn Reisenauer!

VOCATION VIEWS Jesus asks us, "Do you love me?" How do you show your love for Jesus in the way you live? (John 21:1-19)

ST. ANTHONY breakfast on Sun., April 18th from 8-12! Please support your local charities!

PARISHIONERS ANNIVERSARY DEATH

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| LEO BOEHM | 4-18-07 |
| CLEM GODES | 4-19-00 |
| GEORGE HEISER | 4-20-00 |
| KELLY ANN HUSCHKA | 4-20-79 |
| SOPHIA SEMERAD | 4-20-86 |
| NICK MESSER | 4-20-99 |
| JOE M. DUKART | 4-21-01 |
| MICHAEL THIELEN | 4-23-97 |
| OTTO J. RIDL | 4-23-90 |
| FLORENCE HAGEN | 4-23-08 |
| LILLIAN REIS | 4-23-09 |
| ROSE E. KARSKY | 4-24-97 |
| LYDIA HEISER | 4-24-99 |
| PULCHARIA LENGOWSKI | 4-24-03 |
| RAY WEILER | 4-25-95 |

April 24-25

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| 5:00 PM | Allegra Dahl | Deacon Terry, Kevin & Jaylene Kovash, Caroline Klein Melissa Sheppard, Kayla & Nathan Stephenson | Ali Kovash, Mariah Quintus |
| 8:00 AM | Brandon Lange | Deacon Terry, Jeanette Wyckoff, Cindy Steiner Linda Meyer, Aggie Krebs, Sue Mellmer, Paulette Hofer | Brendin & Colton Steiner Linnea Meyer |
| 10:30 AM | Emily Eberts | Deacon Terry, Nancy Eberts, Jeff & Wanda Reisenauer Dale & Pat Kilwein, Lynette Shirey | Nathaniel & Michael Knopik Dyson Merry |

Homebound: 8 am: Clem Bogner, Jeanne Halter, Sandy Greff