


Mon.	Dec 7th	8:00 AM	Communion Service
		7:00 PM	+Willetta Stoltz by Clayton & Kathy Heidecker
Tues.	Dec 8th	8:00 AM	St. Joseph Parishioners
		7:00 PM	The Kessel family by Mary Ann Goselin
Wed.	Dec 9th	8:00 AM	+John & +Pauline Ehlis by Carlotta & Nathan Ehlis
Thurs.	Dec 10th	8:00 AM	+Marty Koffler by Daniel Krank
Fri.	Dec 11th	8:00 AM	Elmer Dukart by Myron & Nancy Eberts
Sat.	Dec 12th	5:00 PM	+Tillie Muller by Andy & Joan Schmidt
		6:00 PM	Spanish Mass
Sun.	Dec 13th	8:00 AM	+Deceased members of Knights of Columbus #6308
		10:30 AM	+Leo, +Florence & +Tom Haag by family
		12:00 PM	Pro Populo



**TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS**  
Stay up-to-date with events at  
Trinity Catholic Schools.  
Go to [www.trinitycatholicschools.com](http://www.trinitycatholicschools.com)  
and click Trinity Catholic Schools Calendar.

**CALENDAR RAFFLE WINNER:**  
Alfred Sickler ~ \$100.00

\*Thank you to everyone who attended our 2020 “Taste of Kindergarten” events this past week! Registration for the 2021-2022 school year opens up in January for current families and in February for new families. To inquire about kindergarten, Titan Tots Preschool or any other grades at Trinity Catholic Schools or to arrange a visit, please call Pam Wegleitner in the Trinity Catholic Schools Business Office at 701-483-6081 or via email at [pam.wegleitner@k12.nd.us](mailto:pam.wegleitner@k12.nd.us).

\*Due to the most recent Executive Order by Governor Burghum and the State Health Officer order, there have been significant updates to our busy December calendar. You can view all of the changes (sports, concerts, etc.) on the main school calendar on the TCS website at [www.trinitycatholicschools.com](http://www.trinitycatholicschools.com).

**THIS WEEK’S PARISH HAPPENINGS**

**Dec. 8:** Parish Office will be closed in observance of the Immaculate Conception.

**Dec. 8:** Adoration will be held from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm.

**Dec. 9:** CCD confessions will be held at 5:30 pm in the Church.

**Dec. 10:** Finance Council will meet at 6:00 pm via GoToMeeting.

**Dec. 10:** KC Council 6308 will meet at 7:15 pm in the Pine Room.

**Dec. 10:** RCIA will be held at 7:00 pm in the Pine Room.

**Dec. 11:** Last day to return Angel Tree gifts to the Parish Office by Noon.

**Dec. 12:** Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet at 1:00 pm in the Pine Room.

**PARISH EVENTS TO LOOK FORWARD TO:**

**Dec. 13:** KC Council 6308 breakfast, drive-thru alley pick-up, 8:30 am to 11:30 am.

**PRAY FOR THE SICK PARISHIONERS** *who have asked for our prayers:* Beverly Bogner, Mona Carlson, Jerry Fetch, Stephen & Rose Filipi, Earlene Frank, David Gresser, Georgia Huschka, Elmer Krebs, Rudy Privratsky, Marge Robinson, Tina (Berger) Schantz, Gina Wariner and Marie Wax. *Names are added to the list and removed upon request. If you are an immediate family member and would like to add or remove someone from the list, please call the Parish Office at 483-2223. This week’s special prayer request: Villard Terrace residents, our Parishioner’s discerning vocations and our women & men serving in the Military.*

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Emmy Jo Halter, daughter of Tyler & Sara Halter, who was baptized at St. Joseph’s Church!

**PARISHIONER ANNIVERSARY DEATHS**

LAUDIE J. KUDRNA	12-07-01
OSCAR HENDRICKS	12-09-95
MATHIAS LEFOR	12-09-00
ELEANOR SCHMIDT	12-09-12
EUGENE KELLER	12-09-15
PAULINE SCHMIDT	12-10-99
MICHAEL LOCKET	12-10-06
HENRY V. WEBER	12-11-97
HILDEGARDE SCHEELER	12-11-13
HELEN HEISER	12-11-18
FRANCES BULLINGER	12-12-00
MARGARET TUHY	12-12-00
FLORENCE FISCHER	12-12-04
ANNA EHLIS	12-12-11
DOMINICK MUTH	12-12-13
LILLIAN LISKO	12-13-05
EUGENE ROSHAU	12-13-07

~ *In Loving Memory* ~



**2020 CALENDARS** are available at the north entrance of the church. Thank you to Daryl & Ellen Mann for the donation of the calendars!

<b><u>Dec. 12-13</u></b>	<b><u>LECTORS</u></b>	<b><u>SERVERS</u></b>
<b>5:00 PM</b>	Cindy Short	
<b>8:00 AM</b>	Ellen Mann	
<b>10:30 AM</b>	Cristie Peters	

**Mass is live streamed on our Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/stjosephchurchdickinson](http://www.facebook.com/stjosephchurchdickinson). We continue to need lectors, servers and ushers at Mass but no Eucharistic ministers. When attending Mass in person, please be aware that hand sanitizer will be available at all entrances of the church. Family households may sit together in one pew, and all other persons must maintain social distancing in Church; from front to back, in every Church, every other pew is to be left empty.**

**ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH COLLECTIONS ~ YEAR ENDING 6/30/2021**  
 REGISTERED FAMILIES: 757 FAMILIES CONTRIBUTING THIS WEEK: 90

<b>WEEKLY INCOME NEEDED</b>	\$ 6,292.67
<b>THIS WEEK: (November 29)</b>	\$ 9,001.86
<b>SPANISH MASS:</b>	\$ 110.00
<b>THANKSGIVING:</b>	\$ 871.00
<b>CHRISTMAS FOOD BASKETS:</b>	\$ 900.00

<b>YEAR TO DATE (22 of 52):</b>	\$ 149,879.72
<b>ANNUAL BUDGET:</b>	\$ 377,250.00
<b>FISCAL YEAR OUTSTANDING:</b>	\$ 227,370.28

**PINE ROOM OUTSTANDING LOAN AMOUNT: \$140,657.59**  
**PINE ROOM COLLECTION: \$620.00**      **MONTHLY PAYMENT AMOUNT: \$6,100.00**


**STEWARDSHIP:** John the Baptist's call to repentance is echoed in the US Bishops' pastoral letter on stewardship: "Christians must beg God for the grace of conversion: the grace to know who they are, to whom they belong, how they are to live — the grace to repent and change and grow, the grace to become good disciples and stewards."


**Stewardship Thought:** We are all stewards — managers of the many gifts God has bestowed upon us. Our challenge as Christians is to make good use of those gifts.

**Vocation Views:** God calls us to proclaim the Good News. How do you share that Good News? Pray for the grace to be a faith-filled witness of God's love. (Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11)

**CATHOLIC FOUNDATION OF WESTERN NORTH DAKOTA:** The CARES Act (Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security) created two temporary changes to the tax treatment of charitable donations. For the 9 out of 10 people who no longer itemize their charitable giving, the CARES Act allows taxpayers to deduct donations to our Church of up to \$300 on their 2020 federal tax return, even though they take the standard deduction. Married-filing jointly taxpayers will get an above-the-line deduction of up to \$600. For more information, please contact your tax preparer.

**Let's Pray!** **PRAYER TREE:** Our Angel Tree has been converted to a Prayer Tree! Any St. Joseph student receiving a sacrament in 2021 or any current RCIA member is listed on an ornament that is hanging on the tree. Please take an ornament and pray for the individual until the date listed on the ornament. Thank you!

 to Evan & Michelle Chase & family and Olga & Jesus Campoy & family, the newest parishioners to St. Joseph's Church!

 **ADORATION:** We are looking for adorers on Tuesdays from 1:00 pm to 1:30 pm. Please call the Parish Office at 483-2223 if you are able to help. Thank you!



**LIGHTHOUSE:** Congratulations to Arthur & Linda Meschke - Lighthouse winners. Please choose the CD of your choice from the Lighthouse stands.  
**CD's are \$3.00, Booklets are \$2.00, Books are \$5.00**



\***CHRISTIAN MOTHER'S CHRISTMAS PARTY** on December 7 at St. Joseph's Church has been cancelled.  
 \***REAL PRESENCE RADIO** invites you to attend a virtual fundraising event on Thursday, December 10. The event will feature Dr. Ray Guarendi as keynote speaker. Host of "The Dr. Is In," Dr. Ray is a Catholic father of ten adopted children, a clinical psychologist, author and comic! If you are interested in attending as a guest or hosting a watch party from your home, please register on line at [realpresenceradio.com/banquet](http://realpresenceradio.com/banquet) or call 877-795-0122. Sponsorship packages are available at \$250, \$500, \$1000, \$5000 or higher levels. For more information or to sponsor, email Jessica at [Jessica@realpresenceradio.com](mailto:Jessica@realpresenceradio.com).  
 \***ST. ANNE'S MEETING AND CHRISTMAS PARTY** on December 20 at St. Joseph's Church has been cancelled.



**RAFFLE TICKETS:** Please remember to turn in your St. Joseph Church raffle tickets in the Sunday collection, by mail to the Parish Office or drop them in the mail slot in the inside door of the south entrance of the Parish Office.



**CHRISTMAS FOOD BASKET DONATIONS** are being accepted until Monday, December 7. The donation boxes are located at all entrances of the church. Monetary donations are also being accepted and may be dropped off or mailed to the Parish Office or put in the Sunday collection baskets.

**RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS:** *Help our elders.* In good times and bad, senior Catholic sisters, brothers and religious order priests have dedicated themselves to service and acts of mercy. Today, they pray for an aching world. Yet years of serving for little or no pay have left their religious communities without enough retirement savings. Your gift to the Retirement Fund for Religious helps provide medications, nursing care and other necessities. Please be generous.

**MAGD: The most famous trio to attend a baby shower.**