



St Mary, Hague



Sts Peter & Paul, Strasburg



St Michael, Rural Linton

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First Sunday Of Lent

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News and Events

Sympathy and Prayers to the family, relatives, and friends of Isabella Miller, sister to Irene Buechler and Louis Weber from Sioux Falls, SD. May they rest in peace.

Black and Indian Mission Special Collection this weekend, February 17th & 18th at all Parishes. Our support of this collection helps build the Church in African American, Native American, and Alaska Native communities from coast to coast. Schools, parish religious education programs, and diocesan ministries depend on your generosity to help them spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ! You can help meet unmet needs with a generous contribution today. If you forgot your special envelope for this collection, you can still bring it next weekend. Thank you for your support.

40 Cans for Lent: The Strasburg KCs invite you to join them in supporting our local food pantry this Lenten Season. Why not commit, as a family, to donate one can or non-perishable food item per day in Lent? Our goal is to collect 1000 lbs. If this goal is met, the Supreme Council will give the Strasburg KCs \$100.00 which the KCs would also donate to the food pantry. Boxes will be placed in the middle entry way of the Sts. Peter and Paul Church in Strasburg.

Rice Bowls are in the back of all the Churches.



Mardi Gras Raffle Tickets are printed and ready for sale! Get yours at Church or at the Strasburg Rectory. They will be available at other places by next week! \$1 a ticket or a book of 10 for \$10.00.

Women's Prayer/Discussion group on Monday evening, February 19th, at 7:00 p.m. in the Sts. Peter and Paul Church basement. We will meet each Monday evening and will discuss our relationship with Christ and growth in our faith. This will be a discussion group with peers. To register, please call Alice at the Strasburg rectory at 336-7172.

The Week's Schedule

Sun.,	Feb. 18	8:45 a.m.	Mass at St. Mary Anton & Elaine Wald Family
		11:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Michael All Parishioners
Mon.,	Feb. 19		No Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul
Tues.,	Feb. 20	4:00 p.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Jan Mattern 80th Birthday—By SMC
Wed.,	Feb. 21	3:30 p.m.	Stations at Sts. Peter and Paul
		4:00 p.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Leo & Regina Lauinger+
		7:00 p.m.	Stations at St. Michael
		7:30 p.m.	Mass at St. Michael All Suffering From Acts Of Violence
Thurs.,	Feb. 22	9:15 a.m.	Mass at Strasburg Care Center Jim Barth, Jr.+
		4:00 p.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul Andy+ & Regina Senger & Family
Fri.,	Feb. 23	6:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross at St. Mary
		6:30 p.m.	Mass at St. Mary Sally Schall+
Sat.,	Feb. 24	4:00 p.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Our CCD Program Teachers
		7:00 p.m.	Mass at St. Mary Tim & Jane Heier Family
Sun.,	Feb. 25	8:45 a.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Connie Schmidt+
		11:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Michael All Parishioners

The Sacrament of Reconciliation: The sacrament is available in Strasburg from 3:15-3:50 p.m. on Saturdays, in Hague from 6:15-6:50 p.m. on Saturdays, and at St. Michael Church 10:30-10:55 a.m. on Sundays. The sacrament is also available about 15 minutes prior to each weekday Mass and can be scheduled at your convenience by calling the parish office.

Easter Cantata practice on Tuesday, February 20th, at 7 p.m. at the Strasburg Care Center Chapel. All ages welcome!

Strasburg K.C. meeting on Tuesday, February 20th, at 7:30 p.m. at the Strasburg Rectory meeting room

Weekday Mass Times during Lent: Strasburg — 4 p.m. Masses Tuesday through Thursday with Stations of the Cross on Wednesdays at 3:30 p.m. St. Michael's Rural Linton — Stations of the Cross on Wednesday Evenings at 7 p.m. and Mass at 7:30 p.m. Hague — Stations of the Cross on Friday Evenings at 6 p.m. and Mass at 6:30 p.m.

Emmons County 4-H Soup Fundraiser & Bake Sale next Sunday, February 25th, from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Emmons County Courthouse Auditorium – Linton. Free will donation for the meal. Menu includes chicken noodle soup, knoephla soup, buns, ham, dessert, coffee & lemonade. For handicap access, enter on the northeast side of the Courthouse. Come and support our 4-H students. This is open to the public!

The Church of Ascension in Bismarck is hosting a Lenten retreat titled “Praying the Psalms: Touchstones for Life” on Sunday, February 25th, from 2—4:30 p.m. Father John Guthrie, the featured presenter, will illuminate the Psalms for us in a new way and how they can become an integral part of our lives. Following the retreat, the Ladies of Ascension group will be providing a free meatball dinner with cheesy hash browns, salad and dessert. No registration necessary. Contact Beth Kathol at 223-3606 or bkathol@ascensionbismarck.org with any questions.

Strasburg Senior Citizens will meet on Tuesday, February 27th, with a noon meal at the Strasburg Senior Citizens Center. A meeting will follow the meal. New members are welcome!

Spirituality Committee will entertain at the Strasburg Care Center on Wednesday, February 28th, at 2 p.m. Your help is needed. Please volunteer your services.

Join Real Presence Radio for a pilgrimage **June 2-6, 2018** to the Holy Sites of Michigan! We will focus on three early missionary priests who traveled throughout the Upper Midwest to evangelize and catechize the early settlers; Ven. Bishop Baraga, Blessed Solanus Casey and Ven. Samuel Mazzuchelli. We will also visit the Shrine of the Cross in the Woods, Ave Maria Radio and Mackinac Island. The cost is \$1500 with flights from Fargo, Bismarck, Rapid City and Duluth. The deadline to register is April 1st or until filled. To register call Lisa at 1-877-795-0122 or email lisa@yourcatholicradiostation.com.

Women’s Retreat in Stanley: Women are invited to a retreat at Queen of the Most Holy Rosary in Stanley on Saturday, March 3rd. Featured speaker is Tim Mosser, educator, coach, motivational speaker and Catholic radio host. He will speak on the topics of women’s identity as a precious daughter of God; maternity and what it means to be a “Bride of Christ;” and divinity of women serving as examples of the Godly life for the whole world. The retreat begins with registration at 8:30 a.m. and concludes at 4 p.m. Mass will be offered at 9 a.m. Cost is \$20 and includes a morning muffin and lunch. Pre-register by mailing fee to the church at PO Box 159, Stanley, ND 58784. For more information, contact Elonda at 629-1778, Claudia at 629-1491 or Betty at 629-1802.

The Benedictine Sisters of Annunciation Monastery, Bismarck, invite single women who are interested in learning about religious life to an “Ever Wonder?” vocation live-in experience Saturday, March 24 (1 p.m.) to Sunday, March 25 (1 p.m.). This unique opportunity allows women to participate in the monastic community life of the Sisters of Annunciation Monastery. No charge. Pre-registration is required. Meals and a private room are included. For more information or to pre-register, please call or text Sister Hannah Vanorny at (701)425-9734 or e-mail: hvanorny@gmail.com.

Students in grades 6-8 across the Diocese of Bismarck are

invited to attend our first annual “Lock-in Your Faith” event – an overnight lock-in/retreat at St. Mary’s Church in Bismarck on Friday, April 6th, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Lock-in Your Faith will include a variety of prayer experiences, small and large group games and activities, and off site activities including SkyZone and bowling at Midway Lanes. Pizza and other snacks and beverages will be available throughout the night. Cost for adult chaperones and youth is \$40. The deadline to register is March 30. You can find out more info and register online at www.bismarckdiocese.com/lockin. For questions, contact Carrie Davis at cdavis@bismarckdiocese.com or (701) 204-7208.

St. Ben’s Roofing Up-date: Anonymous Donor Goal: \$10,000.00; Received \$7,690.00; — Balance left: \$4,594.00.

Pray for the sick: Bev Goldade, James Hanson, and Nattie Nagel,

Pray for the deceased: Isabella Miller, Louis Weber, and Connie Schmidt.

Lenten Regulations

Abstinence: Catholics 14 and older must not eat meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and on all the Fridays of Lent.

Fasting: Catholics aged 18 to 59 years are required to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. On these days, one full meal is allowed. Two smaller meals may be taken, if needed, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids are allowed.

Sacrament of Penance: Catholics older than about 2nd grade are obliged to confess their sins at least once a year. Lent is a fitting time to fulfill this requirement.

Liturgy Assignments

Sts Peter & Paul, Strasburg

Weekday Lector: Cil Van Beek

February 24th at 4:00 p.m.—Saturday

Servers: Jordyn Heidrich & Jennifer Keller

Lector: Jessa Heidrich

Head Usher: Robert Heidrich

Giftbearers: Carrie Heidrich & Aggie Haak

EMHCs: Jeanette Tschosik & Lynette Keller

February 25th at 8:45 a.m.—Sunday

Servers: Rebecca Wikenheiser & Riley Krumm

Lector: Leonard Weichel

Head Usher: Darnell Silvernagel

Giftbearers: Leonard & Cleo Weichel

EMHCs: Irene Rohrich & Phyllis Bauman



St Mary, Hague

February 24th at 7:00 p.m.—Saturday

Servers: Alexandra & Xavier Volk

Lector: Dennis Hummel

Head Usher: Dennis Hummel

EMCHs: Karen Keller

Money Counters: Rocky Eberle & Leo Meier



St. Michael, Rural Linton

February 25th at 11:00 a.m.—Sunday

Servers: Raymond & Dean Vetter

Lector: Jacey Rolli

Giftbearers: Neil & Chelsey Horner

Sacristan: Kenny Schlosser

Money Counters: Darius Aberle, Scott Jacob, Isadore Gross

Rosary: Isadore Gross

