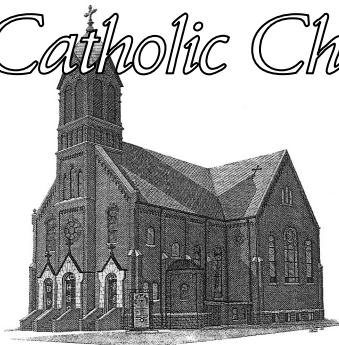
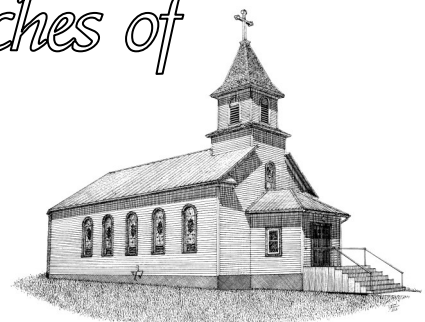


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**Sunday, April 22, 2018**  
**Fourth Sunday Of Easter**

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### News and Events

**Strasburg Knights of Columbus News:** Final results are in for the 40 Cans for Lent. Over 1500 pounds of nonperishable food items were collected and delivered to the Emmons County Food Pantry and because over 1000 pounds was collected, the KC's also received a \$100 bonus from the Supreme Council which was also given to the Emmons County Food Pantry. A Special Thank You to all who supported this project, and to SJ Foods of Strasburg, the Hague Grocery Store, the Hull, Westfield, and Strasburg Churches for being the drop off places for the food. Thank You to all who made this happen!

**The Annual God's Share Appeal** supports the work of the Catholic Church in western North Dakota. Your gift to this year's God's Share Appeal in two weeks will provide for the educational, pastoral and religious programs and services that help our parish and our families. This is your special opportunity to join a unified effort in the Diocese of Bismarck to further Christ's mission and ministry in our diocese. Please take a moment to consider the many blessings that God has bestowed upon you and your family and prayerfully consider what you are able to share in support of our Diocesan Church.

**Mardi Gras Raffle Ticket Winners** are posted on the bulletin boards in the back of the Strasburg and Hague Church.

**Church of the Ascension** in Bismarck is hosting their annual Spring Dinner today, Sunday, April 22nd from 4-7 p.m. The menu includes: turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, stuffing, corn, relishes, rolls, beverages and homemade pies. Cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. All are welcome!

**Women's Prayer/Discussion group** will meet on Monday evenings, at 7:00 p.m. in the Sts. Peter and Paul Church basement.

**Senior Citizens Dinner** starts at noon and meeting to follow on

### The Week's Schedule

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| Sun.,  | Apr. 22 | 8:45 a.m.  | Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul<br>Phyllis Baumgartner+ &<br>Allen Baumgartner+ & Family   |
|        |         | 11:00 a.m. | Mass at St. Michael<br>All Parishioners  |
| Mon.,  | Apr. 23 |            | No Mass  |
| Tues., | Apr. 24 | 4:00 p.m.  | Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul<br>Karen Dosch+  |
| Wed.,  | Apr. 25 | 8:00 a.m.  | Mass and Adoration at Sts.<br>Peter and Paul<br>Ricki Senger+ & Linda Wolf+ & Family |
| Thur., | Apr. 26 | 8:00 a.m.  | Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul<br>Diane (Tschosik) Little+                              |
|        |         | 9:15 a.m.  | Mass at Strasburg Care Center<br>Aloys Mastel Family                                 |
| Fri.,  | Apr. 27 | 10:00 a.m. | Mass at St. Mary<br>All Deceased Family Of<br>Mike & Katherine Heier                 |
| Sat.,  | Apr. 28 | 4:00 p.m.  | Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul<br>Alvin Wald+   |
|        |         | 8:00 p.m.  | Mass at St. Mary<br>David Gabriel+   |
| Sun.,  | Apr. 29 | 8:45 a.m.  | Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul<br>Alois & Margaret Baumgartner+                           |
|        |         | 11:00 a.m. | Mass at St. Michael<br>All Parishioners  |

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation:** The sacrament is available in Strasburg from 3:15-3:50 p.m. on Saturdays, in Hague from 7:15-7:50 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.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Wednesdays, following the 8 a.m. Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul Church. Also following Mass on the first Friday of each month at St. Mary.

Tuesday, April 24th at the Strasburg Senior Citizens building. New members welcome!

**Sts. Peter and Paul Parish & Finance Council** meeting on Wednesday, April 25th at 12:30 p.m. at the Strasburg rectory.

**Community Cash Bingo** on Wednesday, April 25th, at 6:30 p.m. in the Sts. Peter & Paul Church basement. This is sponsored by the Strasburg and Hague CCD Students. Free

refreshments. Everyone welcome!

**The Office Of Family Ministry** is hosting its 3rd Annual Father/Daughter Ball. The celebration will take place at the Municipal Country Club in Bismarck on Saturday, April 28th. The evening begins with a social at 5 p.m., dinner served at 6 p.m. followed by a fun dance. We will have a photographer present to take a picture that will be given to you to remember this special evening. Registration is required for this event and the fee is \$50/father-daughter couple and an additional \$10/extra daughter. Please register for the event online at [www.bismarckdiocese.com/ball](http://www.bismarckdiocese.com/ball). If you have questions, contact Tara at [tbrooke@bismarckdiocese.com](mailto:tbrooke@bismarckdiocese.com) or 701-204-7209.

**Fill The Crib:** The Strasburg KC's will be sponsoring a drive for the St. Gianna Maternity Home in Warsaw, ND. The "crib" will be put in the middle entry way of the Sts. Peter & Paul Church on the weekend of April 28th & 29th, and will be there through the month of May. Saint Gianna's Maternity Home is here to help women who are pregnant and need a safe place to live. Items needed: Stamps (for postage); Huggies and Pampers of all sizes; gifts cards for the purchase of personal items; gift cards for grocery stores and gas stations; household products such as toilet paper, paper plates, paper towels, napkins, tinfoil, baggies of all sizes, cleaning supplies, etc.; Please place your items in the crib.

**Strasburg KC's** will be sponsoring the ditch clean-up on Wednesday, May 2nd. Meet at the Sts. Peter and Paul Church basement at 4:30 p.m. You'll need good shoes and gloves. Hamburgers and hotdogs will be served after the clean-up in the church basement. Make this a family event. Everyone is welcome to help!

**Hague/Zeeland Knights of Columbus** meeting on Wednesday, May 2nd, at 9 p.m. at the Hague KC Hall.

**Quilt Show and Sale:** Bismarck Church of Corpus Christi Caring Hearts Quilters Annual Quilt show and Quilt sale, Saturday May 5th, at the parish center at Corpus Christi, 1919 2nd St., 9 a.m.- 5 p.m. showing quilts plus over 100 quilts for sale. No admission fee, only refreshments and fun. Everyone Welcome!

**Marriage Retreat:** The diocese is sponsoring a retreat for couples wanting to grow in holiness while growing closer to one another. The retreat weekend is set for May 11-13 at the Assumption Abbey in Richardton. Enjoy silence together in prayer while Fr. William Ruelle leads you through "Marriage and the Spiritual Exercise of St. Ignatius of Loyola." Register at [bismarckdiocese.com/marriageretreat](http://bismarckdiocese.com/marriageretreat). Cost is \$200/couple. Contact Tara Brooke at [tbrooke@bismarckdiocese.com](mailto:tbrooke@bismarckdiocese.com) or 701-204-7209 with questions.

**The 7th annual Blue Mass** will be held on Tuesday, May 15th at 5:30 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Holy Spirit in Bismarck. Held during National Peace Officers Memorial Week, this special Mass with Bishop Kagan is an opportunity to pray for all active, retired and deceased law enforcement officers, firefighters and emergency medical personnel.

**The Serra Club of North Central North Dakota** will once again present the Big Smoke BBQ cook off Monday, July 9th at St. John the Apostle Church, Minot. The public is invited to enjoy food, fun, games and silent auction. The club is looking

for 10 grilling teams to compete. All cook off teams can have up to five members and must have at least one member who is a priest, deacon, religious, seminarian or represent a KC Council. Team registration deadline is May 31st. For more information and team requirements, contact Corey Bohlig at 701-509-7877.

**Pray for the sick:** Karen Fischer—daughter-in-law to Phyllis Fischer, Tom Schaeffbauer, Sr., Willie Rohrich, Bev Goldade, James Hanson, and Nattie Nagel,

**Pray for the deceased:** Anton Voller, and Arlo Schiele.

**Stewardship—A Way Of Life:** To be good stewards we must be good shepherds, willing to lay down our lives for those committed to our care, not mere hired hands who run off, "leaving the sheep to be snatched and scattered by the wolf."

**Stewardship Thought:** Jesus reminds us that material things, even something as basic as water, can never satisfy us for long. When we build our lives around material possessions we always want more. True satisfaction only comes when we follow Jesus.

**Vocation Views:** Fourth Sunday of Easter; Good Shepherd Sunday; World Day of Prayer for Vocations (4/22/18) The priest is called, in imitation of Christ, to lay down his life for his people. Pray that our priests and seminarians might be courageous in following the example of Christ. (John 10:11-18)

**Word Of Life:** May Jesus, the Good Shepherd, inspire all hearts to care for the most vulnerable members of society; *We pray to the Lord:*

### Liturgy Assignments

#### **Sts Peter & Paul, Strasburg**

*Weekday Lector: Mae Bosch*

**April 28th at 4:00 p.m.—Saturday**

Servers: Jordyn & Katie Heidrich

Lector: Irene Herr

Head Usher: Steve Bosch

Giftbearers: Wanda Heidrich & Irene Heidrich

EMHCs: Irene Herr, Lynette Keller

Carrie Heidrich, Lorraine Weber

**April 29th at 8:45 a.m.— Sunday**

Servers: Rebecca Wikenheiser & Rylie Krumm

Lectors: Cil Van Beek

Head Usher: Ben & Veronica Glass

Giftbearers: Ben & Veronica Glass

EMHCs: Phyllis Bauman, Joanne Ternes

Tony & Becky Roth

#### **St Mary, Hague**

**April 28th at 8:00 p.m.— Saturday**

Servers: Ben Hulm & Thomas Schaeffbauer

Lector: Gloria Odden

Head Usher: Dennis Hummel

EMHCs: Betty Volk, Andrea Hulm, Karen Keller

Money Counters: Andy Hulm & Duane Wald

#### **St. Michael, Rural Linton**

**April 29th at 11:00 a.m.— Sunday**

Servers: Raymond & Dean Vetter

Lector: Patty Gross

Giftbearers: Adam & Agnes Vetter

Sacristan: Kenny Schlosser

Money Counters: Corey Vetter, Sam Gross, Darin Horner

Rosary: Jim Schmidt

