



St Mary, Hague



Sts Peter & Paul, Strasburg



St Michael, Rural Linton

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Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

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From the Pastor's Desk

Thank you and Goodbye! The time has come to say goodbye to my dear loving parishioners. It's been really a short period that's gone like a lightening. It has been a time of blessings in many ways. I carry home with me back to India lots of memories and love from all three parishes. Beautiful churches and loving people with values and tradition. Apart from the church activities, the taste of home meals, friendly visits, fishing, golfing and card game (pinochle) have made my one year go so fast. I truly enjoyed the time spent here. I do want to thank all of you who have offered me your friendship and support. I promise my prayers for you all even if I am out of your sight. God's blessings be with all of you always.

For diocesan priests, obedience to bishop is a promise made at the time of ordination so, it is with mixed feelings that I say farewell to Sts. Peter & Paul, St. Mary, and St. Michael parishes. It's hard to say goodbye, but excited to go back to India and take up the new mission of building a new church where I am appointed as the pastor in Kannur diocese. My address would be: Immaculate Conception Church, Azhikode Post, Kannur Dt-670 009, Kerala, India. My email id: bennypd@gmail.com "Distance is not a matter where there is real love and friendship"

A warm welcome to Fr. Shanon Lucht to these beautiful parishes. Wish you all the very best in your time here.

News and Events

Sympathy and Prayers to the family, relatives, and friends of Bud Hausherr, brother-in-law to Aggie Haak and Cil Seaman. May he rest in peace.

Mass Schedule: There will only be Masses on Tuesday, July 3rd, at 4 p.m. at Strasburg, and on Thursday, July 5th, 9:15 a.m. at the Strasburg Care Center. Fr. Leonard will be doing the

The Week's Schedule

Sun.,	July 1	8:45 a.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul Damian & Katherine Baumgartner Family
		11:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Michael Joe Gross+
Mon.,	July 2		No Mass
Tues.,	July 3	4:00 p.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Randy Hulm+ & Family
Wed.,	July 4	8:00 a.m.	No Mass or Adoration at Sts. Peter and Paul
Thur.,	July 5	8:00 a.m.	No Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul
		9:15 a.m.	Mass at Strasburg Care Center Living & Deceased Members of St. Mary's CUF Council #244
Fri.,	July 6	10:00 a.m.	No Mass at St. Mary
Sat.,	July 7	10:30 a.m.	Funeral Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul For Robert Eckert+
		4:00 p.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter and Paul Dale Wikenheiser+ & Family
		8:00 p.m.	Mass at St. Mary Joe Buechler+
Sun.,	July 8	8:45 a.m.	Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul Tony+ & Jeanette Tschosik & Family
		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 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.

Masses as Fr. Benny will be leaving on Monday, July 2nd. Fr. Shannon Lucht will be here for the weekend Masses on July 7th and 8th. A Funeral Mass for Robert Eckert will be held on Saturday, July 7th, at 10:30 a.m. at the Sts. Peter and Paul Church with burial following at the Sts. Peter and Paul Cemetery. Fr. Tom Clement from Herreid, SD will be doing the Funeral Mass and burial.

Please come and help Fr. Leonard Eckroth celebrate his 60th Anniversary in the priesthood! The Strasburg Parish would like to celebrate his years of dedication, today, Sunday, July 1st. We have invited Fr. Leonard to preside over the 8:45 a.m. Mass at the Sts. Peter and Paul Parish in his honor. Following the Mass, you are all invited to a delicious breakfast in the church basement, prepared by the Strasburg Knights of

Columbus. This will also be the last weekend Fr. Benny will be at our parishes. Everyone is invited and welcome to come and help celebrate Fr. Leonard's 60th Anniversary to the priesthood. (Fr. Leonard requests no gifts.)

The 2018 Collection for the Holy Father (Peter's Pence) will take place at all parishes this weekend, June 30th & July 1st. Through this special collection, you join in solidarity with Pope Francis's as a witness of charity. The special envelopes are attached to this weeks bulletin. If you forgot your envelope, you can still bring it next weekend. Thank you for your generosity!

Sts. Peter and Paul Parish of Strasburg, Annual Church Fair is on Sunday, October 7th. Anyone wishing to donate a prize for the raffle, please contact Alice Ryckman at 336-7172. If no answer, leave a message on the church answering machine and I will get back to you. Please get this information to me so I can get the tickets to the printers within the coming week. Thank You to all who have already done this!

CCD Tuition: Only 2 Strasburg/Hague families left to pay their children/students' CCD dues. All families have been notified either by phone or email. *Please take care of this today.*

No St. Mary's Council or V.F.W. Auxiliary meetings in the months of July and August.

Hague/Zeland Knights of Columbus meeting will be held on Friday, July 6th, at 9 p.m. at the Hague KC Hall. (Note date change due to the 4th of July.)

The televised Mass for shut-ins and the homebound aired on the West Dakota Fox TV station will air in the morning at 6:30 a.m. and at the regularly scheduled time in the evening at 11:30 p.m. on Sunday, July 1. This temporary change in the morning schedule is due to television coverage of World Cup soccer.

The Spirituality Committee will entertain the Strasburg Care Center Residents on Wednesday, July 11th at 2 p.m. Committee members, your help is needed. Please volunteer your services.

The Annunciation Monastery of Bismarck is offering "*A Joyful Spirit Retreat*" for girls ages 8-14 on Friday, July 13 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Pray with the sisters, make new friends, enjoy faith-based games, crafts and storytelling. The day wraps up with the tradition of making s'mores. It's free to attend and includes craft supplies, prizes and lunch. Pre-registration is required by July 4. Call or text Sister Hannah at 701-425-9734 or email hvanorny@gmail.com for more information.

The Discalced Carmelite Nuns (in Hague) invite you to join them in the novena to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Saturday, July 7 through Monday, July 16. For more information on the novena, go to their website at carmeloftheholysface.com. Prayer requests can be sent to the Carmelite Sisters at Carmel of the Holy Face of Jesus, 2051 91st St. SE, Hague, ND 58542 or call their prayer line: 701-336-7907. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be specifically offered at the Carmelite Monastery (7:30 a.m.) for all the intentions received by the Nuns for this Novena on the first day of the Novena (July 7) and on the Feast Day itself (July 16).

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is a private

weekend away from the distractions of daily life for couples in good marriages. Give your marriage this gift. The next available weekends in this area are July 13-15 in Buffalo, Minn. and Nov. 9-11 in Medora. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information, visit ndwwme.org or contact Rob and Angie at 701-347-1998.

Ladies, mark your calendars for the THIRST 2018 Women's Conference sponsored by the Diocese of Bismarck and held at the Bismarck Event Center on Saturday, Sept. 22, 2018. Treat yourself to a wonderful day of uplifting presentations, confessions, Eucharistic adoration, music, a Vigil Mass with Bishop Kagan, and of course – support and conversation with your sisters in the Lord. And remember, registration is FREE! Visit bismarckdiocese.com/thirst2018 for more information and registration. Click title to get logo.

Pray for the sick: David Silbernagel— brother to Jane Heier, Todd Moch, Marvin Feist, Karen Fischer—daughter-in-law to Phyllis Fischer, and Nattie Nagel,

Pray for the deceased: Bud Hausherr, Eugene Kramer, Selma (Ternes) Beauchamp, Robert Eckert, and Lori Schnabel.

Stewardship—A Way Of Life: Today's reading from St. Paul explains the "divine economy" of stewardship – "The relief of others ought not to impoverish you; there should be a certain equality. Your plenty at the present time should supply their need so that their surplus may in turn one day supply your need."

Liturgy Assignments

Sts Peter & Paul, Strasburg

Weekday Lector: Mae Bosch

July 7th at 4:00 p.m.—Saturday

Servers: Jordyn & Cody Heidrich

Lector: Irene Herr

Head Usher: Tim Wikenheiser

Giftbearers: Clarence Wikenheiser Family

EMHCs: Irene Herr, Lynette Keller,

Irene Rohrich, Mona Reis

July 8th at 8:45 a.m.— Sunday

Servers: Mary Baumgartner & Riley Krumm

Lector: Mark Mittleider

Head Usher: Don Wikenheiser

Giftbearers: Don Wikenheiser Family

EMHCs: Jeanette Tschosik, Joanne Ternes,

Phyllis Bauman, Amanda Baumgartner

St Mary, Hague

July 7th at 8:00 p.m.— Saturday

Servers: Alexandra & Xavier Volk

Lector: Dennis Hummel

Head Usher: Dennis Hummel

EMCHs: Victoria Volk, Lisa Hulm, Karen Keller

Money Counters: Karen Keller & Leo Meier

St. Michael, Rural Linton

July 8th at 11:00 a.m.— Sunday

Servers: Raymond & Dean Vetter

Lector: Charles Weigel

Giftbearers: Michael & Megan Wald

Sacristan: Kenny Schlosser

Money Counters: Darius Aberle, Scott Jacob, Isadore Gross

Rosary: Isadore Gross

