



# The Catholic Community of Saint John the Evangelist

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**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
January 21, 2018

**Pastor**

Rev. Dale Lagodinski

**Parochial Vicar**

Rev. Patrick Parks

**Deacons**

Douglas Campbell,  
George Ethier, retired

**Parish Life Coordinator**

Michelle Fehr

**Youth Director**

Melissa Schroeder

**St. John's School**

Renee Langenwalter, Principal  
Renee Walter, Secretary  
701-642-6116

**Parish Office Hours**

M 8 am—12 noon, 1 pm—4 pm  
T - Th 8 am - 12 noon, 1pm -5 pm  
F—8 am—noon, 1pm - 3 pm

**St. John's Childcare Director**

Karrie Gregor  
701-642-4922

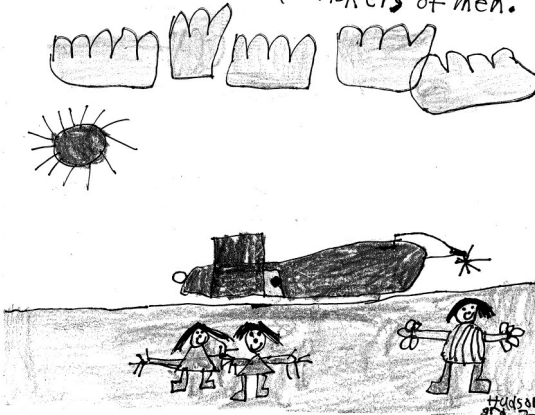
**Lay Directors**

Laurie Straus  
Jim Lutz

**Parish Offices**

Betsy Sitz—Office Manager  
Pat Keaveny—Secretary  
701-642-6982

Come I will make you fishers of men.



Artist - Hudson Miller - Grade 2

**Weekend Masses**

**Saturday**

5:30 pm

**Sunday**

7:30 am

9:00 am

11:00 am

7:30 pm

**Registration:** If you are new to the Wahpeton Community, call the office.

**Baptism:** Renewal/Preparation is required with each new baby. Call the parish office to register.

**Marriage:** Arrangements must be made at least 6 months in advance.

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Hospitalization or serious illness, please contact one of the priests.

**Pastoral Care:** If you are homebound or hospitalized, Eucharist will be brought to you. Contact the Parish Office.

**Prayer Chain:** Call Lorraine Wieser at 701-642-5062 to start the prayer chain.

To schedule an appointment at St. John's in Wahpeton with Jennifer Anderson, counselor with Catholic Charities, please call 1-800-450-4457.

**Pro-life and Pro-Women go together. Abortion hurts women.**

If you are struggling with guilt, depression, regret, anger or other difficult emotions after an abortion, you are not alone. Project Rachel Ministries is a post-abortion healing ministry of the Diocese of Fargo. For confidential referrals to trained priests, counselors, retreats and support groups contact Project Rachel Ministries: 844-789-4829

**Saint John's Parish Mission Statement**

St. John the Evangelist of Wahpeton, a Catholic community of faithful stewards, uniquely gifted, is committed to living fully a spiritual life. We accomplish this mission by:

- ◆ Celebrating a sacramental life;
- ◆ Being a hospitable, generous, faithful, and forgiving people;
- ◆ Serving as a renewing community of life and love;
- ◆ Supporting all people in their journey toward the Kingdom of God.

**Saint John's Development Program**

Please remember St. John's in your will and beneficiary designations!

To learn more about making a final estate gift to benefit St. John's Church or School, call (701) 642-6982, email legacy @702com.net, or visit us online!

**Readings for the week of January 21<sup>st</sup>**

Sunday: Jon 3:1-5, 10 / 1 Cor 7:29-31 / Mk 1:14-20  
 Monday: 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10 / Mk 3:22-30  
 Tuesday: 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19 / Mk 3:31-35  
 Wed: 2 Sm 7:4-17 / Mk 4:1-20  
 Thursday: Acts 22:3-16 / Mk 16:15-18  
 Friday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 / Mk 4:26-34  
 Saturday: 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17 / Mk 4:35-41  
 Sunday: Dt 18:15-20 / 1 Cor 7:32-35 / Mk 1:21-28

**Mass Intentions****Monday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> - Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn children**

9:30 am Int: Richard Shorma

**Tuesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> - Weekday / St Marianne Cope, Virgin / St Vincent, Deacon and Martyr**

5:30 pm + Henrietta Klein

**Wednesday, January 24<sup>th</sup> - St Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**

7:30 am Int: Kyle Althoff

10:00 am (Leach) Int: Jacob Petermann

**Thursday, January 25<sup>th</sup> - Conversion of St Paul, Apostle**

10:45 am (SCLC) + Irene Manikowski

1:00 pm + Farrel Crissler

**Friday, January 26<sup>th</sup> - St Timothy and St Titus, Bishops**

7:30 am + Grace Briks

**Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup> - Weekday / St Angela Merici, Virgin and Religious Founder**

5:30 pm + Theodore Shorma

**Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup> - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 am People of the Parish

9:00 am + Gertrude Braun

11:00 am + Cheryl Runchey

7:30 pm + Marsha DeWitt

**Adoration**

Monday - 8:15 - 9:15 am

Tuesday - 4:15 - 5:15 pm

(no incense used on Tuesday)

Wed. - Cenacle of Life Prayer

8:00 - 11:45 am

Thursday - 2 - 3 pm

Friday - 8 - 9 am

**Reconciliation**

Saturday at 4:00 pm

or by appointment

**MISA EN ESPAÑOL** (Mass in Spanish) en la Iglesia de St. Anthony en Fairmount, N.D. (204 2<sup>nd</sup> St. N.): una vez en la mes celebramos la misa en español. La próxima misa será el 18 de febrero, a las tres y media de la tarde (3:30 PM). Por mas información llame a Padre Bill al 701-742-2418

**Monday Night Adoration:** Do you desire a closer relationship with Jesus? Do you truly love him? If so then you probably want to spend more time with him. We are looking for more people to sign up for an hour with Jesus on Monday evenings from 6:30 to 7:30. We started this hour for those who work during the day and for families to be able to spend an hour with Jesus who blesses greatly those who spend time with Him. Please pray about this and listen to His voice to see if he is calling you to go deeper in your relationship with him. Call Fr Parks if you have any questions or would like to sign up. Thank you and God bless!

**Schedule of Ministries****Saturday: January 27<sup>th</sup>**

**5:30 pm** Proclaimers: St. John's school students

Servers: St. John's school students

Euch Min: Penny Leinen, Harlan Muehler, Tom Peschel, Tom and Darlyn Weber

Greeters: St. John's school students

Ushers: St. John's school students w/ adult helper

**Sunday: January 28<sup>th</sup>**

**7:30 am** Proclaimers: St. John's school students

Servers: volunteer needed

Euch Min: Carla Job, Greg Walsh, Andy and Becky Stasko

Greeters: St. John's school students

Ushers: St. John's school students w/adult helper

**9:00 am** Proclaimers: St. John's school students

Servers: St. John's school students

Euch Min: Patti and Steve Lies, Aaron Morman, Vicky Schafer, Marlene Straus

Greeters: St. John's school students

Ushers: St. John's school students w/adult helper

**11:00am** Proclaimers: St. John's school students

Servers: St. John's school students

Euch Min: Mary Campbell, Renee Walter, Mike and Mary Yaggie

Greeters: St. John's school students

Ushers: St. John's school students w/adult helper

New schedules are available in the Gathering Space.  
Please let us know if there are any changes.

**Happenings at St. Johns....****Sunday, January 21<sup>st</sup>**

KC's serving breakfast after morning Masses. Free will offering with proceeds going to the Carmelite Monastery roof project

5:30 pm RCIA

**Monday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>**

10:00 am Bible Study

**Tuesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>**

4:15 pm Patriotic Rosary

**Wednesday, January 24<sup>th</sup>**

5:00 pm Finance Committee

5:30 pm Family Supper hosted by the Seventh Grade RE students

6:00 pm Practice for 9:00 am Choir

**Thursday, January 25<sup>th</sup>**

3:15pm Women's Cursillo Group

6:30 pm Mardi Gras Committee

7:00 pm Pastoral Council

**Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup>**

St. John's school serving breakfast for Catholic Schools Week after morning Masses

**And around the area...****Friday, February 16<sup>th</sup>**

4:30 - 8:00 pm Walleye Fish Fry at St. Gall's in Tintah

**Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup>**

3:30 pm Mass in Spanish at St. Anthony's in Fairmount



January 24<sup>th</sup> - Regular RE  
Family Dinner at 5:30 pm

**Help Wanted:** St. John's Child Care Center is looking for fun, reliable, professional people who work independently and as a team member. We are in need of full time, part time and substitute employees. No evenings or weekends. Contact the parish office.

**MardiGras** Sunday, February will mark our 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Mardi Gras. This is a parish celebration with a dinner, carnival games, bake sale, theme basket auction and raffle, all providing an afternoon of fun.

We are again in need of donations of theme baskets for our basket auction and bottles for bottle lotto. Empty bottles and baskets are available near the Mardi Gras table in the gathering space. On the Mardi Gras table you will find examples of filled bottles for Bottle Lotto and theme baskets for the silent auctions.

Raffle tickets have been mailed this past week to all registered parishioners. Please return your Mardi Gras raffle tickets as soon as possible. Please completely fill out the ticket stub with your name, address and phone. If you did not receive your raffle tickets or need additional tickets, please contact the parish office.

**Stewardship Moment:** *"Follow me and I will make you fishers of men."* - MARK 1:17 Jesus' call to *"Follow me"* is a call to all Christians! The call is in the here and now, in our present circumstances, not when we think we are "ready" or have everything in order. Good stewardship of our God-given gifts means that things aren't always going to go according to our schedule and that God has a much better plan in store for each of us.

PARISH SUPPORT (Fiscal Year July 1 - June 30)	
Envelope & plate needed Weekly	\$ 13,874.23
Envelope 1-14	\$ 5,182.00
Plate	\$ 513.55
Online	\$ 982.50
YTD Envelope and plate	\$ 424,150.38
YTD Budgeted Envelope & plate	\$ 402,352.69
Building Fund	\$ 130.00

**Thank you to all who generously  
Support our Parish!**

**Advertiser of the Week**  
**The Looking Glass**

**St. John's School News**

"Formed by God's Love,  
we form our children"



If you would like a Christian based education for your child, please contact St. John's School, 701-642-6116.

Preschool through 6<sup>th</sup> Grade.

- ◆ Students from 1<sup>st</sup> Grade will lead us at our weekly children's Mass on Thursday, January 25<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm. We invite all our parents, grandparents, friends and parishioners to join us. The children and staff truly appreciate your support!
- ◆ The Catholic United Financial Raffle returns to St. John's School, giving you the opportunity to turn \$5 into a brand new car or \$20,000 in cash while supporting your favorite Catholic school. Contact any St. John's School student or call the school at 642-6116 to get your tickets now!
- ◆ Please come and be part of our school family! We invite all parishioners to prayerfully consider sending your child(ren) to St. John's School, (4 year old Preschool through 6<sup>th</sup> grade). All faith denominations are welcome! Please encourage your friends and neighbors. If you have questions, please call 642-6116. Our doors are always open for a tour.
- ◆ Please save your Our Family labels and Box Tops. You may bring them to the school or drop off at the church office. We are able to get many great supplies for our classrooms with the points earned. Thank you for your continued support of our school.

**January events:**

January 28<sup>th</sup> - February 3<sup>rd</sup> - Catholic Schools Week  
January 28<sup>th</sup> - Breakfast served after morning Masses

**February Events:**

February 2<sup>nd</sup> - Joint Mass at St. Mary's at 9:00 am  
February 8<sup>th</sup> - Board of Education at 5 pm  
February 9<sup>th</sup> - Ski trip for grades 4 - 6

**Men of St John's:** Brothers, do you want tomorrow to be better than today? Are you willing to do what it takes to become a better man for yourself, your family and those around you? You are invited to take the RISE 30 day challenge with Chris Stefanick and Bill Donaghy beginning January 15th with a 5 minute daily video. Pre-registration is needed at [www.menriseup.org/](http://www.menriseup.org/). This link also offers more information. The next challenge begins February 14<sup>th</sup>.

**Christian Mothers dues** of \$5 can be sent to Karen Pausch at 720 18<sup>th</sup> Avenue North in Wahpeton,

Have you dropped your land line? Please call the parish office to update our records with your cell number. Thank you!



The 9:00 am Choir will practice the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays of the month at 6:00 pm