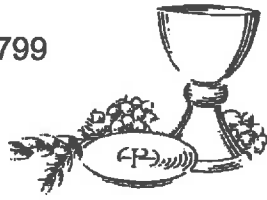


Blessed Sacrament

210 5th Avenue West
West Fargo, ND 58078-1799

July 23-24, 2016
17th Sunday OT/C



Mission Statement:

As loving disciples, we the faith community of Blessed Sacrament, strive for full and active participation in joyfully serving Christ while recognizing the gifts and dignity of all.

Sunday Collection

July 16-17: \$8,329.50

Children's Envelopes: \$20.35

Combined need per week is \$7,500

Improvements: \$355

<u>Collected to Date</u>		<u>Goal</u>
\$198,630.00	2016 Parish	\$210,000.00
\$ 638.67	2016 Child	\$ 800.00
\$ 75,782.06	Reserves	\$100,000.00
\$ 16,210.75	Improvements	\$ 35,000.00
\$ 52,183.00	God's Gift	\$ 68,952.00

Eucharist & Intentions

Sunday, July 24 – 17th Sunday OT/C

9:30 a.m. – + Jim Hill

Birthday: Ken Grosz

Monday, July 25

9:00 a.m. – + Dale Klinger

Tuesday, July 26 at Bethany South

2:00 p.m. – + Albert & Elsie Sandowsky

Wednesday, July 27

9:00 a.m. – Ericka Steenerson

Birthday: Becky Knudson

Thursday, July 28

9:00 a.m. – + Bernie Lisburg

Friday, July 29 – NO LITURGY

Saturday, July 30

4:00-4:30 p.m. - Reconciliation

5:15 p.m. – + Rita Burgard

Sunday, July 31 – 18th Sunday OT/C

9:30 a.m. – The Parishioners

Reconciliation: Saturdays, 4-4:30 p.m.

Bulletin Printing: Wednesdays at 10 a.m.

Food Pantry: Donations are needed!

Sunday: Coffeetc.

In Social Hall after liturgy.

Soup & More: Thursday, July 28,
5:30 p.m., Social Hall.

Sick List: Richard Burckhard, Bob Yanish,
Dorothy Laybourn, Shirley Sjue, Marilyn
Scully, Barbara Laybourn, Wayne Ward.

Faith Formation Registration: If you
have not registered, please stop by and
complete the form by July 31. Please call
Lucy for more information 282-3321.

Preschool & Kindergarten: Faith
Formation class time has changed to
Wednesdays at 4:30 p.m. ONLY. Classes
begin Wednesday, September 14. Children
must be age 4 by July 30. Parents, please
complete the registration form by July 31.
Contact Lucy for more information.

Blessed Sacrament Directory

Phone number: 701-282-3321

Pastor - Fr. Gary Luiten – ext. 104

DRE/Youth Ministry – Lucy Elshaug – ext. 108

Music Ministry – Michael Mettler – ext. 109

Parish Life/Volunteers – Karen Beets – ext. 105

Support Staff – Mary Beth Odegaard – ext. 101

Email Addresses:

FirstName@BlessedSacramentWestFargo.org

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Readings for the week of July 24th

July 24: Gen. 18:20-32, Col. 2:12-14, Luke 11:1-13

July 25: 2 Corinthian 4:7-15, Matthew 2:20-28

July 26: Sirach 44:1, 10-15, Matthew 13:16-17

July 27: Jerimiah 15:10-21, Matthew 13:44-46

July 28: Jerimiah 18:1-6, Matthew 13:47-53

July 29: 1 John 4:7-16, Luke 10:38-42

July 30: Ephesians 3:8-12, Luke 6:43-45

July 31: Eccl 1-2, 2:21-23, Col. 3:1-5, 9-11,
Luke 12:13-21



Ten Principles to Nurture Your Child's Faith

1. Listen with your heart as well as with your head.
2. Encourage wonder and curiosity in your child.
3. Coach your child in empathy. It is a building block for morality.
4. Display religious artwork in your home. This will serve as a steady witness that faith is an important part of life.
5. Gently guide your child to a life of honesty.
6. Whenever appropriate, model for your child how to say "I'm sorry."
7. Eat meals together regularly as a family. It will be an anchor for your child in days to come.
8. Pray together in good times and bad. Worship regularly together as a family.
9. Be generous to those who need help. Make helping others an important focus of your life as a family.
10. See your child for the wonder that God made. Communicate your conviction that your child was created for a noble purpose – to serve God and others in this life and to be happy with God forever in the next.

(From Loyola Press/Chris Our Life Family Resources.)

Prayer Chain: If you have a loved one that you would like members of the prayer chain to pray for, please call the Parish Office, 282-3321, or Wendy Retterath, 282-6266. Thank You.

Volunteers Needed: We need volunteers for a variety of things, such as Soup & More, Churches United, Funerals, Gardening, Cleaning, and more. If you have some time to give, please call me for more information. – Karen

Catechists (Teachers) Needed: The Faith Formation Program needs you!! We currently need catechists for Grades 2, 4 and 5 at 6:00 p.m. We also need substitute catechists. Please consider volunteering to teach our youth. Contact me. - Lucy

Remembering those who passed away.

Michael Dobush (July 24)

Melvin Knudson (July 25)

Frank Trenkenschuh (July 27)

William Carroll (July 28)

John Deutsch (July 28)

Richard A. Rohde (July 28)

Charles Matthys (July 30)

Please pray for them and their families.

~~~ Other ~~~

Pregnancy/Infant Loss Retreat: Saturday, July 30, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Holy Cross. For couples who have experienced pregnancy or early infant loss. www.immaculatehope.org or immaculatehoperetreats@gmail.com

Putt 4 a Purpose: 10th Annual Bishop's Charity Golf Classic, Monday August 8th. Contact Steve Schons 356-7926 or www.fargodiocese.org/puttpurpose.

60th Annual Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of the Prairies: Sunday, August 14th, 2 p.m. – Carmel of Mary Monastery, 17765 78th St SE, Wahpeton, ND.

Volunteer Opportunities:

Churches United for the Homeless:

Email Andrea DeMars, ademars@churches-united.org.

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July 30-31, 2016 – 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time Ministries of Service

Masses	5:15 p.m. Saturday	9:30 a.m. Sunday
Proclaimers	C. Fischer	L. Metzger
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	J. Jones, S. Perreault *B. Knudson	**J. Leidal, M. Leidal A. Diemert, Volunteer *G. Plummer
Gift Bearers	J & J Jones	D. Richman Family
Musicians	J. Fischer	D. Brand
Servers	Volunteer	B. & D. DeKeyser
Ushers	R. & M. Fischer	S. DeKeyser,
Greeters	J. & J. Jones	Volunteers
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Sacristan	B. Knudson	G. Plummer
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Saint of the Day - The week of July 24th
 July 25: James
 July 26: Joachim & Anne
 July 29: Martha
 July 30: Peter Chrysologus



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