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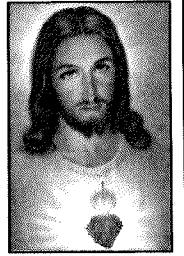
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Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Endurance Test: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The journey of discipleship is a lifelong exodus from the slavery of sin and death to the holiness of truth on Mount Zion, the promised land of eternal life. The road can get rough. And when it does, we can be tempted to complain like the Israelites in this week's First Reading. We have to see these times of hardship as a test of what is in our hearts, a call to trust God more and to purify the motives for our faith.

As Paul reminds us in this week's Epistle, we must leave behind our old self-deceptions and desires and live according to the likeness of God in which we are made.

Jesus tells the crowd in this week's Gospel that they are following Him for the wrong reasons. They seek Him because He filled their bellies. The Israelites, too, were content to follow God so long as there was plenty of food.

Food is the most obvious of signs—because it is the most basic of our human needs. We need our daily bread to live. But we cannot live by this bread alone. We need the bread of eternal life that preserves those who believe in Him.

The manna in the wilderness, like the bread Jesus multiplied for the crowd, was a sign of God's Providence—that we should trust that He will provide. These signs pointed to their fulfillment in the Eucharist, the abundant bread of angels we sing about in this week's Psalm.

This is the food that God longs to give us. This is the bread we should be seeking. But too often we don't ask for this bread. Instead we seek the perishable stuff of our everyday wants and anxieties. In our weakness we think these things are what we really need.

We have to trust God more. If we seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, all these things will be ours as well.

<https://stpaulcenter.com/audio/sunday-bible-reflections/endurance-test-scott-hahn-reflects-on-the-eighteenth-sunday-in-ordinary-time/>



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	August 3	5:00 pm (Minto)	For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	
Sunday	August 4	8:30 am (Minto) 10:30 am (Warsaw)	In honor of Eleanore Narloch for her 90th birthday by her family. + Audrey Paschke by the Paschke family.	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday	August 5	_____	No Monday morning Masses in Minto.	<i>The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major</i>
Tuesday	August 6	7:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Roger Duray by Deb & Greg Whalen.	<i>The Transfiguration of the Lord</i>
Wednesday	August 7	8:00 am (Minto)	For Deb Slominski for a speedy recovery from surgery by Jan Altendorf.	<i>St. Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs; St. Cajetan, Priest</i>
Thursday	August 8	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Leonard & Della Lutovsky by Dan & Deb Musser and family.	<i>St. Dominic, Priest</i>
Friday	August 9	8:00 am (Minto)	+ Donnie Riske by John & Gloria Mozinski.	<i>St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr</i>
Saturday	August 10	8:00 am (Minto) 5:00 pm (Minto)	+ LaVerne Mahar Costello by Harold & Joan Mondry and family. For all parishioners of Minto & Warsaw.	<i>St. Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr</i>
Sunday	August 11	8:30 am (Minto) 10:30 am (Warsaw)	+ Leona & John Korczak by Raymond & Kathy Korynta. + Richard & Julia Duray and Duane & Agraphine Rivard by Irene Duray.	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

CONFESSIONS Sat. 3:45-4:55 pm (Minto), 1/2 hour before weekday Mass, & anytime... just call.
Also Confession Time: 1/2 hour before Sunday Masses.

WEEKLY OFFERING July 28, 2024: Minto = \$2,434. Warsaw = \$1,706.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

MINTO: Saturday, August 10: Altar Servers: Jacob Hefta, Kole Kittelson, Jack Lane. **Lector:** Lynette Kennedy.

Sunday, August 11: Altar Servers: Eli & Ezra Robinson. **Lector:** Tim Mondry.

WARSAW: Sunday, August 4: Altar Servers: Andrew Riske & Julian Risky. **Lector:** James Kerian.

Sunday, August 11: Altar Servers: James Vandal & Joey Sands. **Lector:** James Kerian.

ALL PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOD'S GIFT APPEAL 2024: If you have not yet completed your God's Gift card, please prayerfully make your pledge and return the envelope in the collection basket or mail it directly to Fargo. Extra commitment cards are located in the back of the church by the bulletins. As of Aug. 2, Sacred Heart was 69.61% towards its goal of \$35,271 with 35.15% participation and St. Stanislaus was 45.52% towards its goal of \$26,167 with 37.93% participation. It is important for all of us to participate in order to support our diocesan church.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN—Living Our Faith, Building Our Future: It is not too late to make a donation or a pledge. As of Aug. 1, Sacred Heart was 53.77% towards its goal of \$157,089. with 22.89% participation. St. Stanislaus was 118.45% towards its goal of \$121,884. with 30.68% participation. Please make checks payable to Living Our Faith, Building Our Future. You may mail your donation directly to the Diocese of Fargo or you may put your Living Our Faith envelope into the collection basket.

DONATIONS ARE NEEDED FOR OUR CEMETERIES to help with mowing costs. Any memorial or donation will be greatly appreciated.

68TH ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE to the Shrine of Our Lady of the Prairies, Carmel of Mary, 17765 78th St. SE, Wahpeton, ND on Sunday, **August 11**. 2:00pm Conference on the Blessed Mother, 3:00pm Rosary, 5:00pm Holy Mass with Bishop John Folda, 6:00pm Picnic. All are welcome!

CATECHIST RETREATS: Fri., Aug. 16 or Sat., Aug. 17. Both Retreats at Maryvale Retreat Center, Valley City, 9:00am to 4:00pm. Fr. Andrew Jasinski will direct a retreat with a series of talks reflecting on prayer in preparation of the Jubilee year next year. These retreats are primarily for those involved in catechesis, however, all are welcome. Cost: \$25 per person. Deadline to register for these retreats is Fri., **Aug. 9**. Please register on-line at www.fargodiocese.org/catechistretreat. Any questions, please contact mary.hanbury@fargodiocese.org. 701-356-7909.

REDEEMED EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS: Bishop Folda invites the people of the Diocese of Fargo to join him at the Jamestown Civic Center on **Sept. 6-7** for the Redeemed Eucharistic Congress. This two-day Eucharistic event will serve as the local diocesan launch of the National Eucharistic Revival's Year of Mission. Speakers include Dr. Scott Hahn, Julianne Stanz, and Msgr. Thomas Richter. The Congress will also have a Eucharistic procession from St. James Basilica to the Jamestown Civic Center and will feature Holy Mass with Bishop Folda, Eucharistic Adoration, opportunities for confession, and a Eucharistic healing service. You can secure your place at this historic event by visiting www.fargodiocese.org/redeemed.

RACHEL VINYARD RETREAT: HOPE AND HEALING - Have you or someone you know suffered from the physical, emotional, or spiritual effects of a past abortion? **Rachel's Vineyard** offers a safe, non-judgmental, and confidential weekend retreat for anyone – including women, men, couples, grandparents, or siblings - who struggle with the feelings of loss or guilt that can accompany an abortion experience. The weekend begins on Friday evening and ends on Sunday afternoon. The next Rachel's Vineyard Retreat in the Diocese of Fargo is scheduled for **Sept. 13-15**. For more info, contact Ruth at 701-219-3941, rruch68@gmail.com or Sherry at 701-520-1229. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

YOUNG ADULT PILGRIMAGE TO ROME FOR JUBILEE YEAR: MAY 21-29, 2025: This pilgrimage will include the major basilicas – walking through the Holy Doors, Wednesday audience with the Holy Father, tour of the catacombs, Sistine Chapel, day trip to Assisi, and visiting many churches to venerate the tombs of saints. The price is \$1300 for land package. Check out the website www.fargodiocese.org/jubilee for more information on pricing and possible parish small group options or call Mary Hanbury 701-356-7909.

JOIN BISHOP FOLDA for a pilgrimage to Italy for the Jubilee Year! Dates: **Oct. 28-Nov. 6, 2025**. Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, I would like to invite you, your family, and your friends to join us on this Jubilee pilgrimage to Italy's greatest cities and special places dear to Christian hearts! A pilgrimage is an important part of a Jubilee year because it is a symbol of the Christian life. Our pilgrimage will begin in Milan and we'll travel to Turin to see the special Jubilee exposition of the Shroud of Turin. We'll also visit Florence, Assisi, and Rome where we will go through the Holy Door of St. Peter's Basilica and the other Papal Basilicas of Rome. At this point, only the land package is a set price. An estimate with flights out of Fargo is \$4900-\$5000. For more info and registration: www.fargodiocese.org/pilgrimages For questions, call Mary Hanbury 356-7909/ mary.hanbury@fargodiocese.org

LAST MINTO THURSDAY NIGHT COOKOUT OF THE SUMMER! Join the fun on Harvey Avenue (Main Street) on Thursday night, **Aug. 8**, in Minto from **5:00-7:00 p.m.** Menu: hamburgers, brats, hotdogs, condiments, beans, sauerkraut, chips, lemonade, and ice cream. All proceeds go to local groups and organizations. Free-will offering. (Suggested: \$10 adults and \$5 youth.) To-go meals are available. Host organizations on Thurs., **Aug. 8**, are the Minto Boy Scouts and the Minto Girl Scouts. Everyone is welcome! **Bingo Night** at the Minto Community Center. (See announcement below.)

OPEN HOUSE in honor of Eleanore Narloch for her 90th birthday on Sun., **Aug. 4**, from 2:00-4:00pm, Minto Community Center. All are invited.

MINTO

THANK YOU for the following donations: **Sacred Heart Cemetery:** Donation from Eleanore Narloch. In memory of **LaVerne Mahar Costello** by family & friends, by Arnold & Mary Ann Barclay, by Craig & Sandra Houska, by Dennis & Linda Slominski, by Gary & Beverly Slominski, by Trevor & Brittany Slominski, by Eric & Mary Stanislawski, and by Gray & Linda Babinski. In memory of **LaVerne Mahar Costello and Sharol Rogalla** by Gene & Mary Ellen Balek. **St. John the Baptist Cemetery:** In memory of **Jay Mondry** by anonymous. Donation from anonymous. **Sacred Heart Church:** In memory of **LaVerne Mahar Costello** by Kevin & Jean Jiskra. **Sacred Heart Choir:** In memory of **LaVerne Mahar Costello** by family & friends, by Rev. John H. & Kathleen Tegeler Fick, by Julianne Pederson, and by Keith & Susan Petterson. **St. Patrick's Cemetery:** In memory of **Sharol Rogalla** by Rod & Joan Schanilec.

FAMILY BINGO sponsored by Sacred Heart Altar Society. Thursday, **August 8, 7:00pm-8:30 pm, Minto Community Center**. Join us for an evening of Bingo to benefit the Walsh County Food Pantry following the Thursday Night Cookout. \$1 per card per game. Winners awarded half of cash collected per game. Lemonade and cookies will be provided. Everybody is welcome.

SACRED HEART ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING Monday, **August 12**, 7:00pm, Sacred Heart Church basement. All members are invited to attend.

ROLLS AFTER MASS will be served on Sunday, **August 18**, after the 8:30 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart Church, Minto. Menu: pastries, fruit, juice, and coffee. Free will offering. Sponsored by the Sacred Heart Altar Society. Everyone is welcome!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! Sacred Heart Parish Fall Dinner will be held Sunday, **November 3**, 2024, at the Minto Community Center.

SACRED HEART PARISH FALL DINNER MINI-RAFFLE DONATIONS: Items are needed for the 14th annual mini-affle. All items must be new. **Deadline to donate items is October 15.** Items received after that time will be held over for the upcoming year. **Contact Mary Mondry (248-3795)** to make your donations.

AUGUST CHURCH CLEANING: **Lead person: Julie Nice.** Sid & Judy Dvorak, Irene Evenson, Craig & Julie Nice, Matthew & Alexis Powers, Sam & Angie Shutt, Michael Wysocki.

WARSAW

AUGUST CHURCH CLEANING: **Lead: Eric & Mary Stanislawski.** Jimmy & Breanna Barta, Todd Burianek, David Gerszewski, John & Kris Risky,

DIVINE MERCY ADORATION CHAPEL

OPEN HOLY HOUR on Mondays at 3:00 p.m. in the Adoration Chapel. Please contact Joan at 360-2499 if you are able to take this Holy Hour on a part-time or full-time basis.

WELCOME to Scott and Jennifer Lindenberger who are taking the Holy Hour on Sundays at 4:00 pm! Jennifer's cell phone number is 701-360-2304. Scott can be reached at 701-521-9019.