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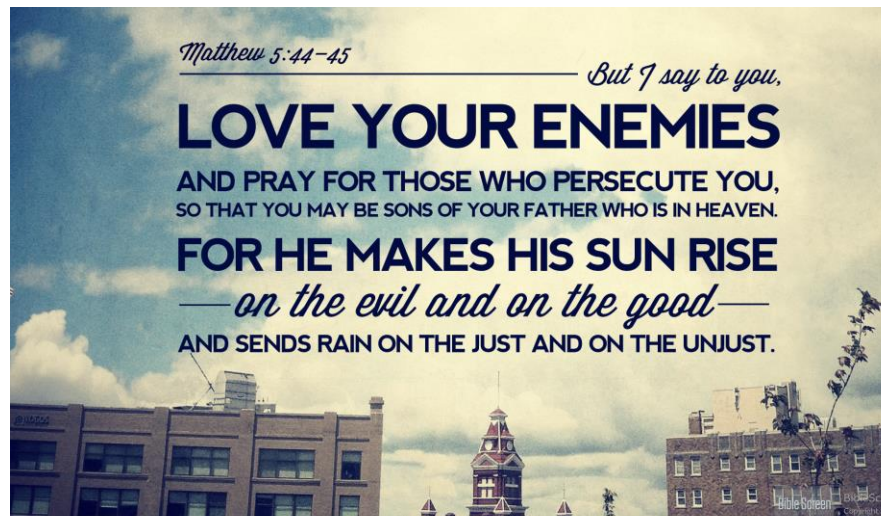
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# February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2017

## 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary time



### **Mass Schedule & Intentions for Feb 21<sup>st</sup> - Feb 26<sup>th</sup>**

Tue, Feb 21.....5:00 pm Mass at St. Martin: Dave and Suzie Traiser

Wed, Feb. 22.....7:30 am Mass at St. Joseph: Abandoned Souls in Purgatory by Carol Nodland  
.....9:00 am Mass at KRCC: Mass has been cancelled KRCC until further notice due to Flu

Thurs, Feb. 23...12:00 pm Mass at St. Martin: †Mark Hammerschmidt  
by Scott and Dorry Peterson

Fri, Feb. 24.....8:30 am Mass at St. Joseph: †Daniel Wallach Sr. by Amos and Audrey Krebs

Sat, Feb. 25.....5:00 pm Mass at St. Martin: †Rosemary Duttonhefner  
by Steve and Robin Knudson

Sun, Feb. 26.....8:00 am Mass at St. Martin: †Coleta Hoepfner by Byron and Jalane Mann  
.....10:00 am Mass at St. Joseph: Parishioners





**The 2017 Diocesan Collection** for Black and Indian Mission will be held this weekend on February 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>. With your contribution to the BIMC, you'll help support good teachers to help African American and Native American kids learn. In 2016, your generous donations reached over 4,000 students in more than 250 schools and parishes across the United States. We need men and women living the consecrated life to give witness to a radical Christian life. We need priests in order to have the Eucharist! Supporting the BIMC enables us to help encourage vocations to the priesthood and religious life in diocesan communities across the country. Envelopes are located at the entrances of the parishes.

**Women's Simple Lenten retreat:** A women's Lenten retreat will be held at Church of St. Anne in Bismarck on Saturday, March 11<sup>th</sup>. Father Russ Kovash, pastor of St. Joseph in Williston, will be the guest speaker. He will present "Gratitude, the Virtue that Changes Us." The event runs from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. and includes Mass, breakfast and lunch, two talks, shopping, a large free table, silent auction, confession, and Eucharistic adoration. Registration begins at 7:15 a.m. Early registration is recommended by or before March 5<sup>th</sup> is \$25 or \$30 after that date. Student rate is \$15. Make checks payable to "A Simple Lenten Retreat for Women" and send them to: Bonnie Volk (471-9633) 3600 McDonald Rd. Bismarck, ND 58504.

**Diocesan Cursillo weekends in March** at Trinity High School in Dickinson. The Men's Cursillo is March 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> and the Women's Cursillo is March 16<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>. Cursillo is an encounter with oneself, with Christ and with our brothers and sisters that enables Catholics to deepen our relationship with God, Grow in an understanding and appreciation for the Catholic Faith. Cursillo is a movement to proclaim the best news of the best reality-- that **God, in Jesus Christ, loves us.** The weekend encourages a spiritual life that is filled with joy, laughter and enthusiasm through shared talks and led discussions emphasizing the meaning and impact of grace and the sacraments in our lives. The means by which prayer CAN and WILL enrich your lives. Applications are available at [www.bismarckdiocese.com](http://www.bismarckdiocese.com) or at the entrances of the parishes. There are still spots available for both Men's and Women's Cursillo. If you have any questions, please contact Jim Hopfauf at 701-527-0143 or Kathy Dosch at 701-527-3221.

**Save the date...THIRST 2017 Men's Conference :** Gentlemen, mark your calendars for the THIRST 2017 Men's Conference sponsored by the Diocese of Bismarck and held at the University of Mary on Saturday, Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017. Plan to be present for some engaging presentations, Eucharistic adoration and Confessions, a Vigil Mass with Bishop Kagan, and of course – a time of fraternity and support with other men of faith from throughout the Diocese. Dads, plan to bring your sons of high-school age and older along with you to this special event, which happens only every 3 years. In 2014 over 700 men attended. Let's see if we can top that number! And remember, the Conference is FREE! Stay tuned for more details and registration information in the coming months.

**Rules for Fasting and Abstinence during Lent** – Wednesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of the penitential season of Lent. Lent lasts 40 days. It mirrors Jesus' 40 days of fasting and prayer in the desert before He began His public ministry. During these 40 days (Sundays are not included in the 40 days), the Church asks us to strive to eliminate sin from our lives by works of prayer, charity, fasting, abstinence and almsgiving. The Church has declared that on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, all Catholics have an obligation to **fast** (limit the amount of food we eat) and **abstain** (refrain from eating meat) according to the following guidelines: 1) Every person 14 years of age or older must **abstain** from meat (and items made with meat) on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and all Fridays of Lent. 2) Every person between the ages of 18 and 60 must **fast** on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Fasting means eating one full meal a day and allows two smaller meals that do not add up to or equal one full meal.