

# PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS



## ST. MARK'S BOTTINEAU & ST. ANDREW'S WESTHOPE

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### Mass Intentions for the Week

Sat. October 27, 5:30p.m. St. Mark's  
(Dorothy Karas (living))  
Sun., October 28, 9:00a.m. St. Andrew's  
(Orville, Barbara & Ronald Halvorson)  
Sun., October 28, 11:00a.m. St. Mark's  
(Parishioners)  
Tues., October 30, 12:00p.m. St. Mark's  
(Special Intentions of Rosemary LaCroix)  
Wed., October 31, 7:30a.m. St. Mark's  
(† Al & Mary Pugh)  
Thurs., November 1, 7:30a.m. St. Mark's  
(† Gary Wall)  
Fri., November 2, 8:00a.m. St. Mark's  
(† All Souls in Purgatory)  
Sat. November 3, 5:30p.m. St. Mark's  
(† Duane Sebelius)  
Sun., November 4, 9:00a.m. St. Andrew's  
(Anonymous Intentions)  
Sun., November 4, 11:00a.m. St. Mark's  
(Parishioners)

### UPCOMING EVENTS

**St. Andrew's**  
**St. Mark's**  
**Oct 31:** Holy Communion service at SAHC Chapel 11:30a.m.  
**Oct 31:** Quilters will meet 1:00—Quilting Room  
**Nov 8:** Widow/Widower gathering 3p.m., Rectory Basement - all welcome  
**Nov 8:** ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING 5:30P.M. SOCIAL HALL



**HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION, THURS., NOV 1:**  
**ST ANDREW'S WESTHOPE @ 5 P.M.**  
**ST MARK'S @ 7:30 A.M. & 7:00 P.M.**

Teresa Pokiva has farm-fresh eggs for sale. \$3/dozen.  
Text 701-871-0460. So fresh you get to wash them yourself!

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**WE NEED ANYONE INTERESTED IN BEING A COMMUNITY LEADER TO CONTACT LEANNA EMMER @ 220-4595 OR THE PARISH OFFICE @ 228-3164.**  
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**Mass for God's Children, Nov 6, 7pm in Rugby.** Bishop Folda will offer a *Mass for God's Children* at St. Therese Church, Rugby. This is a Memorial Mass for children who have died before baptism; it is offered for families as a way to remember and celebrate the lives of children who have been lost through miscarriage, stillbirth, infant or young child death. A memorial rose and naming card will be provided for families who have lost a child. If you would like to reserve a rose, please contact Rachele Sauvageau before Nov.1 by calling 701-356-7910, or by e-mail at: [rachele.sauvageau@fargodiocese.org](mailto:rachele.sauvageau@fargodiocese.org). All are welcome. A reception will follow Mass.

**Stewardship Moment:** "And Jesus said to him, 'Go your way; your faith has made you well.' And immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way." (MARK 10:52)

Faith is believing in something even though you may not be able to see it. Many people think that miracles don't happen anymore. But, if you focus on the positive, not the negative, focus on your blessings instead of your hardships, miracles will seem common and you will see God's active presence in your daily life.

### Report for October 20-21

	St. Andrew's:	St Mark's
Adult env.	\$ 5911.00	Adult env. \$ 2066.00
Plate	\$ 108.00	Plate \$ 110.00
Children	\$ 3.00	Children \$ 7.00
Building Improvement Fund:		\$ 100.00



### Home Communion

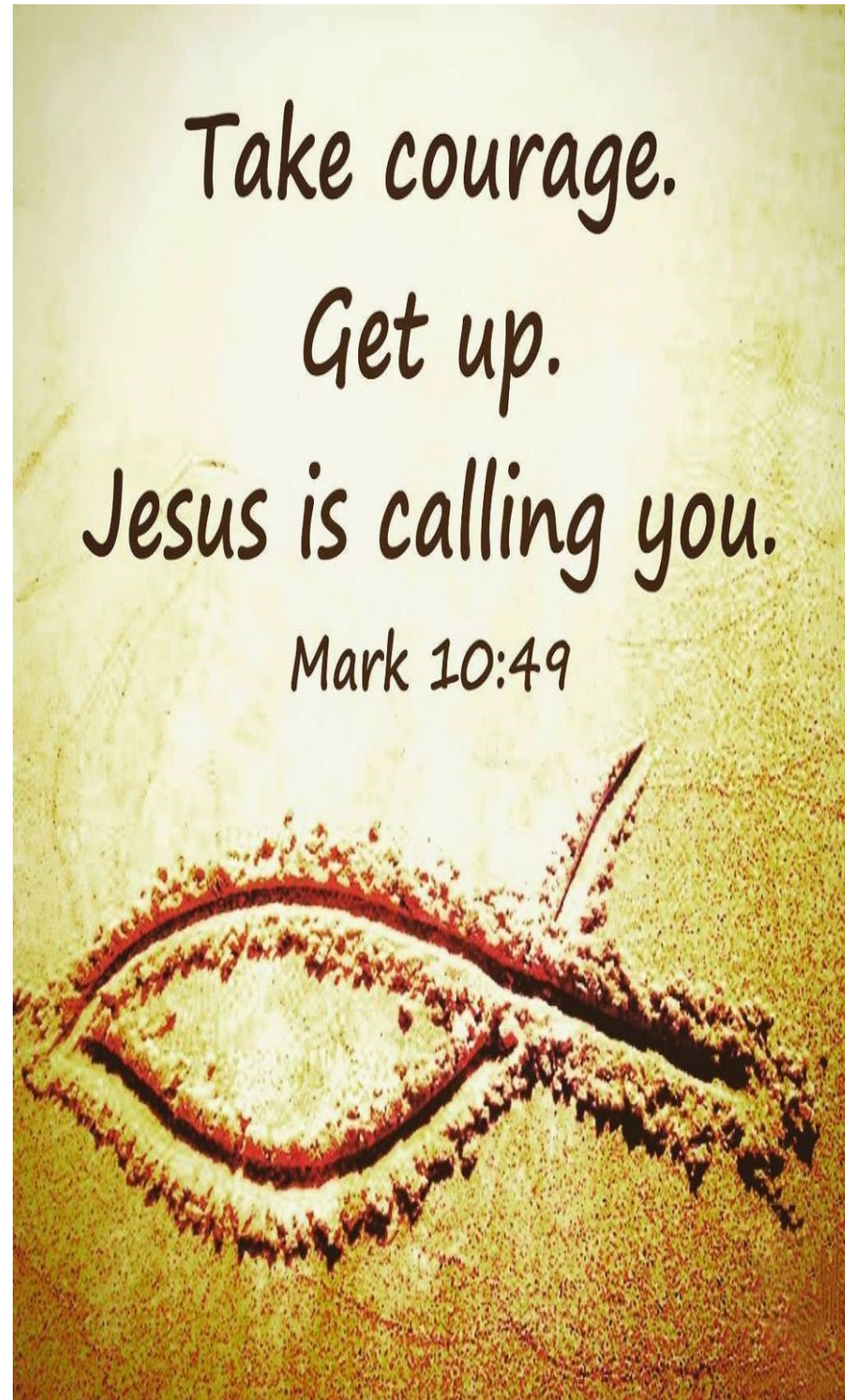
Any St. Mark parishioners desiring Holy Communion at home, call Claudia Trebas (228-2339) by Monday evening to be put on the list. To add or remove a name, please contact Deb Wyman at 245-6538 or the parish office at 228-3164.



**PrayerLine**  
**PARISHIONERS, FAMILY AND FRIENDS: MILITARY PERSONNEL & THEIR FAMILIES,** Mary Longtin, Haylee Jo Jundt, Kim Phillips, Kathy Sletton, the family of Darlene Johnson, Kasper Stinock, the family of Walt Pasicznyk, the family of Devon Main, Jim Mootz, Scott Wheeler, Joel Medallo, Judy Baumann, Ronald Carlson, Jeff Thorsgaard, Marion Lynnes, Mary Ann Saville, 2 year-old Hayden, special intention for a granddaughter with pneumonia, Carol Raymond, Harriet Hall, Dakota Miller, Janet Kraft, Loretta Schmaltz, Bridger Pulver, Noah Signalness, Vilma Moncera, Craig Dix, Rosa Maria Santos, Mike & Diane Lee, Rick Hummel, Sandy Janzen, Karlee McCloud, Laurie Steinhous, Brenda Marquardt, Judy Roedukr, Doris Hart, Mary Holen, Francis Kritzberger, Harvey Soland, Erika Hamilton, Russ & Jan Picard, and any special private intentions.

**St. Andrew's Health Center:** Barney Honer, Shirley Pasicznyk  
**Good Sam:** Regan Benning, Maria Borbolla, Pete Anderson, Ronnie Houle, Ernie Houle, Jane Kuntz  
**Edgewood Vista:** Eileen Lahr  
**The Wellington:** Ray and Donna Sharkey

**Rosary @ St Mark's:** 5p.m., Saturday; 10:30a.m.—Sundays in October for Respect for Life Month.



### PARISH STAFF

Fr Michael Hickin, Pastor  
Vickie Gangl, Secretary  
Cathy Miller, Custodian  
Patty Graber, Custodian

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Valerie Heth, DRE at  
St. Andrew's Parish

### WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:30 pm, Bottineau  
Saturday 8:00 pm, Lake Chapel  
Sunday 9:00 am, Westhope  
And 11:00 am, Bottineau

### CONFESSIONS

Saturday, 4:30 pm, Bottineau  
Sunday, 8:30 am, Westhope  
Or by Appointment

### OFFICE HOURS

Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-5:00pm

October 27-28, 30th Sunday of Ordinary Time



# From the Pastor's Pen

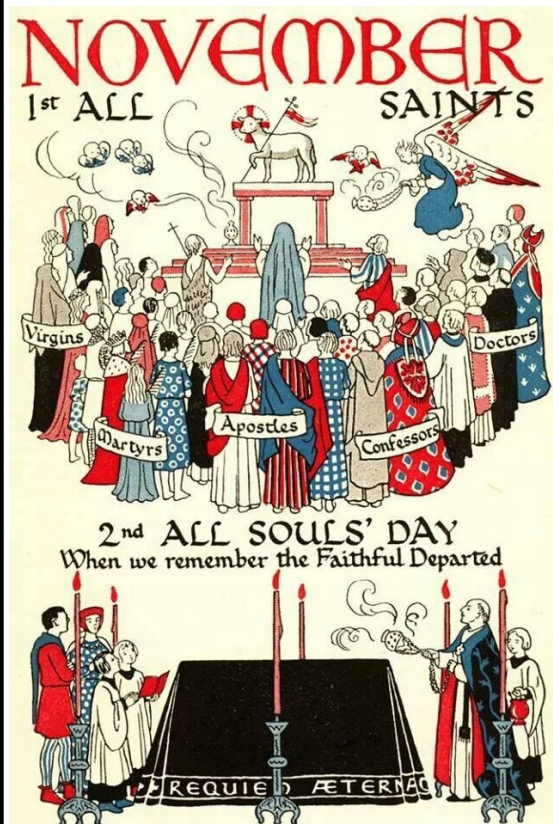


HE RECEIVED HIS SIGHT AND FOLLOWED HIM ON THE WAY—so ends today's Gospel. Every day we need salvation. Every day, we should take this step from beggar to disciple. Bartimaeus, the blind man begs for his sight, is healed, then sets out behind the Lord, becoming part of his community.

The other disciples wanted to silence him. But Jesus wouldn't allow that to happen. Now the man witnesses that he's encountered Jesus, and "all the people, when they saw it, gave praise to God".

During this special moment of Parish Retreat, we allow ourselves to be called by Jesus, healed by Jesus, forgiven by Jesus, so we can follow Jesus, praising God for what he's done for us for those other beggars who are now fellow pilgrims in our community of faith, following Jesus on the Way.

Our prayers go up and out in a special way for Glen and Jaimie Gauer and their 5 children who have journeyed to Bottineau C<sup>ty</sup> as disciples of Jesus. Glen comes with a witness to share. May we receive with gratitude all that he and his family have to offer. THANK YOU FOR BEING HERE!!



diction of the Blessed Sacrament at 12:15 pm.

The first two days of November are an intense moment of faith, prayer and reflection on the "last things" of life. We praise God for the countless host of Saints from all ages: simple and ordinary men and women, who were at times "last" in the eyes of the world, but "first" in the eyes of God.

At the same time, we remember our departed loved ones by visiting the cemeteries: it is a source of great consolation to think that they are in the company of the Virgin Mary, the apostles, the martyrs and all the Saints in Light!

We on Earth, along with those who have entered into Eternity, form one great family. In the great assembly of saints, God reserves the first place for the Mother of Jesus. Mary is the Mystical Rose standing at the center of the Communion of Saints, the delicate yet sturdy bond between the universal Church and Christ. She is Mother, the bond of the family, Jesus' Mother and ours. To follow Jesus on the path of the Gospel, Mary and the Saints remain trusted guides, friends in high places, attentive to our every difficulty along the Way.

**ALL SAINTS—HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION.** In order to see each other in Heaven, that is, *TO BE SAINTS*, let's celebrate this hope on Nov 1, Feast of All Saints. As we praise the Lord for the victory of those friends who have gone before us, we aspire to live in communion with them already here below. Check back page for Mass times.

**ALL SOULS—CEMETERY VISITS.** Nov 2, after the 8 am First Friday Mass in Bottineau, during Eucharistic Adoration, I will visit and bless the graves and pray for those buried at the cemeteries of Mount St. Mark's, Tarsus, Westhope, Maxbass, & Antler. As usual, Bene-



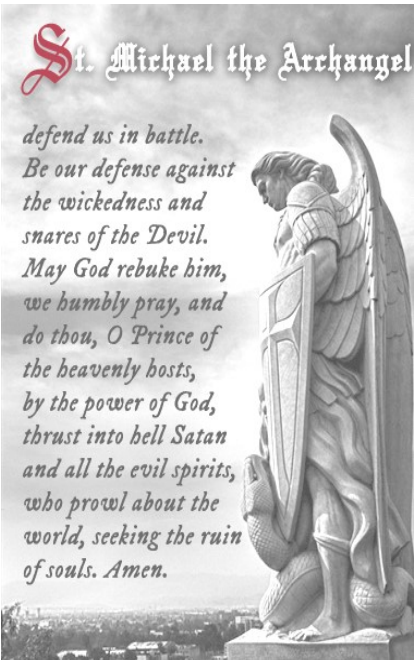
**VALLE LUTHERAN CHURCH IN ROLETTE FALL SUPPER** is on Sunday, October 28, from 4-7p.m. Roast Pork, mashed potatoes, dressing, gravy, green beans & dessert. Adults - \$12; 5-12 - \$5, preschool - free. \$13 - take-outs.

**KNOW ANYONE INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH?** All are welcome. Invite someone to consider going deeper in their relationship with God. Call the office and inquire. Classes begin in November.

**For your information:** When sending a sympathy card or even when you drop it off at the funeral home, put one of your return address labels inside the card so that the family can spell your names correctly and they will also have your correct address for sending you a thank you..

**WORLDWIDE REQUEST.** On Sept 29, Feast of the Archangels, Pope Francis invited all the faithful, of all the world, to pray each day the Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel and the Holy Rosary during the entire Marian month of October, and thus to join in communion and in penitence, as the people of God, in asking the Holy Mother of God and Saint Michael Archangel to protect the Church from the devil, who always seeks to separate us from God and from each other.

The St. Michael Prayer is on the back cover our Breaking Bread hymnal and here in this bulletin.



We welcome Mr. Glen Gauer and his family for two 3-Day events: Fri-Sun, Oct 26-28 at Westhope and Sun-Tues, Oct 28-30 at Bottineau.

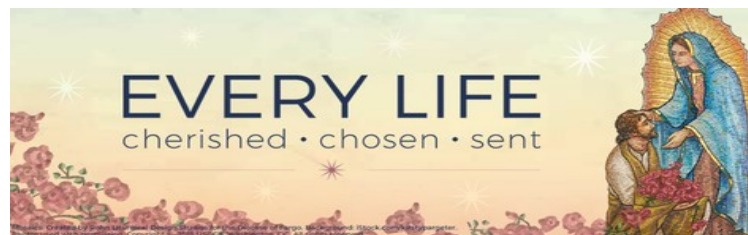
Glen promises to mix music and humor to a vital message about the Holy Spirit. Glen is Catholic, but has a message for everyone. Please invite any— and every-one.

**We will have a brunch after Mass on October 28th at St. Mark's before the start of the Mission Blueprint retreat. Egg bakes, coffee, and orange juice will be provided. We are asking parishioners to bring muffins, rolls or fruit to share. Anyone who would like to volunteer to help with this, please call the Parish Office at 228-3164. Monday we will have a chili cook-off. Have your chili in a crockpot there by 5:30 to be judged, prizes will be awarded. Tuesday we will be serving Sloppy Joes with salad and bars at 6:00.**

**CALLING ALL COOKS!** GOOD SAM IS DOING A COOKBOOK FOR THEIR 50TH ANNIVERSARY AND WOULD LIKE US TO DONATE SOME RECIPES TO THE CAUSE. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO DO THIS, YOU NEED TO GET THEM BACK TO THE OFFICE BY OCTOBER 30TH TO MEET THEIR DEADLINE OF OCTOBER 31ST. THERE ARE RECIPE SHEETS IN THE OFFICE FOR ANYONE TO PICK UP THAT WOULD LIKE TO DONATE AS MANY RECIPES AS YOU WANT. WE WILL ENCLOSE A RECIPE SUBMISSION FORM FOR YOU IN EACH BULLETIN.

**The priests of the Diocese if Rapid City would like to thank Fr. Michael for taking the time to lead the retreat for them.**

They would also like to thank the parishioners of St. Andrew's and St. Mark's for allowing Fr. Michael to take the time to do this service for them. They are very grateful.



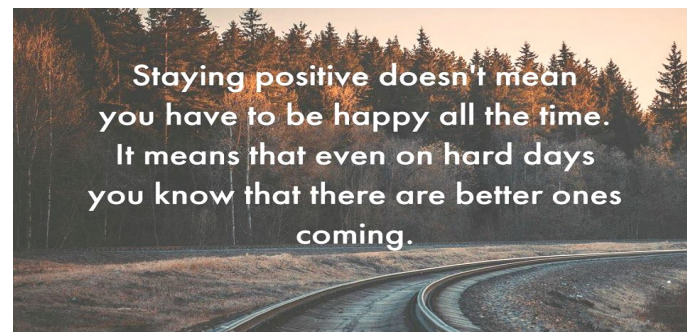
**OCTOBER, RESPECT LIFE MONTH.** You're invited to join Catholics nationwide in celebrating Respect Life Month this October with the message "Every Life: Cherished, Chosen, Sent"! Learn more at [www.usccb.org/respectlife](http://www.usccb.org/respectlife).

**Attention:** Anyone with rosaries that you don't want. We have been contacted by a group called Beads of Peace from Riverton, Wyoming about holding a rosary drive to collect these rosaries to send overseas. Bring them to the Parish Office by November 15, 2018. For more info, call the office at 228-3164.



**Thanksgiving Clothing Drive:** You may bring clean clothes in good condition to the church basement down by the rest-rooms. They must be here by the weekend before Thanksgiving.

**Nadia Smetana from Dakota Hope Clinic will be coming November 10-11,** to speak at all three masses regarding the Bottineau County Right to Life "Baby Bottle" project. They would like to give her a Festival of Trees basket of things for the clinic. For more info, call Kathy McGhan at 228-2735.



## St. Andrew's Ministries for November 4th

DATE	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	READER	GIFT BEARERS	ALTAR SERVERS	USHERS	COUNTERS
Sun.	Jesse & Lenny	Trudy Artz	Klokstad Family	Jude & Will	Paul Klokstad & Wayne Miller	Howard & Roger

## St. Mark's Ministries for November 3rd & 4th

DAT E	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	READER	GIFT BEARERS	USHERS	GREETERS	ALTAR SERVERS	Comm. Leader	COUNTERS
Sat.	Bread: Vickie Gangl Karen Sollin/ Carla E.	Mary Gorder	Ramona Johnson/ Barb Cote	Dennis Lagasse/ Alan Cote	Denise Aide/ Marlys Richard	Talor & Tyler Christenson		
Sun.	Bread: Jen Nero Wayne Barbot/ Kathy McGhan	Jerry Migler	Mitch & Nicole Schmitt	Justin Barbot/ Mike Nero	Bill & Cool Bau- mann	Riley Biberdorf/ Jonas Parisien		Priscilla Sturdevant/ Marie Meloni-Beach