

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, January 19, 5:30p.m. St. Mark's
(† Scott Wheeler)
 Sunday, January 20, 9:00a.m. St. Andrew's
(Parishioners)
 Sunday, January 20, 11:00a.m. St. Mark's
(† Marion Honer)
 Tues., January 22, 2019 12:00pm St. Mark's
(† Al, Mary & Bob Pugh)
 Wed. January 23, 2019 7:30a.m. St. Mark's
(† Herman & Therese Carbonneau)
 Thurs., January 24, 9:00 a.m. St. Andrew's
(† Tom & Priscilla Fischer)
 Fri., January 25, 11:00a.m. Good Sam
(† Cindy Volk)
 Saturday, January 26, 5:30p.m. St. Mark's
(† Duane Sebelius)
 Sunday, January 27, 9:00a.m. St. Andrew's
(† Marion Honer)
 Sunday, January 28, 11:00a.m. St. Mark's
(Parishioners)

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.



PARISHIONERS, FAMILY AND FRIENDS: MILITARY PERSONNEL & THEIR FAMILIES,

PrayerLine
 Mary Longtin, Mary Ann Saville's daughter Sara, Howard Beyer, Curt Beyer, the Family of Cindy Volk, Diane & Mike Lee, John Wilcox, Darlene Sedivy, Eden Larson, Jim Nero, Debra Bollinger & family, Lyle Brandt, Dan Johnson, Charlotte St. Michel, Haylee Jo Jundt, Audrey Phillips, Kathy Sletton, Jim Mootz, Joel Medallo, Ronald Carlson, Jeff Thorsgaard, Marion Lynnes, 2 year-old Hayden, Carol Raymond, Harriet Hall, Janet Kraft, Loretta Schmaltz, Bridger Pulver, Noah Signalness, Rosa Maria Santos, Rick Hummel, Sandy Janzen, Karlee McCloud, Laurie Steinhaus, 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

Good Sam: Regan Benning, Maria Borbolla, Pete Anderson, Jane Kuntz, Shirley Pasicznyk, Judy Baumann

The Wellington: Ray and Donna Sharkey

Rosary @ St Mark's: 5p.m.,



UPCOMING EVENTS

St. Andrew's St. Mark's

Jan 22: Right to Life will recite the Rosary at 11:00a.m.
 Jan 23: Quilting resumes 1:00p.m.—Quilting Room
 Jan 23: Communion Service 11:30a.m. - SAHC Chapel
 Feb 4: KC meeting 7:00p.m. - discuss getting ready for Fish Dinners
 Feb 6: Liturgy Committee meeting 5:30p.m. - Social Hall
 Feb 6: Bible Study—Bible Timeline 7:00p.m. - Social Hall

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

NOTICE: St. Mark's is having a hard time scheduling Eucharistic Ministers for Saturday evening Mass. In order to keep having both the Body And Blood of Jesus available at these Masses, we need more people to serve. Please prayerfully consider this beautiful ministry. If you would be willing, please call the Parish Office at 228-3164 or fill out a Time & Talent sheet and indicate this. If no-one comes forward, we will have to stop having Holy Communion under both species.

MASS INTENTION REQUEST

A Mass intention is requested for :

From _____

Suggested offering \$10.00 per Mass intention.

Stewardship Moment: "To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit." (1 CORINTHIANS 12:7)

St. Paul tells us that God has blessed each of us for a reason. How has God blessed you? Are you using your gifts according to God's plan? How are you helping to build God's kingdom here on earth? Remember that if you don't do the work God planned for you, no one else can do it. Live the life God has intended for you, feel His love, peace and joy!

Report for January 12-13, 2019

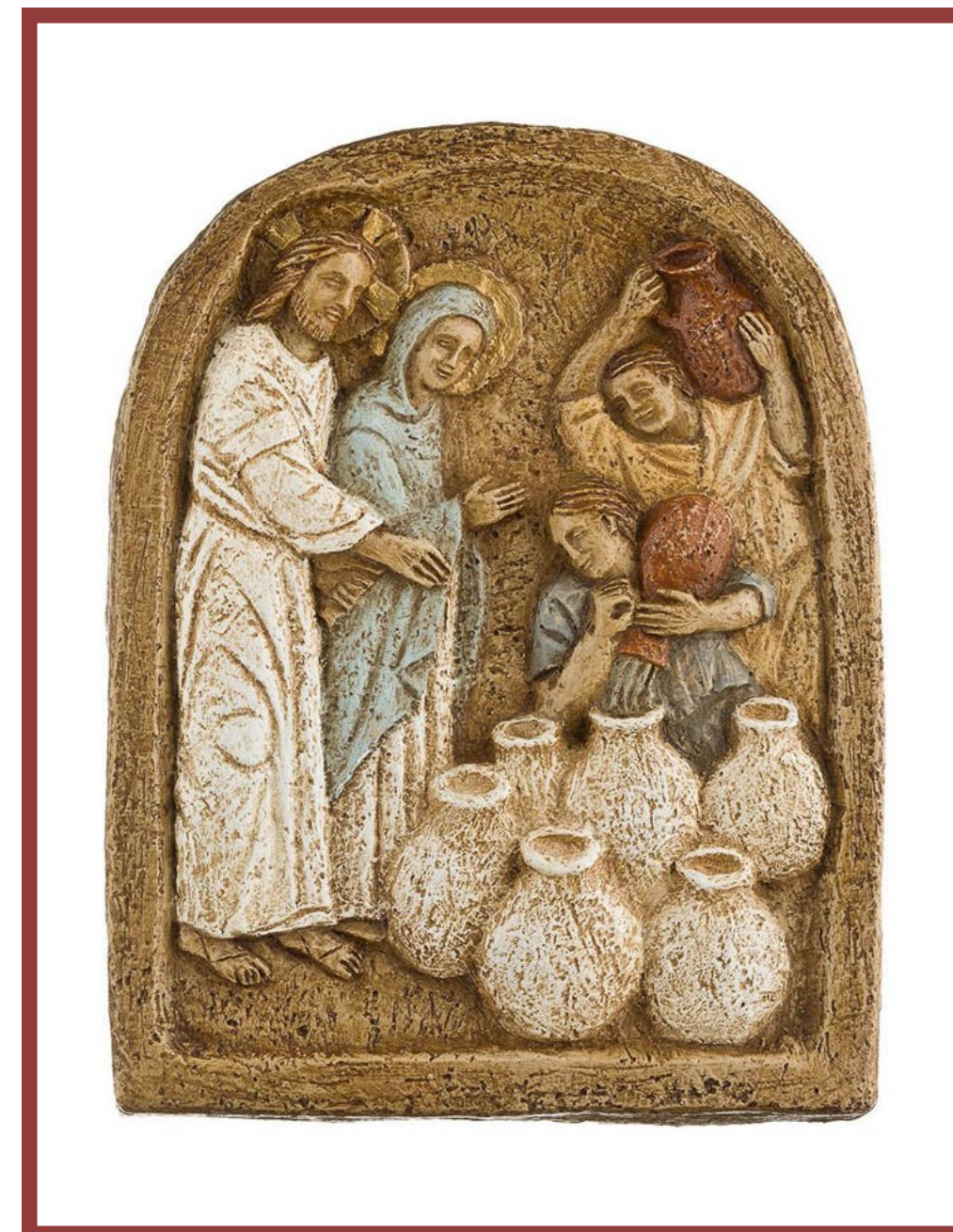
	St. Andrew's:	St Mark's	
Adult env.	\$ 215.00	Adult env.	\$ 1183.00
Plate	\$ 51.10	Plate	\$ 117.00
Children	\$ 11.50	Children	\$ 7.25
Building Improvement Fund:		\$	70.00



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

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*His mother said to the servers,
 "Do whatever he tells you."
 (John 2:5)*

PARISH STAFF

Fr Michael Hickin, Pastor
 Vickie Gangl, Secretary
 Cathy Miller, Custodian - St. A's
 Patty Graber, Custodian - St. M's

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Valerie Heth, DRE at
 St. Andrew's Parish
 Mary Gorder &
 Jessica Tagestad, co-DREs at
 St. Mark's Parish

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:30 pm, Bottineau
 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

January 19-20, 2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

From the Pastor's Pen



NOTICING GOD'S GLORY. In John's Gospel, Jesus' public ministry opens with a muffled bang. He performs the first of his signs, changing the water into wine. He does it on the sly and at his Mother's bidding. Still, the marvel does not escape the attention of his new followers; they glimpse the glory of the Lord and believe.

In the Church's liturgical tradition, the Feast of Epiphany associates three events under the mantle of 'manifestation': the visit of the Magi, the Baptism of Jesus, and the Wedding Feast of Cana. Each of these are 'coming out' mysteries.

More than just his own miraculous powers, Jesus' intervention on behalf of the wedding couple hints at a greater theme sprinkled throughout the Scriptures. The Bible loves weddings.



Weddings are moments to savor the beauty of life. They mark a new beginning of lives henceforth entwined.

Isaiah speaks in the first reading of God's love for Israel as for someone jilted and overlooked. No longer will your people be called "forsaken" or "desolate." God calls his People "My delight" and their land "Espoused." It gets even more explicit. "As a young man marries a virgin, your Builder shall marry you; and as a bridegroom rejoices in his bride so shall your God rejoice in you."

At the outset of Jesus' mission we have a wedding feast. The wine flows. But there's a problem. The wine runs out.

Who notices?

Mary is the one who observes the shortage. She brings the concern to Jesus. She's full of confidence that Jesus can somehow respond.

Best guess, Jesus transforms about 180 gallons of water into choice wine. Later in John's Gospel he says: "I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly" (Jn 10:10).

If a wedding reception is a metaphor for God's Kingdom, union of Creator and creature, how does that help us understand Jesus' first sign?

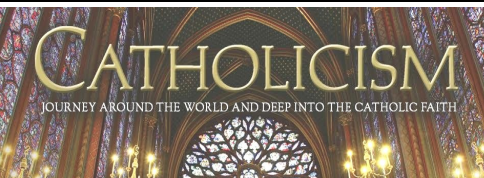
Jesus' mission is to transform what's ordinary into extraordinary abundance.

Will this continue?

Mary brought a simple, specific need she saw to Jesus. She believed he could make the situation better. Jesus went way beyond simply making things better for the newlyweds. He used the occasion as an opportunity to show those with eyes to see that God's Glory is near. God will respond to our needs in ways beyond our imagining.



What situations of need are you observing these days? Do you have an idea what would make these situations better? What 'stone jars' lay around empty, yet full of potential? Will you share what you see with Mary? Do you think she'll help you hand it over to Jesus? Of course! Faith will put us in a position to see God's glory manifest when together with Mary we notice little transformations happening all around us. Put your confidence in Jesus, and be part of the Action!



CATHOLICISM SERIES. Thurs, Jan 31, 7 pm, rectory base-



Feb 6: Bible Study—Bible Timeline 7:00p.m. - Social hall

Jan 23: Living Stations practice
Jan 30: Living Stations practice

ment. All are welcome. In Lesson 6 Bishop Barron answers the question, "What is the Church?" The Body of Christ is the one, holy, catholic, & apostolic Church. Spread over the world, she escapes our complete grasp. She is a Mystery and our Mother. Come & see.



ST. MARK'S: PLEASE DROP OFF YOUR TIME & TALENT SURVEYS IN THE COLLECTION BASKET OR PARISH OFFICE !!!



Bottineau County Right to Life is collecting change for Dakota Hope Clinic. This clinic helps with unplanned pregnancies. Please take home a baby bottle to collect change for the babies and bring back Jan 26-27. Baskets for the Dakota Baby Bottle collections will be placed at the entry ways of St. Andrew's and St. Mark's Churches. Retain your bottle for the second and final collection May 4-5. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



The Right to Life would like to recite the Rosary January 22 at 11:00a.m. at St. Mark's. January 22 is a Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. The Bottineau County Right to Life invites everyone to join them in reciting the rosary at 11:00a.m. in the church proper.

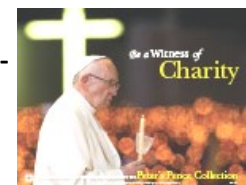
St. Mark's Church needs volunteers to shovel the sidewalks after a snowfall and/or a big wind, especially before the wkend Masses. Anyone that has service hours to be filled is more than welcome to shovel snow for us!



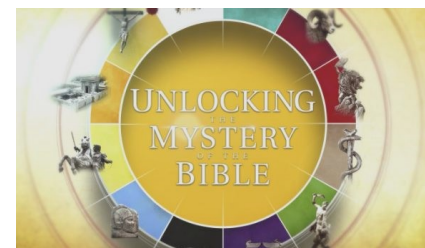
ATTENTION ALL KC'S: THERE IS A MEETING SCHEDULED FOR FEBRUARY 4TH AT 7:00P.M. IN THE SOCIAL HALL TO DISCUSS GETTING READY FOR THE FISH SUPPERS DURING LENT. PLEASE COME AND BE A

PART OF THE PLANNING!!!

Next weekend is the Peter's Pence collection for the special charities of Pope Francis. The envelopes are in the bulletin. Please be generous.



**Where: Grace Lutheran, Bottineau, ND (use south doors)
When: 6:15 to 8:00 P.M. (First group session: Tuesday, Feb. 5 and every Tuesday thereafter through April)**



Join us for Session 2 of this 8-part study to understand the Bible. *Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible* makes the complex simple. It helps you uncover the story woven throughout Scripture. Once you get this "big picture" of the Bible, it will be easier to understand what it's all about. The Bible is a story about the Father's unfailing love for you—a love that you're bound to share with others. **Next meeting: Weds, Feb 6, 7 pm, St Mark's Social Hall**

We will:

- See the overall story of the Bible, the historical flow from beginning to end.
- Discover the remarkable connections between the Old and New Testaments
- See how the Sacraments, the Church and our everyday Catholic Faith is rooted in Scripture

Good Shepherd Prayer

O Good Shepherd, you never cease to seek the lost, to call home the stray, to comfort the frightened, and to bind up the wounded. I ask you to bring (mention names) back to the practice of the Faith, and to remove all obstacles that prevent them from receiving your abundant mercy, which flows sacramentally through the heart of your holy Church. Through the intercession of Mary, the Mother of God, their guardian angels, St. Mark and St. Andrew and the ever-prayerful St. Monica, may you pardon their sins and unshackle them from whatever hinders their freedom to come Home. For you, O Good Shepherd, loved us to the end and offered yourself to the Father for the salvation of all. Amen.

St. Andrew's Ministries for January 27th, 2019

DATE	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	READER	GIFT BEARERS	ALTAR SERVERS	USHERS	COUNTERS
Sun.	Lenny & Tom	Paulette Martin	Tabarez Family	Maria & Will	Mike & Terry Thompson	Roger & Mike

St. Mark's Ministries for January 26th-27th, 2019

DATE	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	READER	GIFT BEARERS	USHERS	GREETERS	ALTAR SERVERS	Comm. Leader	COUNTERS
Sat.	Bread: Vickie G. Bobbi A./Susan H.	Barb Waagen	Patty Graber Family	Mike Haberman/Merle Allard	Bev Boucher/Denise Aide			
Sun.	Bread: Jen Nero Bev J./Megan R.	Pete Artz	Steve & Diane Lorenz	Jeff Beyer/Corey Bercier	LaVonne Janzen	Lauren Tagestad		Helen C./Carla E.