



# Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



July 24, 2016

Dear Holy Family,

Most seminarians are placed in a parish one of their first summers in seminary. Bishop Swain likes to give the men a taste of a parish right away as if to say, "This is what a priest does. What do think? Is this for you?" I'm not sure if Fr. Stevens knew this, but Holy Family is my first parish assignment ever. Somehow I managed to go seven years without experiencing this part of a priest's life. Father did tell me he asked for me to come to Holy Family so that all of you could get a good look at what a seminarian is and what we do. He may not have known that I was just as eager to get a good look at what a parish is and what you do?

This summer has been a tremendous grace. All of you have been a tremendous grace. Thank you for all of your warmth and hospitality. Thank you for everyone who hosted Fr. Stevens and me for supper. Thank you for all of your prayers and support. Holy Family is a beautiful parish, full of God's people. That is who you are. And I pray that what you do is share the Good News each and every day. So, after two short months I ask myself, "What do I think? Is this for me? Can I live the life of a priest?" Oh Yeah! Bring it on!

Deacon Andy Thuringer



**We Welcome through the Living Waters of Baptism.**

**THORNE ALVIN**, son of Tyler & Amanda (Nolz) Radke. May God shower you with an abundance of His grace and blessings.

**Holy Family wishes to Congratulate Becky Picek & Tyler Hoffmann**

*who were united in marriage at Holy Family last weekend.*

*May the Lord bless them as they begin their vocation of married life.*



**Holy Family extends our deepest sympathy to**

*Sr. Nancy Dwyer and family on the death of her mother, Anna Lee Dwyer of Cheyenne Wells, Co.*

*and to Jeanette Uher and family on the death of her father, Bernie Kayser of Alexandria, SD. May our Lord bless and comfort you and your family during this time of great grief.*

## PARISH COLLECTION



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| Envelopes: | \$ 9,429.67 | (282 parishioners) |
| ACH:       | \$ 5,090.00 | (29 parishioners)  |
| Loose:     | \$ 1,246.25 |                    |
| Children:  | \$ 139.56   |                    |

**Total collected last week: \$15,905.48 Thank You!**

Holy Family's new fiscal year began July 1, 2016. **Our weekly goal for 2016-17 is \$14,000.** Our largest commitment is the John Paul II subsidy and the remainder for salaries, maintenance and operational expenses, etc. of the Holy Family campus. We have met our budget needs over the years and your generosity is greatly appreciated. Some parishioners use automatic withdrawal to fulfill their commitment to stewardship. Now may be a good time to review your commitment. If you wish to increase or start automatic withdrawal you can contact the parish office at 996-3639. Thank you for your Stewardship. --Holy Family Finance Committee

### CATHOLIC FAMILY SHARING APPEAL: (CFSA)

|                       |            |       |
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| Our 2016 Goal:        | \$ 110,400 |       |
| Pledged thus far:     | \$ 72,225  | (65%) |
| Collected thus far:   | \$ 69,210  | (63%) |
| Parishioner response: | 410        | (38%) |

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**AUTOMATIC WITHDRAWALS FOR CONTRIBUTIONS (ACH):** If you would like to have your church contributions automatically deducted from your bank account each month, call the parish office at 996-3639. Forms can also be found on our website, [www.holyfamilymitchell.com](http://www.holyfamilymitchell.com) (under FORMS) that you can fill out and return to the parish office.

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**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** We welcome those who are new to our parish and ask them to call the parish office for registration information, or if you are moving, please also notify the parish office at 996-3639.



### EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Tuesday from 8:30 AM to 8:00 PM

CONFESSIONS 5:30 PM

We are currently **IN NEED OF A SCHEDULED ADORER**, for the 7-8 PM hour. Call the parish office at 996-3639 to volunteer.

## † PARISH NEWS

**UPDATING DATA:** We are in the process of updating parishioner information in our Parish Data System and have found that there are many parishioner phone numbers that are no longer in service. Please call or email the parish office at 996-3639 or [holyfamily@mitchelltelecom.net](mailto:holyfamily@mitchelltelecom.net) if you have canceled your telephone landline or changed your phone number. Thank you!

### LOST & FOUND:

**FOUND:** 14 K Gold Ring found in Church Parking lot last week. Please call the parish office at 996-3639 to claim.

Please check the **Lost & Found Box** located in the east wing of the gathering space if you are missing children's books, clothing, hats, gloves, prayer books, glasses etc. (Lost rosaries are kept in the parish office). Anything left after July 31<sup>st</sup> will be disposed of.



Belated Birthday wishes to ADELAIDE MAYER who celebrated her 98<sup>th</sup> birthday on July 20<sup>th</sup>. Birthday greetings may be sent to Adelaide at 700 Washington Place C-6, Baltimore, MD 21201. May God bless you with much good health and happiness!

## FAITH FORMATION NEWS



Christine Lemmer, Faith Formation Director  
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**Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS)** is one model of Faith Formation for children seeing growth in the past several years in the United States and now in our diocese. It is based on a Montessori-type model of learning. There are 3 levels to CGS: Level 1 is ages 3-6; Level 2 is ages 7-9; and Level 3 is ages 10-12. The Diocese and the Presentation Sisters are sponsoring training for Level 1-Part 1 of CGS this August 1-5 (8:00am-5:00pm daily) in Sioux Falls. We are looking for a minimum two adults from our Holy Family & Holy Spirit Parishes to come forward to be trained to teach this model of Faith Formation. Note: Level 1-Parts 2 & 3 training will take place next summer. Once initial training takes place we can begin offering CGS in our parishes in a room called an Atrium. This location is yet to be determined. Overall, CGS will gradually grow – all depending on the commitment of volunteers willing to be trained. Please prayerfully consider if this model of Faith Formation is something you would like to assist with in our parishes. **There is some urgency to find volunteers for CGS since we just learned of the Aug. 1-5 CGS training in our diocese.** Please contact me with any questions regarding Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. You can reach me at 996-3842 or [clemmer@ffmitchell.com](mailto:clemmer@ffmitchell.com). The Gr. K-6 Faith Formation Office is located within John Paul II School.

## JOHN PAUL II SCHOOL NEWS



**Robin Cahoy – Principal**  
1510 W Elm Ave, Mitchell, SD 57301  
(605) 996-2365 – Website: [www.johnpaul2.org](http://www.johnpaul2.org)

Last week the school sent out an email containing most of the forms necessary for registering for the upcoming 2016-17 school year. These forms can be filled out online, printed, and brought to the school on Monday, August 1, 2016 for School Registration. It will be held in the Multi-Purpose Room in the west end of the school from 7 AM – 3 PM. Parents of **Preschool through 6<sup>th</sup> grade** need to stop in during those hours to register your child(ren) for the upcoming school year. If you are unable to come in on that day, please contact the office (996-2365) to schedule an alternate time.

SCRIP continues to be sold at the John Paul II School office on a daily basis. Please call the school in advance for SCRIP as summer office hours vary. Thank you to all who continue to help fund our school using the SCRIP cards!



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Mitchell, SD 57301 "Like" us on facebook!

Many thanks and blessings to the family of Edward and Kathleen Roster for establishing and endowment for teacher's salaries at John Paul II School! What a beautiful gift and memorial for their wife and mother. Anyone may contribute to this fund in any amount and at any time. This endowment creates an opportunity for us all to make donations in honor or memory of our favorite teacher's and assist the continuation of Catholic Education here in Mitchell.

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The **NOTRE DAME CLASS OF 1966** will be holding their 50 Year Class Reunion in Mitchell on **September 9 - 11, 2016**. Friday evening: gathering at the home of Sandy (Sullivan) Grosz. Saturday evening: dinner at Wild Oak, with the Mitchell High School Class of '66. Sunday: 10:00 Mass at Holy Family - After Mass, coffee and conversation at the CornerStone Coffee shop. To register, or for more info contact Pat Helgeland at [path@sio.midco.net](mailto:path@sio.midco.net) or Nicole in the MFCE office.

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

07/26 8:00am d. Patrick Skelly  
07/27 8:00am d. Gene & Ann Wacker  
07/28 8:00am d. Herman & Alice Schmidt  
07/29 8:00am d. Gene Paradeis  
07/30 5:00pm d. Bill & Helen Walsh  
07/31 8:30am d. Neil Hanten  
10:00am d. Bernadette Ware  
11:30am For Holy Family Parish

## MINISTRY SCHEDULES

### Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers

07/30 5:00pm L-S Kirby; EM-Deacon Graves, R&C Scheich, D Petersen, (S Moege – Sub needed)  
07/31 8:30am L-M Ommen; EM-Deacon Graves, J Schlimgen, C Harrell, M Ommen, D Young  
10:00am L-W Puetz; EM-Deacon Graves, T Harrington, R&T Kriese, M Puetz  
11:30am L-P Paulson; EM- Deacon Graves, S Peschong, K Ewing, J Paulson, J Van Oort

### Mass Servers

07/30 5:00pm J Fritzeimer, (C&E Grimsley – Sub needed)  
07/31 8:30am K Nash, (P Phinney – Sub needed), Volunteer  
10:00am H Bartscher, (K Thomas – Sub needed), Volunteer  
11:30am A&E Driscoll, J Heesch

### Ministers of Hospitality

07/30 5:00pm J&N Fradet, J&J Fritzeimer, M&P Pecenka  
07/31 8:30am B&D Everson, R&D Kelly, Volunteers  
10:00am J&C Beatch, L&V Boehmer, J&J Heemstra  
11:30am H&L Andersen, T&M Day, D&S Heesch

## WEEKLY BULLETIN BOARD



07/26 **Eucharistic Adoration** – 8:30am to 8:00pm  
**Confessions** – 5:30pm  
07/30 **Confessions** – 3:30pm

## DIOCESAN EVENT

### BISHOP'S CHARITY GOLF CLASSIC

The 22nd Annual "Bishop's Charity Golf Classic" is scheduled for **Monday, August 29<sup>th</sup>**. There will be two simultaneous golf tournaments - "The Bishop's Scramble," and "The Bishop's Cup" – which will be held at The Country Club of Sioux Falls and Minnehaha Country Clubs with a shotgun start at noon.

New this year will be a wine and beer tasting event, held on **Saturday, August 27<sup>th</sup>** at the Ramkota Exhibit Hall from 4:00-7:00 pm. This event – *Legacy: A Beer and Wine Experience* is mirrored after the very successful beer tasting held last year at the LEGACY event. In addition to the opportunity to taste over 100 selections from over 40 breweries and wineries, you will also be able to enjoy the silent auction. Tickets are sure to sell out, so order yours early! Must be 21 to attend.

The beneficiary of this event is Broom Tree Retreat and Conference Center. This is a great time for Catholics from around the Diocese to gather for fun, fellowship, and to show their support and learn more about the retreat ministry at Broom Tree.

**Register on-line for the Legacy: A Beer & Wine Experience and/or Golf at [www.cf.sd.org](http://www.cf.sd.org)** or contact the Catholic Community Foundation at 605-988-3765, toll free at 1-888-246-3386.