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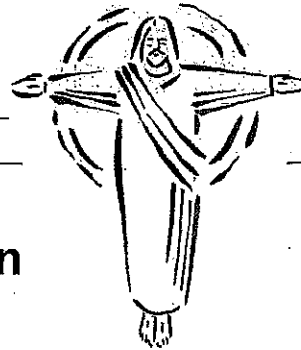
Sts. Mary & Luke

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St. Mary, PO Box 110, 505 Park ST E, Park River, ND, 58270

St. Luke at 14207 63 ST NE, Grafton, ND 58237

March 16-24, 2019



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Weekend liturgies:

Saturdays:

Good Samaritan, 9:30 a.m.

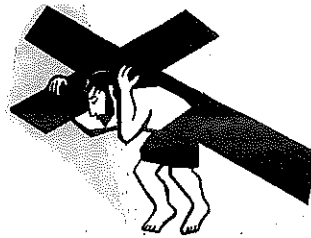
St. Mary, 5 p.m.

Sundays:

St. Luke, 8 a.m.

St. Mary, 10 a.m.

Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord



Stations of the Cross

Monday, March 18
at St. Luke, 5 p.m.

Reconciliation following until 6:30 p.m.

REBOOT: Wednesday, March 20,
6:15 p.m., St. John, Grafton
\$15 tickets available at Parish Office!!!

Reconciliation: St. Mary, 7-8 p.m. on
March 19, 21, 26, 28, and April 9.

Congrats! Lucie Sobolik: At age 80, she has decided to leave her lofty post as St. Luke's organist. Ms. Schanilec is replacing her. Let us give Lucie a big cheer of thanks next time we see her!!

Liturgies March 16-24:

Saturday, March 16

Readings: Deut 26:16-19, Matt 5:43-48

9:30/Good Sam – + Fr. Leo Stelten

5 p.m./St. Mary – Ramsey/Steiner families

Sunday, March 17 – 2nd Sunday Lent/C

Gen 15:5-18, Phil 3:17—4:1, Luke 9:28-36

8 a.m./St. Luke – + Victor Sobolik

10 a.m./St. Mary – The Parishioners

Monday, March 18 – Cyril of Jerusalem

Readings: 1 John 5:1-5, John 15:1-8

9 a.m./St. Mary -- + Mary Helen Darling

Tuesday, March 19 – Joseph

Sam 7:4-16, Romans 4:13-22, Luke 2:41-51

9 a.m./St. Mary – Bishop Joe Charron

Wednesday, March 20

Readings: Jer 18:18-20, Matt 20:17-28

12:10 p.m./St. Mary – + John/Dorothy Kosobud

Thursday, March 21

Readings: Jer 17:5-10, Luke 16:19-31

9 a.m./St. Luke -- + Florence Peterka

Friday, March 22

Readings: Gen 37:3-28, Matt 21:33-42,45-46

NO Liturgy Today!

Saturday, March 23 – Turibius

Readings: Micah 7:14-20, Luke 15:1-32

9:30 a.m./Good Sam – + Grace Midgarden

5 p.m./St. Mary – + Edith Bauer

Sunday, March 24 – 3rd Sunday Lent/C

Ex 3:1-15, 1 Cor 10:1-12, Luke 13:1-9

8 a.m./St. Luke – The Parishioners

10 a.m./St. Mary – + Dorothy Karas

Donations needed at both parishes!

Cash Flow March 9-10:

at St. Mary:

Envs: \$3,695

Plate: \$219

Children: \$1

Total: \$3,915

Year to date

Actual: \$28,114

Budget: \$28,000

Need:

\$2,800 per week

at St. Luke:

March 10:

NO

LITURGY,

NO

DATA!

Year to date

Actual: \$6,079.24

Budget: \$7,650

Need:

\$850 per week

Tithing Norm:

10% of income

back to God:

Parish: 5-8%

Diocese: 1%

Community: 1-4%

Prayer List:

Minnie Cole, Judi Witt,
Selma Clemetson,
Maurice & Eileen Vondra,
Veronica Pitcher,
Bruce Heggen, Camden Daley,
Beth Davis, Baby Charolette,
Roger Mattson,

Robert Zidon, Theresa Moen,
Jane Grzadzielewski.

*Please advise Fr. Bert
when you have improved
at FrBert@polarcomm.com*

Things to Know:

Bulletin Deadline:

Tuesday Noon

Note that anything submitted will
be edited, cut and shortened.

Bulletin boards & Reading tables:

Please submit all items to Fr.
Bert for approval and placement.

Baptisms & Marriages:

Please call Fr. Bert before
you make any plans!!!

Hospital Visits, Communion calls, & Anointing of Sick:

Please make contact with
Fr. Bert (numbers on Page 1)
or at FrBert@polarcomm.com

Reconciliation:

Saturdays: 4-4:30 p.m./St. Mary
Thursdays: 8:30 a.m./St. Luke
Anytime by request.

***** FAITH FORMATION *****

March 20 ReBOOT at St. John's
*Grades 7-12 students & parents
expected there by 6:15 p.m.*

March 27 Stations at 7 p.m.
Classes continue until 8:15 p.m.

April 3 **NO CLASSES!!!**
*Grade 3 students & parents
at Grafton St. John's at 7 p.m.
for Confirmation Rehearsal*

April 10 .. Living Stations of the Cross
presented by St. Mary's HS students!
Reception follows in Parish Center.

First Eucharist Retreat: Saturday,
March 23. Students are to bring
finished books to the retreat!

Confirmation/First Eucharist:

Saturday, April 6, 7 p.m., St. John's,
Grafton. At St. Mary's, the Saturday
liturgy will be at 4 p.m. on April 6!!!
Students are: Eli Beneda, Marshall
Carter, Madison Houser, Hudson
Sobolik, Isabella Swartz, Simon
Zikmund.

Pack the Pew: A pew or two are closed and
marked at St. Luke's and St. Mary's. The
idea is to fill the pew(s) with groceries by
Sunday, March 31. The food will be trans-
ported to the Walsh County Food Pantry.

Luncheon & Bake Sale: Attendance was
wonderful. Income was \$1,243.25. Bake
Sale: \$182.25; Luncheon: \$1,061.

NO Meetings: During Lent at St. Mary's and
St. Luke's. Please take this time to pray a
little more at home.

Lent Moment: "Has your diet changed?" an 87-year-old woman was asked as she was being admitted into the hospital. "Yes," she said. "For Lent, I gave up whipped cream on my Jell-O, hard candy and my two beers a night." She then paused and said: "And look where it's gotten me!"

Ash Wednesday: Collection for Walsh County Food Pantry. St. Mary's: \$547; St. Luke's date not reported yet as treasurer is on vacation!

*** **OTHER EVENTS** ***

Fish Fry: Fridays, March 15, April 5 & 12, 5-7 p.m., Grafton St. John's. \$12. Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council #3918. Dessert bar by St. John's youth.

Book & Donut Sale: Thursday, March 21, 2-4 p.m., Chapel Area of Good Samaritan Home, Park River. Free-will lunch.

Fish Fry: Friday, March 22, 4:30 to 7 p.m., St. Brigid of Ireland, Cavalier. Fish, baked potato, salad bar & desserts. Adult \$15; under age 12 \$6, under age 6 free. Take-out available. All proceeds benefit Rectory Improvements.



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DENTAL CLINIC**

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Park River, ND 58270

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Serving
the Assembly
at **St. Luke's**
in March 2019:

Lector:
Andrew Sobolik

Cleaners:
Barb Sobolik,
Jessica Sobolik,
& Bev
Sangrait

Wear Purple:
Now is the time!
It is Lent!

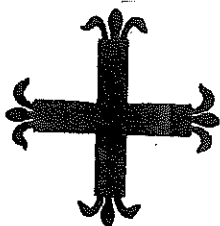
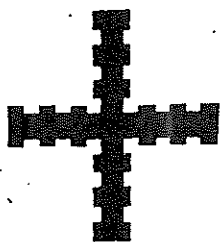
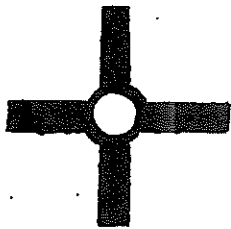
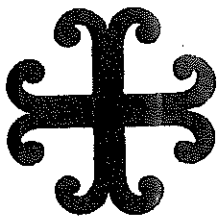
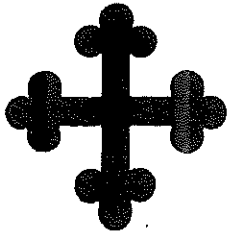
See flyers on
Bulletin Board!

**March 23-24, 2019 – 3rd Sunday of Lent/C
Ministries of Service**

Masses	5 p.m. Saturday	10 a.m. Sunday
Proclaimers	L Alkøfer	T Zikmund
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	* D Kram, C Schiernbeck, S Vold	* M Heggen, S Brunsvold, C Daley, AM Daley, 1 volunteer
Gift Bearers	Volunteers	G & H Sobolik
Commentator	Fr. Bert	Fr. Bert
Servers	A Koenig	J Zikmund, K Sullivan
Ushers	J Ham, D Koenig	M Thompson, O Zikmund
Greeters	B Ellefson	M & H Bata, K Drevecky
Rosary Leader	S Sobolik	-----
Sacristan	M Novak	C Daley

*Bread Minister

Lent Crosses as seen in Church



Bottony ...

Bottony means budded or button. This cross has a strong vertical stem and arms (sometimes many), with buttons (circles) on the ends. The most commonly known bottony cross is the Celtic Cross (Irish Cross).

Cercelee ...

The cross is like an exaggerated cross moline and to a lesser extent is similar to the anchored cross with its forked tips curving around both ways, like a ram's (sheep's) horns.

Coptic ...

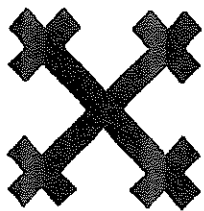
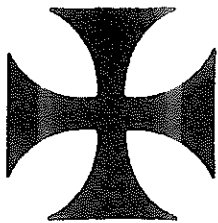
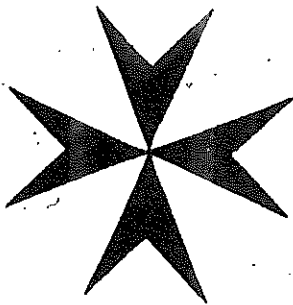
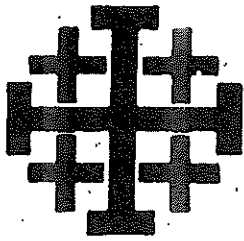
The Coptic Church is the main Christian Church of Egypt, established by Mark around 60 A.D. The cross incorporates a circle (originally the symbol of the Sun god) and represents the eternal and everlasting love of God as shown through Christ's crucifixion.

Crenel Cross ...

This cross is a heraldic cross and symbolizes strength. In the Roman Catholic Church its meaning is "Church Suffering." Crenel or crenelle comes from Latin crena, which means "notch."

Fleurette Cross ...

This cross takes its design from the French flower known as the Fleur de les. The four ends of the cross are fluffed out like this flower. The cross is commonly used in the ornamentation of vestments used by the bishop, priest and deacon.



Glory ...

A simple Latin Cross (of which we are most familiar) is adorned with some sort of shining light, with or without rays emanating from that light. The sunburst can be seen in front of, or behind, the cross.

Jerusalem ...

The large cross symbolizes Christ. The four crosses surrounding the large center cross represent the four Gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. These small crosses can also represent the four corners of the world to which the Gospel was to be spread.

Maltese Cross ...

This cross was introduced to Malta by the Knights of St. John of Jerusalem upon taking possession of the islands in 1530. This cross has become a part of Malta's culture/heritage.

Patee Cross ...

The cross style has splayed arm ends. This means the arms are narrow at the center and broader at the perimeter. There are several variations of the design. The name patee comes from the French for 'paw.'

St. Julian ...

This is a cross crosslet at 45 degrees. It is made from four Latin Crosses arranged at right-angles to each other, with the tops pointing to the "four corners of the world."

This cross images the Gospel being spread all around the world.

St. Julian is a patron saint of travelers.