BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH

JULY 20, 2025 SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

DATE	TIME INTENTION		
Saturday, July 19	8:00 am	Earleen Moroney +	
Saturday, July 19	5:30 pm	Elizabeth Ganow +	
Sunday, July 20	8:00 am	Bob Kutilek +	
Sunday, July 20	10:00 am	Sharon Jarecke +	
Monday, July 21	8:00 am	Dorothy Vejvoda +	
Tuesday, July 22	12:05 pm	Matha Ellis +	
Wednesday, July 23	12:05 pm	:05 pm Velia Venegas +	
Thursday, July 24	12:05 pm Linda Havelka +		
Friday, July 25	12:05 pm	Scott Goodman +	
Saturday, July 26	8:00 am Fr. Marty Egging +		
Saturday, July 26	5:30 pm	Leona Janda +	
Sunday, July 27	8:00 am	Allen Sorensen +	
Sunday, July 27	10:00 am	Richard Rischling +	



"Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her."

Reconciliation Times: Wednesday - 11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Saturday - 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

We are all enjoying our summer with the dear ones in our families. We like to spend time with them, and we count it as a blessing in our lives. Jesus was born in a family, and He liked to spend time with His apostles, friends and the people who needed, or desired, His company. He loves our family and gives peace to our families. The peace of Christ reigns in our homes and in our personal life. Jesus loved Lazarus' family and enjoyed their gracious hospitality. In this brief encounter, we see two very different temperaments in Martha and Mary. Martha loved to serve, but in her anxious manner of waiting on Jesus, she caused unrest. Mary, in her simple and trusting manner, waited on Jesus by sitting attentively at his feet. She instinctively knew that what the Lord and Teacher most wanted at that more

attentively at his feet. She instinctively knew that what the Lord and Teacher most wanted, at that moment, was her attentive presence. Martha was more worried about the food that nourishes our bodies, while Mary was interested in food for the soul. Therefore, the Lord admired and appreciated her for choosing the better part.

We all know that anxiety and preoccupations keep us from listening and from giving the Lord our undivided attention. The Lord bids us to give Him our concerns and anxieties because He is trustworthy and able to meet any need we have. His grace frees us from needless concerns and preoccupation.

The Lord Jesus desires that we make a place for Him, not only in our hearts, but in our homes and in the daily circumstances of our lives, as well. We honor the Lord when we offer Him everything we have and everything we do. When you sit, eat, sleep, and when you entertain your friends and guests, remember that the Lord Jesus is also the guest of your home. Scripture tells us that when Abraham opened his home and welcomed three unknown travelers, he welcomed the Lord who blessed him favorably for his gracious hospitality (Genesis 18:1-10; Hebrews 13:2). We need to prioritize our choices in life. The Lord wants us to bring Him glory in the way we treat others and use the gifts He has graciously given to us. God, in turn, blesses us with His gracious presence and fills us with joy.

Fr. Robin Bashir



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THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

Sunday, 7/20

8:00 a.m. - Mass

10:00 a.m. - Mass

Coffee & Rolls

Monday, 7/21

8:00 a.m. - Mass

5:30 p.m. - Mindful Movement

7:00 p.m. - Women's AA Group

Tuesday, 7/22

12:05 p.m. - Mass

1:00 p.m. - Quilting Ladies

6:00 p.m. - Bible Study (Deacon Frank)

7:00 p.m. - Al-Anon Meeting

7:00 p.m. - AA Meeting

7:30 p.m. - Knight of Columbus Meeting

Wednesday, 7/23

10:00 a.m. - Bible Study

11:30 a.m. - Confessions

12:05 p.m. - Mass

Thursday, 7/24

12:05 p.m. - Mass

5:30 p.m. - Serenity Flow

Friday , 7/25

12:05 p.m. - Mass

Saturday, 7/26

8:00 a.m. - Mass

10:00 a.m. - Al-Anon Meeting

10:30 a.m. - Adoration

5:30 p.m. - Mass

Sunday, 7/27

8:00 a.m. - Mass

10:00 am. - Mass

Coffee & Rolls

OUR GIFTS OF TREASURE

July 12 & July 13, 2025

 Offertory Collection
 \$ 6,886.51

 Online
 \$ 1,286.00

 Thrift Store
 \$ 1,621.78

Diocesan Appeal

Our Goal \$ 75,410.00 Received to Date \$ 67,637.00 Donor Goal 220 180



Adoration and Confessions

Please come and join us in adoration every Saturday morning at 10:30 a.m.

We also have confessions from 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

All are welcome!



Mass at CHI

Mass is celebrated in the hospital Chapel every Wednesday morning at 10:15 a.m.
All are welcome!



Our Food Pantry is very much in need of some particular items. If you can help, we would be very appreciative! Items needed: canned beans, canned chicken, canned fruit, cereal, jelly, macaroni and cheese, and saltine crackers.

THANK YOU!

Fall Fest 2025

Fall Fest planning is currently underway. This year, Fall Fest will be held on Sunday, October 19. There will be a Fall Festival meeting on **July 24th at 7:00pm** in room 12. All who are helping and those who wish to help are encourage to attend. There are sign-up sheets in the gathering area to volunteer for the various activities. We need volunteers, monetary donations for the raffle, silent auction baskets, and items for the country store. Many hands make for less work.

Thank you in advance for helping make this event successful!



Roseann Anderson

Nancy Zahm

Please remember the following individuals in your prayers

Marlene Beacom

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Julie Ziller Linda

Pray for military personnel and pray for peace.



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If you previously authorized Blessed Sacrament to debit your checking account so that you could

automatically tithe each month, and your donations have not been coming out of your checking account, PLEASE STOP IN OUR OFFICE to complete a new authorization agreement for ACH debits. We had a SNAFU at the church back in February, and some people's automatic giving was deleted from our system. We really appreciate your financial support of our parish! Also, if this is something you haven't been doing, but you would like to give to the church automatically, we would welcome you completing a form, as well. If you have any questions, please contact.

Lidia Escalante at 308-384-0532, Ext. 202.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Open Registration for Religious Formation Classes

If you would like to register your children for our 2025/2026 Religious Formation classes, you can do so now by calling Deb Wetzel at 395-8521, anytime this summer. You don't need to wait until August to register.



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WE NEED MORE DONATIONS!!



VOLUNTEER FOR JAIL MINISTRY

If you are interested in providing religious and spiritual support to inmates in the Hall County Jail by sharing your love of Jesus, and offering guidance in their faith journey, please contact

J.J. Chmelka at 308-381-7420 or Steve Milborn at 308-383-6837. They are seeking both male and female ministers to assist them in this important ministry. They would be glad to take you on a tour of the jail and answer any of your questions.

St. Mary's Youth Group

July 26th, from 11:00 am. - 4:00 pm.





Clean Tires And Rims

St. Mary's Cathedral Parking Lot 112 S. Cedar St. Grand Island NE. 68801

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to celebrate Mass at the NE State Fair. The dates and times are, as follows:

Sunday, Aug. 24 at 9 a.m. (Contemporary service)

Celebrant: Bishop Emeritus Dendinger

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Sunday, Aug. 31 at 9 a.m. (Traditional service)

Celebrant: Most Rev. Bishop Hanefeldt

Volunteers for the following:

Altar Servers, Deacon, Greeters, Assist Coordinator, Lector, Collection assistance, and Carrying up Gifts.

All volunteers **get free tickets** to get into the State Fair for the day. If you can help on either day, please contact **Cheryl Jones 308-382-6565.**

If you haven't attended an outdoor Mass at the State Fair, you are missing out.

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BIBLE STUDY

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For more information, please contact Bibyana Guardiola, 308-390-5391.



Order Uniforms by July 18









MINISTER SCHEDULE FOR JULY 26 & 27, 2025

Please sign-up in the Gathering Area, THANK YOU!

Mass Times	5:30 p.m.	8:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Lector	Volunteer	Volunteer	Kathy Bohnart
Minister of Holy Communion	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
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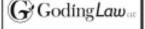
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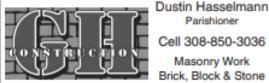
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