

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
ST. THEODORE, PONSFORD; MOST HOLY REDEEMER, OGEMA;
ST. BENEDICT, WHITE EARTH

Parish Office

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Administrative Staff

Darlene Ballard – Secretary
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Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator: Cindy Hulst – 218-281-7895 (Safe confidential line, 24/7)

White Earth Suicide Support Hotline: 888-261-8691

Anointing of the Sick: Anyone preparing for surgery or wishing to receive the sacrament call the Priest or Office.

Reconciliation: Twenty minutes before weekend Masses or by appointment.

Marriage: Contact the priest one year in advance of the wedding.

Baptisms: Make arrangements with the Priest or call Parish Office.

New Parish Members or Newly Married: The Parish Community welcomes you! Registration forms can be found in the back of church or call Parish Office.

SEPTEMBER	Mass	Schedule	Church	INTENTIONS
Current 10	Sat.	5:00pm	St. Theo	The People of the Parishes
Weekend 11	Sun.	9:00am	MHR	+Diane Schouviller
		11:00am	St. Ben	+Charlie LaDue Sr.
12	Mon.			No Mass
13	Tues.	8:30am	MHR	+Steve Lefebvre
14	Wed.	8:30am	MHR	+Tom Teiken
15	Thur.	8:30pm	MHR	+Shirley Manning
16	Fri.	8:30am	MHR	+Nels Mortenson
17	Sat.	5:00pm	St. Theo	Don & Judy Bittmann - Health
18	Sun.	9:00am	MHR	+Della Abrams
		11:00am	St. Ben's	The People of the Parishes

***ST. THEODORE – PONSFORD**

*Rosary recited every Saturday before Mass.
 *Parish Council: First Saturday, potluck supper and parish council meeting following Mass.

***MOST HOLY REDEEMER – OGEMA**

*Donated Receipts: "We Care" \$272.22
 *SEPTEMBER CHURCH CLEANERS: Jackie & Gary Hoban, Carol & Bill Stalberger, LaVerne & Jeff Hoban, Jen & Kurt Hoban, Laure & Roger Zima, Tracee & Ryan Omang.
 *COFFEE & ROLLS: September 18 Group 4 to serve: Sherry Zima, Mindy Lunde, Patti Stalberger, Darlene Ballard, LaVerne Hoban, Kristi Bellefeuille, Angie Lehrke, Sarah Jasken, Colleen Weigel, Nicole Hoban, Traci Turner.
 *THANK YOU to Jeff Hoban & George Solmon for keeping our church grounds mowed all summer!
 *PARISH COUNCIL MEETING: Tuesday, Sept. 13 @ 6:00pm
 *MHR CEMETERY - FALL CLEAN-UP: Please remove decorations from the gravesites as soon as possible if you would like to keep them. Thank you for your co-operation.

*Our sympathy goes out to the family & friends of **Georgianna Adams** whose funeral was held last week in Ponsford. Rest in the peace of Christ, Georgianna.

***ST. BENEDICT - WHITE EARTH**

*Donated Receipts: "We Care" \$189.56
 *Church Cleaners: September – Shanda Jacobson & Sue Baker.
 *Fall Dinner & Bazaar: October 9th 11:00am – 1:00pm
 Ogema Community Center – Chicken & Meatball Dinner

Stewardship	M.H.R.	ST. BEN'S	ST. THEO'S
DATE	09-04-22	09-04-22	09-03-22
ENVELOPE	745.00	165.00	130.00
PLATE	119.00	446.00	82.00
VOTIVE		12.00	
TOTAL	864.00	623.00	212.00
BINGO Ogema Days		273.00	

*Thank you to all who donated prizes for the Ogema Days Church Bingo, and to all those who helped with it!

*The title, **Our Lady of Sorrows**, given to our Blessed Mother focuses on her intense suffering and grief during the passion and death of our Lord. (Feast day Sept. 15)

***SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND**

This weekend we will take up the **Collection for the Church in Latin America**. Your support for the collection provides lay leadership training, catechesis, priestly and religious formation, and other programs to share our Catholic faith with those who long to hear the Good News of Christ.

****"Everything I have is yours." ~ Luke 15:31**

Our Heavenly Father gives us everything, including the chance to share in His eternal kingdom. Yet, like the Prodigal Son, we are often lured away by the materialism of our society. Do you really want to turn your back on all that God offers in exchange for material wealth that has no lasting value? God wants us to be happy on earth as well. But, that requires us to freely accept His gift of faith; putting Him first in all things and detaching from our own self-sufficiency.

***RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

For information or to register your child for 2022-2023, call 218-473-2101 or email 1112sta@arvig.net.

Families if you have not registered, please go to our website: www.whiteearthcatholiccommunity.com/religious-education.html and download the form. Please return by mail to 1112 3rd St. Waubun 56589 or email to 1112sta@arvig.net. Onsite classes will be held for grade levels for which we have catechists. Please prayerfully consider joining our Tekakwitha Center team. Each grade can meet on a regular basis, with your help. No teaching experience is necessary, only your life experience. We will train and mentor. Contact Janet!

September 14th is the first scheduled event of the year in which the Confirmation Class will be participating in the annual Ecumenical Cross Walk beginning with supper at St. Ann's, 5:00pm. See below for details.

***It is time to move the Cross!**

Formerly done on Good Friday, this tradition continues now in September, the month of the Holy Cross. Wednesday, September 14th, Supper at St. Ann's Church, 5-6pm. Prayer at Circles of Faith UCC Church, 6pm, and procession to Trinity Lutheran Church. All are welcome. If you are unable to walk, please join us by car.

***Father John Cox 35th Anniversary**

The members of St Ann's Church invite you to join them on **Wednesday, September 14th, 5-6pm** at St. Ann's basement for the celebration of Fr. John's 35th Anniversary of Ordination. We give thanks for the abundant blessings of God to our parish family to celebrate this milestone event. You are welcome to join us for supper or to just stop in to greet Fr. John. Please contact Janet (218-261-0753) to RSVP for supper by Tuesday, September 6th

***EUCHARISTIC CONFERENCE**

The Diocese of Fargo's Eucharistic Conference on Sept. 23 & 24, is one of the first Eucharistic Revival events in our region exposing the relics for prayer and veneration with information about Blessed Carlo Acutis displayed. The event is at the Delta by Marriot in Fargo. The Diocese of Fargo has invited the faithful from the Crookston Diocese. Early registration on the event website, fargodiocese.net/redeemed, is currently open.

***ROSARY FOR LIFE**

Our next Rosary for Life service will be held Monday, September 12th, at 3:00pm at St. Ann Church in Waubun. Refreshments will be served after the service. All are welcome!

***SPECIAL INTENTION OF POPE FRANCIS**

During this month of September, we pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.

***SEPTEMBER 11TH - PATRIOTS DAY**

2022 MARKS THE 21ST ANNIVERSARY OF 9/11. At Ground Zero, the traditional reading of names of each victim will resume this year at the 9/11 Memorial in New York — carried out by family members of the 2,983 people killed on 9/11.

***Those who are in need of our prayers:**

Dan Gendreau, Lisa McArthur, Cole Gutzmann, Katelyn Lorsung, Marge McArthur, Carol Zawislak, Bode Zima, Maureen Sullivan, JD Heisler, Jodi Anderson, Violet Fairbanks, JoAnn Simon, Marie Haverkamp, Jessie & Cherie Johnson, Toney Parker, Tony Parker, Chris Fairbanks, Poncho & Carolyn Williams, Mary Stech, Germaine Riegert, Diane Johnson, Darwin Cogger, Lois Bement, Stanley Rob Heisler, Dean Christianson, Special Intention, and all our service men and women, especially those who are actively serving overseas.

Even the darkest night will end and the sun will rise.
 ~ Victor Hugo

***DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL**

2022 Parish	Goal	Pledged	Donors	Remaining
MHR -	\$4794	\$3600.00	17	\$1194
ST. THEO -	\$1423	\$800.00	5	\$623

***HAPPENINGS**

Community Blood Screening sponsored by the Detroit Lakes Noon Rotary Club on September 20-23rd 7-9:30am at the EMS Building, 225 Park Street. Arrive fasting 10-12 hrs. before \$40 per person

Fall Dinner & Bazaar @ St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Beaulieu on September 18th 11am-1pm. Roast Beef Dinner, raffle, cake walk, country store, games, fish pond, bake sale etc.

September Dinner @ St. Andrew's Catholic Church, Hawley on Sunday, September 25th 11am – 1:30pm Turkey & all the trimmings, assorted salads & desserts.

Annual Fall Supper @ Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church, Callaway on September 25th 4-6:30pm. Pork loin, real mashed potatoes & gravy, vegetable, salads & condiments, & home made pies.

ST. BENEDICT'S FALL DINNER & BAZAAR Ogema Community Center on October 9th 11am-1pm. Chicken & Meatball Dinner with all the fixin's. Raffle, Fishpond, Country Store, Cake Walk

**The heart of the prudent getteth knowledge; and the ear of the wise seeketh knowledge.*
 ~ Proverbs 18:15

***ONGOING PARISH FUNDRAISERS**

Receipts from **Central Market** must be stamped with the WE CARE symbol and turned in within the next 9 months. We receive 0.5% of the total amount. Please do not crumple the receipts, lay them flat in 9 inch lengths if possible.
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