

January 15th, 2023

2nd Sunday

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THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

- MON** --No Mass--
- TUE** Mass – 8:30 am Chokio ~Harold Sivertson
- WED** Mass – 8:30 am Wheaton ~
- THU** Mass – 10:00 am BVCC ~
- FRI** Mass – 10:00 am TCC ~
- SUN** Mass – 8:00 am Chokio ~Roger & Nancy Horning
Mass – 9:30 am Wheaton ~
Mass – 11:00 am Browns Valley ~

STEWARDSHIP – for Sunday, January 8th

Adult \$1640 Youth \$17 Loose \$84 Votive \$13

Christmas \$250 Utilities \$1000 Bldg Fund \$100 YGrp \$300

Confession Schedule:

5:30pm – Tuesday in Chokio

5:30pm – Wednesday in Wheaton

5:30pm – Thursday in Browns Valley

Bernice Bohnenstingl from Wheaton passed away. Her funeral was last Friday. May she rest in Peace.

Pope Benedict XVI passed on. His funeral was Jan. 5th. May he, likewise, rest with all the angels for all eternity.

The **Vikings** host the Giants @ 3:30 pm today, this Sunday. May the Giants rest in peace.

ACC Council meets Thur., Jan. 26 @ 7:00 pm in Wheaton.

First Friday Mass will be Friday, Feb. 3rd @ 8:30 am in Wheaton with adoration beginning @ 7:30 am;

First Saturday Mass will be Saturday, Feb. 4th @ 8:30 am in Browns Valley with confessions beginning @ 7:30 am.

A **Women's Retreat** will be held Feb. 3-5, 2023, as well as a **Men's Retreat** on Mar. 17-19, 2023; both at St. Francis's Retreat Center in Hankinson, ND. This is beautiful way to grow in your faith with other Catholics close to home. For more info & to register, go to www.ecclesiadomestica.net.

Ministry Schedule for Sunday, January 22, (8:00 a.m.)

EM: Ginny Heintzelman & Jeri Erickson

Lector: David Asfeld

Ushers: Larry Heintzelman & Ron Draper

Servers: John, Jace & Josie Kleindl

Sacristan: Rachel Schott

Bloodmobile at St. Mary's Hall, January 27, 8-12 p.m.

Make appointment at redcrossblood.org or call 800-733-2767.

Adult & Children's Contribution Envelopes are in the back of church. Please start using the new 2023 envelopes next week, and do not use the 2022 envelopes any longer, as your envelope number may have changed. **Discard any leftover 2022 envelopes.**

The 2022 Contribution Statements are in the back of church.

Please let the office know immediately if you feel there are any errors. Children's statements are in the parents' envelopes.

Please remember in prayer: Dennis Golombiecki, Sharon Henrichs, Ginny Itzen, Emilyanne Kleindl, Russell Larson, Tom & Vicki Leuthardt, Lil Ritter, Rita Schuster, McCoy Jipson, Jane Gibson, Betty Marlow, Tessa Mahoney, Carolin Pillen, Mary Marlow, and Bev Leuthardt.

Help wanted taking down Christmas decorations after church today! Everyone is invited to help.

Youth Group: is planning a youth trip with Our Saviors' for this coming summer, June 3rd-8th!! The trip includes: Round Trip Motor-coach Transportation, Noah's Ark Waterpark-WI, Guided Tour - Shrine of Christ's Passion, Self-Guided Ark Encounter Visit, Self-Guided Creation Museum, BB Riverboats Cincinnati Sightseeing Cruise, Indianapolis Motor Speedway Museum - Kiss the Bricks Tour, & 5 nights accommodations with included breakfasts and 4 lunches. The students that would like to go on this trip will need to put a \$150.00 deposit down to secure a spot. The rest of the cost will be determined at a later date when the final number of occupants has been determined. If money is an issue, contact the office. We have done several fundraisers over the years and have not done much with the money, so we're looking to make it work for those desiring. If interested, call Jenny Gibson at 320-808-1916.



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Liturgical Ministers – January 22, 2023 - 11:00 a.m.

Lector: Jeanette Pistorius
EM: Carol Hoffman, Brenda Pederson & Bernice P.
Choir & Congregation EM: David & Julie Metz
Servers: Austin Metz, Cody Nelson & Caden Gibson
Greeters/Gift Bearers: Jerry & Jeanne Metz
Ushers: Mike Heck & Pat Homan
Sacristan: Brenda Bartz
Home Communion - Bernice Piechowski

UMP Church will be having a soup and chili warm up on Sunday, January 29th from 11:00 to 1:00.

Many different soups to enjoy, along with ham and egg salad sandwiches and bars. Hope to see you there!
Cost: \$10.00 Adults - \$ 5.00 Children 12 and under

Stewardship as a Way of Life: “Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb...” — Isaiah 49:5 God have given each of us different gifts. In order for God’s plan to work, you have to do what God is calling you to do and I have to do what God is calling me to do. And guess what? God has given each of us a different plan! So, stop comparing yourself to others. Don’t let envy and jealousy enter your life. Be thankful for the gifts God has given you and become the saint that God is calling you to be.

The contribution envelopes and the year-end statements are in the back, please let me know if you have any questions. Marlene cell: 605-237-3399

No Christian Mothers meeting in January or February.



Ave Maria ~ Wheaton

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We welcome into our faith community through the waters of baptism,

Clara Elizabeth Rinke and Emersyn Elizabeth Jackson

Clara is the daughter of Jake & Hailey Rinke and Emersyn is the daughter of Koby & April Jackson They are the great-granddaughters of John & Lois Deal.

Sunday, January 22nd

Lector: Marty Lanter
EM: Marty Lanter, Colleen Violet, John Tauber
Servers: Lyla Peterson & Ellie Klein
Ushers: Lenny Zimmel & Philip Brink
No Fellowship on Jan. 22nd - Pancake Breakfast

SAVE THE DATE

Sun., Jan. 15th – Fellowship after Mass today
Wed., Jan. 18th – Faith Formation – 6:30
Sun., Jan. 22nd – Men’s Pancake Breakfast 9:30 - Noon



The Ave Maria Men invite you to their “Pancake and Sausage Breakfast” which will be held on **Sunday, January 22, 2023** Serving from **9:30AM to Noon** Menu: Pancakes, Sausage, Coffee, Juice, and Milk Free Will offering Please join us, everyone is welcome!!!

We will begin having a **Prayer List** in our bulletin of those who are in need of our prayers. You may call the office at 563-4421, and provide us with the name of someone that you would like to have on the list or one that you need to have removed from the list. This is something new and different from the Intercessory Prayer Group, you therefore have to call the office if you would like to be included on the list in the bulletin. **Thank You!!**