# Bulletin for the Catholic Parishes of Oklee, Grygla, and Goodridge

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**Bulletin Deadline** 

Wednesday: Noon

Column Clergy

There is a continuous theme that seems to be running through today's readings. This theme can be summarized simply as don't look back once you have set off down the road to living a holy life. In other words, we might say stop hankering and longing to return to your old sinful ways. If you want to be a true disciple, give up your sins for good, and don't recall them fondly, because that is going to lead you straight back to them. As an example, If a man's major sin is womanizing, and if he finally does decide to give it up and lead a noble life, but if he still thinks he can reminisce about the good old days and about how much fun he had while doing his wicked deeds, he'll never make any progress on his journey toward holiness. What he needs to do is reject even the idea of indulging in the pleasure of his memories. This means total commitment to his new path. That's what the Lord wants. He'll work with us and lead us along at our own pace for much of the time, but there will come a point when he'll say, "Choose to follow me and choose never to look back," and we'll be expected to give him a definitive answer.

Congratulations to the following who receive the Sacrament of Confirmation today: Julia Bernstein, Liberty Johnson, Abby Kiesow, Daphney Koralewski, and Peyton Verbout!

Mass times in Grygla and Goodridge switch next Sunday. They are 10:15 a.m. in Grygla and 12:00 p.m. in Goodridge.

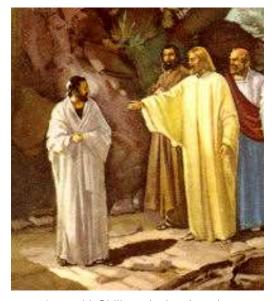
#### **Weekly Schedule**

| St. Francis Xavier Parish in Oklee |                   |                    |      | St. Clement Paris | <u>h in Grygla</u> | St. Ann Parish in Goodridge |                   |                    |  |
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|                                    | <u>Mass Times</u> | <u>Confessions</u> |      | <u>Mass Times</u> | <u>Confessions</u> |                             | <u>Mass Times</u> | <u>Confessions</u> |  |
| Sun:                               | 8:00 a.m.         | 7:30 a.m.          | Sun: | 11:45 a.m.        | 11:30 a.m.         | Sun.                        | 10:00 a.m.        | 9:45 a.m.          |  |
| Tues:                              | 8:00 a.m.         | 7:45 a.m.          |      |                   |                    |                             |                   |                    |  |
| Wed:                               | 8:00 a.m.         | 7:45 a.m.          | STAF | TING JULY 7 MASS  | S IS AS FOLLOWS:   | STAF                        | RTING JULY 7 MASS | S IS AS FOLLOWS:   |  |
| Thurs:                             | 8:00 a.m.         | 7:45 a.m.          |      |                   |                    |                             |                   |                    |  |
| Fri:                               | 8:00 a.m.         | 7:45 a.m.          | Sun: | 10:15 a.m.        | 10:00 a.m.         | Sun:                        | 12:00 p.m.        | 11:45 a.m.         |  |
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#### NAMES TO FIND

| Aaron        | Naomi     |
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| Abigail      | Obadiah   |
| Balak        | Paul      |
| Belteshazzar | Quartus   |
| Caleb        | Rahab     |
| Daniel       | Samuel    |
| David        | Timothy   |
| Ehud         | Uriah     |
| Felix        | Vashni    |
| Gideon       | Zacchaeus |
| Habakkuk     |           |
| Herod        |           |
| Ichabod      |           |



Jesus with Philip and other Apostles

#### Prayer

O God, who in the abasement of your Son have raised up a fallen world, fill your faithful with holy joy, for on those you have rescued from slavery to sin you bestow eternal gladness. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

# We are the Hands of Christ

James Jesus Korah Levi Malachi

Are you good at making people feel welcome? When you meet someone new, a new neighbor, a new work colleague, a new parishioner, do you make them feel at home?

Many of us probably do a much better job at this. When we make people feel welcome, we make them feel like they are included instead of being excluded.

A simple "hello" and a smile goes a long way.



# St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church Prayer Blankets

#### You Matter. We care. You are not alone.

There are prayer blankets in the back of the church for those whom are sick, suffering or dying. Please sign the book to whom it is given to so we know who the prayers are for. Thank you!!

|                                  |  | Mass   | Intentio   | ns  |
|----------------------------------|--|--|--|---|
| Oklee                            | Sunday                                     | 06/30/19                                     | 8:00 a.m.  | †Madonna Asselin  |
| Goodridge                        | Sunday                                     | 06/30/19                                     | 10:00 a.m.                                       | Fr. Don Braukman  |
| Grygla                           | Sunday                                     | 06/30/19                                     | 11:45 a.m.                                       | Pro Populo  |
| Oklee<br>Oklee<br>Oklee<br>Oklee | Tuesday<br>Wednesday<br>Thursday<br>Friday | 07/02/19<br>07/03/19<br>07/04/19<br>07/05/19 | 8:00 a.m.<br>8:00 a.m.<br>8:00 a.m.<br>8:00 a.m. | †Madonna Asselin<br>†Alice Bluemke<br>†Larry O'Neill<br>No Mass |
| Oklee                            | Sunday                                     | 07/07/19                                     | 8:00 a.m.  | Pro Populo  |
| Grygla                           | Sunday                                     | 07/07/19                                     | 10:15 a.m.                                       | †Floyd Neuschwander   |
| Goodridge                        | Sunday                                     | 07/07/19                                     | 12:00 p.m.                                       | †LaVern Hamre   |

#### Esto Vir Vocation Camp Bulletin Announcement through July 21:

Make plans for the young men in your life (ages 16+) to attend the Diocese of Crookston's "ESTO VIR" (Latin for: "BE A MAN") Vocation Camp!

ESTO VIR is an opportunity for young men who may be open to the priesthood to come together and spend some days in community with each other and the seminarians of the diocese. The camp includes sports and games, lakeside recreation, Mass, prayer, food, and fellowship.

Date: August 6-8, 2019

Location: Sand Hill Lake Bible Camp (Fosston, MN)

Cost: FREE!

For more information and registration >> www.crookston.org/estovir

### Tithing

#### St. Francis Xavier's in Oklee

June 23, 2019

Adults Envelopes \$1282.00
Loose Plate \$83.00
Retired Priests \$275.00
Endowment Priest's Training \$60.00
Total \$1700.00

#### St. Ann's in Goodridge

June 23, 2019

Adult Envelopes
Retired Priest N/A
Loose Plate \_\_\_\_\_
Total

## St. Clement's in Grygla

June 23, 2019

 Adult Envelopes
 \$535.00

 Loose Plate
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 Retired Priests
 \$20.00

 Endowment Priest's Training
 \$5.00

 Total
 \$560.00

#### St. Ann's

Sunday, June 30, 2019

Commentator : Gerri Lector: : Eliza

EMHC: Eliza & Deb
Usher:: Russell & Darwin
Counter; Deb & Maggie

Sunday, July 14, 2019

Commentator : Carol Lector: : Carol

EMHC: Tony & Marie
Usher:: Russell & Stanley
Counter; Audrey & Marie

#### St. Clement's

Sunday, June 30, 2019

Commentary: Angle Lector:: Jody

EMHC: Coleen & Jean Usher: Justin & Tim.

Sunday, July 7, 2019

Commentary: Angie Lector:: Gary

EMHC: Justin & Laurie Usher: Bill Z. & Jim C.

#### St. Francis Xavier's

Sunday, June 30, 2019

Sacristan: RickDulka Lector; Carol Bachand EMHC: Bob & Emily Bernier Usher: Mitch B. & John M.

Greeter: Shirley Cyr & Anne Hammer Counter: Pat Asselin & Jo Lambert

Sunday, July 7, 2019

Sacristan: Phyllis Melby Lector; Jacob Melby

EMHC: Bonnie cote & Anne Hammer
Usher: Jake Martell & Doug Cote
Greeter Karen Fossum & Sue Carriere
Counter:Lora Johnson & Mary Anne Lambert

#### OTHER WAYS TO SUPPORT YOUR PARISH

- Have Masses offered for friends or relatives, deceased or still living. Just drop a note in the collection basket, along with your donation; the usual amount is \$5.00/Mass. If this would be a financial hardship, please let me know, and I will be happy to offer one without a stipend.
- Offer Memorials in honor of your deceased loved ones to your parish's building and maintenance fund, or to your parish cemetery.
- Leave a legacy gift to the parish in your will, or name the parish as the beneficiary of your retirement policy or life insurance plan.

| St. Francis Xavier, Oklee<br>Lay Contacts   | St. Ann, Goodridge<br>Lay Contacts   | St. Clement, Grygla<br>Lay Contacts   |  |  |  |
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| Body Year of Term—Term Ends (Term #)  | Body Year of Term—Term Ends (Term #)   | Body Year of Term—Term Ends (Term #)  |  |  |  |
| Pastoral Council & Finance Council  Don LaCoursiere 3/3—June 2018 (2nd) P Phyllis Melby 3/3—June 2018 (1st) P Mitch Bernstein 3/3—June 2018 (1st) F Margaret Buer 2/3—June 2019 (1st) P Rick Dulka 2/3—June 2019 (1st) P Janet Halvorson 2/3—June 2019 (1st) F Virginia Weber 1/3—June 2020 (3rd) P David Bachand 1/3—June 2020 (2nd) P | Joint Pastoral & Finance Council Audrey Rogalla 3/3—June 2018 (1st) Cindi Kotrba 3/3—June 2018 (1st) Marlin Kotrba 2/3—June 2019 (1st) Karyl Mayernik 2/3—June 2019 (1st) Darwin Eidelbes 1/3—June 2020 (2nd) Gerri Rustan 1/3—June 2020 (1st) | Joint Pastoral & Finance Council Jim Carriere 3/3—June 2018 (1st) Gary Polansky 3/3—June 2018 (2nd) Bill Zavoral 2/3—June 2019 (1st) Angie Kiesow 2/3—June 2019 (1st) Jean Schulz 1/3—June 2020 (1st) Bill Neuschwander 1/3—June 2020 (1st) |  |  |  |
| Jacob Melby 1/3—June 2020 (2nd) F  Parish Trustees Joyce Paquin 2/2—Sept. 2019(2nd) Shirley Cyr 2/2—Sept. 2019(2nd)   | Parish Trustees Patty Skibicki 1/2—Sept. 2020 (2nd) Anthony Carin 1/2—Sept. 2020 (1st)   | Parish Trustees Jody Miller 1/2—Sept. 2020 (3rd) Jack Miller 1/2—Sept. 2020 (3rd)   |  |  |  |

#### When You (or someone you love) Visits the Hospital

None of us looks forward to time spent in a hospital bed. Altru Health System seeks to both help with what is wrong physically and also to support patients in other ways. That includes spiritual support.

Some of you may remember the days when the local hospital would call churches to inform pastors when a parishioner had become a patient. That went away years ago. These days a patient's privacy is protected carefully and hospitals are inspected in terms of protecting patient information and keeping it private.

So if you become a patient at Altru your information is kept private. You will have full control of who comes to see you.

"Will my pastor know I'm in so he/she can come to see me?" you might ask. There's two ways that can happen and you, the patient, control both.

One way is for you to tell your pastor, or to have your family contact the church. Your pastor wants to know. The second is to ask an Altru Chaplain to contact your pastor. Altru's Chaplains want to help and believe in the ministry and support your pastor can provide. If you ask, only if you ask, a chaplain will make that contact.

The chaplains at the hospital want to serve you and to serve the church. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Pastoral Services

Altru's Pastoral Services 701-780-5300

Mark Ellingson, Chaplain Manager mellingson@altru.org

#### Pray For Those Recently Who Are Sick Deceased Loved Ones Delton Sebenaler Alice Bluemke Donnie Tougas Mary Peterson Kenneth LaCoursiere Donna Horachek Shirley Dessellier Joey Johnson Irene Kiesow Allen Paquin Michael Bachand Kathleen Amiot Annette LaCoursiere Chris Tougas Debra Olson Larry O'Neill Jack Miller Yvonne Boucher Kimberly Johs Bonnie Buchmeier Fr Don Brauckmann Ianet Pearson Kathy Vatthauer † David Dessellier Ambrose Beaudoin † Rita Bonagura Vaughn Steve Sebenaler † Ann Peterson † Irene Dessellier Don LaCoursiere Cindy Determan † Floyd Neuschwander David Longtin † Annette Magnell † Ted Lussier LaVonne Radniecki