

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

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## CLERGY COLUMN

Merry Christmas everyone! I hope that you all had a blessed holy Christmas Day and I hope you have a beautiful Sunday of the holy family. I am getting better and better each day but it is slow going. My biggest challenge is having my lungs healed so I do not require so much oxygen for physical exertion. If I may be so bold, I ask you to pray for a miraculous and speedy healing of my lungs. New Year's Day is coming up next week. It is the feast of Mary, the Mother of God, and I believe she is responsible for giving me this miraculous healing, so pray especially on that day. I am keeping all of you in my prayers as well. God bless you. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!



### St. Francis Xavier Parish in Oklee

#### Mass Times Confessions

Sun:	8:00 a.m.	7:30 a.m.
Tues:	8:00 a.m.	7:45 a.m.
Wed:	8:00 a.m.	7:45 a.m.
Thurs:	8:00 a.m.	7:45 a.m.

### St. Clement Parish in Grygla

#### Mass Times Confessions

Sun:	11:45a.m.	11:30 a.m.
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### St. Ann Parish in Goodridge

#### Mass Times Confessions

Sun:	10:00 a.m.	9:45 a.m.
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## *Christmas Flowers in Memoriam*

*St. Clement Grygla*

*St Francis Xavier Oklee*

Bruce and Angie Kiesow	Lawrence and Irene Kiesow	Mike & Audrey Bachand	Therese Maxson Lois Jahnke Mike LaPlante Ernest LaPlante Onezime Bachand Mae Bachand Charles Bachand Kim Johs
Phyllis Neuschwander	Victoria Molstad Floyd Neuschwander		
Jason Dobmeier	Jackie Dobmeier & Family		
Dennis Verbout Family	Robert Verbout Mary Ann Verbout		
Jean Schulz	Rolland Verbout Shirley Verbout Harold Schulz Brian Olson	Cliff & Barb Melby	Marv & Joan Bronken Tom, Betty, & Tommy Melby
Leon and Naomi Johnson	Donald Verbout Donavon Verbout	Frank & Margie Buer	Mamie Smith Mary Sather
Gary Polansky Family	Lawrence and Irene Kiesow Eugene and Marjorie Polansky Dean Kiesow Mark Polansky	Msgr Tim McGee	Richard & Donna McGee
Mark Karakash	Family and Friends	Sue & Bob Carriere	Louis & Marcella Violette Leroy Carriere All deceased Relatives
Jerome and Judy Zavoral	William and Maime Zavoral Donna Karen Joseph	Bob & Phyllis Melby	Ryan Melby Paul Melby Emmitt Morinville Theresa Morinville Vi Bergh
Debbie and Orvis Haugen	Ida Novacek Ernest Novacek Otto Haugen Helen Haugen	Carol Bachand	Charles Bachand Kim Johs Melvin & Maria Boucher
		David & Mary Lynn Bachand	Onezine & Mae Bachand Dennis Bachand Tut & Mary Marvin
		Greg & Deb Whalen	George & Esther Whalen Bob & Alice Bluemke Tim Whalen Tommy Whalen



Oklee	Sunday	12/26/21 8:00 a.m.	†Jim Dulka
Grygla	Sunday	12/26/21 10:15 a.m.	<i>Pro Populo</i>
Goodridge	Sunday	12/26/21 12:00 p.m.	†Paul Troska
Oklee	Monday	12/27/21 7:00 p.m.	Holy Rosary
Oklee	Sunday	01/02/22 8:00 a.m.	†Audrey Martell
Goodridge	Sunday	01/02/22 10:00 a.m.	<i>Pro Populo</i>
Grygla	Sunday	01/02/22 11:45 a.m.	†Irene Kiesow



Remember: At the beginning of January, the Mass times will rotate for Grygla and Goodridge. On Sunday January 2, the Mass times will be 10:00 a.m. in Goodridge and 11:45 a.m. in Grygla, with confessions 15 minutes before Mass.

## “Thank you”

A big “Thank you” goes to the Knights of Columbus of Red Lake Falls Council #10732 for the bags of candy that were handed out at Mass on Christmas Eve.



## Tithing

### St. Francis Xavier's in Oklee

#### December 19, 2021

Adults Envelopes	\$2253.00
Endowment Priests	\$20.00
Flowers for Altar	\$25.00
Christmas Flowers	\$165.00
Christmas Day	\$250.00
Retired Religious	\$142.00
Loose Plate	\$140.00
Total	\$ 2995.00

### St. Ann's in Goodridge

December 19, 2021

N/A

### St. Clement's in Grygla

December 19, 2021

Adults Envelopes	\$415.00
Retirement for Religious	\$45.00
Endowment Priest	\$55.00
Christmas Flowers	\$20.00
Loose Plate	\$36.25
Total	\$571.25

# NOVENA PRAYER TO ST LOUIS OF ANJOU FOR THOSE WITH LUNG DISEASES

Glorious St Louis of Anjou, who did renounce the royal throne in order to dedicate thy life to God and who did love and tenderly compassionate the sick, intercede for me as thou does rejoice in the reward of thy virtue.

Make my troubles thine own. Cease not to intercede for me, I beseech thee; vouchsafe to present my request (mention your petition) to the Blessed Virgin Mary and lay it before the throne of Jesus. Obtain for me strength during this life, and that I may someday meet God face to face with you and the Virgin Mary and all the angels and saints, and with the company of heaven may praise Him through all eternity.

O most powerful St Louis, obtain my petition if it be the most holy will of God. Amen.  
(Our Father... Hail Mary... Glory be...)

## Weekly Reflections

### Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

“See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are.”

(1 JOHN 3:1)

During this season of giving, let us remember a beautiful gift that we have received – being children of God! As God’s children, it’s in our DNA that we share and express our love for others as well. Tell your spouse, children, other family members and friends that you love them, every day! Also, pray for those people that are different than you, those that you may not like or those that go out of their way to annoy you. Your prayers may be the start of a new friendship.

**St Francis Xavier's**  
Oklee, MN

Christmas Eve 4:30 p.m.  
Sacristan: Rick Dulka  
Lector: Jan Dulka

Sunday, December 26, 2021  
Sacristan: Margie Buer  
Lector:: Paul Cyr  
Counters: Lora J & Margie B.

Sunday, January 2, 2022  
Sacristan: Mary Lynn  
Lector:: Jacob Melby  
Counters: MaryAnn L. & Jan D.

Sunday, January 9, 2022  
Sacristan: Margie Buer  
Lector:: Paul Cyr  
Counters: MaryAnn L. & Jan D.

**St Ann's**  
Goodridge, MN

Christmas Eve 4:30 p.m.  
Lector: Carol

Sunday, December 26, 2021  
Lector:: Karyl

Sunday, January 2, 2022  
Lector:: Carol

Sunday, January 9, 2022  
Lector:: Paula



**St Clement's**  
Grygla, MN

Christmas Day  
Lector: Daniel

Sunday, December 26, 2021  
Lector:: Gary

Sunday, January 2, 2022  
Lector:: Laurie

Sunday, January 9, 2022  
Lector:: Dawn



**Prayer to St. Bernardine of Siena**

Patron of those who suffer of chest and lung problems, respiratory ailments and hoarseness of voice

(Feast Day: May 20)

Saint Bernardine of Siena, words were very important to you. You suffered a lot carrying the natural defects of your lungs and it prevented you for a long time to speak God's word. Through your love of the Virgin Mary she intercede for your healing, you were delivered from this respiratory defect, and your voice grew stronger with every preaching for the glory of God. You spent most of your life speaking the golden words of Jesus' mercy and his Holy Name. And you abhorred words that were shameful.

Pray for us that we may be cured from every respiratory ailment so that we may always choose to use our strength for God's glory and to speak Jesus' name with reverence by choosing words of love over words of shame. Through the intercession of our Mother Mary pray for us. Amen.

Hail Mary (3 times)



**Recently Deceased Loved Ones**

†Jim Dulka  
†Avis Frazer  
†Lauretta Stucy  
†Tom Toulouse  
†Marlyn Dessellier  
†Gerald Cote  
†Phyllis Martell  
†Theresa "Bergeron" Lucken  
†Jerome Hruby  
†Irene Kiesow  
†Donnie Knutson  
†Ron Rustan  
†Joan Carpenter  
†Leroy Irlbeck  
†Lowell Smeby  
†Dorothy Plante  
†Jim Lussier  
†Tim Whalen  
†Iona Berry  
†Kim Johs  
†Elias Abboud  
†Audrey Martell  
†Harold Cyr  
†Judie Hendrickson  
†Alden Morinville  
†Kathleen Erickson



**Pray For Those Who Are Sick**

Delton Sebenaler  
Donnie Tougas  
Kenneth LaCoursiere  
Shirley Dessellier  
Michael Bachand  
Annette LaCoursiere  
Debra Olson  
Jack Miller  
Ambrose Beaudoin  
Steve Sebenaler  
Don LaCoursiere  
Cindy Determan  
Marie Adams  
Grace Rundell  
MaryAnn Lambert  
Bailey Herried Drotts  
George Pittman  
Bambi Lambert  
Lucille Christianson  
Doris Dessellier  
Danielle Swanson  
Mark Stromberg  
Sylvia Remick Morey  
Penny Kalar  
Jo Lambert  
Richard Perreault  
Tony Radniecki  
Darren Tougas  
Elaine Radniecki  
Rick Dulka  
Greg Whalen  
Richard Bourque  
Tony Weber  
Jason Moe  
Judy Zavoral  
Carolyn Pittman  
Jude Syvertson  
Barbara Heard  
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