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2nd Sunday of Advent

Sat Dec 6 **5:00 PM Mass**; +Ron Stevens by Rhonda Iverson

Sun Dec 7 **9:00 AM**; For the People of St. Timothy's Church & souls of Pearl Harbor
***Coffee & Rolls after Mass, Social Hall**

MON Dec 8 ***9:00 AM**- **Mass of Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
(*Holy Day of Obligation*) Intention of Sean O'Leary by Fruetel's

TUE Dec 9 **4:30 PM- Holy Hour**
5:30 PM -**Mass**; +Sylvester & Florence Babinski by Mark Anthony

WED Dec 10 **7:30 AM** **Mass**; +Elmer Montgomery by Michael Lund family
5:50 PM-**Children's CHOIR Practice**
6:30 PM-**RE Classes, Christmas Program practice**

THU Dec 11 **7:30 AM** **Mass**; +Tom Murphy & family by Tes Murphy

FRI Dec 12 **7:30 AM** **Mass**; Intention of Kim Nordling by Wayne & Theresa Devine

SAT Dec 13 **5:00 PM** **Mass**; Intention of Barb Rose by Fruetel's

Sun Dec 14 **9:00 AM** **Mass**; For the People of St. Timothy's Church
***Potluck Luncheon after Christmas Program; Cookie Walk; Day Raffle**

*Prayers for Fr. Jay's Mom, Paripuram., as she continues to improve, thank you for prayers.

Frances Devine; Bud Devine; Robert Sweeney; Cari Johnson; Mason Christensen; Crystal Balek; Sean O'Leary; Jeff Wohlgamuth; Rhonda Iverson; Libby Dale; Barb Rose; Madeline Niece; Beth Davis; Michael Butkiewicz; Kim Hoff Nordling.

***EUCH. MINISTERS: Saturdays-Volunteers**

Dec 25-Maxine Bushaw, Debbie Nice, Candra Everson **Dec 28-**Rita Bry, Doris Johnson, Dawn Korynta

Dec 24-Shelby Harken **Dec 25**-Pat Callahan **Dec 27**-Erin Hendrickson **Dec 28**-Maxine Bushaw

Dec 21- ? Dec 28-? (*Volunteers needed PLEASE to bring fruit/muffins. VF can set up Rolls to Bake.*)

***SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Saturdays -4:15-4:45 PM; Sundays-8:15-8:45 AM.**

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"Therefore, every tree that does not bear good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire." **MATTHEW 3:10**

Do you bear good fruit for Jesus? Do you spend time in prayer or do you waste it with mindless activity? Do you use your talent to help others or are you too busy? Do you use your treasure to support the Church or do you buy more things that go unused. Our time, talent, and treasure are gifts from God. What we do with these gifts is our gift back to Him. What gifts are you planning to give to the Lord during this upcoming Christmas season?

***Monday, Dec 8-9 AM Mass-Holy Day of Obligation**-Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Attached to Bulletin-"**Retirement Fund for Religious**" *Please give generously to those who have given a lifetime.* Your gift ensures that senior sisters, brothers, & religious order receive the vital support they need. God Bless you! *Collection date is Sunday, December 14, 2025.

Wednesday, Dec 10: 5:50 PM-Children's Choir Practice
6:30 PM-Christmas Program Practice

***RE Christmas Program, Potluck luncheon, Cookie Walk, Day Raffle-Sunday, Dec. 14th.**

If you have donations for the DAY RAFFLE, contact Colleen Hendrickson/Cheri Desmarais
Plan to donate 4 dozen goodies for the COOKIE WALK/ or \$20 donation for this fundraiser. THANKS!!

****Volunteers are needed for this HUGE event...so please sign up, pitch in where needed. 😊**

***CHRISTMAS CAROLING- Plan to go!! Tentative Date for RE Group-Wed Dec 17th.**
Date for Adults-- TBA. GREAT FUN!! Adults—suggest a date you'd like to go out.

***COATS FOR KIDS—OUTREACH for Salvation Army, GF. Bring warm clothing ALL sizes; Toiletries, FOOD, etc. Leave by Meeting room door. Any Questions-Call Colleen Hendrickson-701-215-0256**

***RED KETTLE COLLECTION—There is a Kettle available to leave donations for the SALVATION ARMY!**
Please be generous...goes to a great cause...help feed the hungry of our greater Grand Forks area. Bless you!!

***KOLACHE BAKING Will be rescheduled due to illness, etc. Possibly at Easter season.**

COLLECTION: Nov 30, 2025: *Next Parish Council Meeting-7:00 PM, Tue January 13, 2026

Adult Envelope 4,234.00 ***Next Finance Council-6:30 PM, Tues, Jan.13, 2026. (2025 Finance Report).**

Children Envelopes 20.00

Plate 33.00

Online Giving 168.00

Sunday Rolls 113.00

SOX 4 KIDS 40.00

Cookie Walk 20.00

Flower Fund 25.00

2026 ADULT Envelopes are available on pew by Church entrance.

Please pick up your family envelope box. Thanks!

***Advent Penance Service-Sunday, Dec 21 after 9 AM Mass.**

***Christmas Eve Mass-4:00 PM *Christmas Day Mass-9:00 AM**

***New Year's Eve Mass-4:00 PM; * New Year's Day Mass-9:00 AM**

***Bygland Lutheran Church "Christmas in the Country" Lutefisk & Meatball
Dinner, Bazaar, & Bake Sale Sunday Dec 7. Located 8 miles south of EGF, MN, Hwy. #220**

St. Mary's Knights of Columbus GF, will be having a benefit breakfast in our church social hall from 8 am - noon. A full menu is planned. Free will offering. Proceeds supporting our local philanthropic projects.

CHRISTMAS FLOWER FUND: Donate a Christmas Flower: Thank you!!

***In Memory of _____ By _____ (Free will offering)**

***In Honor of _____ By _____**

***Facing Hardship? Contact Sara Pacht-Community Resource Coordinator**

at Catholic Charities North Dakota 701-805-9836

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Please share [what's new with NFP](#) with the families in your parishes and diocese. You can learn more about all of our available programs at www.learnNFP.org.

***HEARING IMPAIRED:** A Looping system at St. Tim's is being researched, avenues to improve sound system quality for all parishioners. Looking into options; Auracast Bluetooth; Please talk with Fr. Jay about this looping, so we can help improve hearing experience in the church proper.

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CALLING All St. Timothy's Parishioners....We are looking for more **Volunteers** to serve our Parish. If you are interested in serving on a Parish Committee, Reader, Eucharistic Minister of Holy Communion, Greeter, Sunday Rolls server. We welcome any help whatsoever...it takes everyone to keep our parish rolling!! ***Fill out Time & Talent sheet;** give to Fr. Jay

Ethos Hospice—Ethos Grief Care—Experiencing the death of a loved one may feel as though your world has changed forever. It is important for you to receive the support and resources you need during this time of grief. 1st Wednesday of each Month—1:00-2:30 PM, Ethos Home Care & Hospice, 4491 S. Washington St., Suite A, Grand Forks, ND 58201 Grief Care is for anyone 18 years & older who has experienced loss of a loved one by death. Call 701-356-3803 and ask for Wendy Tabor-Buth or email-wendy.tabor-buth@ethoscare.org

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