

ST. TIMOTHY'S CHURCH, 1207 OLDHAM AVENUE, MANVEL, ND
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Rev. Jayaseelan Chinnappan, HGN, Pastor
1st Sunday of Lent

Sunday, February 22, 2026

Sat Feb 21 **5:00 PM Mass**; +Ron Stevens by Rhonda Iverson

Sun Feb 22 **9:00 AM**; For the People of St. Timothy's Church

***Coffee & Rolls after Mass, Social Hall**

MON Feb 23 ***Private Mass**; +Don Devine (Heavenly Birthday) by Rita Devine

TUE Feb 24 ***5:30 PM -Mass**; Intention of Terese Hoverson Miranda by Fruetel's

WED Feb 25 ***7:30 AM Mass**; Special Intention

***4:30 PM-HOLY HOUR**

***5:30-6:30-Lenten Meal**

***6:30 PM-STATIONS OF THE CROSS, FOLLOWED by RE Classes PreK-8th**

THU Feb 26 ***7:30 AM Mass**; +Marlys Murphy (1st Anniv. of Death) by Bob Hoverson

FRI Feb 27 **6:00 PM Stations of the Cross, Mass will follow**

6:30 PM Mass; Intention of Bud Devine by Wayne & Theresa Devine

SAT Feb 28 **5:00 PM Mass**; For the People of St. Timothy's Church

Sun March 1 **9:00 AM Mass**; +Emily Austin by Diane Lieberg

***Coffee & Rolls after Mass, Social Hall**

TUE March 3 ***7:00 PM-PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**

Prayer Requests: Pope Leo XIV, Bishop John T. Folda, Fr. John Ejike, Fr. Bernard Schneider

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

We pray for Anne Niece Fitzsimonds, still missing;

Frances Devine; Bud Devine; Robert Sweeney; Cari Johnson; Mason Christensen; Crystal Balek; Jeff Wohlgamuth;

Rhonda Iverson; Libby Dale; Barb Rose; Madeline Niece; Beth Davis; Tom Schmitt; Lynne Hoverson;

Elaine McDonald; Therese Linnertz; Arlys Korynta, Emma Korynta's grandma; Terese Hoverson Miranda.

Pray for Christelle's Mom, Angie, & son Emmanuel, as they prepare to travel to the USA!!

***GREETERS: (Feb)- Sat. -Volunteers; Sunday-** Greg & Tina Paschke, volunteers

***EUCH. MINISTERS:**

Feb 22-Maxine Bushaw, Dawn Korynta, Roxy Dub **March 1-**Debbie Nice, Doris Johnson, Roxi Gowan

***READERS:Feb 21-**Erin Hendrickson **Feb 22-**Pat Callahan **Feb 28-**Cec Ferry **March 1-**Samantha Whalen

***ALTAR SERVERS: February-**Volunteer

***SUNDAY ROLLS: Feb 22-**Gary & Ruth Paur **March 1-**Bonnie, Donna, Dale & Doris

March 8-Emma Korynta & family **March 15-** Michael Lund & Rhonda Iverson **March 22-**Olson's & Midboe's

March 29-NO ROLLS TODAY—support the Manvel Fireman's Palm Sunday Breakfast at Senior Center

(Volunteers needed PLEASE sign up 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.**

***1st Saturdays-Jan-May will be HOLY Hour 4:00-5:00 PM—Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima.**

February 22, 2026 - 1st Sunday of Lent

"It is written: 'The Lord, your God, shall you worship and him alone shall you serve.'"

MATTHEW 4:10

Tempted between the riches and power of this world and service to God, Jesus chose service to His Father. If we wish to truly follow Jesus, we, too, must decide to turn away from worldly power and riches and put God at the center of our lives. Lent is our time to prune ourselves of earthly things and develop and nurture heavenly things. Lent is time to repent and let go of the other "gods" we have put before God.

GOD'S GIFT APPEAL – THIS WEEKEND-- February 21-22 IS Commitment Weekend,

supporting the many programs of the **Diocese of Fargo**. Our 2026 Parish Goal is \$26,184.62
A suggested formula for distributing tithes: 5%-to the Parish; 4%-to charitable interests; 1% to the Diocese. *Please take time to pray about your commitment to our Diocese*, for Seminary & Clergy Support, Caring for the Poor, Proclaiming the Gospel, Evangelization, & Diocesan Support. Use your envelope sent to you in the mail. More envelopes are available. Drop in the collection plate & we will mail the contribution envelopes to the Diocese of Fargo. Thank you!

THANK YOU TO ALL who helped with the FUNDRAISER Pancake Breakfast last Sunday!!

Thank you to Tom & Bonnie Ferry & Crew for the delicious breakfast! Thank you to all who generously gave to this wonderful cause....helping to reunite Christelle with her son Emmanuel. Your kindness will forever be remembered! God Bless you all!!
-Christelle & Patrick Olson & family

***Wednesdays: 5:30-6:30 PM- Lenten Supper; 6:30 PM- STATIONS OF THE CROSS, followed by RE Class. Everyone is welcome to partake in Supper & Stations!**

***STATIONS of the CROSS—6:30 PM-Wednesday; and 6:00 PM- Fridays, mass follows.**

*******IMPORTANT--PLEASE NOTE-MASS SCHEDULE CHANGES*****:**

***Sunday, March 22—NO 9:00 AM Mass—instead, Mass will be 5:30 PM Mass, followed by Lenten Penance Service. This enables priests to come & help Fr. Jay .**

***SATURDAY, MARCH 28—NO 5:00 PM MASS; We host CONFIRMATION AT 2 PM. After the Sacrament, there will be a meal for the Candidates & families. We need to have time for the Sacrament service & to enjoy fellowship with Bishop Folda & family.**

***RELATE CARE CLINIC-BABY BOTTLES CAMPAIGN--**supporting the work with Young Families. **Lenten ALMS for the needy-** Bottles are available in gathering space. Thank you!

*We continue with **COATS FOR KIDS—OUTREACH for Salvation Army, GF.**

Bring warm clothing ALL sizes; Toiletries, FOOD, etc. Leave by Meeting room door. Needs are very prevalent.
Any Questions-Call Colleen Hendrickson-701-215-0256

COLLECTION: February 15, 2026: Next Parish Council Meeting, 7 PM-Tues March 3rd.

Adult Envelope 1,135.00 **Next Finance Council Meeting 6:30 PM-April 14th, 1st Quarter review.**

Children Envelopes 45.00

Online Giving 318.00 ***1ST Holy Communion & CONFIRMATION -2:00 PM-Saturday, March 28, St. Tim's**

Plate 145.00 ***FYI: Palm Sunday MANVEL FIREMAN'S BREAKFAST -March 29, Senior Center.**

Vigil Lights 19.00 **Wedn. April 1—6:30 PM—LIVING STATIONS- High school students. Plan to attend!!**

St. Mary's K.C.'S Council #10837 Breakfast- Sun Feb 22-8am-Noon -216 Belmont Rd., GF. Free Will Offering

Holy Family Parish Office-1018 18th Ave. S., GF Has **Religious items for sale**; Hours-8:30am-4 pm.
Stop in...Prayer Cards, Auto Visor clips, Crucifixes, Statues, Rosaries, Chaplets, items for Sacraments,etc.

***Facing Hardship? Contact Sara Pachl-Community Resource Coordinator
at Catholic Charities North Dakota 701-805-9836**

Prayer Before the Crucifix - a Lenten Retreat with St. Francis of Assisi - MARCH 6-8, 2026.

This Lent, as we prepare for Holy Week, the Hankinson Franciscans invite you to come away for a weekend of reflection. During this special year of St. Francis, we will pray with this beloved saint of Assisi, delving into his spirituality and learning from his touching example of love for Christ Crucified.

The weekend includes presentations, opportunities for small group sharing (optional), time for prayer and reflection, and more! The suggested donation is \$200 for the weekend (covering room and board as well as programming).

Please register as soon as possible, preferably before March 3rd.

You may also call or email Sr. Christina for more information at (701) 242-7195

or sr.christinaosf@gmail.com.

SAVE THE DATE: STEAK DINNER –SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2026 AT 5:00 PM

--Dance to follow; at Manvel Community Center. \$500 Cash drawing & many Chances for other Prizes. \$50 per ticket—available soon. All Proceeds go toward remodel projects at the Manvel Community Center. Thank you for your support!

Mother Daughter DAYS 2026: June 11-13 and July 9-11. Join the Franciscans Sisters of Dillingen this summer for a time of Prayers, Learning, and FUN for all ages at Hankinson, ND Questions-Contact Sr. Mary Ruth: srmaryruth@scretreats.org

As we proceed into the NEW Year of 2026....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; available outside the office door; give to Fr. Jay

DEVOTION TO OUR LADY OF FATIMA: 1st Saturdays—4:00 PM-Holy Hour St. Timothy's
***2026-Saturdays: January 3, February 7, March 7, *April 11 (due to Easter Vigil April 4), and May 2.**

On the First Saturday during 5 Consecutive Months, the Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima consists of:

1. Going to Confession,
2. Receiving the Sacrament of Holy Communion,
3. Saying five decades of the Rosary,
4. Meditating for 15 minutes on the mysteries of the Rosary.

All this offered in REPARATION for the sins of blasphemy and ingratitude committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

On † Ash Wednesday and throughout Lent, God calls us to return to him with a sincere and humble heart. Through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving, we rediscover how deeply he loves us—and how deeply we are called to love in return.

Today, join Catholics across the United States in sharing their gifts through **CRS Rice Bowl**, Catholic Relief Services' Lenten program that fights hunger and poverty in more than 100 countries.

Make your online donation today to help farmers have good harvests despite drought, families access nutritious food for their children and vulnerable communities not only survive but thrive.

Thank you for your generosity. By giving, you help protect life and human dignity. **Donate now and transform lives.**

“On the wounded faces of the poor, we see the suffering of the innocent and, therefore, the suffering of Christ himself.” —Pope Leo XIV

*With over 50 years in ministry comes a rich experience in teaching NFP that is rooted in the beauty of Humanae Vitae. We are always looking for new ways to utilize that experience **to reach new couples and young people.***

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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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

Thinking About Senior Living?

Are you looking for a Safe, Caring Living Environment for yourself or an aging loved one?

St. Anne's Living Center has openings. Meals, nursing care, housekeeping, & other services are provided. We also offer many engaging activities for our residents to enjoy, as well as a chapel with religious services. Call 701-746-9401 or email contact@stannesguesthome.org.

We'd love for you to become part of our **St. Anne's Living Center** 524 N. 17th St. ~ Grand Forks, ND 58203. **Stop by for a tour.**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

DURING LENT:

***6:30 PM- on Wednesdays**

***6:00 PM- Fridays**

followed by 6:30 PM Mass