

**February 10, 2019 – Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**



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**Unless noted, all daily Masses are at St. John Nepomucene in Pisek**

**THIS WEEKEND'S MASS INTENTIONS**

**02/09 – Saturday – Lankin – CONFESSIO** – 4:00 pm – **MASS – 5:00 pm** – Tri-Parish Members  
**02/10 – Sunday – Bechyne – ADORATION – 7:00 am – MASS – 8:30 am** – (L) Dorothy Novak & † Bruno Novak  
 – Albin & Pam Jallo  
**02/10 – Sunday – Pisek – MASS – 10:30 am** – † Ludger & † Elaine Kadlec – Rodney & Audrey Kadlec

**MASS INTENTIONS (February 11 – February 17)**

**02/11 – Monday – NO DAILY MASS**  
**02/12 – Tuesday – 5:00 p.m.** – † Anna Stachlowski & Family  
**02/13 – Wednesday – 8:00 am** – (L) Larry & Gayle Coles Intentions  
**02/14 – Thursday – 8:00 am** – Good weather for the weekend & successful fund raiser  
**02/15 – Friday – ADORATION – 7:00 a.m. – MASS – 8:00 a.m.** – † Josh & † Jack Grosz – Mike & Karen Grosz  
**02/16 – Saturday – Lankin – CONFESSIO** – 4:00 pm – **MASS – 5:00 pm** – † Gary Pecka – Tim Zikmund Family  
**02/17 – Sunday – Bechyne – ADORATION – 7:00 am – MASS – 8:30 am** – † Joe Mayer – Pat & Karen Restad  
**02/17 – Sunday – Pisek – MASS – 10:30 am** – Tri-Parish Members

**Reconciliation** – ½ hour before daily Mass; 1 hour before 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass on Saturday; after 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass upon request; or, by appointment.

**Adoration** – 7:00 a.m. on each Friday  
 7:00 a.m. before each 8:30 a.m. Sunday Mass

**Morning Prayer** – Weekdays at 7:00 a.m.  
**Evening Prayer** – Weekdays at 5:00 p.m.

**Baptism** – Please call 2 to 3 weeks prior to date requested for baptism.

**Wedding** – Contact pastor 6 months to 1 year in advance of anticipated date.

**New to Parish** – Please register at the parish office (284-6163) or call parish secretary, Louise (284-6167)

**FUTURE MASS SCHEDULE**

**February 2019**

Lankin – 5:00 pm – Saturday  
 Bechyne – 8:30 am – Sunday  
 Pisek – 10:30 am – Sunday

**March 2019**

Bechyne – 5:00 pm – Saturday  
 Lankin – 8:30 am – Sunday  
 Pisek – 10:30 am – Sunday

**April 2019**

Lankin – 5:00 pm – Saturday  
 Bechyne – 8:30 am – Sunday  
 Pisek – 10:30 am – Sunday

**ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE**  
**LITURGY HELPERS**

	<b>February 17 – 10:30 am</b>
<b>Ushers</b>	Terry & Wanita Kadlec
<b>Read</b>	Wanita Kadlec

**ST. JOSEPH**  
**LITURGY HELPERS**

	<b>February 16 – 5:00 pm</b>
<b>Usher</b>	John & Heidi Gustafson
<b>Read</b>	Judy Bosh
<b>Clean</b>	John & Heidi Gustafson

**S.S. PETER & PAUL**  
**LITURGY HELPERS**

	<b>February 17 – 8:30 am</b>
<b>Usher</b>	Jacob Karas & John Miller
<b>Read</b>	Tara
<b>Serve</b>	Connor & Mitchell
<b>Clean</b>	Bonnie Zahradka Erika Miller

**PRAYER LIST**

Please pray for the following members of our Tri-parishes who are sick or hurt:

**Hadler Ellingson, Fr. Lefor,  
 Linda Knudson, Joe Zikmund, Charles Waechter,  
 Andy Sobolik, Barbara Jarolimek**

*If you would like a name added to the prayer list, please contact the Parish Office. After 4 weeks names will be removed unless resubmitted. Thank you.*

**HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR FEBRUARY**

**Human Trafficking:** For a generous welcome to the victims of human trafficking, enforced prostitution, and violence.

**FAITH FORMATION**

(See [www.plbtriparish.org](http://www.plbtriparish.org) for full schedule)

**02/13/19** – Gr. 7-9 – 4:30 pm & Gr. 10-12 – 6 pm – Pisek  
**02/17/19** – **NO CLASS**  
**02/20/19** – Gr. 7-9 – 4:30 pm & Gr. 10-12 – 6 pm – Pisek  
**02/24/19** – Gr. K-6 – 9:00 am – Pisek  
**02/27/19** – Gr. 7-9 – 4:30 pm & Gr. 10-12 – 6 pm – Pisek

## REFLECTION ON TODAY'S LITURGY

Simon Peter, the fisherman, is the first to be called personally by Jesus in Luke's Gospel.

His calling resembles Isaiah's commissioning in the First Reading: Confronted with the holiness of the Lord, both Peter and Isaiah are overwhelmed by a sense of their own sinfulness and inadequacy. Yet each experiences the Lord's forgiveness and is sent to preach the good news of His mercy to the world.

No one is "fit to be called an apostle," Paul recognizes in today's Epistle. But by "the grace of God," even a persecutor of the Church—as Paul once was—can be lifted up for the Lord's service.

In the Old Testament, humanity was unfit for the divine—no man could stand in God's presence and live (see Exodus 33:20). But in Jesus, we're made able to speak with Him face-to-face, to taste His Word on our tongue.

Today's scene from Isaiah is recalled in every Mass. Before reading the Gospel, the priest silently asks God to cleanse his lips that he might worthily proclaim His Word.

God's Word comes to us as it came to Peter, Paul, Isaiah, and today's Psalmist—as a personal call to leave everything and follow Him, to surrender our weaknesses in order to be filled with His strength.

Simon put out into deep waters even though, as a professional fisherman, he knew it would be foolhardy to expect to catch anything. In humbling himself before the Lord's command, he was exalted—his nets filled to overflowing; later, as Paul tells us, he will become the first to see the risen Lord.

Jesus has made us worthy to receive Him in the company of angels in God's holy Temple. On our knees like Peter, with the humility of David in today's Psalm, we thank Him with all our hearts and join in the unending hymn that Isaiah heard around God's altar: "Holy, holy, holy . . ." (see also Revelation 4:8).

*St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology ~ Sunday Bible Reflections with Dr. Scott Hahn ~ [www.salvationhistory.com](http://www.salvationhistory.com)*

## WEEKLY BIRTHDAY, ANNIVERSARY, EVENTS & SAINT of the DAY CALENDAR

02/10/19	02/11/19	02/12/19	02/13/19	02/14/19	02/15/19	02/16/19
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><u><i>Fifth Ordinary</i></u> <u>St. Scholastica</u></p> <p><b>FAITH FORMATION</b> K-6 – 9:00 am</p> <p>James Praska Kaitlyn Brintnell Phyllis Kadlec</p>	<p><u>Our Lady of Lourdes</u></p>	<p><u>St. Apollonia</u></p> <p>Deanery Meeting</p>	<p><u>St. Giles Mary of St. Joseph</u></p> <p><b>FAITH FORMATION</b> Gr 7-9 – 4:30 pm Gr 10-12 – 6:00 pm</p> <p>Bill Brandt James M. Shirek</p>	<p><u>Sts. Cyril &amp; Methodius</u></p>	<p><u>St. Claude de la Colombiere</u></p> <p>Judy Bosh</p>	<p><u>St. Gilbert of Sempringham</u></p>

(Learn more about the saints by clicking on the hyperlinks above or on the Tri-Parish [Facebook Page](#))

## OTHER NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE

#### Pork & Dumpling Dinner Fundraiser

Sunday, February 17

Serving 11:00 am – 2:00 pm

The committee met and is busy working on scheduling of workers and advertising. Once the work schedule is completed, notes will be sent to the workers. Please place this date on your calendar and plan to help, attend and spread the word!

**OOPS** – A mistake on the Pork & Dumpling work schedule. On the water/garbage list for the 12:30 shift it should be Dominic Jelinek, not Damian. I am so sorry this happened. If I've make other mistakes, I hope you will let me know. Louise

### NO FAITH FORMATION

Sunday, February 17

Grades K – 6

Due to the Pork & Dumpling Dinner at St. John's

**BOTTLES FOR LIFE** – It is time for the Pregnancy Help Center's annual fund raiser. The Baby Bottles are here, so please take one and fill it with coins or your donation and return to the church by Feb. 17<sup>th</sup>. This fund raiser helps approximately 300 moms & their children that come through the Center each year.

### CATHOLIC PRAYER FOR GOOD WEATHER

Most high, all powerful, all good Lord! All praise is Yours, all glory, all honor, and all blessing. Be praised, my Lord, through all Your creatures, especially through my lord Brother Sun, who brings the day; and You give light through him. And he is beautiful and radiant in all his splendor!

We beseech You, Beloved Father God, through the intercession of our most Holy Mother Mary, Mediatrix of all Grace, of all the Holy Angels, especially the heavenly Choir of Virtues and with all Your Holy Saints, especially St. Medard, grant us Your constant protection.

In Your infinite kindness and mercy, permit beautiful tranquil weather for our Pork & Dumpling Dinner project during these days that we need to work.

May Your brilliant sun fill the skies, the winds be light and refreshing, and may no snow come forth from Your clouds while we are working on this project, that You would receive all glory, honor and praise.

If it be in accordance with Your perfect and Holy Will, we ask You grant our humble petition, through Your Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, Who with You and the Holy Spirit, is one God forever and ever.

Most Holy Mother  
pray for us

Most Holy Virtues  
pray for us

St Medard (patron saint for protection against bad storms)  
pray for us

All you Holy Angels and Saints  
pray for us.

Amen.

*(Anonymous)*

## REDEEMED 2019 "MADE FOR GREATNESS" MEN'S CONFERENCE

Bishop John Folda invites all men of the Diocese of Fargo to join him on Saturday, March 30 at the Delta Hotel in Fargo for the REDEEMED 2019 Made for Greatness Men's Conference. Hear dynamic speakers such as Bill Donaghy (creator of the RISE 30 Day Men's Challenge), Father Sean Kilcawley (Integrity Restored), Bishop John Folda, and more as they unpack what leads to the authentic greatness. Early registration is only \$40 through March 10. For more information or to register visit: <http://www.fargodiocese.org/redeemedmen> or call Brad Gray (701) 356-7903.