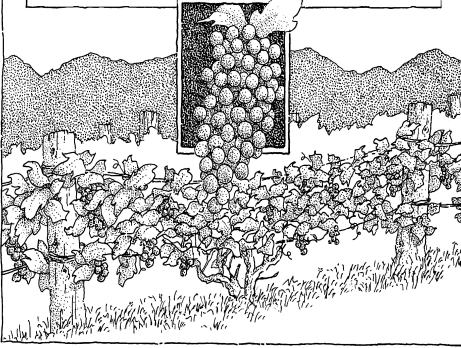


The vineyard of the Lord
is the house of Israel



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Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 8, 2017

Fr. Michael's Musings



The 21st of October this year is a bit of a State Holiday of course, the opening of Pheasant Season.

It is always a time of fun and excitement, but it is important for us to remember to pray for safety as well.

To that end, on Friday, October 20 at 5:30 pm, we will be having a blessing of hunters and hunting dogs on the front steps of the Church.

This is the day before pheasant season, but it is a blessing for all hunters: pheasants, ducks, geese, deer, elks, shotgun, rifle or bow.

All hunters are welcome, two and four legged, and invite your friends. It won't take long...but it is a gift from your parish family to carry with you as you walk the fields.

Spread the word!!

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

October 9 - 15

Mon.	7:55 am	NO Mass - Clergy Days
Tue.	7:55 am	NO Mass - Clergy Days
Wed.	7:55 am	NO Mass - Clergy Days
Thurs.	7:55 am	NO Mass - Clergy Days
	12:10 pm	NO Mass - Clergy Days
Fri.	7:55 am	Jeanne Heath +
Sat.	5:00 pm	Alice Braun +
	7:00 pm	Leo & Jeanne Carda +
Sun.	8:30 am	All members of the parish
	10:30 am	National Catholic Society of Foresters



Lectors

October 14 - 15

Sat.	5:00 pm	Amanda Lynch
	7:00 pm	Kaitlin Awe
Sun.	8:30 am	Steve Kohles
	10:30 am	Tim Pond

Mass Servers

October 14 - 15

Sat.	5:00 pm	Victoria & Zachary Eschenbaum
	7:00 pm	Matthew Sperry
Sun.	8:30 am	Katelin & Dillon Stoeber, Spencer Titus
	10:30 am	M. Friedrichsen, E. Hammrich, A. Kaan

Music Ministry

October 14 - 15

Sat.	5:00 pm	Michele Titus
	7:00 pm	Jonathan Hanson
Sun.	8:30 am	Miranda Wangler
	10:30 am	Instrumental Ensemble: Sydney Raap

Extraordinary Ministers

Sat. 5:00 pm

Linda DeWalt
Kristina Dosch
Lance Kallas
Scott Kram
Kim Kram
Donna Mehlhaff
Marilyn Batch

Sun. 8:30 am

Scott Kuck
Marlene Loebis
Pam Smid
Kathy Zirbel
Jim Uhrich
Dan Vetter
Vivian Vetter

October

Sun. 10:30 am

Mary Ann Guthmiller
Nancy Klungseth
Stephen Marx
Connie Reuer
Kelsie Sather
Mary Worlie

Sat. 7:00 pm

Kenny Awe
JoAnn Kokales
Kaitlin Awe



This is your last weekend to sign up to help with the Parish Bazaar!

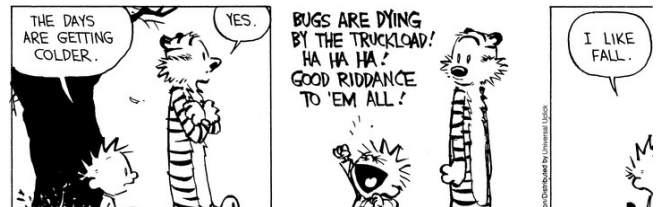
It really is a lot of fun, good hard work and laughter.

People ask me every so often how they can get to know their fellow parishioners, feel more a part of the parish, see those who go to other Mass times; well, this is how!

Please sign up and together, we'll bless the city of Aberdeen with the welcoming joy and Gospel light that is Saint Mary Parish.

Just a Thought:

Fore!



CHURCH SUPPORT: Sept. 30 - Oct. 1, 2017

Envelopes: \$ 19,097.30
Loose: \$ 1,114.25
Children's: \$ 71.00



REMEMBER:
We REALLY need
\$18,000 a week.

LIFE AT ST. MARY'S:

Pre-marriage class will be this Sunday, Oct. 8 at 1:30 pm in the parish hall.

There will be NO Masses this week, Monday thru Thursday due to clergy days.

The parish office will be closed on Monday, Oct. 9.

DON'T FORGET to turn in your bazaar raffle tickets!!!

THANK YOU, Fr. Griffin and Fr. Lacey for everything you do for our parish! October is clergy appreciation month. Please let them know how much they are appreciated.

PARISH BAZAAR INFORMATION

SAVE THE DATE: The annual St. Mary's Bazaar will be held on October 14-15, 2017. The times are:

Saturday, October 14

Midway: 3:00 pm—8:00 pm

Dinner: 4:30 pm—7:00 pm

Sunday, October 15

Midway: 11:00 am—3:00 pm

Dinner: 11:30 am—2:00 pm

We are in need of pickles for the meal.

We will make coleslaw in the parish hall kitchen on Oct. 13th & 14th. If you could help, we will meet around 8 am each morning. Any questions, please call Julie at 252-0215.

Please consider doing some baking for the bazaar Bake Shoppe. (Cookies, breads, candies, treats etc.) Helpers would be very appreciated. Call Sue P Hanson if you can donate some time or have questions. 605-885-7018

Adults needed to help set up Friday 10-13. Call Parish office 229-4422

Take Out Meals for the bazaar are available. If you would like a meal delivered call Judy @ 216-4414.

Needed: workers for the dining room. Call Marie Schumacher @ 380-0679

AREA PARISH GATHERINGS

St. Thomas Church in Faulkton will have their annual Roast Beef Supper on Oct. 15 from 5-7 pm.

Roncalli Nearly New Thrift Store We are open on Tue., Wed., Thurs. & Sat. from 12-4 pm. We appreciate your donations & your business.



Congratulations: to Sean Mehlhaff and Shanya Gross who have entered into the Sacrament of Matrimony.



Sympathy: We pray for the repose of the soul of Ramona Hurin buried in Christ. May those who mourn her be filled with comfort and peace.



Congratulations: Our parish rejoices in the baptism of *Berkley Jeanne O'Day*, daughter of Devin and Brittany.

YOUR ABERDEEN CATHOLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

- Mon., Oct. 9 - **NO School** - Native American Day
- Tues., Oct. 10 - Northwestern Music Festival
- JH Cross Country at Swisher Field - 4 pm
- JH Football vs. Redfield/Doland - 4 pm
- Volleyball vs. Redfield/Donland - 4:30; 6:00; 7:30 pm
- Wed., Oct. 11 - **NO Mass** at RHS (Clergy Days)
- **NO Mass** at Sacred Heart (Clergy Days)
- ACSS Board Meeting - 3:30 pm
- Thurs., Oct. 12 - **NO Mass** at St. Mary's (Clergy Days)
- Cross Country Regional at Webster - 3:30 pm
- Volleyball vs. Sisseton - 4:30; 6:00; 7:30 pm
- Fri., Oct. 13 - Lake Region Marching Band Festival -Groton
- Sat., Oct. 14 - St. Mary's Bazaar 3 am - 8 pm
- Marching Band in Augustana Univ. Parade
- Sun. Oct. 15 - St. Mary's Bazaar 11 am - 3 pm

Aberdeen Roncalli Catholic School System is seeking substitute teachers PreK-12 grade. Teaching certificate is not required. We offer competitive pay and a positive faith-filled working environment. Submit application to ACSS, 1400 N Dakota St., Aberdeen, SD 57401, attention Michala Heller or email to michala.heller@aberdeeroncalli.org. Applications may be accessed at aberdeeroncalli.org



Our parking lot neighbors

The Congregation B'nai Isaac is celebrating their centennial this weekend.

They will be having an Open House on Sunday, October 8 from 1-4 pm.

Let us celebrate and rejoice with them as a parish family. You are encouraged to make a great showing and showing of our love.

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GIFT CARDS ARE NOT JUST FOR GIFTS! They are a great way to budget and an easy way to support Roncalli with your regular shopping and without having to purchase anything additional. Gift cards are available after every weekend Mass and at Roncalli High School in the Development Office during the week. Call 226-2100 to place your order or for more information.

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration is available 24/7 at Avera St. Luke's Hospital. Open hours are: Sun. 3 am, 11 am, Wed., 12 am, 6 am, 3 pm, Thur., 4 am, and Sat. 10 am. Call Theresa at 226-0838 or Mary at 225-6001.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

The 2017 Diocesan Youth Conference is Sat., Oct. 21 in Brookings. The theme for this year is *Called By Name*. The conference is open to any youth in grades 6-12. To register, contact Sarah Barstad. Also looking for adults who would like to join us!