

# St. Boniface Catholic Church

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## MASS SCHEDULE:

**Weekend Mass—Saturday—5:00 p.m.**

**Weekday Mass—Monday & Tuesday—5:30 p.m.**

## CATHOLIC PARISHES OF WESTERN HOLT AND BOYD COUNTIES

### Weekend Mass Schedules:

#### Saturday:

St. Boniface—Stuart

5:00 p.m.

St. Patrick—O'Neill

5:00 p.m.

*(in Atkinson until Nov 30th)*

**SHBC—Saturday—7:00 p.m.**

Week 1: Spencer

Week 2: Spencer

Week 3: Spencer

Week 4: Butte

Week 5: Spencer



#### Sunday:

St. Joseph—Atkinson

9:00 a.m.

St. Patrick—O'Neill

10:30 a.m.

*(in Atkinson until Nov 30th)*

St. Joseph—Amelia

11:15 a.m.

**SHBC—Sunday—8:00 a.m.**

Week 1: Butte

Week 2: Butte

Week 3: Butte

Week 4: Spencer

Week 5: Butte

**"He said to them 'The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest.'"**

**Luke 10:2**

**July 5—6, 2025**

***14th Sunday in Ordinary Time***

## Mass Times and Intentions

Monday—July 7—5:30 p.m.

+ **MARY SHALD**

Tuesday—July 8—5:30 p.m.

+ **DON BOUSKA**

Wednesday—July 9—NO MASS

Thursday—July 10—NO MASS

Friday—July 11—NO MASS

Saturday—July 12—5:00 p.m.

+ **GARRY LOCKMON &  
DECEASED SCHMADERER FAMILY MEMBERS**

Saturday—July 12—5:00 p.m.—Atkinson

Sunday—July 13—9:00 & 10:30 a.m.—Atkinson



Confession Time:  
Saturdays—4:30—4:50 p.m.  
or by appointment

## Collection: June 28—29—2025

Regular Envelopes (16)	\$1505.00
Loose	\$291.00
Children's Collection	\$25.00
Special Collections: Peter's Pence	\$368.00



**TOTAL \$2189.00**

EUCCHARISTIC  
ADORATION



## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

6:00—8:00 p.m.

**Resumes in  
September**

## Christian Mothers

Rosary—Monday & Tuesday @ 5:10 p.m.  
Saturday @ 4:40 p.m.

Next function/funeral—Group 3

Next Meeting—August 11 @ 6:00 p.m.  
Church Basement



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## Events & Meetings

Sun-Fri—July 6-11—Totus Tuus—Butte

Mon—July 14—4th Degree KC Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.

Tues—July 15—Parish Council Meeting—7:00 p.m.

Thurs—July 24—Ladies Guild—2:00 p.m.

Wed—July 30—Jubilee of Hope Pilgrimage Stop—Lynch

Mon—Aug 4—KC Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.

Mon—Aug 11—Christian Mothers Meeting @ 6:00 p.m.



Please Pray for . . .

Jim Kunz + Beckett Block  
Lois Schaaf + Kirstine Chvala  
Norbert & Jeanette Starman

Our deepest sympathies are  
extended to the family of . . .

**David Nachtmann**

St. Joseph—Atkinson

**Helen Lueken**

SHBC—Assumption/BVM—Lynch

**Douglas Ray Look**

SHBC—St. Mary—Spencer

*Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual  
light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.*

## FORMED.ORG

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account as a parishioner  
with the zip code: 68763 for  
**FREE** movies, children's  
programs, e-books, audio,  
parish programs and studies.  
(Everyone signs up under St.  
Patrick's Parish—O'Neill.)

Ladies Guild—July 24 @ 2:00 p.m.



## Knights of Columbus

Aug 4—KC Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.

## 4th Degree Knights of Columbus

July 14—4th Degree Mtg @ 7:30 p.m.—O'Neill

**"Love God, Serve God; everything is in that." St. Clare of Assisi - Ministry Schedule**

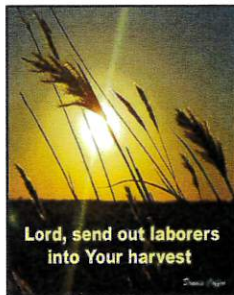
Serve one another through love. <i>Galatians 5:13</i>			<u>Saturday—July 12</u>		<u>Saturday— July 19</u>				
			5:00 p.m.		5:00 p.m.				
			LECTOR:	John Madsen	Lisa Keogh				
			EMHC:	Jennifer Schmaderer	Ben Paxton				
			SERVERS:	Truman Addison Karlee Wolf—Jase Wolf	Alex Paxton Drew Paxton—Alexis Lange				
			USHERS:	Darby Paxton—Justin Estill Larry Butler—Mark Snover	Darby Paxton—Justin Estill Larry Butler—Mark Snover				
			GREETERS/GIFTS:	Scott & Lori Kunz	Confirmation Class				
			MONEY COUNTERS:	Joe & Makala Hebbert	Joe & Makala Hebbert				
			<u>N*O*T*E*W*O*R*T*H*Y</u>						

Please direct any questions regarding the ministry schedule to  
Deb Kramer in the parish office @ 924—3262.

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**SERVERS OF THE YEAR**—Congratulations to our 2025 Altar Servers of the Year: Collin Heiser, Kole Estill, and Kemberlyn Kohle. These students were recognized at last weekend's Mass for their outstanding commitment to helping the church in the ministry of serving. They each were awarded a medal and a certificate for their dedication. Well done!

**WHEN GOD SPEAKS LIKE A POLISH GRANDMOTHER**—A friend of mine had a Polish grandmother who was famous for giving her children some blunt advice every time they left the house: "Eyes straight ahead. Mind your own business." Every mother knows her children best, and this mother knew hers liked to argue and sometimes liked to show off. She knew that could lead to trouble. She could not anticipate every scenario they would encounter each time they departed from her. All she could do was distill what she knew about life, safety, and manners into a few simple words, and hand them over to her children like a set of car keys or a hastily scribbled map. In this way, a woman who rarely said "I love you" expressed her devotion. And long after she was dead and buried, her aging sons and daughters repeated these words to themselves, like a child wrapping himself in a warm blanket. Jesus does much the same for us, in many portions of the Gospels. *"Ask the master to send out laborers for his harvest...Carry no money...Eat what is set before you...Know that the Kingdom of God is at hand...Rejoice because your names are written in Heaven."* He knows us best — knows our strengths, but even more importantly, he knows our weaknesses. He doesn't always have the space to address each of these explicitly in the pages of Scripture, but what he can do is distill the truth of effective evangelization into a few simple words, and hand them over to us as food for our journey of discipleship. In this way, a God who addresses the entire world and every soul who ever lived also speaks intimately to each one of us.



**CONGRATULATIONS**  
to newly married



**KATIE NOLLES**  
and  
**COLE SMITH**  
June 28, 2025

*"And the two shall become one."  
~ Ephesians 5:31*

**FLOCKNOTE**

Sign up for notifications from  
St. Boniface or from the  
family of parishes by texting:

**68780**

(for St. Boniface notifications)

or

**HOLTBOYDCATHOLIC**

(for all notifications)

to: **84576**

**JUBILEE OF HOPE**

+ Pilgrimage Stop +  
**ABVM—Lynch**

Schedule:

Reconciliation—5:30—6:15 p.m.

Mass—6:30 p.m.

Adoration after Mass—8:00 p.m.

Dates: July 30, Aug 6, Sept 3, Oct 1, Oct 29,  
Nov 5 and Dec 3



## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK . . .

Dear Parishioners and Friends of the Catholic Parishes of Western Holt and Boyd Counties,

A recent radio interview featured a journalist who decided to spend a year doing jobs most Americans will not do. One of those jobs was harvesting lettuce. For two months he was the only white person toiling among Mexican migrant workers. He described the back breaking labor vividly and how he had to become to the pains in his back and hands and arms to make it through each day. He had to ignore his fierce thirst in the relentless heat and sun, because to take a break to get water would put him hopelessly behind.

What was most impressive in his story was the way that people helped one another in the fields. When one person was sick and could not keep up the pace, all the others automatically took on a bit more of a load to help get them through the day.

In this weekend's gospel (Luke 10:1-12; 17-20), Jesus invites his disciples to take up the very strenuous work of evangelization. As in the lettuce fields, the harvest is abundant, but those who are willing to take on this demanding work are few. Those who do take it up are like "lambs among wolves," gentle and loving while facing fierce opposition that could even devour them. Like migrant workers in the United States whose presence is largely unwanted yet whose work is indispensable, laborers in God's vineyard also face frequent rejection.

Their vulnerability proclaims an alternative kind of power to that of reigning systems: God's saving power of love in the crucified Christ. Throughout they are the bearers of peace proclaiming God's reign. What would entice anyone to take up such work?

The last part of this weekend's gospel points to the rewarding aspects of this difficult work. When proclaimers of the gospel can see that the power they use for good is able to transform evil situations, the ensuing joy is indescribable. It is essential for them, however, not to focus on the visible results of their handiwork and not to take false pride in what they may think has been accomplished by their own efforts. Their true joy comes from acknowledging the divine source of the power they are able to wield, as they entrust themselves fully to the One who has called them into mission.

Like the returning exiles addressed in the first reading this weekend (Isa 66:10-14c), who are filled with rejoicing over the rebuilding of Jerusalem, they know that they rest under God's protective mantle, where they may "suck fully of the milk of her comfort: and "nurse with delight at her abundant breasts." It is the Holy One who will "spread prosperity over Jerusalem like a river," carrying its inhabitants in her arms, fondling them in her lap, "as a mother comforts her child."

Those who respond to Jesus's invitation to go out into the fields never go alone. Like the workers cutting lettuce, they have partners

who rally in support of anyone who is flagging, ensuring that no one is left behind and that all together share in the joy of a successful harvest.

Ad multos annos!

Fr. Bernard Starman  
Pastor

### TOTUS TUUS COMING TO BUTTE

Any students in the Western Holt and Boyd County area are invited to attend Totus Tuus July 6th through 11th at St. Peter and Paul Church in Butte. Jr/Sr high will start at 6:30 p.m. on the 6th and 1st grade through 6th grade will start at 9 a.m. on the 7th. Please call/text Charlotte Mitchell at 402-336-7826 or email [charlottehuckmitchell@gmail.com](mailto:charlottehuckmitchell@gmail.com) for information and to receive student registration forms. There are no tuition fees, but donations are appreciated.

### REQUESTS

\*\*\*To ensure all goes smoothly with sponsor requests for Baptisms, Confirmations, etc., it's important to request the forms *at least three weeks in advance* due to possible mail delays.

\*\*\*Baptism requests must be made at *least 30 days prior* to the requested dates.

Forms can be found online at:

[stbonifacestuart.com](http://stbonifacestuart.com) OR [holtboydcatholic.org](http://holtboydcatholic.org)

Any mail for St. Patrick's Office or Fr. Starman  
needs to be sent to:  
313 E Hwy 20, O'Neill 68763