

# St. Joseph Church

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**Weekend Mass Times:**  
 St. Joseph, Ada Sunday 9:45am  
 St. William, Twin Valley Sunday 8:00am  
 Holy Family, Halstad Sunday 11:30am

**Weekday Mass Schedule December 17-22**  
 Monday, December 31st (SW) 5:00pm  
 ~ Joseph Kneip †  
 Tuesday, January 1st (SJ) 9:00am  
 ~ Lorayn Visser †  
 Tuesday, January 1st (HF) 11:00am  
 ~ Katie Vilmo †

Wednesday, January 2nd (HF) 4:30pm  
 ~ for families

Thursday, January 3rd (SW) 10:00am  
 ~ Merlin Burda †

Friday, January 4th (SJ) 9:00am  
 ~ Loren & Patty Olson

Sunday, January 6th (SJ) 9:45am  
 ~ Joe & Genevieve Kurpius †

# The Holy Family

December 30, 2018  
 ~ Wilfred & Carmelle Pinsonneault †



## MINISTRIES ~ Sunday, January 6th

**1st Reading:** Theresa Borchert  
**2nd Reading:** Sue Nelson  
**Commentator:** Colleen Kappes  
**Sacristan:** Barb Neisen  
**Ministers of Holy Communion:** Karla Jalbert, Rudy Suda, Kathy Ruebke, Wayne Moen, Stacy Arends, Grant Arends, Sue Nelson  
**Servers:** Catherine Nelson, Emily Johnson  
**Gifts:** Mike Sterton family  
**Ushers:** David Steen, Rodney McCollum, Gary Nelson, Shannon Jalbert  
**Greeters:** David & Stacy Arends family  
**Organist:** Carla **Cantor:** Darin  
**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturdays at 11:00am or anytime by appointment with Fr. Bill.

*Please pray for God's blessings upon these families this week:*  
 Kathlæen Fiseher,  
 Sarah & Brændan Hart,  
 Mike, Madison, Preston, Isabellæ,  
 Zoëy, Sophia & Peyton Schwanke

**THY WORD:** Thy Word is sponsored this week by The BeFriendsers in memory of Helen Sargent. If you would like to be a sponsor of Thy Word Broadcast, please put your donation in an envelope marked "Thy Word" and place it in the collection basket. You may sponsor Thy Word in memory of loved ones or in honor of loved ones or special events. Cost to be a sponsor is \$35.00. "Thy Word" is broadcast each Saturday at 7:00am & Sunday at 11:00am on #106.5FM.

## Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Thursdays:

St. Williams ~ 10:00am– 1:00pm  
 Holy Family ~ 4:00pm– 7:00pm  
 St. Joseph's ~ 7:00am– 9:00am,  
 4:00pm– 10:00pm



**Pray the Rosary:** We will pray the rosary each Sunday before Mass at 9:15am. Thursday mornings we pray at Bridges Care Community at 9:30am with the residents.

**Men's Prayer Group:** The Men's Prayer Group will be meeting on Wednesday nights starting at 7:00pm. All men of the parish are welcome to attend!

## Women's Prayer Group:

The Women's Prayer Group will meet on Monday, January 7th at 7:00pm. We will start with praying the rosary in the sanctuary and meet in the youth room after. This is for all women of the parish.

**Our Prayers:** Please pray for the sick: Your prayer intentions are always welcome. If you have a family member who is sick or suffering that you would like our parish family to pray for, please contact Terry at the parish office.



## MINISTRIES ~ Tuesday, January 1st

**1st Reading:** Pete Kappes  
**2nd Reading:** Katie Wagner  
**Commentator:** Carol Gwin  
**Sacristan:** Darla Hennen  
**Ministers of Holy Communion:** Joan Chisholm, Wanda Platt, Lucy Sauck  
**Servers:** Chantelle Kesselberg, Izabella Hyde  
**Gifts:** David Steen family  
**Ushers:** Keith Hennen, Ken Gilbertson, Paul Nirschl, Mick Thompson  
**Greeters:** Paul & Chrissy Nirschl

**Knight of Columbus Free Throw Contest:** The Free Throw contest will be held on Sunday, January 13th at the Ada Borup High School Gym starting at 1:00pm. This is for girls and boys ages 9-14 as of January 1st.

**Knights of Columbus:** On Thursday, January 10th there will be a meeting starting at 7:00pm with supper and setting up for the fish fry at the Borup Hall for all the Knights.

## ANNIVERSARIES—

**December 30th:** David & Stacy Arends

## BIRTHDAYS—

**January 5th:** David Steen



ST JOSEPH STEWARDSHIP	
<b>December 23rd Contribution:</b>	
<b>Adult:</b> \$2569.00	<b>Children:</b> \$4.00
<b>Plate:</b> \$50.00	<b>Total:</b> \$2623.00
<b>Average needed for budget:</b> \$2509.60	
<b>Christmas:</b> \$1106.00	
<b>Monthly Contributions:</b>	
<b>November Totals:</b> \$12,189.50	
<b>Monthly Average needed for Budget:</b> \$10,308.34	
<b>Difference:</b> (\$1,881.16)	
<b>Building Fund</b>	
<b>December 23rd Contribution:</b> \$0.00	