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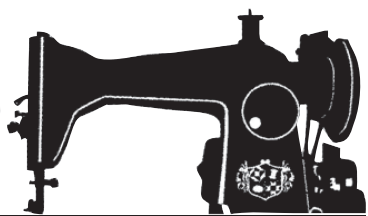
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# CALENDAR

**Saturday, October 29**

**Vote!** from 8 a.m. - noon at McLean County Courthouse in Washburn  
**The Thrift Store**, GARC, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

**Sunday, October 30**

**The United Methodist Church** in Washburn will be hosting Trunk or treat on Sunday October 30th from 3-5 p.m. in the parking lot.  
**The First Lutheran Church will be hosting a Super Sunday Supper** on Sunday October 30th in Washburn from 4:00 p.m. to 6 p.m. It is a free will donation. Everyone is welcome to attend. If you have any question please call Judy at 220-4410 or Rhonda at 315-0656.  
**Haunted House**, Garrison-Max Ambulance Barn, 5-7 p.m.  
**Farewell to Pastor Woodruff**, Peace Lutheran Church, Garrison, 6 p.m.

**Monday, October 31**

**Yoga**, First Congregational Church, Garrison, 8 a.m.  
**Trick or Treating**, Main Street, Garrison, 3:30-5 p.m.  
**Treats by St. Paul Lutheran Church and Evangel**, Cubby Hole, 4-5:30 p.m.  
**Trunk of Treat**, St. Paul Lutheran Church, Garrison, 5-6:30p.m.  
**Trick or Treating** at Benedictine Living Community-Garrison (BLCG), BLCG chapel; 5-7 p.m.  
**Trick or Treating at Garrison Hospital**, Garrison Hospital, third floor, 6-8 p.m.

**Tuesday, November 1**

**Bone Builders**, Garrison Senior Center, 10 a.m.  
**Friends of the Garrison Library meeting**, Garrison Public Library, 7 p.m.

**Wednesday, November 2**

**Yoga**, First Congregational Church, Garrison, 8 a.m.  
**The Thrift Store**, GARC, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Thursday, November 3**

**Bone Builders**, Garrison Senior Center, 10 a.m.  
**Alcoholics Anonymous**, Garrison hospital cafeteria (enter through ER), 8 p.m.

**Saturday, November 5**

**Vote!** from 8 a.m. - noon at McLean County Courthouse in Washburn  
**Thrift Store at Community Cupboard of Underwood** will be open to the public from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 208 Lincoln Avenue. Shop for winter clothing, household items, toys, books and more. Donations for all items and proceeds go to the food pantry. We are accepting winter clothing and boots.

**Sunday, November 6**

**McLean County Farmers Union Annual Convention**, at 6 p.m. at Totten Trail, Garrison

**Thursday, November 10**

**The Lord's Pantry**, from 2 to 4 p.m. Trinity Lutheran Church, 515 Kundert St., Turtle Lake ND at 10 a.m. to noon. No referrals or pre-registration required. All in need are welcome to receive food at no cost.

**Friday, November 11**

**Veterans Day Pancake & Sausage Dinner**, from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Turtle Lake Legion Hall, Everyone welcome to come!

**Sunday, November 13**

**Open Door Community Kitchen**, Senior Center, Turtle Lake ND at 11:30 am to 1 p.m.

**Wednesday, November 16**

**Thrift Store at Community Cupboard of Underwood** will be open to the public from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. at 208 Lincoln Avenue. Shop for winter clothing, household items, toys, books and more. Donations for all items and proceeds go to the food pantry. We are accepting winter clothing and boots.

# DAKOTA RECREATION REPORT



BY PATRICIA STOCKDILL

**Outdoor Notes:**

- Reminder that most roads and trails closed to hunting if posted on both sides.
- Check all PLOTS signage before driving on with vehicles when waterfowl hunting to ensure landowner allows vehicles.
- Hunters reminded to put identification on tree stands and blinds when set up on N.D. Game & Fish Dept. WMAs.
- Waterfowl hunters reminded to follow ANS regulations when hunting from boats.
- Oct. 28: Dakota Roughriders Friends of the NRA banquet, Baymont Inn, Mandan, 5:30 p.m.
- Oct. 29: Halloween Hike, Fort Stevenson State Park, Garrison, 7 p.m.
- Oct. 30: Moose season closes.
- Nov. 3: Elk unit E6 closes.
- Nov. 4: Deer gun season opens.
- Nov. 7: Fall crow season closes.

**Fishing:**

Lake Sakakawea elevation, Oct. 24: 1,833.68 feet above mean sea level; 14,200 cubic feet per second (CFS) Garrison

Dam average daily releases.

Missouri River gauge height, Stanton: River stage, 6.57 feet.

Missouri River gauge height, Washburn: River stage, 8.31 feet.

•N.D. Game & Fish Dept. game wardens: No new reports.

•Lakes Audubon & Sakakawea, Cenex Bait & Tackle, Garrison: Some continued walleye activity on the east end of Lake Sakakawea prior to the weather change but little activity since then.

•Lakes Audubon & Sakakawea, Hwy. 83 Lawn & Leisure, Garrison: East end of Lake Sakakawea producing walleye in Douglas Bay prior to the weather change and wind. Try vertical jigging with minnows in 25 to 30 feet. No reports from Lake Audubon.

•Lake Sakakawea, New Town: Continued fair walleye success in the Van Hook Arm, weather permitting. Work a variety of depths with fish transitioning into shallower water and on the move.

•Missouri River, Dakota Tackle, Bismarck: Little activity on the Missouri River.

•Missouri River, Enerbase of Washburn: No new reports with little activity on the Missouri River and area lakes.

•Missouri River System, Scott's Bait & Tackle, Pick City: Missouri River tailrace remains slow although some continued catfish success with limited angler numbers. East end of Lake Sakakawea producing scattered walleye activity but limited anglers. Better success remains west around Beaver or Beulah bays.

Fewer salmon anglers, as well.

•McLean Co. area lakes, Cenex of Wilton: Some activity on Lake Sakakawea before the weather front moved through.

**Hunting:**

•Pheasants: Generally fair to good success but some areas spotty and better than others with increasing pressure in many areas.

•Waterfowl: Pockets of waterfowl across east-central N.D. but hunting pressure moved many local birds out. Look for increasing bird movement with recent weather front. Continued fair to good waterfowl success around the Devils Lake area with snow geese moving into northeast N.D. Not much movement yet south of Garrison Dam along the river but good snow goose numbers along areas east of the Missouri River System and central N.D. as well as northern McLean County and southern Ward County. Nice duck numbers, as well. Fair duck numbers in north-central N.D. Increasing numbers of swans and cranes moving into northwest N.D.

**Numbers to know:**

•N.D. Game and Fish Dept., main Bismarck office: (701) 328-6300, website: (<http://gf.nd.gov>).

•N.D. Game and Fish Dept., Riverdale office: (701) 654-7475.

•Report All Poachers: (800) 472-2121 or (701) 328-9921.

•Friends of Lake Sakakawea, the region's only organization working for quality lake access, weed control and effective partnerships, ([www.lakesakakawea.com](http://www.lakesakakawea.com)).

# Missouri River system remains in drought

September precipitation was once again below average in the Missouri River Basin. September runoff in the Missouri River Basin above Sioux City, Iowa was 0.6 million acre-feet, 47 percent of the long-term average. Soil conditions in the upper Missouri River Basin continue to be very dry. According to the Drought Mitigation Center, over 90 percent of the Missouri River basin is currently experiencing some form of abnormally dry conditions or drought, which

is almost a 20 percent increase from the end of August.

"Runoff in the upper Missouri River Basin was below average during the month of September and is expected to remain low throughout the rest of 2022," said John Remus, chief of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Missouri River Basin Water Management Division.

The 2022 calendar year runoff forecast for the upper Basin, updated on Oct. 1, is 19.5 MAF, 76 percent of average

and 0.7 MAF lower than last month's annual runoff forecast. Average annual runoff for the upper Basin is 25.7 MAF.

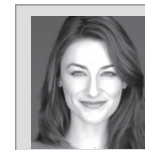
Total System storage as of Oct. 5 was 48.5 MAF, which is 7.6 MAF the base of the flood control zone. Due to the extremely dry conditions in the upper Missouri River Basin, the System is expected to lose an additional 2.0 MAF before the 2023 runoff season begins in March of 2023.

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**BY JULIE GARDEN-ROBINSON,**  
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What were you doing in 1997? Some of you may not have been born yet. Others may remember the year well.

In 1997, Bill Clinton was the president. The cost of a postage stamp was 32 cents.

The Titanic movie was in theaters, and the first Harry Potter book was released.

The Mars Pathfinder arrived on Mars. The Hale Bopp comet was visible in 1997.

Sports enthusiasts may remember that the Green Bay Packers defeated the New England Patriots in the Superbowl. Pete Sampras and Martina Hingis each won Wimbledon.

Mother Theresa, Princess Diana, John Denver and James Stewart were among the notable people who died.

Of course, many other events occurred in 1997. In North Dakota, we fought record flooding that year. We all built new "sandbagging muscles" as we gathered by the Red River. Automated sandbag-filling units were developed later.

On a personal note, my son was just two years old. In the next eight years, we would welcome two daughters.

Also in 1997, I began writing this "Prairie Fare" column.

"Writing a weekly column is a grind," the editors warned.

I was perplexed. They were the ones who suggested that I write a column. I guess they were being realistic.

"I'll give it a couple months and see if any paper runs the column," I said.

For the first couple of years, I was the co-author with an editor who had a background as a chef. Back then, the final edited columns were sent as printed copies through campus mail, not as emails.

My writing colleague left the university, and I was at a crossroads. I kept on writing the column solo. This week's column is number 1,300.

I am throwing myself a little party. Unfortunately, I am the only guest at my party because I have a column to write.

I have potential gifts for you readers for inspiring my ongoing effort. Without readers, a column ceases to exist.

I am happy to report that at least 50 papers (online and print) have published this weekly column throughout the Midwest and in Canada.

Here's the gift opportunity. Our latest edition of a printed 2023 calendar is ready. I plan to give away at least 25 copies based on a random drawing by Nov. 25. This colorful calendar

includes recipes, tips and information to explore. My student interns helped create the calendar, and I am proud of their efforts.

To enter the drawing, visit [bit.ly/PrairieFare-drawing](http://bit.ly/PrairieFare-drawing) and answer the questions. I will not use your information for anything other than the random drawing. If the link does not work for you, please email me at [julie.garden-robinson@ndsu.edu](mailto:julie.garden-robinson@ndsu.edu) with "Calendar Drawing" as the subject. Please provide a topic of interest and your complete mailing address for a chance to win a free 2023 calendar.

This is a food and nutrition column, after all, so here are four tips for planning a healthy celebration.

1. Try to incorporate three or more food groups into celebration menus.

Provide a variety of colorful fruits and vegetables.

Provide whole-grain options, such as whole-grain crackers or popcorn.

Include a dairy food or other calcium source, such as mozzarella cheese cubes or yogurt parfaits.

Include a variety of protein options, from lean meats to beans and other pulse foods in dips and appetizers.

2. Be creative with your food displays. "Charcuterie" boards were not well-known 25 years ago, but people enjoy the artful arrangements of cheese, meat, nuts, fruits, vegetables, breads and crackers.

3. As you prepare your celebration recipes, consider making healthful swaps. For example, nonfat yogurt can be swapped for sour cream or mayonnaise in dips. About half of the white flour in many recipes can be swapped with whole wheat flour. About half of the oil and other fat in some baked goods can be swapped with apple sauce.

4. Don't forget to include options for people with special dietary needs, such as gluten intolerance, lactose intolerance and allergies to nuts. For more information about food allergens, visit the NDSU Extension website at [ndsu.ag/food-allergens](http://ndsu.ag/food-allergens).

I bet you are expecting cake for this celebration. I'm providing a chocolatey dessert dip to enjoy. The 2023 calendar has a fudgy black-bean brownie recipe, by the way. Any food can fit, in moderation, in a healthful diet.

**Chocolate Dessert Hummus**  
1 (15-ounce) can chickpeas, drained and rinsed  
1/3 cup honey  
1/2 cup unsweetened cocoa powder

1 S teaspoons vanilla  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
3 to 4 tablespoons water

Foods for dipping (fresh fruit such as strawberries, graham crackers, vanilla wafers)

Drain and rinse chickpeas, and place in a food processor. Place all other ingredients into the same food processor and puree until a smooth texture is visible. If needed, add additional honey one tablespoon at a time until desired sweetness level is met. Serve with fruit such as strawberries, graham crackers.

Makes 11 (2-tablespoon) servings. Each serving has 70 calories, 0.5 grams (g) fat, 14 g carbohydrate, 2 g fiber and 105 milligrams sodium.

*(Julie Garden-Robinson, Ph.D., R.D., L.R.D., is a North Dakota State University Extension food and nutrition specialist and professor in the Department of Health, Nutrition and Exercise Sciences. Follow her on Twitter @jgardenrobinson)*

# The Great Pumpkin for North Dakota DAKOTA GARDENER

Do you believe in the Great Pumpkin?

Linus from the Peanuts cartoon believed. Instead of trick-or-treating with Charlie Brown, Linus spent every Halloween night in a pumpkin patch waiting for the Great Pumpkin to appear.

The ghost never came, but Linus never stopped looking.

Since 2009, a team of more than 100 families in North Dakota have been looking for a great pumpkin in their backyard gardens. They have tested pumpkins that are orange, white and gray. They have tested pumpkins that are big and small, round and flat, smooth and warty.

Their favorite pumpkin variety is Neon, the Great Pumpkin for North Dakota.

These families are amazed to see bright-orange, glowing pumpkins in their gardens in August, while other pumpkins are still green.

Neon pumpkins are guaranteed to ripen before Halloween, even in the far northern regions of our state.

Another nice feature of Neon is its compact habit. The vines of Neon only spread about eight feet across. They won't overrun the garden and can be grown in small spaces.

Neon pumpkins are a nice size for a jack-o'-lantern. They grow about 10 inches across and weigh about 8 pounds.

Although these pumpkins are not huge, your kids will be delighted. The handles are dark green and strong.

If you are looking for a bigger pumpkin and have room in your garden for the vines to spread, a variety called Howden is the classic pumpkin.

Breeders in North Dakota have developed an early strain called Early Dakota Howden.

This organic variety has performed well in trials across our state.

Other strong performers in North Dakota include Early King and Early Giant. These varieties are easy to grow, ripen early and produce deep-orange jack-o'-lanterns.

If you want to get your kids really excited, grow a monster pumpkin.

Atlantic Giant grows the biggest pumpkins, often exceeding 200 pounds. But these pumpkins require a tremendous amount of care. You will need to start seeds indoors, sacrifice most of your garden space, trim vine roots, pick off little fruits, provide shade to the enormous pumpkin and water almost daily.

In the end, you will get a big, ugly, lopsided, pale-orange pumpkin. Plus, you will need a tractor to move it out of the garden. That's too much work and not enough reward for many of us.

An easier option is to choose giant pumpkins that require no special care. The Big Moose variety produces eye-catching, red-orange fruits that may reach 100 pounds. It's highly recommended.

Large Marge and Howden Biggie reliably reach over 30 pounds. If you want to try something different, grow Polar Bear, a pure-white giant pumpkin.

You can search these varieties online and find several seed companies that sell them.

Every year, North Dakota State University works with gardeners to look for the Great Pumpkin of North Dakota. If you would like to join our team next year, please contact me at [tom.kalb@ndsu.edu](mailto:tom.kalb@ndsu.edu).

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# King John Satterlund DAKOTA DATEBOOK

BY MERRY HELM

Washburn, the oldest city in McLean County, was founded on this date in 1882. The man responsible was John Satterlund, who, by the time he died, was known across the state as “King John.”

Satterlund immigrated with his parents from Carlstadt, Sweden, when he was 18. He was smart, well educated, and a risk-taker. The family settled in Minnesota, but John headed west, ahead of the railroad, when he was 22. He established his first homestead 15 miles north of Bismarck, at a spot called Dry Point, and then headed north to Canada to help build the railroad between Port Arthur and Fort Williams. When he returned four years later, he bought a large chunk of land in Burleigh County and got serious about farming and ranching. But it didn't appear to satisfy him.

He soon speculated on property farther north and planned out the city of Washburn. He became one of the first commissioners for Burleigh County and then set his sights on breaking away to form McLean County, with Washburn as the county seat. Satterlund served as the new county's first sheriff and was also a U.S. Marshal for four years.

Continuing his trail blazing, Satterlund opened a roller mill, in Washburn, and the

Merchants Hotel in Bismarck. He established the first Bismarck-Washburn stage line and, with his long-time friend Louis Peterson, brought in the first telephone service between the two towns. Satterlund was also the editor and publisher of his own newspaper, the Washburn Leader, and was the receiver in the Bismarck land office for 12 years. And if that's not enough, he owned his own coalmine – the well-known Black Diamond.

Not to say Satterlund had no private or social life. The Bismarck Tribune reported, “...one of those astute popular leaders in his heyday, Satterlund was said to know more men by name than any of his contemporaries...” He was popular about town and belonged to the Elks and the Masons. On the home front, he and his wife, Charlotte, raised five children.

It's no surprise that Satterlund also got into politics. He was twice elected to the state legislature and soon concentrated on getting handpicked men into office. One of his good friends was a U.S. senator from Wisconsin – C. C. Washburn – for whom his town was named. In fact, it was Washburn who was able to give King John the one thing he didn't have – a railroad line into town.

But not everybody admired Satterlund. Bismarck's Alexander McKenzie was also

in his heyday during this time, and the two political bosses often locked horns – especially when McKenzie's powerful machine tried to cross the county line into Satterlund's turf. The Tribune states, however, “...never did Satterlund quail or recede from McKenzie's forays into his territory.”

A 1930 obituary gives us a hint that King John was, of course, not perfect. At the time of his death in December 1930, he'd been seriously ill for a year. He had a daughter living nearby, yet he was living alone in the Grand Pacific Hotel in Bismarck. Charlotte was gone – having moved to California to live with another daughter.

“There have been many instances of misused authority in the summing up of Satterlund's life,” the obituary reads, “but the good that might be said of him far outweighed the balance. He was the product of an era when [bosses were] good for the country... He was of the old school, a real man, and McLean county regrets his passing.”

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The staging area for the McLean County Speedway races is part of the lot the Fair Board hopes to purchase after it is platted.

## Fair Board buys land from Underwood

BY: CAMMIE WRIGHT  
CAMMIE@NORDAKNORTH.COM

The McLean County Fair Board has purchased a 22,500 square foot lot for \$1,800 from the City of Underwood. The lot, located at lot 1, Blk 1 of Stewart's second addition, is currently leased to the Fair Board from the city and is used for parking.

The fair board decided to purchase the property after some buyers showed interest in the land.

“I went to the fair board and just let them know that there were some people showing interest in the property,”




Underwood City Auditor Courtney Blotske said. “Their lease agreement gives them first right of refusal on the purchase of the property.”

Additionally, the fair board hopes to buy a second, larger lot from the city. The lot is used mostly as a staging area for the trailers and cars during the McLean County Speedway races. Currently, it is not platted, and a city road runs through the lot. The city's engineers are developing plans to present to the commission for the platting project.

The fair board's budget is part of McLean County's overall budget.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW IN the area? Get better acquainted with the Garrison Community. Welcome Wagon booklets are available at City Hall, the Firefighter's Museum/CVB or by calling 463-2600 or 463-2345.

36-TFNCCI 58540

**SUPPORT GROUP:** Alcoholics Anonymous Hotline 1-888-680-0651. Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anon meetings in Center, Sundays at 5 p.m. CT, St. Paul Lutheran Church, (no Al-Anon) 794-3381; in Garrison, Thursday at 8 p.m. at Garrison Hospital Cafeteria, enter through ER; in Washburn, Sundays at 7 p.m. First Lutheran Church, Harold call 460-1373 or Rachel 202-6716; in Wilton, Mondays at 8 p.m., Sacred Heart Church, 734-6544.

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52-TFNPI 58540

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## AUCTIONS

Mike Rudolph Moving Auction, Rita Mautz Moving Auction, Saturday, Oct. 29, 2022 11 a.m. Garrison City Auditorium, Garrison. SJ Auction Service, Spencer Flath, 337-5410, Cell: 898-1381 Garrison. List can be found online at [www.nordaknorth.com](http://www.nordaknorth.com)

23-4TNCGRXT 58540

## FARM RELATED

**HEATED SHOP FOR RENT** by the day, week or month. 50x100, has welder, torches and lots of tools. Call Jason, 701-870-0415.

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## SERVICES

**JUST A NOTION!** is taking in clothing alterations and repair; knit/crochet repair. Call for free consultation! Charlene Binsfeld, Washburn, 701-220-5831.

34-9-E-PD 58577

## GIVEAWAY

23"x35" WHITE SHEETS of tracing paper. Good for packing sheets when moving, kids drawing sheets, wrapping glassware, gift wrapping, etc. Pick them up at the McLean County Independent office at 91 North Main Street, Garrison, ND.

21-TFNCG 58540

## LIVESTOCK

We have the following ship dates scheduled to ship cows and bulls, Monday October 31, and Monday, November 14 and November 28. As always, have them there by 11 a.m. Call Darin @ 701-315-0144 with any questions.

43-TFN-E-X 58577

## HELP WANTED

**SEASONAL HELP WANTED** for 2023: The Turtle Lake Cemetery Bd has an opening for a seasonal groundskeeper at the local cemetery. Spring-Fall. Equipment provided. Responsible for mowing, trimming and maintaining an overall neat appearance of the property. Wage based on experience. For further info, contact Tim Larson. 701-737-9903.

**WHITE SHIELD School** is seeking head and assistant coaching positions for all sports in elementary, Jr. High and High School. Head positions for football and wrestling are already filled.

13-TFNCHCMLNGRXT 58540

**GENERAL CONSTRUCTION LABORERS**, no experience needed. Pay based on experience. Most work is in Garrison & surrounding area. Contact Kevin Katt @ 701-898-0544 Katt's Construction & General Contracting LLC

12-TFN-CH,XT 58540

**WHITE SHIELD Elementary School** has 2 teachers positions, 5-8 Math/General Education Teacher & 5-8 ELA/Librarian Teacher. Interested applicants can send cover letter, resume, certification/ability to obtain certification; to wayne.fox@k12.nd.us or more information call White Shield School @ 701-743-4350. Visit our Employment link @ <https://www.whiteshield.k12.nd.us/page/employment>

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## MISC FOR SALE

**FOR SALE: ELECTRIC** wheelchair, under two years old. Quantum 6 Edge 3, Cadillac of chairs, \$1800 OBO. Scooter Store Chair \$900 OBO. Call/text 701-527-0303 will send pictures.

24-5TPDXTDS 59540

55 gallon barrels for sale. Metal and plastic. Some ink residue. \$8 each. McLean County Independent, Garrison. 463-2201.

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**To place a classified ad call 462.8126**

## REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

1 Bedroom & Studio Apartments for rent. Call Larry 701-463-2320, 701-421-5002

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## NOTICES

**HAVE YOU BEEN** in a relationship where you were emotionally or physically battered? Call McLean Family Resource Center, 701-462-8643 24/7, Washburn. The office hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. EEOC compliant.

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**\$7,500.00 Employment Incentive**

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### PT Bookkeeper

available at Garrison Golf Club

Familiar with Quickbooks, 1 monthly meeting, small business accounting a plus. General accounting duties. For information contact Lori at 460-7163.

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#### RESTORATIVE SERVICES CNA

Full-time Days/ M-F

The Benedictine Living Community | Garrison is seeking a Restorative Services CNA. This person serves as the liaison between Therapy Services and Nursing, and is responsible for implementing and maintaining resident restorative programs while assuring resident safety and care. We are willing to train & pay for CNA certification.

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 Garrison Public Schools is accepting applications for **Full-Time Custodian**

We are seeking applications for a full-time custodian. Starting pay is \$15/hour plus full benefits and leave time. Duties in both buildings. Training will be provided and must be able to lift 50 pounds. To apply, please submit an application on our website to Dr. Klemisch at [Nick.Klemisch@k12.nd.us](mailto:Nick.Klemisch@k12.nd.us) or fill out an application at the high school.

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- Wrestling Coaches
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- Track Coaches
- Cross Country Coaches
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- Bus Drivers

Applications and Background check forms can be found on our school website <https://www.white-shield.k12.nd.us/>

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We are seeking one dependable, motivated, and dedicated individual who is looking to build a career in county government. The successful candidate will become part of the team in the Recorder's Office and will have opportunities to grow their career. This position offers competitive pay; room for advancement; and EXCEPTIONAL insurance benefits for you and your family.

The new team member will participate in and assist in carrying out the statutory responsibilities, operations, functions and activities of the office. This includes processing of property records, marriage licenses, and passports. This individual must be able to interact positively with customers and coworkers while possessing knowledge of modern office practices, computer literacy, and attention to detail. A working knowledge of real estate and legal descriptions would be beneficial.

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Applications will be accepted in the McLean County Auditor's Office until 4:00 P.M. on Wednesday, November 2, 2022, filling one (1) or more positions as a full-time Jailer/E-911 Dispatcher. Salary range is \$40,497.60 – \$60,756.80 annually, dependent on experience. A full benefit package is offered including employer funded health insurance (low deductible for both family and single coverage), paid North Dakota Public Employees Retirement System (NDPERS) defined benefit retirement, annual leave and sick leave, a minimum of ten paid holidays per year, and access to excellent vision, dental, and life insurances. For further information on the position or to obtain a McLean County job application, interested individuals may contact Lori by phone at (701) 462-8541; via email at [lfoss@nd.gov](mailto:lfoss@nd.gov); or visit [www.mcleancountynd.gov/employment](http://www.mcleancountynd.gov/employment). Résumés may be included with the application, but will not be accepted in place of an official application.

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Blowing smoke  
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BY FR. BASIL ATWELL, OSB

GK Chesterton once said, "The Christian ideal has not been tried and found wanting. It has been found difficult and left untried."

I'm not one to blow smoke. I mean I'm not the kind of man to skirt around issues pretending that everything is hunky-dory when it's not.

On the other hand, I am not a doom-and-gloom, no-hope-for-tomorrow naysayer, buying into or promoting all the latest "sky is falling" news out there.

It goes without saying that there are some people who seem to make a living speaking nonsense; even telling people living in certain situations that there's hope when there is no hope.

Speaking nonsense is not for me. It shouldn't be for you either.

Our Lord Jesus Christ never spoke in any way that lacked credibility; and he doesn't allow his disciples to speak falsely either. He said what he said and he meant it.

When he spoke about letting children come to him freely, he meant it. When he taught that marriage is between one man and one woman, he meant it. When he commanded His disciples to baptize in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, he meant it.

When he told his Apostles that he was building a church, he meant it; and when he taught that when they spoke they did so with his authority; yeah. He meant that, too.

When he said, "By their fruits you will know them," he gave his disciples real power to judge wisely between truth and falsehood.

When he commanded that in order to gain everlasting life, his followers had to remain in him—we had to remain in his love—he meant it. "Apart from me," he said, "you can do nothing." He meant that.

We cannot make up our own true religion any more than we can change our given sex or the family into which we were born.

When he warned us that in

order to remain in him we had to remain in his love, he meant it. When he warned God's elect to be aware that the evil one is real and not to allow ourselves to be deceived, he meant it.

If you and I claim to be followers of our Lord Jesus, then we had better speak honestly and live our lives only in ways that are not only credible but absolutely truthful.

Years ago smiley-faced neo-Christians ran around with little trendy plastic bracelets on their wrists with the letters WWJD on them. These letters stood for "What Would Jesus Do?" I never liked those bracelets because most young people wearing them began to rationalize away their actions mistakenly believing Jesus would approve.

I recall one young woman who was into all kinds of immoral behavior telling me with a straight face, "God loves me just the way I am." Apparently she thought there's a correlation between love and approval.

While it is true that God loves everyone, and we certainly cannot quibble about this, it does not follow that God approves of all the choices that we make.

Today, we had better ask what did Jesus say? Christians must be honest about Jesus. Christianity is divided because some Christians have not been honest about what Jesus truly said and what he meant. We cannot hope for anything good in this life, or in the next, if we are in a state of being unwilling or unable to believe the truth that he taught.

If the ideal of Christianity will truly be tried again, there will be hope. However, if we will not bend our wills to what Jesus taught, then truly there will be no real hope for the world. On the other hand, real hope exists when, like our Lord Jesus himself, we cry out, "Not my will but yours be done, O Lord!"

*Fr. Basil Atwell serves St. Nicholas Catholic Church in Garrison, Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Max and Sacred Heart Catholic Church in White Shield.*

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