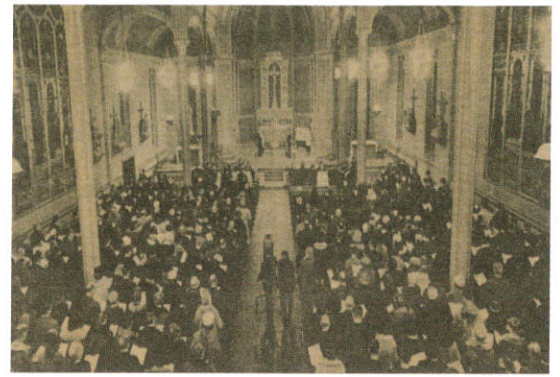


# Diocese of Fargo

## Feasibility Study & "Proposed" Case

The Diocese of Fargo has a long and celebrated history dating back to 1889. Building upon this legacy, the diocese is considering a major fundraising effort to address the needs of our retired(ing) priests and the needs of our parishes. Bishop Folda invites everyone in the Diocese of Fargo to be part of this Feasibility Study and to share with us your thoughts, opinions and ideas.

You are invited to go to the Diocese of Fargo website at [www.fargodiocese.org](http://www.fargodiocese.org). Under the "Highlights" section of the homepage, click on "Feasibility Study". The password to participate in the study is 1889.



### CASE UNDER CONSIDERATION

#### **Priests Retirement Residence**

**\$2 million**

After a lifetime of priestly service, it is important that we care for our aging priests. Many of our current retired priests live in rectories, some with family or friends, others live independently, while some reside in retirement homes or extended care facilities. The Diocese of Fargo is looking to build a new residence specifically for our retired clergy as an alternative for our retired/ing priests.

This residence will be located next to the Pastoral Center in Fargo and consists of 8 apartments, chapel, dining room, social room, and kitchen with a staff for cooking, cleaning, and laundry services.



#### **Priests Retirement Residence Endowment Fund**

**\$3 million**

In order to provide funding needed to operate the new Priest Retirement Residence, a \$3 million endowment would be established.