

CASH CALENDAR RAFFLE 2021 Raffle Calendar tickets are available at both School and Parish offices. Only \$25 per Raffle Calendar, six months of winning with six \$100 Bonus Days! Win and you name goes back in for the next drawing!

Please join us in Prayer during the Lenten Season for the Stations of the Cross led by our Holy Rosary Students
Friday, March 19.....Grade 2
Friday, March 26.....Grades 1 & 5
at 10:30 a.m. in the church & also streamed on our YouTube channel

IT'S SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR TIME!

Please join us for the 2021 spring Scholastic book fair Wednesday March 24— Friday March 26th 7:45am—4:00pm in the St. Benedict and St. Scholastica rooms. **Face Masks required.** Parents, shop with your students after school.

Community

Food Pantry in March Campaign
March is Minnesota FoodShare Month here at the Becker County Food Pantry. This is the time of year that the Pantry receives an incentive award based on the amount of cash and pounds of food we collect March 1st through March 31st. The more donations we collect, the larger our award from the Greater Minneapolis Community Connections.
The COVID-19 pandemic has made this March Campaign an especially critical one. We have had to make dramatic changes in our operations to meet the growing needs of our community in the safest way possible. In 2020, the Food Pantry became a direct beneficiary of state and federal programs designed to get food and supplies to those most impacted by the pandemic. It has been an honor for us as an organization to play a key role in the response to this crisis. And we are proud to say that our careful management of these funds has allowed us to build a healthy reserve for future food purchases. The focus of our March Campaign, therefore, is to create a special unrestricted fund that can support our most critical infrastructure needs. Unrestricted donations will allow us to make investments in equipment and facilities that will prepare the Food Pantry to better serve our community now and into the future. The support of our community has been truly inspirational, especially during the past year, and we sincerely appreciate your support as we continue our 38 -years of service as Becker County's sole Food Pantry. Donations by check can be mailed to us at 1308 Rossman Ave, Detroit Lakes, 56501 If you prefer your donation to be used exclusively for food purchases, instead of an unrestricted gift, please make note in the memo line of your check. You may also donate by credit card online at: www.givemn.org/organization/Becker-County-Food-Pantry
The Pantry is open from 12-3pm Tuesdays and Thursdays at our building on the fairgrounds. If you have questions or would like further information, please call us at 218-846-0142. Thank you for your generosity and commitment to a hunger-free Becker County.

DRIVE-THRU FISH FRY Your old-time favorites, and smiling faces (behind masks) will be there! The process is simple: reserve the number of fish fry dinners you'd like to pick up by calling 847-2800. Then drive up to the south parking lot between 5:00 and 7:00pm to pick up your fish, scallop potatoes, baked beans, cole slaw, bun and ice cream! A Knight will be ready to confirm your order and everything will be ready to place in your car. Drop ins are also welcomed! Fish Fry is scheduled for Friday, March 19 from 5-7 pm. \$10 per meal.



Diocesan News

The Office of Formation of the Diocese of Crookston is offering the **Year of Saint Joseph Spring Parent Series**. The goal of this series of presentations is to support parents as they seek ways to accompany their children through some of the greater challenges of adolescence. Each session will center on relevant topics and provide participants with helpful information, strategies and resources.

The spring parent series is free and consists of three virtual presentations. Register for any or all of the presentations at: www.crookston.org/stjoseph

What Parents Need to Know about Recognizing and Responding to Teen Distress
Laura Lewis, MA, LPCC-S
Tuesday, March 30, 2021
7:00PM – 8:00PM

Addressing the Elephant in the Room: What Parents Should Know About Pornography
Brandon Clark
Monday, April 12
7:00PM – 8:00PM

Your Child and God's Gift of Sexuality
Deacon Mark Krejci
Thursday, May 6
7:00PM- 8:00PM

CATHOLICS AT THE CAPITOL Catholics at the Capitol, April 15 – On Mission for Life and Dignity! Join Catholics from across the state to transform our state into a culture that defends life and dignity. Be formed in the faith, beginning the day with Mass at the Cathedral of St. Paul. Be informed on the issues, as we hear from inspiring speakers like international pro-life advocate Obianuju Ekeocha and Archbishop José Gomez of Los Angeles the President of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. And be sent on mission, joining a Eucharistic procession from the cathedral to the State Capitol before meeting with your legislators to advocate for life and dignity! The big day is April 15, but registration closes March 31. Visit catholicsatthecapitol.org to learn more and secure your spot. Together, we can protect life and dignity! If you are interested in attending Catholics at the Capitol, please contact Bob Noel, Formator for Discipleship in the Diocese of Crookston at bnoel@crookston.org, or Deacon Gary at 218-841-8267

Holy Rosary Catholic Church

4th Sunday of Lent
March 14, 2021
1043 Lake Avenue
Detroit Lakes, MN 56501



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Holy Rosary Catholic Faith Formation & Youth Ministry
Parish Office Hours
Monday thru Friday 8:00 –4:30

Happy Fourth Sunday of Lent!

How is your Lent going? Time to report to you on my Lenten journey. Successfully fasting from Arnold Palmer drink and fasting from watching the news from all kinds of media, TV, radio, newspaper, electronic notifications, internet, etc. But I am not doing well with asking people how their Lent is going. Time to make a change, to consciously ask the question to people I meet. I am finding the fasting fruitful, God is working on me.

If you are in my camp, falling down on a Lenten commitment... No Worries... we have time to make a change. The Fourth Sunday of Lent is Laetare Sunday, we've reached the halfway point. In other words we walked through the first half of Lent.... Now it's time to re-group, to plan a better route to walk the second half of Lent. Keep in mind... it's not all up to you. Let Jesus know where you are in need of help. Ask the Blessed Mother Mary to carry your prayer requests to her Son, Jesus. Come to the Reconciliation Room for Confession with Fr. Chuck. Come to the Church, sit with Jesus in Adoration. Remember Stations of the Cross each Friday at 5 pm is another form of prayer you may join in with around 50 others in prayer. No worries... renew your commitment for the remainder of Lent.

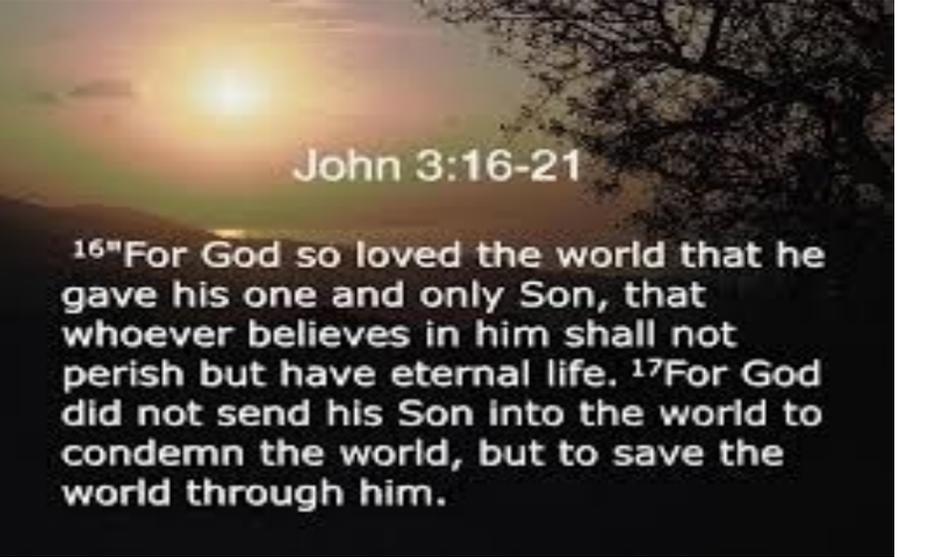
Today, Jesus attempts to make visible the invisible for Nicodemus. He is a prominent Pharisee, religious leader and ruler of the Jews that makes a late night visit to Jesus. The verses leading up to the Gospel today has Nicodemus saying to Jesus, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God, for no one can do these signs that you are doing unless God is with him." Jesus responds "...no one can see the kingdom of God without being born again from above." Here's where Nicodemus hit a road bump... He questioned how a person grown old be born again.... "Surely he cannot reenter his mother's womb and be born again, can he?" The dialogue continues with Jesus saying "... no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and the Spirit.... You must be born from above." Nicodemus responds, "How can this happen?" These four words are the last Nicodemus speaks during this encounter. Now it's time for Nicodemus to listen. Jesus says in not so few words to Nicodemus that he and Jewish leaders lack understanding of heavenly things. Then Jesus says, "No one has gone up to heaven except the one who has come down from heaven, the Son of Man." Jesus is attempting to make Himself visible to Nicodemus.

Now we pick up with today's Gospel reading, where Jesus does his "mic drop." Later today, consider reflecting on John's Gospel 3:14-21, especially John 3:16. Here are words from a Catholic Commentary on Sacred Scripture, for further clarity, "The Father's love for the world leads him to give his only Son, his all, for the world's salvation. The world is under condemnation and in spiritual darkness on account of sin, but the Father does not want any to perish. Hence he gives his Son so that the world might be saved through him." John 3:18 continues.. "Whoever believes in him (Jesus) will not be condemned..." Believe, surrender to His will... Here's a prayer that may be helpful. Deacon Gary Hager

Prayer of Abandonment

Father, I abandon myself into your hands;
do with me what you will.
Whatever you may do I thank you:
I am ready for all, I accept all.
Let only your will be done in me,
and in all your creatures.
I wish no more than this, O Lord.
Into your hands I commend my soul:
I offer it to you with all the love of my heart,
for I love you, Lord, and so need to give myself,
to surrender myself into your hands without reserve,
and with boundless confidence,
for you are my Father.

By Br. Charles de Foucauld



To keep our Parish and School safe and healthy, please remember to wear your face mask while in church and school.

PARISH STAFF		Faith Formation	Finance Council Members:	Trustees:
Pastor	Fr. Chuck Huck	Preschool/Elementary Kathy Olson	Tom Lundberg, Julia Nelmark, Ed Geffre	Christy Clark, Tom Winters
Deacons	Deacon Gary Hager Deacon Jim Thomas	Middle School/ Sr. High Bobbi Mercil	Parish Council Members: MaKaden Anderson, Debbie Carlson Steve Carlson, Carol Foltz Dwayne Habrat, Connie Kava Dave Karsnia, Brian Swanson	School Council Members: Todd Anderson, Jason Becker Christy Clark, Amber Peluso Kohl Skalin, Lisa Jasken-Peterson Joy Stone, Janalee Wychoff Erica Zum
Administrator	Mary Hager	Liturgist Jamie McDougall	Shiloh Wahl	
Maintenance	Chuck Loreth	Principal Cathy Larson		

Parish News

We are very excited to announce that our parish is launching a new communication platform called Evangelus. This great new tool will allow us to more easily communicate in the way that is most convenient to you. Whether you prefer email, text, myParish app, Facebook, or our website, you can now stay connected with our parish throughout the week in the method(s) you prefer.

You may have already received an email or text message notifying you or requesting that you opt-in to receive messages from us. To complete your profile, join more groups at our parish, or change your communication preferences simply go to: eva.us/hrcc

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land with Father Chuck Huck January 10-19, 2022 For more information please contact Father Chuck at (218)847-1393 or Frchuck@holysarycc.org You can register online at www.worldstrides.com/register, using Trip ID #195451

If you wish to have someone placed on the prayer list please ask their permission first and then contact the parish office (847-1393). Names are left on the list for four weeks and then removed.

5:00 pm Saturday evening Mass is Livestreamed. You can watch it live then or anytime afterwards.

TO WATCH THE LIVESTREAMED MASS

Go to our Webpage: holysarycc.org and click on the youtube link

For those of you who have made a gift to the 2021 DAA—Thank you! For those who are still discerning, it is not too late, go to www.crookston.org/daa to learn more about diocesan ministries. You can always make a gift online on our web page. Your prayer requests are precious even if you are not able to give to the DAA. Please pick up a prayer request form and DAA envelope at your parish to send them in. **Where there is faith, there is hope!**



The ministry schedule for April, May and June will be run the week of March 15th. Please go into Ministry Scheduler Pro prior to March 15th and enter in any dates you and/or your family members are not available to serve. If you have any questions or need help submitting dates you are unavailable, please contact Jamie in the office via phone (847-1393) or email (jmcdougall@holysarycc.org). Thank you for your wonderful service to our parish!



Sacraments

Baptism: If you are planning to present your baby for baptism, contact Fr. Chuck at 847-1393

Reconciliation: Saturday: 4pm or by appointment

Marriage: Those wishing to celebrate the sacrament of marriage are asked to contact Fr. Chuck at least six months prior to the intended date of the celebration.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Tuesday's 9 am to 7 pm
During Lent:
5:30 pm Friday—12pm Saturday
Held in the Church for social distancing.

Do you realize that Jesus is there in the Blessed Sacrament expressly for you, for you alone? He burns with the desire to come into your heart! (St. Therese of Lisieux)

Hearing assistance receivers are available for use during Mass. They can be found in the Lake Ave. entrance next to the statue of the Holy Family. If you need assistance or have questions on how to use one, an usher will be happy to help.

Did you know that Fr. Chuck is available to hear confessions after the 9:00 am Mass on Sundays? Just stop by the Confessional and he will be there!

Join us in prayer to St. Joseph!

In this "Year of St. Joseph" we invite our Holy Rosary parish family to pray the Novena Prayer to St. Joseph beginning March 11 and ending on the feast day of St. Joseph, March 19. You are welcome to pray the novena on your own, with a friend or with your family. All are welcome to join us at 5:00PM on Friday, March 19 when Fr. Chuck will lead us in the final prayer of the novena before we begin Stations of the Cross. One of the many titles of St. Joseph is the "Protector of the Family", so we encourage you to seek his intercession for the protection of your family. If you would like to join us in praying the Novena to St. Joseph, you may pick up a copy of the novena in the Lake Avenue and Welcoming Center entrances or print one off here: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B5ETRkl51fhMZ3VBMXRuYTFwcDg/view>
Good St. Joseph, pray for us!

PARISH REGISTRATION

Registration forms are available in the Parish office or our website. Please update any changes in your address or phone number as this helps keep our mailing costs down. Thank you!

YOUTH

Registration for the camps is open! PLEASE BE AWARE, there is only one JPll camp this year and IT'S FILLING UP FAST! If you want to be there you are going to have to register ASAP!!!

R.C.I.A. Class will be held on Thursday's at 6:45pm in the Lady of Fatima Room

This weeks topics on Date: 3/18/21 —Introduction to Prayer

All are welcome to attend!!



Holy Father's March Prayer Intention Sacrament of Reconciliation

Let us pray that we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.

Stewardship

Last week we received:

Adult Envelopes and Online Giving: \$ 30,760.01

Last Fiscal YTD \$ 575,127.91

This Fiscal YTD \$ 530,901.82

DAA Goal \$65,413 total as of 3/8/21 \$32,418.85

You are welcome to attend Mass in person during this time of Covid 19.

With the current regulations our seating capacity at each Mass is 300.

Last week attendance was:

Saturday, 5pm 157 Sunday 11am 124

Sunday, 9am 180 YouTube Viewers 166

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son..." - John 3:16

Of all the wonderful gifts that God has given to us, the gift of His own Son is truly the greatest. How can we ever thank God for a gift like that? God does not ask us to sacrifice our own precious firstborn, but He does ask that we are grateful and generous with our God-given gifts. That we nurture and develop our gifts, and in gratitude, generously give back with increase our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works and our treasure to support the mission and ministry of our parish and greater Church.

Daily Mass Readings

Readings for the Week of March 14, 2021

Sunday Fourth Sunday of Lent

2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23; Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5,6; Eph 2:4-10; Jn 3:14-21

Scrutiny

1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5,6; Eph 5:8-14; Jn: 1-41

Monday Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b; Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday Saint Patrick, Bishop

Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30

Thursday Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; Jn 5:31-47

Friday Solemnity of Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt

1:16, 18-21, 24a Or Lk 2:41-51a

Saturday Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; Jn 7:40-53

Sunday Fifth Sunday of Lent

Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15; Heb 5:7-9; Jn 12:20-33

Scrutiny

Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45

LITURGICAL MINISTRY— MARCH 20 & 21

5th Sunday of Lent	Saturday, 5:00 PM	Sunday, 9:00 AM	Sunday, 11:00 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Mary Brenk Lora Buntje	HELP WANTED Deacon Gary Hager	Shirley Eidenschink Kay Schiller
Eucharistic Minister - Clean Sacred Vessels	Shirley Eidenschink Tom Holweger	James Olson Kathy Olson	Barbara Birznieks Laverne Bourdeau
Media Minister	Jamie McDougall	Jamie McDougall	Julia Nelmark
Lector - 1st Reading/ Gospel Book	James Utecht	HELP WANTED	Eileen Mooney
Lector - 2nd Reading/ Prayers Of The Faithful	Charlene Dunn	Katherine Aligada	Michael Morrison
Altar Servers	Ella Larson Ethan Medley	Maily Aligada Noelle Trowbridge	Machenzie Klemm Ava Klemm
Cantor	Mark Champa	Tom Trowbridge	Jamie McDougall
Accompanist	Susan Champa	Heather Trowbridge	Heather Trowbridge
Sacristan	Mark Brenk Matt Brenk	Joe Ed Knopf Cheryl Knopf	Mary Hager
Greeter / Usher	Jerry Bursaw Richard McDougall Brady Young HELP WANTED	Donald Sayer Allen Clark Jack Clark Alvin Wenner	Richard Nemecek Howard Mooney John Schafer Dale Storey

PARISH CALENDAR

Monday	March 15	
Tuesday	March 16	
8:30 am	Mass ~ Melvin Hoeschen	Church
9:00 am	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament	Church
9:00 am	Confessions	Church
9:30 am	Bible Study	Holy Family Rm
Wednesday	March 17	
9:00 am	Mass + Rose Spitzley	Church
6:00 pm	K-6 grade Faith Formation	Assigned Rooms
6:00 pm	7-8 grade Faith Formation	Assigned Rooms
7:30 pm	9-11 grade Faith Formation	Assigned Rooms
Thursday	March 18	
12-Noon	Al-anon	Living Room
6:00 pm	Mass + Stanley Loreth	Church
6:45 pm	RCIA	Living Room
Friday	March 19	
8:30 am	Mass + Poor Souls	Church
10:30 am	Stations of the Cross	Church
5:00 pm	Confessions	Church
5:00 pm	Stations of the Cross	Church
5:00 pm	KC Fish Fry	Church
5:30 pm	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament	Church
Saturday	March 20	
9:00 am	Confessions	Church
Till 12pm	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament	Church
3:45 pm	Confessions	Church
5:00 pm	Mass + Delores Pearson	Church
Sunday	March 21	
9:00 am	Mass ~ For the Parish	Church
10:45 am	Confessions	Church
11:00 am	Mass + Terry Haynes	Church

Please remember those who have asked for our prayers:

Mary Simon	Beckham Newbank	Melvin Hoeschen
Char Dunn	Dennis Swenson	John Moran
Carol Walz	Joan Carr	Nick Schouviller
Matt Erickson	Ruth E. Thompson	

Please remember these members of the armed services in your prayers as they continue to protect our country.

Andrew Averbeck	Kasianna Klemm	Andrew Just
Ben Oriz	Todd Jenson	Tyler Wickum
Gabriel Caro	Stephanie Kuehn	Logan Kirchenwitz
Abram Whitebird	Taylor Jasken	Cole Kirchenwitz
Gabe Anderson	Jade Ault	
Christopher Ewanika	Tiffany Wirtz	
Aaron Leff	Eric Swenson	

