


HOLY ROSARY SCHOOL OPENINGS FOR THE 2021-22 SCHOOL YEAR

Administrative Assistant

Holy Rosary Catholic School is seeking an Administrative Assistant for the 2021-22 school year. Proficiency in word processing, desktop publishing, and web-based software is preferred. Applicants should also possess strong organization, communication, and interpersonal skills. The position begins two weeks prior to the start of the school year and continues two weeks beyond the end of the school year.

Registration is open for the 2021-2022 school year! We are Kindergarten Prep - 8th Grade

- **Open to all** - We accept students and families from all religious backgrounds. Students living within District 22 may use public school busing and are invited to extra-curricular activities and sports.
- **Affordable** - private schools are a life-long investment in your child and their future. Tuition Assistance available.
- **Ideal class sizes** - Most classes have about 15 students.
- **To schedule a visit and tour call or email Principal Cathy Larson - 218-847-5306, clarson@holyrosarycc.org Visit our website: holyrosarycs.org** This institution is an equal opportunity provider MNSSA Accredited
 - **“Building Hope, Faith, and Futures”**

	August 8	Robyn Beck	Detroit Lakes	\$75	August 12	Keith Yonemura	Detroit Lakes	\$25
	August 9	Kristin Smith	Hudson, WI	\$25	August 13	Nona Bellware	Detroit Lakes	\$25
	August 10	Sharon Winter	Callaway, MN	\$25	August 14	Chanda Olson	Detroit Lakes	\$25
	August 11	Ron Moericke	Vergas, MN	\$25				

Diocesan and Community News

The Church of St. Elizabeth in Elizabeth, MN will celebrate it's 35th Annual St. Elizabeth Pork Out Bazaar Today, August 15th from 10am-3pm. An outdoor Mass will begin at 10:00 am. **Please bring lawn chairs for seating.** Following the Mass, the parish family extends an invitation for all to enjoy our famous "slow roasted pork on a spit" with all the yummy summertime trimmings included. Other activities include bean bag tournament, BINGO, treat walk, Penny Raffle, silent auction, craft & bake sale, ice cream, beer garden and more. There will be something for everyone of any age! Address: 706 West Pleasant Ave. Elizabeth, MN 56533

[2021 is a milestone year for Bishop Emeritus Balke.](#) On September 2nd he will celebrate the 45th anniversary of his episcopal ordination and on September 29 he turns 90 years old. An open house to recognize these milestones will take place at Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Crookston, on Sunday, September 12th from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. All Diocese of Crookston faithful are invited. Please spread the word!

NET MINISTRIES **NET Ministries is coming to Holy Rosary on September 18th.** We need to be their host family for the night of Friday, September 17th and Saturday, September 18th. Our middle school Net Retreat will be on Saturday the 18th here at Holy Rosary and then on Sunday the 19th the Net Team will be traveling to Park Rapids for the high school retreat. The team will consist of 10-12 young adults. We will need a minimum of 2 homes. According to Safe Environment rules, the team must be divided by gender. Please call the Parish office or email Bobbi at bmercil@holyrosarycc.org if this is a way you could help support our Faith Formation program. Thank you in advance for your hospitality!

MUSIC and PICNICS in the PARK: August 17th - DeMasi Brothers. Picnic start at 5:30 pm, until the music starts at 7:00 pm.

The Diocese of Crookston has an opening for a full-time clerical support specialist. The person who fills this position will provide clerical support to various offices at the diocese; duties include assisting with organizing and planning events, creating online registration forms, tracking registrations and payments, and formatting pamphlets, brochures, and worship aids. We are looking for a motivated team player who is friendly and organized and has lots of initiative. Expertise with Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Publisher) is required. The position is 40 hours a week. Compensation includes a competitive benefit plan with health and dental insurance, life insurance and long-term disability, paid leave and pension. To apply, e-mail a resume and cover letter to Chad Ryan at cryan@crookston.org.

If you or someone you know has been the victim of sexual misconduct on the part of a priest, deacon, or individual representing the Diocese of Crookston, its parishes, or its schools, your first call should be to law enforcement. In addition, the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator is available at 218-281-7895 (24-hour confidential number.)

Prayer for a new Bishop - Praise to you, Lord our God, our eternal shepherd and guide. In your love, grant the Diocese of Crookston a shepherd who will lead us in being Christ's heart of mercy, voice of hope, and hands of justice. Help him to fill our minds and hearts with the truth of the Gospel, the power of the sacraments, and the desire to build up your holy Church. We ask this through Jesus Christ, your Son our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. Amen



Holy Rosary Catholic Church

The Assumption of Mary

August 15, 2021

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Detroit Lakes, MN 56501



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 Holy Rosary Catholic Faith Formation & Youth Ministry
Parish Office Hours
 Monday thru Thursday 8:00am - 4:30pm
 Friday 8:00am - 12:00pm

Happy Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary! Who were the first people to introduce you to Jesus—your first catechists? For me, it was my parents. They were the first people in my life to tell me about Jesus and show me what following Him and staying close to Him looked like. As I got older, my parish priests, Catholic school teachers and CCD (Faith Formation) catechists assisted them in this responsibility. As an adult, it became my responsibility to continue to learn about Jesus, stay connected to Him and seek out people who could help me do this. When I think back on the many people who helped catechize me and help me grow in friendship with Jesus, the one characteristic they all shared was a joy and an excitement for our Lord, like Mary's which she shares with Elizabeth in today's Gospel.

After learning from the angel Gabriel that she will be the mother of God, Mary doesn't keep Jesus to herself but leaves "in haste" (joy and excitement) to bring Jesus to Elizabeth. When Mary reaches Elizabeth, she speaks the Good News with joy and excitement in her *Magnificat*: "My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my savior . . .". How could Elizabeth not help but to fall in love with our Lord after seeing and hearing Mary's joyful witness of love for Jesus?

Mary was Elizabeth's first catechist and a beautiful example of what it looks and sounds like to help another person grow in friendship with Him. St. John Paul II defines the work of catechesis as "to put people not only in touch but in communion, in intimacy with Jesus Christ; . . .". Not only did Mary put Elizabeth in touch with Jesus, she united Elizabeth's heart with Jesus' through her joyful witness and words of praise to our Lord.

Next month, we will begin a new Faith Formation year at Holy Rosary. This year, our parish will serve and minister to the spiritual needs of over 150 children and youth in Preschool through 11th grade. Our kids will need people in their lives who will share with them their joy and excitement for the Lord. We have an awesome program, and welcome high school students and adults of all ages to be a part of an already amazing group of catechists. Bobbi and I provide catechists with materials that are theologically strong and easy to use. Catechists also receive ongoing support from us throughout the school year. If you have questions or would like to know more about what being a catechist entails, please call or email us. We would love to visit with you on how you can share your joy and excitement for Jesus with the children and youth of our parish!
 Kathy Olson, Director of Faith Formation: Baptism/ PreK - 6th Grade

As I read the Gospel for this weekend, something strikes me. Mary went to visit her cousin Elizabeth and before announcing that she was pregnant, Elizabeth knew that Jesus had entered the room. We receive Jesus in the celebration of the Mass. Is it evident when we walk out our doors that Jesus walks with us? Do those outside of our church community notice Jesus when we leave our building?

This prayer is a favorite of mine. The first time I used it I was leading a Women's Cursillo weekend and it fits with this Gospel as well.

**Today I pray you hear Jesus call your name.
 I pray you see Jesus looking into your eyes
 and that you can recognize His voice in the
 midst of a noisy world.**

**Let your reactions to all things make it evident
 that you spend a lot of time with Jesus.
 Allow your gentleness to be evident to all.
 Let His fullness in you be the atmosphere
 around you. Let His love shine through you
 and let His peace be the path you walk.
 Let His truth be your wisdom when you talk.
 Allow Him to be your everyday dwelling place,
 your saving grace. May you always walk
 with Christ, for Christ, in Christ
 and just like Christ.
 Amen**



Bobbi Mercil – Director of Faith Formation
Middle School/High School/Adult

If you feel more comfortable wearing a mask or you have not been vaccinated, please continue to do so. Thank you

PARISH STAFF		Faith Formation	
Pastor	Fr. Chuck Huck	Preschool/Elementary	Kathy Olson
Deacon	Deacon Gary Hager	Middle School/ Sr. High	Bobbi Mercil
Deacon Emeritus	Deacon Jim Thomas		
Administrator	Mary Hager	Director of Stewardship	Jamie McDougall
Int. Dir. Of Maint.	Nate Flugel	Principal	Cathy Larson

Finance Council Members:	Tom Lundberg, Ed Geffre	Trustees:	Christy Clark, Tom Winters
Parish Council Members:	MaKaden Anderson, Debbie Carlson	School Council Members:	Todd Anderson, Jason Becker
	Steve Carlson, Carol Foltz		Christy Clark, Amber Peluso
	Dwaine Habrat, Connie Kava		Kohl Skalin, Lisa Jasken-Peterson
	Dave Karsnia, Brian Swanson		Joy Stone, Janalee Wychoff
	Shiloh Wahl		Erica Zum

New Safe Environment training module now available. The 2021 - 2022 Safe Environment training module for the Diocese of Crookston is now available. Our Safe Environment year begins on July 1, 2021 and runs through June 30, 2022. This year's module is Component A, "Reporting Child Abuse and Boundary Violations". Safe Environment certification is necessary for every adult, age 18 or over, clergy, visiting clergy, employee, independent contractor, and volunteers in the Diocese of Crookston who has the potential for unsupervised contact with children or vulnerable adults. Certification includes a criminal background check, training related to recognizing and reporting child abuse, and agreement to abide by the Diocesan Safe Environment Policy and Code of Conduct. The training module fulfills the certification requirement and consists of educational information and an interactive quiz. Please go online to <https://www.crookston.org/secertification> to complete the certification. When you start the certification process remember that it has to be completed in less than 60 minutes or the session will time out and you will need to start over. When you complete the test and hit submit you should see your test scores with a message that says you are finished. If you don't see this message you will have to retake it. The module is NOT compatible with cell phones or iPads and will time out after 60 minutes for security reasons. Hardcopies of the New form, Safe Environment training module, and Acknowledgement and Consent forms are available at the Parish Office. If you have questions about the module or whether or not you need to complete it, please contact Mary, Safe Environment Coordinator.

Holy Rosary would like to welcome Nate Flugel as our Interim Director of Maintenance. We would also like to welcome April Spaeth as our Director of Music and Liturgy, April will be joining us full time September 1st. Please give Nate and April a warm greeting when you see them.

Would you like to deepen your faith and let Jesus become more involved in your life? Let the Spirit lead you on a Cursillo weekend. The Diocese of Crookston is offering a Women's Cursillo on the weekend of September 23-26, 2021 and a Men's weekend October 28-31, 2021 at Sand Hill Lake Bible Camp south of Fosston. Applications are at crookstoncursillo.weebly.com For more information contact Bobbi Mercil at 701-866-5706 or bmercil@holyroarycc.org

PARISH REGISTRATION

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

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: holyroarycc.org and click on the YouTube link

Holy Rosary Parish extends their sympathy to:
The Family of Helen McConville



Please join us for **RCIA and Beyond**. These classes are for those who want to explore the Catholic Church and their Faith. It is also for Catholic Church members who want to learn more about their Faith. Attend all classes or even just one class you may be interested in. **R.C.I.A. and Beyond** Class will be held in the Lady of Fatima Room at 6:45pm. Next class will be: **August 19th - Holy Orders and Matrimony**. All are welcome to attend! Meeting will be in person. If you wish to join by Zoom please contact Faith Haaland at 218-841-8411.



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

Please remember those who have asked for our prayers:

Norma Birchem	Marilyn Miller	Dean Krump
MaryAnn Vipad	Pat Bridgeford	Sandy Rustad
Marleen Rusch	Tim Forward	Bob Heimark
Marge Keaveny	Bill Fossen	Sandy Rustad
Brenda Schander	Jane Shorter	Cliff Thompson
Emily Lawrence	Tom Fritz	

Readings for the Week of August 15, 2021

Sunday	Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56
Monday	Saint Stephen of Hungary Jgs 2:11-19; Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab, & 44: Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday	Jgs 6:11-24a; Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday	Jgs 9:6-15; Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 20:1-16
Thursday	Saint John Eudes, Priest Jgs 11:29-39a; Ps 40:5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Mt 22:1-14
Friday	Memorial of Saint Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22; Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10; Mt 22:34-40
Saturday	Memorial of Saint Pius X, Pope Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17; Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Mt 23:1-12
Sunday	Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b; Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23; Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32; Jn 6:60-69

Sacraments

Baptism: If you are planning to present your baby for baptism, contact Kathy Olson at 847-1393
Reconciliation: Saturday: 4pm, Sunday 10:00am 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.



Last week we received:
 Adult Envelopes and Online Giving: \$11,653.79
 Last Fiscal YTD: \$89,218.19 This Fiscal YTD: \$92,108.88
 Mass Counts: Saturday, 5:00 pm 240 Sunday, 9:00 AM 317
 YouTube: 72 Sunday, 11:00 AM 212

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
"And Mary said, "My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my savior." Luke 1: 46
 After Jesus, we look to Mary as our model of stewardship. Her entire life was lived in obedience to God's will. Just as the moon reflects the light of the sun, Mary reflects the light of Christ. Like Mary, we too are called to reflect Christ to the world. We do this by living grateful and generous lives. We do this by putting other's needs before our wants.

Holy Father's August Prayer Intention: The Church.
 Let us pray for the Church, that she may receive from the Holy Spirit, the grace and strength to reform herself in the light of the gospel.

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

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

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Tuesday's 9 am to 7 pm
 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)



LITURGICAL MINISTRY- August 21st and August 22nd

21st Sunday in ordinary time	Saturday, 5:00 PM	Sunday, 9:00 AM	Sunday, 11:00 AM
Eucharistic Minister	James Utecht / Tom Holweger	Deacon Gary Hager / Linda Schons	Jerry Matter / Nancy Matter
Eucharistic Minister - Clean Sacred Vessels	Cathy Larson / Lori Lehmann	Jean Moe / Charlene Dunn	Lynn Wolf / Christy Clark
Media Minister	Bob Heimark	Leah Flugel	Amy Erickson
Lector - 1st Reading/Gospel	Barbara Schmidt	Joe Ed Knopf	Anika Erickson
Lector - 2nd Reading/Prayers Of The Faithful	Don Spitzley	Dwayne Habrat	Howard Mooney
Altar Servers	Ella Larson / Megan Engum	Audriana Flugel / Mason Flugel	Jake Erickson / Lucas Lundberg
Cantor	Trowbridge Family	Tom Trowbridge	Eileen Mooney / Alexis Medley
Accompanist	Heather Trowbridge	Heather Trowbridge	Heather Trowbridge
Sacristan	Mary Brenk / Matt Brenk	Mary Hager	Nancy Matter
Greeter / Usher	Alan Bentler / Paul Tobkin Matthew Tobkin / Nicholas Tobkin	Michael Guetter / John King Michael Metelak / Bill Quinn	John Vaida / James Wolf Jon Larson / Nicholas Noia

How can I follow Jesus?

Tuesday	August 17	
8:00 am	Rosary	Church
8:30 am	Mass + Gene & Dorthy Matz	Church
9:00 am	Adoration	Church
9:30 am	Bible Study	Fatima Rm
12:00 pm	OA Meeting	Fatima Rm
1:30 pm	Card Players Club	Fire Place Rm
5:00 pm	Kights of Columbus general meeting	St. Benedict
Wednesday	August 18	
8:30 am	Rosary	Church
9:00 am	Mass + Chuck Mann	Church
Thursday	August 19	
12-Noon	Al-anon	Living Room Rm
6:00 pm	Mass ~ Emily Payne	Church
6:30 pm	Color wars event	Parking Lot
6:45 pm	RCIA & Beyond	Fatima Rm
Friday	August 20	
8:00 am	Rosary	Church
8:30 am	Mass + Jerome Matter	Church
10:00 am	Mass - Lincoln Park Assisted Living (not open to public) + Mel Hoeschen	Lincoln Park Assisted living
Saturday	August 21	
4:00 pm	Confessions	Confessional
5:00 pm	Mass ~ Tom Swenson	Church
Sunday	August 22	
9:00 am	Mass + Ted & Lucille Peterson	Church
10:15 am	Confessions	Confessional
11:00 am	Mass ~ For the Parish (This is an outdoor Mass)	Lake Avenue
12:00 pm	Parish Festival	Holy Rosary