



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held every Tuesday from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm in the church. All are welcome at any time to pray and be with Jesus. **Sunday Holy Hour:** Deacon Gary and Fr. Chuck lead a Holy Hour on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month at 3:00 pm. This is an opportunity to spend time with Jesus. Adoration also takes place during this time. You may stop in for any length of time that works for you. The hour closes with Benediction. Bring a friend and spend time with your friend Jesus!

What Actually Happens In Physician-Assisted Suicide?

A doctor prescribes a lethal drug cocktail that a person picks up at the local pharmacy, grinds up into soft food, and ingests it. The person may not die for hours or even days. There is no requirement for a witness or notification of family. Assisted suicide isn't dignified; it's deadly. Tell your Minnesota legislators: NO assisted suicide. Visit mncatholic.org/pas

The Holy Father's Prayer Intention

For new martyrs. We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

Baptism Announcement!


This weekend we welcome Ryla Sophia Schmitz, daughter of Cole and Hope Schmitz into God's family through the waters of baptism! We pray for Ryla and her parents as she begins her new life in Jesus Christ!

Contact Us!	Diocesan Annual Appeal	Stewardship	Mass Attendance 3/9 - 3/10
Website: www.holyrosarycc.org	Current Donations: \$48,059	Last Week: \$12,586	Saturday 5:00 pm - 247
E-mail: jheim@holyrosarycc.org	Annual Goal: \$70,907	This Year to Date: \$689,796	Sunday 9:00 am - 190
YouTube: Holy Rosary Catholic Church DL MN	As of February 29th, 2024.	Last Fiscal Year: \$765,971	Sunday 11:00 am - 263

Go, the Mass is ended!

"And the angel of the Lord came again a second time, and touched him, and said." Arise and eat, else the journey will be too great for you. "And he arose, and ate and drank, and went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God" (1 Kings 19:7-8). The Eucharist is this mysterious food and drink prefigured in the experience of the prophet Elijah. The dismissal of the people by the deacon or priest is a mandate for mission. Many who "sit in darkness and in the shadow of death" (Luke 1:79) wait for the light and warmth that only one nourished by the Eucharist can bring. Paradoxically the end of the Mass is the beginning of our mission. We are bound to leave, and leaving, to labor in love, so as to return "full of song, carrying our sheaves" (cf. Psalm 125:6). The Mass ends, mysteriously, with a kiss. The priest and deacon kiss the altar. It is the kiss of promise and anticipation, something that the heart understands. The Church thus lives from Eucharist to Eucharist, "proclaiming the death of the Lord until he comes" (1 Corinthians 11:26).

Parish Staff	Trustees and Councils
Priest: Father Chuck Huck	Trustees: Debbie Carlson, Tom Lundberg
Deacon: Deacon Gary Hager	Finance Council: Tom Lundberg, Ed Geffre, Lori Lehmann
Liturgist: April Spaeth	Pastoral Council: Jen Wilke, Steve Carlson, Debbie Carlson, Laverne Moltzan, Eileen Mooney, Bienvenida Grimsley, Mike Sidders, Trish Thorson, Ava Klemm
Stewardship/Spiritual Direction: Jamie McDougall	School Council: Aron Badurek, Tony Schmitz, Ronica Wahl, Janalee Wyckoff,
Maintenance: Charles Vareberg & Tony Dafoe	Katie Watland, Erica Zurn, Amber Blair, Lori Guenther, Bill Wilke
Faith Formation: Kathy Olson and Abby Jasken	

 To report sexual misconduct on the part of a priest, deacon, or individual representing the Diocese of Crookston, its parishes, or its schools, call your local law enforcement, then contact the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at 218-281-7895. Help is available 24-hours a day and all calls are confidential.

Saturday	March 23	
7:00 AM	Men's Prayer Group	Fireplace Room
1 PM - 4 PM	Reconciliation (Top of the Hour)	Confessional
4 PM - 5 PM	Reconciliation	Confessional
5:00 PM	Mass ~Blessings Received	Church
Sunday	March 24-Palm Sunday	
9:00 AM	Mass ~For The Parish	Church
10:00 AM	PTO Palm Sunday Breakfast	Parish Center
10:15 AM	Reconciliation	Confessional
11:00 AM	Mass +Molly Carter	Church
11:30 AM	Chili Cookoff	Parish Center
3:00 PM	Holy Hour	Church

Your Change Can Change Lives

Remember to turn in your baby bottles by the end of the month. All change will be given to Health Resources to help provide life affirming services, resources, and education to our community.

Health Resources is a Christian ministry whose mission is to come alongside families and help remove the barriers they face so they are empowered to make life affirming choices and thrive!

HR Health Resources

Remember those who have asked for our prayers.
John Vida, Doug Wanzek. When adding someone to the prayer list please ask for their permission to do so, and then contact the parish office. Names are left on the prayer list for four weeks.



Holy Rosary Catholic Church

March 17th, 2024
 Fifth Sunday of Lent

1043 Lake Avenue, Detroit Lakes, MN 56501
 Parish Phone: 218-847-1393
 School Phone: 218-847-5306
 Office Hours: Mon-Thurs 8am-5pm
 Friday 8am-2pm

A Letter from Father Chuck...

Greetings on the 5th Sunday in Lent,

In our readings this week we are asking God to give us a clean heart. Are you ready for confession? See you at 3PM Sunday March 17th ... lots of priests...

Across the centuries, people have struggled with how to live meaningful lives and how to make a difference in the world. Jewish sages, who have engaged in the same questions and thought about them deeply, offer wonderful, delightful insights for resolving some of the most perplexing issues of human existence. Here is some Jewish wisdom for the Catholic soul. By Victor M. Parachin: An intriguing story is told about Rabbi Shlomo Heiman, who was the dean of a rabbinical seminary. Unlike other brilliant scholars who delivered their dry lectures without passion or conviction, Rabbi Heiman would shout to the point of becoming breathless as he taught. His eyes would sparkle, his voice would rise and fall, and his arms would wave in constant motion as he lectured. So intense was his teaching, that after class he would almost collapse in exhaustion.

One day when it had snowed heavily, only four students came to class. In spite of the small number, Rabbi Heiman delivered his lecture as if the room was packed with hundreds of students. Beads of perspiration rolled down his face as he passionately expounded from the Talmud. The four students were incredulous.

As he paused to catch his breath, one of the boys gathered his courage and approached the beloved teacher saying: "Rabbi, please, there are only four of us." The rabbi's eyes widened. "You think I'm giving this class to four students? I am giving his class to hundreds of students. I'm giving this class to you, your students, their students, and their students!"

Those four students might not recall the subject of Rabbi Heiman's lecture that day, but they would never forget the crucial lesson he conveyed in that response, namely, that our small acts, often have a large and lingering impact far beyond the initial event. It is an important lesson to remember whether we are engaged in parenting, teaching, coaching, managing, working, or volunteering.

Regularly I have items pop up on my screen... here is a recent one. Pope Francis provided a list of the top 10 things we need to do:

1. Don't gossip.
2. Finish your meals.
3. Make time for others.
4. Choose the 'more humble' purchase.
5. Meet the poor 'in the flesh.'
6. Stop judging others.
7. Befriend those who disagree.
8. Make commitments, such as marriage!
9. Make it a habit to 'ask the Lord.'
10. Be happy

The Pope also provided a teaching on family life. As your pastor I am asking you to use this in both your personal families and also when we as the family of the church are gathered together. He said: "Remember the three key phrases: Excuse me; thank you; I'm sorry!" Then he went on to say to the people: "In a family that uses these words, "there is peace and joy! And He asked everyone to practice on someone else nearby, He led it off with: "say it with me, excuse me; thank you; I'm sorry!"


I was asked: Father Chuck is skipping Mass on the weekend a Mortal Sin? The short answer is YES! The Church teaches the importance of regular Sunday attendance. For someone who is unable to attend because of illness automatic dispensation is given. When traveling if you are going to be in an area where Mass is not available you may receive a dispensation in advance by talking with the parish priest. Every year Val and I would go on a weeklong houseboat trip with other couples. Father saw us coming and annually would say: If you invited the priest along there would be no need for dispensation! For a sin to be mortal, three conditions must be present: grave matter, full knowledge, and full consent of the will. Please do not put yourself in a situation of separation from God.

Blessings on your day! See you in Church! Fr Chuck

RECONCILIATION SERVICE

March 17th at 3:00 PM
 5 Priests will be available

"I will be their God and they shall be my people."- Jeremiah 31:33

 What does it mean to be God's people? It means we recognize that everything we have and everything we are belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given us. It means we are willing to use our gifts and our lives to care for our family, our neighbors and for people we don't know, just as God cares for each of us.

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic faith? OCIA is what you need. Please join us for our next meeting! Class is held in the Holy Family Room on the 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:45pm. Our next class is Thursday, **March 21st**. The topic will be: Bible study experience, OT/NT Bible in a year. All are welcome to join us!

Holy Rosary School Mission Statement
 Holy Rosary School Community is rooted in the Word and energized with the Spirit of Jesus Christ. We cultivate our community to live as Jesus taught within the Catholic Tradition. We strive to build Gospel Values and promote Academic Excellence.

News and Events

The 4th and 8th grade students invite you to our **Palm Sunday Breakfast!**
 We will be serving muffins, rolls, fruit, and coffee.
Sunday, March 24th.
After the 9 AM Mass.
In the school gym.
FREE WILL DONATION.

Quilter's Retreat
 The Holy Rosary Quilt Group invites you to a Quilting retreat at the diocese Pastoral Center
Thursday, April 18th - Sunday, April 21, 2024.
 Contact Sandy at 701-540-2692 or sgravelle@hotmail.com for reservation information.

Join us for the Chili Cook Off!
 If you would like to register to be a chef, please contact John Wilke at 507-990-6096
After 11 AM Mass on Palm Sunday!
 Prize will be awarded to the chili cook off champ.
 We will be viewing four March Madness games that start at noon!

ATTENTION
 Holy Rosary Catholic Cemetery
 We are enforcing the cemetery cleanup policy. Twice a year we will ask you to assist in the removal of all decorations other than headstones.
 Any items removed will be available by the shed on the West property line. By May 1st we will remove any items you have not. We want the cemetery to look nice for Memorial Day.

	March 23rd - Sat. 5:00 pm	March 24th - Sun. 9:00 am	March 24th - Sun. 11:00 am	Monday	March 18	
Eucharistic Minister	Deacon Gary Hager Lora Buntje	Barbara Birznieks Laverne Bourdeau	Cindy Myhre Josh Hramec	1:30 PM	Cieslak Lent Group	Fatima Room
Eucharistic Minister (Clean vessels)	Ed Geffre Tricia Geffre	Donna Martin Joe Ed Knopf	Thomas Leach Maureen Storey	Tuesday	March 19 Solemnity of Saint Joseph	
Minister of the Precious Blood	Jane Lunde Catherine Larson Carol Kempenich Dennis Kempenich James Utecht	Mike Sidders Linda Schons Debbie Carlson Christina Morrison Vol. Needed	Mary Jo Noia Nicholas Noia Shirley Eidschink Trish Thorson Mary Ann Nelmark	8:00 AM	Rosary	Church
Lector 1 - Book of Gospels	Linda Wainright	Jen Wilke	Lauretta Kapphahn	8:30 AM	Mass +Laverne Dornbusch	Church
Lector 2 - Prayer of the Faithful	Barbara Schmidt	Carol Foltz	Eileen Mooney	9 AM - 7 PM	Adoration	Church
Altar Servers	Daniel Grimsley Ella Larson	Paisley Pipek Ben Hansen	Isabella Richard Ethan Richard	9:15 AM	Mooney Lent Group	Family Room
Cantor	Melissa Lorentz Jamie McDougall	Choir	Choir	9:30 AM	Bible Study (Schons Lent Group)	Fatima Room
Accompanist	April Spaeth	April Spaeth	April Spaeth	Noon	OA Meeting	Fatima Room
Media Minister	Vol. Needed	Vol. Needed	Julia Nelmark	1:30 PM	Card Playing Group	Family Room
Sacristan	Mary Brenk Matt Brenk	Terry Teiken	Mary Hager	4 PM - 7 PM	Reconciliation (Top of the Hour)	Confessional
Greeter / Usher	Jerry Bursaw Vol. Needed x3	Allen Clark Jack Clark Vol. Needed x2	Rick Nemec John Schafer Dale Storey Vol. Needed	5:00 PM	Birznieks Lent Group	Fatima Room
				6:00 PM	Knights of Columbus Meeting	Parish Center
				7:00 PM	Men's Cursillo Meetup	Family Room
				Wednesday	March 20	
				8:30 AM	Rosary	Family Room
				9:00 AM	Mass +Collin Flynn	Church
				9:00 AM	Quilt Group	Family Room
				9:30 AM	Schmidt Lent Group	Fatima Room
				10:00 AM	Coffee Club	Guadalupe Rm
				11:30 AM	McDougall Lent Group	Fatima Room
				4:30 PM	Youth Choir Practice	Church
				5:00 PM	PTO Meeting	Parish Center
				6:00 PM	Feeding The Faith	Parish Center
				6:00 PM	Faith Formation Class PK-6th Grade	Assigned Rms
				6:30 PM	Faith Formation Class 7th-11th Grade	Assigned Rms
				7:00 PM	Adult Choir Practice	Family Room
				Thursday	March 21	
				9:30 AM	Carlson Lent Group	Fatima Room
				Noon	Al Anon	Fatima Room
				6:00 PM	Hansen Lent Group	Lourdes Rm
				6:00 PM	Mass ~Special Intentions	Church
				6:30 PM	Pastoral Council	Parish Center
				6:45 PM	OCIA & Beyond	Family Room
				7:00 PM	Wolf & Wilke Lent Group	Fatima Room
				Friday	March 22	
				8:00 AM	Rosary	Church
				8:30 AM	Anointing Mass +Thomas Fritz	Church
				10:00 AM	Mass ~Dorothy Huck	Pelican Landing
				10:40 AM	Stations of the Cross	Church
				5 PM - 8 PM	Reconciliation (Top of the Hour)	Confessional
				5:00 PM	Stations of the Cross	Church

Other Church Events

SPRING DINNER!
Sunday, April 7, 2024
 Ogema Community Center
 Serving 11:00AM- 1:00PM
 Fried Turkey, Potatoes, Dressing, Vegetable, Salad Bar, Dessert
 Adults - \$12.00
 6-12 years - \$5.00
 Preschool - \$1.00
 Raffle, Fishpond, Kid's Games, & Cake Walk
 Everyone Welcome!
 Dine In or Carry Out
 SPONSORED BY:
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2024 RETREAT DATES
THE PROCLAMATION
 With Fr. Bryan Kofron
 A 24 Hour Retreat Designed To Help You Uncover The Explosive Power Of The Gospel
 To Register Contact Debbie: Email: jblicken@eot.com or Call/Text: 218-298-4461
 Retreat Cost: \$100 (scholarships are available)
 Chalet on the Way Crookston Retreat Center
 February 23rd - 24th May 10th - 11th
 March 22nd - 23rd June 21st - 22nd
 April 19th - 20th July 12th - 13th
 August 16th - 17th

Knights of Columbus FRAZEE COUNCIL 12581
ANNUAL LENTEN FUNDRAISER FISH DINNERS
 Dine in or pick up to go
Mar 22nd, 5-7pm
 Sacred Heart Catholic Church Frazee, MN
 Meals - \$15, age 12-6 - \$10, 5 and Under Free
 Meals include fish, scallop potatoes, French fries, green beans, coleslaw, bread and ice cream
 Proceeds will go toward paying down the principle on loan for the roof on Sacred Heart Catholic Church, the food pantry and scholarships for the youth

DINNER, COCKTAILS AND A CAUSE
 Holy Rosary School's Annual **Spring Interlude**
Friday, April 26, 2024
 5:30pm to 11:00pm
 The Barn at Dunvilla
 48203 US-59 Pelican Rapids, MN
Tickets \$50 ea through March 31 \$75 ea April 1-26
 Raffle tickets may be purchased at Holy Rosary's Church office April 1-25 and at the event on April 26
 50/50 Cash Raffle Handbag Raffle Choice Raffle Wine Raffle
 Need not be present to win raffles
Silent auction items will be open for online bids Sunday April 21 - 8:00 pm April 26
 For more information and to purchase tickets go to **Interlude2024.givesmart.com**

Physician - Assisted Suicide Targets The Elderly.
 Elderly in Minnesota have a higher rate of suicide than any other age group - double the teen suicide rate. Yet a proposed physician - assisted suicide bill does not require a mental health evaluation to screen for depression. Assisted suicide isn't compassionate, it's deadly. Tell your state legislators: No assisted suicide. Visit mncatholic.org/pas
BAPTISM: If you plan to present your child for Baptism, contact Kathy Olson at kaolson@holyroarycc.org or 218-847-1393. **RECONCILIATION:** Saturdays at 4:00 pm, Sundays at 10:15 am, 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.