

### **The Holy Father's Prayer Intention**

For political leaders. We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.



Join us in making a difference! Serra Ministry for the diocese of Crookston is praying you will consider participation in our mission. Significant sources of the fertile ground for sewing vocation seeds are our Catholic schools and our parishes. Your participation in Serra Ministry will further that goal. The three distinct missions of a Serra club member are to foster new vocations, to affirm existing vocations, and to grow in our own holiness. An excellent resource of information which details Serra Ministry is conveniently accessible at Serra Ministry (crookston.org). Our next Serra Ministry meeting is scheduled Monday, August 19th, at 8:00 P.M. Please access our Zoom meeting at https://us02web.zoom.us/ j/89550075848. The meeting ID is: 895 5007 5848. Father Michael Arey, Vocation Director for the diocese of Crookston (DOC) with assigned residency at St. Josephs Church in Moorhead, will share "his story." Additionally, he will provide insight into the vision of vocations and Serra Ministry for our diocese moving forward. This is too good to miss! For additional details about Serra Ministry and getting involved as a club member or supporting this ministry in another way, contact Shawn Erickson, President of the DOC Serra Club, at serickson@stjoesmhd.com or call St. Joseph's Church in Moorhead at 218-236-5066. Become part of our mission and let's connect soon!

Remember those who have asked for our prayers. Howard Mooney. 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. C ........ 0/2 0/4

Contact Us! Dio		cesan Annual Appeal		Stewardship		Mass Attendance 8/3 - 8/4	
Website: www.holyrosarycc.org	Current D	onations:	\$68,303	Last Week:	\$19,229	Saturday 5 PM:	232
E-mail: jheim@holyrosarycc.org	Annual Go	oal:	\$70,907	This Year to Date:	\$82,790	Sunday 9 AM:	353
YouTube: Holy Rosary Catholic Church DL MN	DL MN As of July		24.	Last Fiscal Year:	\$94,678	Sunday 11 AM:	257
Parish Staff			Trustees and Councils				
Priest: Father Nate Brunn Deacon: Deacon Gary Hager Liturgist: April Spaeth Stewardship/Spiritual Direction: Jamie McDougall Maintenance: Charles Vareberg Faith Formation: Kathy Olson and Abby Jasken Principal: Cathy Larson		Trustees: Debbie Carlson, Tom Lundberg					
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# Holy Rosary Catholic Church

August 11th, 2024 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

# A Letter from Deacon Gary Hager

Happy 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time!

Late last week, Bishop Cozzens published an e-newsletter titled "A Taste of Heaven." The words from his letter reflect the days at the 10<sup>th</sup> National Eucharistic Congress held in Indianapolis this past July. Select words from his letter are below, and to conclude, a story that Sister Bethany Madonna shared at the National Eucharistic Congress.

First, here are select words from Bishop Cozzens e-newsletter...

"When I am asked about my experience of the 10<sup>th</sup> National Eucharistic Congress, I think of the comments I received from many people who attended and told me they did not want it to end. Both young and old, laity and religious, priests and bishops commented that the days of this gathering of the Church were so blessed and such an experience of joy-filled unity that they felt like it was a foretaste of heaven.

I agree with the description, "It was a foretaste of heaven." The Congress experience is difficult to describe, in any other words.

Bishop Cozzens continues to reflect on the beauty of the Eucharistic Procession from the Indianapolis Convention Center to the Indiana War Memorial, a one-mile journey through the downtown streets of Indianapolis. People lined the streets, some brought guitars to worship Jesus during the procession. The procession totaled around 60,000 people of all ethnic groups, a great witness to the breadth of the Catholic Church. Bishop Cozzens writes.... "As we processed through the streets to see the people singing and praying, many of them with tears, it was overwhelming. And as we continued, the people joined the procession until all 60,000 of us ended up at the memorial where we had benediction. What a gift to show our love for Jesus Christ in this way and to experience that he does in fact walk with us on our own pilgrimage to heaven."

As Bishop further reflects with words that are personal, from the heart...

"When the Church is centered on Jesus, and proclaiming his salvation, when the Church prays and honors the incredible gift of Jesus Christ truly present in the Eucharist, God reveals his power. For me, it was a new and deeper experience of God's desire to bless his church. I found myself repenting for my lack of faith that God can work so deeply in my heart and in the hearts of others. It made me wonder just how beautiful eternity will be."

The letter concludes with a shepherd's words of walking with lost sheep in our families, friend groups, or the one-time encounter of a stranger.

"In this third year of the Revival, we must take this message and experience of love outside the walls of the church to those who need it most. I hope that many of us in the Diocese of Crookston will join the call to help evangelize through our "Walk with One" initiative and consider becoming Eucharistic Missionaries."

These words of mission may take us out of our comfort zone. Here's a story shared by Sister Bethany Madonna with insight into why God created us and the mission God is sending us on.

"Baby Sea Turtles.... The little turtles hatch, and they come up from the sand, and they know they need to get to the ocean. So they're born into this place that they're not made for, and they have this urgency to go somewhere they've never been. There's the struggle. To get there, these little guys had to army crawl through sand with flippers and in the midst of so many dangers, obstacles, and seagulls. But the struggle is really important. If anyone tried to just pick them up and put them in the water directly, they wouldn't have the strength to swim. It would be a death sentence to do such a thing. The struggle is necessary. And it prepares them for the world they're meant to live in. So too with our faith, the struggle is important."

Join in on the "Walk with One" initiative and consider becoming an Eucharistic Missionary as the third year of mission begins and lasting for years to come. Many grace-filled experiences are ahead of us. Watch and respond to the Holy Spirit in your life.

Peace,

Deacon Gary

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.

"Get up and eat or the journey will be too much for you!" 1 Kings 19:7

God knows that committing to a stewardship lifestyle is difficult. However, we were not designed to do it on our own, we need God's help. Fortunately, God gave us the greatest gift of all, His son, Jesus. Through the gift of the Eucharist, we unite our sacrifice with Jesus' sacrifice to do the will of God, Our Father. We receive the strength and courage to be His missionary disciples.

### School News

and promote Academic Excellence.

**Holy Rosary School Mission Statement** and energized with the Spirit of Jesus Christ. We cultivate our community to live as Jesus taught within

OCIA: Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic faith? Holy Rosary School Community is rooted in the Word OCIA is what you need. Please join us for our next meeting! Class is held in the Fireplace Room on the 1st & 3rd Thursday the Catholic Tradition. We strive to build Gospel Values of the month at 6:45pm. Our next class is Thursday, August 15th. Our topic will be: God the Son. Class is after Mass.

	News an	d Events
	Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Thursday, August 15th is a Holy Day of Obligation Mass will be offered at 9am and 6pm	Pray The Rosary To End Abortion On August 14th join us at the Moorhead abortion clinic to pray the rosary. Transportation is provided. We will meet in the church parking lot 8:30 AM. For additional information please contact Bill Quinn 609-879-1214 or Yvette Brufoldt at 218-234-8473
We wel	come all families to register thei	r child for Faith Formation this year!

Faith Formation at Holy Rosary for Children and Teens: **Catechesis of the Good Shepherd** – ages 3, 4 & 5 (preschool)

Tuesdays, 9:30-11:00am – begins October 1 Thursdays, 3:45-5:15pm – begins October 3 \*For CGS, Children must be potty trained. Each session will be capped at 10 children. Faith Formation Classes – begins September 11 Wednesdays 6:00-7:15pm - age 4 - 6th grade Wednesdays, 6:30-7:45 pm -7 th -11 th grade



To register your child for Catechesis of the Good Shepherd or for Faith Formation Classes, please complete the online Faith Formation Registration form on the parish website, holyrosarycc.org (under the Faith Formation tab) or fill out the registration form at the parish office. Or scan the QR code!

## **Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Coming this Fall to Holy Rosary!**

Beginning in October, Holy Rosary will be offering Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) for children ages 3, 4 and 5 (preschool) on Tuesday mornings from 9:30-11am and Thursday afternoons from 3:45-5:15pm.



Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is an approach to the religious formation of children ages three - eleven and rooted in the Bible, the liturgy of the Church, and the educational principles of Maria Montessori. Children gather in an "atrium", a room prepared for them, which contains simple yet beautiful materials that they use to contemplate and learn about the mystery of God. The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd methodology of faith formation consists of three levels for children: Level 1 (ages 3-6), Level 2 (ages 6-9) and Level 3 (ages 9-11). In October, Holy Rosary parish will offer Level 1 Atrium weekly sessions for children ages 3, 4 and 5 (preschool). All Holy Rosary parents (Holy Rosary School, Faith Formation, Homeschool) who have children of these ages are welcome to enroll them in CGS. The atrium at Holy Rosary where the children will gather for CGS is in the Youth Room area under the sacristy and adoration chapel. Parents may register their child for Catechesis of the Good Shepherd by completing the online Faith Formation Registration form on the parish website, holyrosarycc.org or by filling out the registration form at the parish office.

For more information about Catechesis of the Good Shepherd visit our website, holyrosarycc.org (under the Faith Formation tab) or contact Kathy Olson at the parish office (kaolson@holyrosarycc.org).

Schedules and Meetings				Monday	August 12	
	Aug 17th - Sat.	Aug 18th - Sun.	Aug 18th - Sun.	2:00 PM	Women's Cursillo Group	Youth Room
	5:00 pm	9:00 am	11:00 am	5:00 PM	CDA Meeting	Fireplace Room
Eucharistic	Dennis Kempenich	Isabelle Hansen	Deacon Gary Hager	Tuesday	August 13	
Minister	Carol Kempenich	Katherine Hansen	Thomas Leach	8:00 AM	Rosary	Church
Eucharistic	Don Spitzley Jane Spaeth	Christina Morrison Barbara Birznieks	Shirley Eidenschink Beth Demery	8:30 AM	Mass +Ron Paskey	Church
Minister				9 AM - 7 PM	Adoration	Chapel
(Clean vessels)				9:30 AM	Bible Study	Fatima Room
Minister of the	Abby Jasken	Mary Hager Angela Malone Josh Hramec <b>Vol. Needed x2</b>	Mary Ann Nelmark Lauretta Kapphahn Mary Jo Noia Nicholas Noia Julie Larson	Noon	OA Group	Fatima Room
Precious	Catherine Larson Ed Geffre			1:30 PM	Card Players Group	Fireplace Room
Blood	Tricia Geffre			5:00 PM	Women's Cursillo Group	Fireplace Room
	Jerry Bursaw			7:00 PM	Men's Cursillo Group	Fireplace Room
Lector 1 -	Matt Drank		Katharing Aligada	Wednesday	August 14	
Book of Gospels	Matt Brenk	Jen Wilke	Katherine Aligada	8:30 AM	Rosary	Church
Lector 2 -	Mary Brenk	Ben Wilke	Jean Moe	9:00 AM	Quilt Group	Living Room
Prayers of the Faithful				9:00 AM	Mass +Rick & ~Connie Kuhn	Church
Altar Servers	Joshua Stone	Marcus Flugel Vol. Needed	Reyna Aligada Mailyn Aligada	9:30 AM	The Chosen Viewing Party	Living Room
	Dane Dibley			10:00 AM	Coffee Club	Guadalupe Room
Cantor	Joy Stone Bob Heimark		Eileen Mooney	Thursday	August 15	
Accompanist	st April Spaeth April Spaeth		April Spaeth	9:00 AM	Holy Day Mass +Florence Anderson	Church
Media Minister	Ella Larson	Tami Heimark	Julia Nelmark	10:00 AM	The Chosen Viewing Party	Living Room
Sacristan	James Utecht	Donna Martin	rtin Nancy Matter Noon Al-Anon		Fatima Room	
			John Vaida James Wolf Jon Larson <b>Vol. Needed</b>	6:00 PM	Holy Day Mass +Christy Rosenhamer	Church
	Vol. Needed x4	Michael Guetter John King Bill Quinn Michael Metelak		After Mass	OCIA	Fireplace Room
Greeter / Usher				7:00 PM	The Chosen Viewing Party	Fatima Room
				Friday	August 16	
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	iry School has Op			8:30 AM	Mass +Gene & Dorothy Matz	Church
Kinder	garten Prep Class	for the 2024-25	School Year!	10:00 AM	Mass ~John & Beatrice Hockert	Lincoln Park
• Students mus	t be 4 years old 🏢	W 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2		Saturday	August 17	
by Sep. 1, 2024				4:00 PM	Reconciliation	Confessional
<ul> <li>Classes are Tuesdays &amp; Thursdays, 8:15 a.m 3:15 p.m.</li> </ul>					Mass +Rob DuChene	Church
					August 18	
• Phy-Ed, Music	c Class, and	0000	9:00 AM	Mass +Collin Flynn	Church	
a schedule fil	in addition to led with		10:15 AM	Reconciliation	Confessional	
creative play, social development, and hands-on					Mass ~ For The Parish	Church
learning in a	faith-based		Baptism Announcement			

- learning in a faith-based environment.

Holy Rosary serves students PreK - Grade 8, and there are openings in most classrooms. For more information or to schedule a tour, contact Principal Cathy Larson at 218-847-5306 or clarson@holyrosarycc.org



BAPTISM: If you plan to present your child for Baptism, contact Kathy Olson at: kaolson@holyrosarycc.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. Nate at least six months prior



Congratulations to Daniel Allen Powers, son of Justin and Rebekka Powers. baptized at Holv Rosarv this weekend. We welcome Daniel into God's family and pray for his parents as he grows in faith and love for Jesus Christ!