

The Holy Father's Prayer Intention

For the cry of the Earth. We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.

Natural Family Planning
Please join us for our free NFP Zoom meeting!
October 29th, 2024
January 14th, 2025
April 24th, 2025
July 22nd, 2025
October 21st, 2025
The Crookston Diocese welcomes all couples to a free Natural Family Planning Introductory Session presented by Sarah McKeown and Courtney Hendricks. Feel free to reach out to holyfamilynfp.com for more information. For any questions with registering please feel free to email gjohnson@crookston.org.

Reboot: Featuring Chris Stefanick

God didn't create us to just get by. He created us to live life to the full! Let internationally renowned speaker and author Chris Stefanick help you REDISCOVER God, and REDISCOVER the life you were made for. REBOOT! is the fun, inspiring and practical experience for all (ages 12 and up), of applying the beauty and genius of the Gospel to every aspect of your life, from prayer and spirituality, to work, dating, marriage, parenting, health and more! It's time to start living the life you were made for.

Join us on October 20th, at The Church of St. Mary in Alexandria for a REBOOT session. Early bird pricing until October 2nd. Tickets: \$33 - \$39. Scan the QR code to purchase tickets.

Mercy Hour | Eucharistic Healing Service
2024 Dates
October 6 | 3:00 PM St. Ann's | Blackduck
November 17 | 3:00 PM St. Michael's | Mahanomen
December 15 | 3:00 PM St. Peter the Apostle | Park Rapids
2025 Dates
January 19 | 3:00 PM St. Francis | Moorhead
February 23 | 3:00 PM St. Patrick's | Hallock
March 30 | 3:00 PM St. Bernard's | Thief River Falls
April 6 | 3:00 PM St. Phillip's | Bemidji
May 4 | 3:00 PM St. Mary's | Warroad



Go to: Reallifecatholic.com/reboot/
To learn more about the reboot program.

COOKIES! COOKIES! COOKIES! COOKIES!
Visit Mrs. Averbeck's cookie shop during the Holy Rosary Parish Festival
September 29th
Sale starts at 12 PM until GONE
Chocolate Chip Peanut Butter Pecan Sandies Monster Cookie Sugar Cookies Chocolate Chip Peanut Butter Pecan Sandies

Remember those who have asked for our prayers.

Leatrice Wirtz, Pickrain Family, Jerry Bursaw JR, Beverly Tougas, Scott Olsen, Lowell Johnston, G. Mastel, Paula & Jim Hansen, Mary Birchem, Kate Matter. 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.

Contact Us!	Diocesan Annual Appeal	Stewardship	Mass Attendance 9/14 - 9/15
Website: www.holyrosarycc.org	Current Donations: \$72,840	Last Week: \$11,395	Saturday 5 PM: 213
E-mail: jheim@holyrosarycc.org	Annual Goal: \$70,907	This Year to Date: \$171,347	Sunday 9 AM: 320
YouTube: Holy Rosary Catholic Church DL MN	As of August 14th, 2024.	Last Fiscal Year: \$182,325	Sunday 11 AM: 262

Parish Staff	Trustees and Councils
Priest: Father Nate Brunn	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
Stewardship/Spiritual Direction: Jamie McDougall	Mooney, Bienvenida Grimsley, Mike Sidders, Trish Thorson, Ava Klemm
Maintenance: Charles Vareberg	School Council: Amber Blair, Lori Guenther, Bill Wilke, Katie Watland, Erica Zurn, Aron
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Parish Secretary: Julia Heim	
Principal: Cathy Larson	
School Office Manager: Beth Gilbert	

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.



Holy Rosary Catholic Church

September 22nd, 2024
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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 Deacon Gary Hager

Today we celebrate the 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Not only is this the 25th Sunday of the year, but this Sunday could also be considered "The Vice of Pride Sunday." The readings we hear today are filled with the sin of *pride*.

Book of Wisdom: *The wicked say: Let us beset (torment) the just one, because he is obnoxious to us;*

Letter of James: *Where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there is disorder and every foul practice. Where do the wars and where do the conflicts among you come from? Is it not from your passions that make war within your members?*

Gospel of Mark: *They came to Capernaum and, once inside the house, He (Jesus) began to ask them (12 disciples), "What were you arguing about on the way?" But they remained silent. They had been discussing among themselves on the way who was the greatest.*

Why is the sin of *pride* such an easy trap? Remember our first parents, Adam and Eve? To put it into modern-day words, "The had it all!" Yes, until they got too close to the tree they were forbidden to eat from. They were told a lie by Satan who occupied the tree, convincing Adam and Eve that God is not trustworthy. Then they ate from the tree as the "fruit" that looked good surely couldn't hurt them. One bite, and their world changed.

Dr. Mike Scherschligt from Holy Family School of Faith provides this understanding of the sin of *pride*. "All of creation is good, but when we choose a good not appropriate to our state or condition in life because of some pleasure or ambition, we become in conflict with God. In essence, we choose the good that we like rather than the good offered by God or what is ultimately best for us in our relationship with Him. That is pride, an undue self-love that seeks some kind of reward that puts us in competition with God. Why do we say competition? Because we are reaching over the will of God, imposing our will over Him Who loves us. Whether we recognize it or not, in pride we are looking to win something we are obsessed with throughout willful choices without reference to God. Our sinful pride is an obstacle to God. God does not force us; He just lets us get what we want to our own undoing."

Dr. Scherschligt's words are packed with truth. Just like Adam and Eve, one bite and their world changed. For us, one decision or continuously making poor decisions to seek our own pleasure or ambition, may be the point our world is changed drudgery from joy. Rather than reaching for the sin of pride, look to the seven virtues of the Church.

The Four Cardinal Virtues are... Prudence, Justice, Fortitude, and Temperance.

The Three Theological Virtues are... Faith, Hope, and Charity (Love).

From The Catechism of the Catholic Church (1835-1844):

- **Prudence** disposes the practical reason to discern, in every circumstance, our true good and to choose the right means for achieving it.
- **Justice** consists in the firm and constant will to give God and neighbor their due.
- **Fortitude** ensures firmness in difficulties and constancy in the pursuit of the good.
- **Temperance** moderates the attraction of the pleasures of the senses and provides balance in the use of created goods.
- By **Faith**, we believe in God and believe in all that he has revealed to us and that Holy Church proposes for our belief.
- By **Hope** we desire, and with steadfast trust, await from God eternal life and the graces to merit it.
- By **Charity**, we love God above all things and our neighbor as ourselves for love of God. Charity, the form of all virtues, "binds everything together in perfect harmony" (Col 3:14).

God's love is abundant. If pride has been a challenge for you, seek out the Sacrament of Reconciliation to restore your relationship with God. Several minutes in the confessional provide a time of healing and relief from many of life's burdens. Then move forward with the 7 virtues with God's guidance to live life in greater harmony as He has planned for you.

Peace, Deacon Gary

"If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all." Mark 9:35



Jesus teaches us that we are called to love one another. Love involves sacrifice. Sacrifice is a word that many of us don't like to hear. We think it means that we must give up something that we want. However, the literal meaning of sacrifice is "to make holy," from the words "sacer" = sacred and "facere" = to make. In other words, when we sacrifice, we make our lives holy by sharing our gifts in the service of God.

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.

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 Fireplace Room on the 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:45pm. Our next class is Thursday, **Oct 3rd**. Our topic will be: Four Last Things: Death, Judgement, Heaven, Hell.

News and Events



**Knights of Columbus
Pancake/French Toast
Breakfast**

**Sunday, October 6th
8:00am-12:30pm
in the Holy Rosary
Parish Center.**

40 DAYS FOR LIFE Join us at the Red River Women's clinic, 302 US 75 North, Moorhead, MN

Kick off Rally in Moorhead! Sept 25th

Vigil Everyday from Sept 25th - Nov 3rd

10:00 AM - 11:00 PM

7:00 AM to 10:00 PM



Call Bonnie Spies for more information: 701-247-9574

WE'RE ONLY A WEEK AWAY!

SIGN UP TODAY TO HELP AT THE PARISH FESTIVAL

BRING YOUR FAMILY & SERVE TOGETHER!

SEPT. 29



Scan or visit holyrosarycc.org to volunteer

We need families to host NET Missionaries!
The nights of Oct 18th & Oct 19th



If you are interested in learning more about becoming a host for 2 or more NET Team Members please fill out the form on the QR code, or contact Abby Jasken in the Parish Office. ajasken@holyrosarycc.org




Our Students are Collecting Pledges for Holy Rosary School's 52nd Annual Marathon for Nonpublic Education





October 13th, 2024
Building Hope, Faith and Futures

If you wish to give, contributions can be made with any Holy Rosary student, at the office or online 52ndmarathon.givesmart.com

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PURCHASE IN THE WELCOMING CENTER AFTER MASS & IN THE PARISH OFFICE

Schedules and Meetings

	Sept 28th - Sat. 5:00 pm	Sept 29th - Sun. 9:00 am	Sept 29th - Sun. 11:00 am	Monday	September 23	
				2:00 PM	Women's Cursillo Group	Youth Room
				3:00 PM	Catholic Daughters Officer Meeting	Fireplace Room
Eucharistic Minister	Deacon Gary Hager Catherine Larson	Donna Martin Laverne Bourdeau	Knights of Columbus	Tuesday	September 24	
				8:00 AM	Rosary	Church
Eucharistic Minister (Clean vessels)	Ed Geffre Tricia Geffre	James Utecht Vol. Needed	Knights of Columbus	8:30 AM	Mass +Ron Paskey	Church
				9 AM - 6 PM	Adoration	Chapel
				9:30 AM	Bible Study	Fatima Room
Minister of the Precious Blood	Tom Holweger Patty Holweger Don Spitzley Jane Lunde Carrie Tobkin	Barbara Schmidt Vol. Needed x4	Knights of Columbus	Noon	OA Group	Fatima Room
				1:30 PM	Card Players Group	Fireplace Room
Lector 1 - Book of Gospels	Mary Brenk	Barbara Schmidt	Knights of Columbus	5:00 PM	Women's Cursillo Group	Fireplace Room
Lector 2 - Prayers of the Faithful	Robert Woytassek	James Utecht	Knights of Columbus	7:00 PM	Men's Cursillo Group	Fireplace Room
Altar Servers	Johanna Larson Zac Larson	Paisley Pipek Hoyce Pipek	Lance Skalin Grant Skalin	Wednesday	September 25	
Cantor	Bob Heimark	Neil Trowbridge	Eileen Mooney	8:30 AM	Rosary	Fireplace Room
Accompanist	April Spaeth	April Spaeth	April Spaeth	9:00 AM	Mass +Jerome Matter	Church
Media Minister	Luke Tobkin	Vol. Needed	Julia Nelmark	9:00 AM	Quilt Group	Fireplace Room
Sacristan	Mary Brenk Matt Brenk	Terry Teiken	Nancy Vetter	After Mass	Coffee Club	Guadalupe Room
Greeter / Usher	Rick McDougall Val Ringwelski Vol. Needed x2	Steven Carlson John Wilke Vol. Needed x2	Knights of Columbus	6:00 PM	First Reconciliation Parent Meeting	Church
				6:00 PM	Faith Formation Pre K—6th Grade	Assigned Rooms
				6:30 PM	Faith Formation 7th—11th Grade	Assigned Rooms
				Thursday	September 26	
				Noon	Al-Anon	Fatima Room
				3:45 PM	CGS - Atrium	Atrium
				6:00 PM	Mass ~Casey Breen	Church
				6:30 PM	Finance Council	Fatima Room
				Friday	September 27	
				8:00 AM	Rosary	Church
				8:30 AM	Mass +Dewey Robertson	Church
				10:00 PM	Mass +Al Wenner	Pelican Landing
				Saturday	September 28	
				7:00 AM	Men's Prayer Group	Fireplace Room
				4:00 PM	Reconciliation	Confessional
				5:00 PM	Mass +Arthur Tobkin	Church
				Sunday	September 29	
				9:00 AM	Mass ~For The Parish	Church
				10:00 AM	Diocese of Crookston Youth Conference	Sanford Center, Bemidji
				10:15 AM	Reconciliation	Confessional
				11:00 AM	Mass +James Balko (Outdoors if weather permits)	Church
				Noon - 3PM	Parish Festival	Lake Ave

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 .