your faith Diocesan News and Events

Would you like to deepen your faith and let Jesus become more involved in your life? Let the Spirit lead you on a Cursillo.

Cursillo is a movement that helps participants realize that with the help of Christ and our friends, it is possible to live as a Christian in today's world and in our environments. The Cursillo group is offering four opportunities within the Diocese of Crookston for you to attend Cursillo in 2025.

Upcoming Women's Weekends in 2025:

April 3-6 / September 25-28

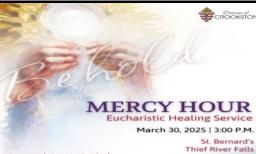
Upcoming Men's Weekends in 2025:

October 23-26

All of the weekends will be held at the Pastoral Center in Crookston, MN. Applications

are available at:

https://crookstoncursillo.weebly.com



Mercy Hours are services of Eucharistic healing for individuals, couples and families. Join Bishop Cozzens for this hour of adoration and prayer, culminating in an intimate moment of Eucharistic encounter.

All are welcome.

March Dinner

St. Andrew's Catholic Church Hawley

Sunday, March 16th 11:00 AM—1:30 PM Turkey & all the Trimmings Assorted Salads & Desserts



Adults - \$15.00 Ages 6- 12 \$5.00 Preschool—Free



15% of proceeds from this event go to local Charities

The Knights of Columbus of Frazee are also having Lenten Fish Fry Fund raising dinners this Lent. All proceeds will go toward youth scholarships and the Food Pantry. The dates of these fish dinners are Friday, March 14, March 28th, and April 11th from 5 pm to 7 pm at Sacred Heart Catholic Church Frazee. Please note their dates are alternating Fridays with The Knights of Columbus of Detroit Lakes fish dinners.



You Can Still Sign Up to Join a Lenten Small Group!

This Lent we are offering Bishop Cozzen's New Life Through the Tender Compassion of our God 4-week video series via the small group format. The series is comprised of four video sessions running about 80 minutes with prayer, inspiration, testimony, and time for sharing faith.

Session Topics will be:

Session 1: What does it mean to encounter Christ?

Session 2: What is Authentic Discipleship?

Session 3: Living Authentic Christian Community.

Session 4: Walk with one.

There will be groups meeting different days/evenings and times during the week. This weekend you can still sign up for a day and time that works best for you. Sign up for a New Life small group and deepen your faith this Lent!

HIRING FRONT DESK HELP

- Welcome visitors to our parish
- Answer incoming callsOrder parish office supplies
- Keep records of Mass intentions/stipends
- Maintain parish calendar
- Maintain the parish website
- Coordinate use of parish facilities

JOB SHARE OPPORTUNITY

18 HOURS/WEEK ROTATING SCHEDULE \$17-\$19 PER HOUR STARTING WAGE APPLICATIONS AT THE PARISH OFFICE CONTACT JOHN WILKE WITH QUESTIONS

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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

March 9, 2025 First 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

> www.holyrosarycc.org YouTube: Holy Rosary Catholic Church DL

A Message From Deacon Gary

Welcome to the First Sunday of Lent!

How are the first few days of Lent going for you? Are you experiencing a good beginning to Lent? Are you experiencing distractions these first days of Lent? Is it possible, the beginning of Lent simply did not begin for you?

The response to each of these questions does not matter as this is a 40-day journey. Remember, each morning is a new beginning. The Lenten journey may have peaks and valleys, so be prepared to respond in a kind and gentle manner to yourself to course correct. My guess is all of us should expect to course correct throughout these next 40 days. You are not alone with this struggle.

Last Sunday, Fr. Nate asked this question in his homily: "what am I filling my heart with?" Fr. Nate listed many distractions that we pack into our hearts such as news, gossip, scrolling on the phone, good food, overeating, bad images, bad TV, bad movies, bad songs, negativity and the list goes on.

Fr. Nate suggested healthy options to fill our heart during Lent such as reading one of the Gospels, beginning or renewing prayer through the Rosary, and one of the best options, sitting in silence with Jesus in the church. There are many possibilities to choose from to fill your heart with the love of Jesus. Holy Rosary is offering many to choose from:

- Knights of Columbus Fish Fry on March 7^{th} , 21^{st} and April 4^{th} from 5-7 pm in the Parish Center.
- Increased Adoration time each Thursday from 5-6 pm, followed by Mass at 6 pm.
- Adoration scheduled year-round, Tuesdays from 9 am 6 pm in the Chapel.
- Stations of the Cross every Friday at 10:30 am w/ the school children and again at 5 pm.
- Daily Masses see bulletin for the Tuesday through Sunday schedule.
- Reconciliation every Saturday from 3:00-4:45 pm.
- Parish Retreat Saturday, April 5th from 8:30 am to noon.
- Day of Grace Thursday, April 10th from 11 am to 6 pm.
- Chrism Mass at the Cathedral in Crookston Monday, April 14th at 6 pm.
- Lenten Small Groups scheduled every week for 4 weeks. See the schedule in the bulletin.

This Lent, schedule one or two of these weekly events to fill your heart with the presence of the Lord. The Lord does not disappoint. Remember, 95% of doing anything in life requires each of us to show up. Show up to be transformed. God can work with us when we show up.

Have a blessed Lent!

Peace, Deacon Gary



"I have now brought you the first fruits of the products of the soil which you, O Lord, have given to me." - Deuteronomy 26:10T

This line from the Old Testament offers two challenges. First, do you give to God from your "first fruits" - the first and best that you have to offer? Or do you give from what you have leftover? Second, do you realize that everything you have and that everything you are has been given to you by God? We aren't owners of anything, we are merely stewards of God's gifts. Pray for a grateful and generous heart, every day, in all circumstances.

School News

Holy Rosary School Mission Statement

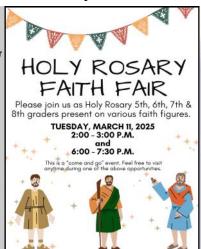
Holy Rosary School Community is rooted in the Word and energized with the Spirit of Jesus Christ. We cultivate our community to live as Jesus taught within the Catholic Tradition. We strive to build Gospel Values and promote Academic Excellence.

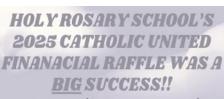




Please visit our websi www.holyrosarycs.org or call the school office 218-847-5306 to schedule a tour!

We would love to neet your family & be a part of your





Your purchases, support and prayers helped us exceed last year's sales! We Are Grateful For You!





Parish News and Events

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS **DURING LENT**

Please Join Us in Prayer during the Lenten Season for the Join in Praying the Stations of the Cross led by our Holy Rosary Students



Friday, March 7led by	Staff
Friday, March 21	Grades 3 & 4
Friday, March 28	
Friday, April 4	. Middle School
Friday, April 11	Grades 1 & 5

In the Church

10:30 a.m.



Please Remember Those Who Have Asked **For Our Prayers**

Crispy Fried Fish Colesiaw, Baked Beans, Potatoes Claus & Dessert

Fridays 5-7 pm | March 7, 21, & April 4 | Holy Rosary Parish Center

Sponsored by Holy Rosary Council 3166 All proceeds return to the community

Jake Erickson, Pat Branscombe, Jean LeDoux, Danae Wothe, Scott Olsen, Steven Kieffer, Cheryl Wermager, Vicki W.

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.

Project Rachel - Confidential Care for Post-Abortive Women and Men: If you or someone you know is in need of healing, hope and reconciliation after abortion, the Diocese of Crookston's Project Rachel Ministry can help. The number to call is 218-470-0112.

SERVICE MISSION TRIP TO ASHEVILLE, NC

When: Summer 2025 (date based on input from volunteers)

What: Help residents recover from Hurricane Helene Who: Youth and Families age 14 and older

Trip Leader: Deacon Gary Hager (218.841.8267

Lodging: Hotel with pool

Monday, March 10th 7 pm @ Holy Rosary Church

OCIA: Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

Please join us for OCIA in the Fireplace Room on the 1st & 3rd Thursdays of the month at 6:45pm. Our next meeting is Thursday, March 20th and we will be learning about the Anointing of the Sick. All are welcome to join us!



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. to the intended date of the celebration.

Schedules and Meetings

Monday	March 10	
2:00 PM	Women's Cursillo Group	Youth Room
5:30 PM	Lenten Small Group (Malone)	Fatima Room
7:00 PM	Mission Trip Information Meeting	Living Room
Tuesday	March 11	
8:00 AM	Rosary	Church
8:30 AM	Mass +Louise Wyborny	Church
9 AM - 6 PM	Adoration	Chapel
9:30 AM	Lenten Small Group (Schons)	Fatima Room
Noon	OA Group	Fatima Room
1:30 PM	Card Players Group	Family Room
2:00 PM	School Faith Fair	Parish Center
5:00 PM	Lenten Small Group (Birznieks/Geffre)	Living Room
6:00 PM	School Faith Fair	Parish Center
6:30 PM	Lenten Small Group (Moltzan)	Fatima Room
Wednesday	March 12	
8:30 AM	Praying at Abortion Clinic	Meet @HR Pking Lot
8:30 AM	Rosary	Family Room
9:00 AM	Mass +Jerald Tideman	Church
9:00 AM	Quilt Group	Family Room
After 9AM Mass	Coffee Club	Lourdes Room
10:00 AM	Lenten Small Group (Schmidt)	Fatima
1:00 PM	Lenten Small Group (Stone)	Fatima
6:00 PM	Feeding the Faith	Parish Center
6:00 PM	Faith Formation PK-6th Grade	Assigned Rooms
6:30 PM	Faith Formation 7th-11th Grade	Assigned Rooms
Thursday	March 13	
9:00 AM	Lenten Small Group (Carlson/Mooney)	Fatima Room
Noon	Al-Anon	Fatima Room
3:45 PM	CGS	Atrium
4:00 PM	Lenten Small Group (Grimsley)	Library
4:30 PM	Lenten Small Group (McDougall)	Fatima
5:00 PM	Adoration	Chapel
5:00 PM	Men's Cursillo Group	Fatima Room
6:00 PM	Mass +Elvira (Sam) Mattioli	Church
6:30 PM	School Council	Library
6:30 PM	Lenten Small Group (Wolf)	Fatima
Friday	March 14	
8:00 AM	Rosary	Church
8:30 AM	Mass +Jim Runger	Church
10:00 AM	Mass	Ecumen
5:00 PM	Stations of the Cross Church	

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Saturday		March 15		
7:00 AM	Lenten Small Gro		(Braukman)	Living Room
3:00 PM Reconciliation		Reconciliation		Church
5:00 PM Mass		Mass +Gloria & Reir	nhard Schmitz	Church
Sunday		March 16		
7:15 AM		Lenten Small Group (Deacon Gary)		Fatima
9:00 AM		Mass +Irene Johnson		Church
10:15 AM		Reconciliation		Church
11:00 AM		Mass ~For the People		Church
ı		March 15- Sat.	March 16- Sun.	March 16- Sun.
		5:00 pm	9:00 am	11:00 am
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Eucharistic Minister (Clean vessels)		ie Geffre ia Geffre	Christina Morrison Trish Thorson	Shirley Eidenschink Curtis Winter
Minister of the Precious Blood	Yve Lora Don	oer Blair tte Bruflodt a Buntje Spitzley es Utecht	Laverne Bordeau Brad Carlson Debbie Carlson Kenneth Mondry Linda Schons	Carol Kempenich Dennis Kempenich Thomas Leach Cindy Myhre James Wolf
Lector 1 - Book of Gospels	Johi	n Wilke	Annalee Kologi	Lance Collmann
Lector 2 - Prayer of the Faithful	Rob	ert Woytassek	Mary Schutz	Lauretta Kapphahn
Altar Servers		e Dibley in Lorentz	Marcus Flugel Ben Hansen	Isabella Richard Ethan Richard
Cantor	Meli	ssa Lorentz	Bob Heimark	Michael Moe
Accompanist	Apri	l Spaeth	Heather Trowbridge	April Spaeth
Media Minister		lelyn Lorentz	Abby Leach	Julia Nelmark
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The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for March		Pray the Rosary to End Abortion On Wed., March 12th, join us at the		

For Families in Crisis-Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts even in their differences.

Stewardship

Moorhead Abortion clinic to pray the Rosary. Transportation is provided. We will meet in the Holy Rosary Church parking lot at 8:30 am. For additional information, please contact Bill Quinn at 609-879-1214 or Yvette Brufoldt at 218-234-8473.

Mass Attendance

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Last Week:	\$ 16,649.11	Saturday 5 PM: 222		
This Year to Date:	\$ 570,051.82	Sunday 9 AM: 208		
Last Fiscal Year:	\$ 677,209.94	Sunday 11 AM: 203		