

Sacred Heart Church ~ Baudette



Saint Joseph Church ~ Williams

Lake of the Woods, Minnesota



The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

June 24, 2018

You, child, will be called prophet of the Most High, for you will go before the Lord to prepare his way.

Mass Times

St. Joseph, Williams ~ Saturday: 4:30 PM
Sacred Heart, Baudette ~ Sunday: 10:30 AM
St. Mary, Warroad ~ Sat. 6:00 PM, Sun. 8:30 AM
Weekdays and Holy days as listed in bulletin.

Parish Office

104 1st St SW, PO Box 738, Baudette MN 56623
(218) 634-2689 ourlady@mncable.net
This number is not listed in telephone books.

Clergy

Pastor Fr. Todd Arends St. Mary's, Warroad
218-280-7880 tarends@saintmarywarroad.org
Deacon Jim Lukenbill 218-766-5107

Parish Website

sacredheartbaudette.org

Find here recent bulletins, monthly calendars
and visitor information.



Eucharistic Adoration

Thursdays, 11AM – 4PM in Sacred Heart basement chapel

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Available by request after Sunday or weekday
Masses at Sacred Heart and before Mass at St. Joseph
or by appointment.

Planning a Marriage or Baptism?

Contact our pastor or deacon for more information.

Homebound or in a health care facility?

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Call clergy if Holy Communion and/or a visit is
desired. Hospitals will not call unless a patient asks
that a priest be notified.

Are You a New or Seasonal Parishioner?

To help to serve you better, please register with the
parish office.

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator

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, please contact Cindy Hulst,
LSW, the diocesan Victim's Assistance Coordinator
at 218-281-7895 (24-hour confidential number).

Abortion Alternatives

Bemidjipregnancyoptions.com or (218) 444-3035
Heartbeat International, optionline.org 1-800-712-HELP

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 23, 4:30pm For the Parishes
Sunday, June 24, 10:30am Carol Scharfenkamp † by Roy Scharfenkamp
Wednesday, June 27, 8:00am Jeff Bergman
Wednesday, June 27, 10:30am Lucille Hoscheid † by Paula Gorecki
Friday, June 29, 8:00am No Mass
Saturday, June 30, 4:30pm Barb Nelson † by Less Nelson
Sunday, July 1, 10:30am Mabel and Ed Krause † by Roger Krause Family

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday June 30, 4:30pm St. Joseph's
Eucharistic Minister: Les Nelson
Lector: Sharon Hoskins
Sunday, July 1, 10:30 am Sacred Heart
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:
 Ann Ellis, Rita Krause, Don & Kathy Krause
Lector: Kathy Pochailo
Cantor: Tabitha Ubel
Accompanist: Lori Gubbels
Altar Server: Emily Tange
Ushers: Todd & Elaina Higgins
Hospitality Time ~ Sacred Heart
 July 1 Marilyn & Scott Guenin, Mary & George Kramer
St. Joseph Church cleaning
 June 30 Chrissy Draper
St. Joseph Cemetery
 June 30 Jerry A. & Tracy Pieper

Stewardship of Treasure

June 16/17	Sacred Heart	St. Joseph
Envelopes	\$925.00	\$290.00
Plate	<u>\$181.00</u>	<u>\$310.00</u>
TOTAL	\$1106.00	\$600.00

THANK YOU!

* Indicates the number of envelopes used.



Coffee and rolls are served downstairs after the 10:30 AM Mass this Sunday. Everyone is welcome to come relax and visit.

The Week Ahead

Wednesday June 27
 8:00am Mass at Sacred Heart
 10:30am Mass at the Care Center
Thursday June 28
 11am-5pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Saturday June 30
 4:30pm Mass at St. Joseph's
Sunday, July 1
 10:05 AM Rosary at Sacred Heart
 10:30 AM Mass at Sacred Heart
 11:30 AM Hospitality Time – Sacred Heart

Stewardship Minute:

June 24, 2015
The Nativity of St. John the Baptist
 "...Behold, one is coming after me; I am not worthy to unfasten the sandals of his feet." – ACTS 13:25

Stewardship is a lifestyle, it's not a program or a process. It's how we are called to live our lives twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week! It challenges us to live "God-centered" lives, not "self-centered" lives. Reflect on your daily activities, do you do them for the glory of God or for the glory of your own name?



Adoration Moment

"(Hours spent in Eucharistic Adoration) are not hours spent in idleness, when we isolate ourselves from our work, but these are moments, hours, when we undertake something that constitutes the deepest meaning of all of our work. For no matter how numerous our activities, our ministries, however numerous our concerns, our exertions - if there is no love, everything becomes meaningless. When we devote our time to ponder the mystery of love, to allow it to radiate in our hearts, we are preparing ourselves in the best possible way for any kind of service, for any activity, for any charitable work."

Pope St. John Paul II

Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

Collect

O God, who raised up Saint John the Baptist to make ready a nation fit for Christ the Lord, give your people, we pray, the grace of spiritual joys and direct the hearts of all the faithful into the way of salvation and peace.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Prayer over the Offerings

We place these offerings on your altar, O Lord, to celebrate with fitting honor the nativity of him who both foretold the coming of the world's Savior and pointed him out when he came. Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

Prayer after Communion

Having feasted at the banquet of the heavenly Lamb, we pray, O Lord, that, finding joy in the nativity of Saint John the Baptist, your Church may know as the author of her rebirth the Christ whose coming John foretold. Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

On the weekend of **June 30/July 1**, Fr. Pat Sullivan (one of the former pastors at St. Mary's) and I will be trading pulpits for the weekend. I will be attending my brother's wedding on Friday June 29th and take his masses down in the southern part of our Crookston Diocese and Fr. Pat will have the opportunity to return up here to the northern end of our diocese and visit people as well as preside at our Masses.

As a way to welcome him back and give people a chance to visit with him we will be having a pot-luck at St. Mary's following the Saturday evening Mass.

Bible Readings for the Week of June 25-July 1

Monday	2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18/Mt 7:1-5
Tuesday	2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36 Mt 7:6, 12-14
Wednesday	2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3/Mt 7:15-20
Thursday	2 Kgs 24:8-17/Mt 7:21-29
Friday	Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/ Mt 16:13-19
Saturday	Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19/Mt 8:5-17
Sunday	Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15 Mk 5:21-43

Celebrate Fr. Don Braukmann in His Retirement

After all Masses June 30 and July 1, we will have the opportunity to let Fr. Don know what he has meant to our community and diocese. We will serve ice cream after the evening Masses at St. Philip's, Bemidji and other treats during the morning

Masses. Weekend Mass times at St. Philip's are: Saturday at 5:30 PM, and Sunday morning at 7:30, 9:00, 11:00, and 6:30 PM.

Save the Date

All are invited to a benefit for Fr. Don Braukmann on Sunday, August 12 from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at St. Philip's, Bemidji. Brunch will be prepared and served by the Knights of Columbus Council 1544. Free-will offering.



THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

The Nativity of St. John the Baptist celebrates the birth of John the Baptist, a prophet who foretold the coming of the Messiah in the person of Jesus and baptized Him.

Christians have interpreted the life of John the Baptist as a preparation for the coming of Jesus Christ, and the circumstances of his birth, as recorded in the New Testament, are miraculous. The sole biblical account of the birth of John the Baptist comes from the Gospel of Luke.

John's parents Zechariah – a Jewish priest,

and Elizabeth, were without children and both were beyond the age of childbearing. During Zechariah's service in the Temple in Jerusalem, the Archangel Gabriel appeared to him and announced that he and his wife would give birth to a child, and that they should name him John. Because Zechariah did not believe the message of Gabriel, he was rendered speechless until the time of John's birth. His relatives wanted to name the child after his father, but Zechariah wrote, "His name is John", and immediately he could speak. Following this obedience to the command of God, he was given the gift of prophecy, and foretold the future ministry of John.

When Mary the mother of Jesus journeyed to visit Elizabeth, Luke's Gospel recounts that the baby "leapt" in Elizabeth's womb at the greeting of Mary. As Christians, we know this is John's first act of prophecy.

The Nativity of St John the Baptist is one of the oldest Feasts of the Christian church, being listed by the Council of Agde in 506 as one of that region's principal Feasts, where it was a day of rest and, like Christmas, was celebrated with three Masses: a vigil, at dawn, and at midday.

The Nativity of St John the Baptist on June 24 comes three months after the celebration on March 25 of the Annunciation, when the Archangel Gabriel told Our Lady that her cousin Elizabeth was in her sixth month of pregnancy, and six months before the Christmas celebration of the birth of Jesus. The purpose of these Feasts is not to celebrate the exact dates of these events, but simply to commemorate them in an interlinking way.

Practical Take Away

The Nativity of St. John the Baptist is a Feast that is relevant to all of us today. Just like St. John, we would do well to "leap" with joy in announcing Jesus to all those we encounter in our world. We can do this in everything we do – not just by words, but by actions. Asking for St. John's intercession on this the Feast of his birth, we can draw the strength necessary to proclaim our Lord to others.

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