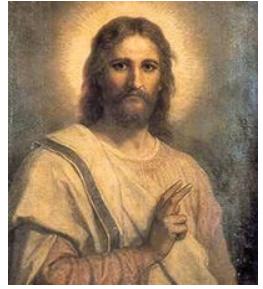


# St. Mary's Warroad, MN

# St. Joseph's Williams, MN

# Sacred Heart Baudette, MN

February  
16th, 2020

## Mass Times

St. Mary's Warroad	Saturday's 6pm & Sunday's 8:30am
St. Joseph Williams	Saturday's 4:30pm
Sacred Heart Baudette	Sunday's 10:30am

## Parish Offices

**St. Mary's**  
511 Cedar Ave NW  
PO Box 33 Warroad, MN 56763  
218-386-1178  
[www.stmaryswarroad.org](http://www.stmaryswarroad.org)

**Sacred Heart**  
104 1st St. SW  
P.O. Box 738 Baudette, MN 56623  
218-634-2689  
[sacredheartbaudette.org](http://sacredheartbaudette.org)

**St. Joseph's**  
400 Park Ave  
Williams, MN 56686  
Contact Sacred Heart

**Fr. Andrew Obel-Pastor**  
218-850-1783  
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218-766-5107  
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Religious Education Director  
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## Sacrament of Reconciliation

**St. Mary's:** Tuesday 5:45-6:45 pm  
Saturday 3-3:30 pm  
Sunday 7:45-8:15 am  
**St. Joseph's:** before Mass  
**Sacred Heart:** by request after Mass or  
Anytime by appointment

## **Homebound or in a health care facility?**

## **Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick**

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

## **Planning a Marriage or Baptism?**

Contact pastor for more information

## **Parishioners**

- \* Please notify the parish office of changes of address or telephone number.
- \* If you are new to the area or a seasonal parishioner please register with the parish office.

## **Abortion Alternative**

Birthright~1-800-550-4900  
Crisis Pregnancy Helpline~1-888-4-OPTIONS  
[Bemidjipregnancyoptions.com](http://Bemidjipregnancyoptions.com) or 218-444-3035  
Heartbeat International, [optionline.org](http://optionline.org) 1-800-712-HELP

## **Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator**

Cindy Hulst, LSW,  
218-281-7895 (24-hour confidential number)

## St. Mary's Week Ahead

Saturday Feb 15  
6 pm Mass † Dale Coulter

Sunday Feb 16  
8:30 am Mass † Sandra Hrued

Tuesday Feb 18  
5:15 pm Mass † Robert Miller

Wednesday Feb 19  
10:30am Rosary/Prayer Group  
2-3:30pm Elementary RE  
6:30pm Middle School & High School RE

Thursday Feb 20  
10:30 am Mass @WSLC † Karin Johnston  
7-9pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday Feb 21  
8:30 am Mass † Fr. Don

Saturday Feb 22  
6pm Mass † Herman Vogel

Sunday Feb 23  
8:30 am Mass † Bill McDonald

### Liturgical Ministers

#### Saturday Feb 22

Commentator— Deb Culleton  
Reader— Barb Kotta  
Music— Pat  
Sacristan— Phil

#### Sunday Feb 23

Commentator— Kim Hruba  
Reader— Pat Larson  
Music— Heather  
Sacristan— Jeri



Our gift to God for Feb. 9, 2020  
\$1,214  
We thank God for all gifts!

### Bible Readings for the Week of

Feb 17- Feb 23

17 Monday Jas1:1-11; Ps 119:67-68, 71-72, 75-76; MK 8:11-13

18 Tuesday Jas1:12-18 Ps94:12-15, 18-19; Mk 8:14-21

19 Wednesday Jas1:19-27 Ps15:2-5 Mk8:22-26

20 Thursday Jas 2:1-9 Ps 34:2-7, Mk 8:27-33

21 Friday Jas 2:14-24, 26; Ps 112:1-6; Mk 8:34-9:1

22 Saturday 1Pt 5:1-4, Ps23:1-6 Mt 16:13-19

23 Sunday Lv19:1-2, 17-18, Ps103:1-4, 8,10,12-13;1 Cor3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48

## Sacred Heart & St. Joseph's Week Ahead

Saturday Feb 15  
4:30pm Mass@St. Joseph's † Barb Nelson

Sunday Feb 16  
10:30 am Mass@Sacred Heart Mass for the Parishes

Wednesday Feb 19  
8:30am Mass@ Sacred Heart  
† Norman & Dorothy Hovde  
10:30 am Mass@ Lakewood † Kenneth Philpot

Thursday Feb 20  
11am—3pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday Feb 22  
4:30 pm Mass @ St. Joseph's Mass for Parish

Sunday Feb 23  
10:30 am Mass @ Sacred Heart  
† Gill Motl

### Liturgical Ministers

#### Saturday Feb 22 4:30pm @ St. Joseph's

Eucharistic Minister: Les Nelson

Lector: Jerry Pieper

#### St. Joseph Church cleaning

Verna Pieper

#### Sunday Feb 23 10:30am @ Sacred Heart

Eucharistic Ministers: Ann Ellis, Rita Krause

Lector: Don Krause

Music: Lorene and Tabitha Ubel

Altar Server: Emily

Ushers: Mike Gubbels, Liz Lockner

### Hospitality Time ~ Sacred Heart

Sunday Feb 23: Janet Sirovatka  
Brian & Stacy Novak

### Stewardship of Treasure

Feb 9	Sacred Heart	St. Joseph
Envelopes	\$1705	\$260
Plate	108	77
Total	\$1813	\$337



February 16, 2020  
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven." (Matthew 5:20)

The scribes and Pharisees lived according to the letter of the law, and they used this to elevate themselves above the other people. Jesus is clear – it's the love that you have in your heart that will get you to heaven. Simply following church rules out of obligation, not love, does not put you on the path to heaven. Attending Mass on Sunday and then gossiping about a fellow parishioner in the parking lot is an example of a modern day Pharisee.

## St. Mary's



### Religious Education

**Wednesday Feb. 19th**

Elementary RE 2-3:30pm

Middle School RE 6:30pm

High School RE 6:30pm

Please like our facebook page to stay updated on various Church and Religious Education activities;

St. Mary's Catholic Church Warroad



**Birthday wishes (Feb 17th —Feb 23rd) go out to...**

Ann Stoskopf, Dale Telle, Max Gausen, Robert Wennerstrand, Dan Rood, Thatcher Gustafson, Heather Hahn, Tyrone Cole, Koda Johnson, Versha Rymsza, Bill Poole, Eileen Paquin, & Jasmine Fast.



Our Parish extends its warmest condolences to the Family and Friends of Ellen "Tootie" M. Otto who passed away last Tues. Feb 11th.

### Ash Wednesday Services for Feb 26th:

10:30 am Word & Communion at LCC in Baudette

3:15pm Mass, St. Mary's

5:15pm Mass, Sacred Heart

7:15pm Mass, St. Mary's

Ashes will also be distributed at 10:30am Mass Thur. WSLC



\*During Lent Join us for the **Stations of the Cross** every Friday at 6pm at both St. Mary's and Sacred Heart.



### **HONOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN**

**We Keep in our prayers...**

**St. Mary's:** Ryan Hartman, Maksymilian Crompton, Jacob Larson, Tyler Larson, Brett Hebel, Nic Gray, Joseph Larson, Shane Thompson, Krista Johnston, Alex Johnston, Derek Woodward, Jason Hilligoss, Deb Lien & Kyle Mohrbacher

**Sacred Heart:** Evan Torgeson, Ryan Torgeson, Jennifer Dalton, Victoria Chamberlain and Brandon Lockner, & Kelvin Krause

## St. Joseph's & Sacred Heart

### Sacred Heart

Coffee and rolls will be served downstairs after the 10:30 am Mass, all are welcome downstairs to join in great fellowship.



### Bingo at Lakewood

#### Care Center:

**Monday, Feb 17th**

Volunteers for this Monday include: **Sharon Mink, Rita Krause, Cathy Grantham, Barb Ewing.**



Caller is **Betty Berg.**

Any additional volunteers are very welcome. Please be at the Care Center by 1:45 pm. If you are unable to attend, please make arrangements with another volunteer on the list, or call Rita Krause at 218-634-1691

### 2020 Diocesan Annual Appeal

Have you made a commitment to the Diocesan Annual Appeal (DAA)? Consider our call to GOD PRAYER and SERVICE. If you have not made a commitment, please make your gift or pledge this weekend by using the mailing received at home or an in-pew envelope in your parish. You may make a one-time gift online or set up a sustaining gift by credit card or automatic withdrawal from your checking account over the course of 10 months. You can also scan your smart phone over the QR code listed below. Sustaining gifts may be suspended at any time. Go to [www.crookston.org/daa](http://www.crookston.org/daa) for more information about the 2020 DAA. Thank you for supporting your parish and diocesan ministries. And please send in your prayer requests whether or not you are able to make a gift.



Knox Pakar, Judy Mans, Nancy Pellett, Marvel Draper, Loretta Coulter, Katrin Peterson, Tom Gerszewski, Asher Sorrels, Kathy Stokke, Richard Merrill, Kai Canfield, Deanne Johnson, Charlene Kuznia, Fr. Todd, Ellen Otto, Gerti Muggli, Ann Winkler, Roberta Brunell, George Ganyo, Frank Cieklinski, Susie Lykken, Loren Olson, Dale Telle, and Stephanie Schmitz. Please remember to call the office when a name should be added or removed. **Those listed in the "Prayer Request" box will be listed for two months and then removed unless a request is made to keep them on**

# The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings:

Sirach 15:15–20  
Psalm 119:1–2, 4–5, 17–18, 33–34  
1 Corinthians 2:6–10  
Matthew 5:17–37

Jesus tells us in the Gospel this week that He has come not to abolish but to "fulfill" the Law of Moses and the teachings of the prophets.



His Gospel reveals the deeper meaning and purpose of the Ten Commandments and the moral Law of the Old Testament. But His Gospel also transcends the Law. He demands a morality far greater than that accomplished by the most pious of Jews, the scribes and Pharisees.

Outward observance of the Law is not enough. It is not enough that we do not murder, commit adultery, divorce, or lie.

The law of the new covenant is a law that God writes on the heart (see [Jeremiah 31:31–34](#)). The heart is the seat of our motivations, the place from which our words and actions proceed (see [Matthew 6:21; 15:18–20](#)).

Jesus this week calls us to train our hearts, to master our passions and emotions. And Jesus demands the full obedience of our hearts (see [Romans 6:17](#)). He calls us to love God with all our hearts, and to do His will from the heart (see [Matthew 22:37; Ephesians 6:6](#)).

God never asks more of us than we are capable of. That is the message of this week's First Reading. It is up to us to choose life over death, to choose the waters of eternal life over the fires of ungodliness and sin.

By His life, death, and resurrection, Jesus has shown us that it is possible to keep His commandments. In Baptism, He has given us His Spirit that His law might be fulfilled in us ([Romans 8:4](#)).

The wisdom of the Gospel surpasses all the wisdom of this age that is passing away, St. Paul tells us in the Epistle. The revelation of this wisdom fulfills God's plan from before all ages.

Let us trust in this wisdom, and live by His kingdom law.

As we do in this week's Psalm, let us pray that we grow in being better able to live His Gospel, and to seek the Father with all our heart.