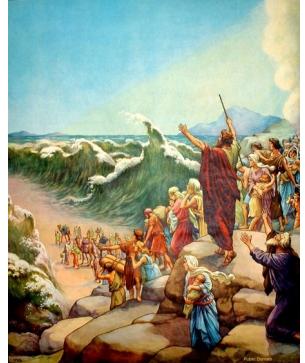


St. Mary's Warroad, MN St. Joseph's Williams, MN Sacred Heart Baudette, MN



Parish Office



St. Mary's
511 Cedar Ave NW
PO Box 33 Warroad, MN 56763
218-386-1178
www.stmaryswarroad.org

Sister Parishes



Sacred Heart
104 1st St. SW
P.O. Box 738 Baudette, MN 56623
218-634-2689
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Knights of Columbus Council 10235

Meetings held 2nd Sunday of the month at 7:00pm

St Augustine's Room

Website: <https://kc10235.mnknight.org>

St. Mary's Week Ahead

St. Mary's Masses & intentions

Saturday, Jan. 28th, Mass @ 5 pm: Christine & Tom Gerszewski

Commentator: Darlene Smith
Reader: Deb Culleton

Sunday, Jan. 29th, Mass @ 8:30am: Darell Alipoyo
Commentator: Harold Thiessen
Reader: Denise St. Germain

Tuesday, Jan 31st, Mass @ 5:15pm: Dale Telle

Wednesday, Feb. 1st, 10:30am: Rosary Group

***Rel. Ed.** K-6th gr. —4pm-5:30pm
Family Meal —5:30pm—6:15pm
7th -12th gr. —6:30pm—8pm

Thursday, Feb. 2nd, 10:30am Mass @ WSLC

Eucharistic Adoration 7pm

Friday, Feb. 3rd, Mass @ 9am: Richard LaChappelle

Saturday, Feb. 4th, Mass @ 5 pm: Leonella Kotta
Commentator: Nancy Ellenson
Reader: Barb Kotta

Sunday, Feb. 5th, Mass @ 8:30am: Michelle Thiessen
Commentator: Tom Goldsmith
Reader: Jennie Olson

Contributions to St. Mary's

Jan 22nd 2023

Envelopes: \$1181.25

Online: \$600

Donation Amounts

St. Mary's Parishioner donation amounts are printed and ready for you to pick up from St. Mary's Office if you wish for them when filing your taxes.

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

Sacred Heart Masses & intentions:

Sunday, Jan. 29th, Mass @10:30am: Bud & Theresa Greeley

Wednesday, Feb. 1st, Mass @ 8:30 am: For the Parishes

Wednesday, Feb. 1st, at Lakewood, Mass @ 9:30 am

Sunday, Feb. 5th, Mass @10:30am: Jacinta Nyamonya
Natsomi

St. Joseph's Masses & intentions:

*** Please Note,** there will be no Masses at St. Joseph's until Spring, when it reopens on May 6th.

Weekend Offerings for Sacred Heart

January 22	Sacred Heart
Envelopes	\$1080
Plate	<u>\$280</u>
Total	\$1360

thank you!

Please Note, Terrie Lynn's Email address will be changing to:

terrielynn@stmaryswarroad.org

Happy Birthday!

(Jan. 29th-Feb. 4th) Birthday wishes go out to:
Jonathan Farnes, Theresa Telle, LeRon Hahn, Christine Farnes, Anna Koerbitz, & Rosemary Jaros.



4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. "MATTHEW 5:3
The phrase "poor in spirit" can be confusing. Think of it in this sense – poor in spirit means depending on God's providence and not depending on our own self-reliance. Being detached from earthly things (power, money, and comfort) and being attached to heavenly things (charity, sacrifice, and mercy). Denying ourselves from satisfying our desires and helping others obtain their basic needs.

All three Parishes



Please Hold in Prayer

Mark Sloan, Helic Berg, Buzz Marvin, Ron Wesolowski, Joleen Hartman, Curtis Anderson, Louise Menk, Leila & Nelson Armagon, Theodora Adikini, Mike Hovde, Hilde Barbot, & Lillian Fortier

Flocknote

We are still plugging away at adding and updating information into Flocknote. If you yet have not added Flocknote messaging to your cell phone, please do so. Instructions are on insert. If you need help, Terrie Lynn in the parish office is more than happy to help you.



2023 DAA Goals

DAA status	Goal	Received
Sacred Heart, Baudette	\$10,138	
St. Mary's, Warroad	\$13,405	
St. Joseph's	\$1,992	

Would you like to deepen your faith

and let Jesus become more involved in your life? Let the Spirit lead you on a Cursillo. The Diocese of Crookston is offering a Men's Cursillo on the weekend of February 23-26, 2023 at Mount St. Benedict Monastery in Crookston. Applications are available at your parish office or at crookstoncursillo.weebly.com

Education Corner

Do the consecrated bread and wine cease to be the Body and Blood of Christ when the Mass is over?

No. During the celebration of the Eucharist, the bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ, and this they remain. They cannot turn back into bread and wine, for they are no longer bread and wine at all. There is thus no reason for them to change back to their "normal" state after the special circumstances of the Mass are past.

Why are some of the consecrated hosts reserved after the Mass?

While it would be possible to eat all of the bread that is consecrated during the Mass, some is usually kept in the tabernacle. The Body of Christ under the appearance of bread that is kept or "reserved" after the Mass is commonly referred to as the "Blessed Sacrament." There are several pastoral reasons for reserving the Blessed Sacrament. First of all, it is used for distribution to the dying (Viaticum), the sick, and those who legitimately cannot be present for the celebration of the Eucharist. Secondly, the Body of Christ in the form of bread is to be adored when it is exposed, as in the Rite of Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction, when it is carried in eucharistic processions, or when it is simply placed in the tabernacle, before which people pray privately. (www.usccb.org/eucharist)



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, your first call should be to law enforcement. In addition, the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator is available at 218-281-7895 (24-hour confidential number).

The Blessed Path: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings:

[Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13](#)

[Psalm 146:6-10](#)

[1 Corinthians 1:26-31](#)

[Matthew 5:1-12](#)

In the readings since Christmas, Jesus has been revealed as the new royal son of David and Son of God. He is sent to lead a new exodus that brings Israel out of captivity to the nations and brings all the nations to God.

As Moses led Israel from Egypt through the sea to give them God's law on Mount Sinai, Jesus too has passed through the waters in baptism. Now, in today's Gospel, He goes to the mountain to proclaim a new law—the law of His Kingdom.

The Beatitudes mark the fulfillment of God's covenant promise to Abraham—that through his descendants all the nations of the world would receive God's blessings (see [Genesis 12:3; 22:18](#)).

Jesus is the son of Abraham (see [Matthew 1:1](#)). And through the wisdom He speaks today, He bestows the Father's blessings upon "the poor in spirit."

God has chosen to bless the weak and lowly, those foolish and despised in the eyes of the world, Paul says in today's Epistle. The poor in spirit are those who know that nothing they do can merit God's mercy and grace. These are the humble remnant in today's First Reading, taught to seek refuge in the name of the Lord.

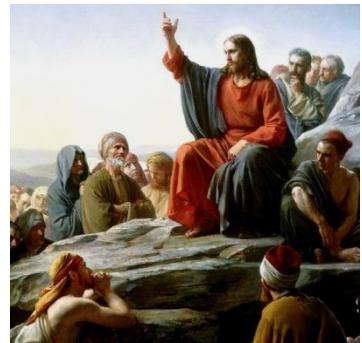
The Beatitudes reveal the divine path and purpose for our lives. All our striving should be for these virtues—to be poor in spirit; meek and clean of heart; merciful and makers of peace; seekers of the righteousness that comes from living by the law of Kingdom.

The path the Lord sets before us today is one of trials and persecution. But He promises comfort in our mourning and a great reward.

The Kingdom we have inherited is no earthly territory but the promised land of heaven. It is Zion where the Lord reigns forever. And, as we sing in today's Psalm, its blessings are for those whose hope is in the Lord.

Readings for the week of Jan. 29th

29 January 2023 – Sunday- Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time- First Reading: Zephaniah 2: 3; Zephaniah 3: 12-13, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 146: 6-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10, Second Reading: First Corinthians 1: 26-31, Alleluia: Matthew 5: 12a, Gospel: Matthew 5: 1-12a
30 January 2023 – Monday- First Reading: Hebrews 11: 32-40, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 31: 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, Alleluia: Luke 7: 16, Gospel: Mark 5: 1-20
31 January 2023 – Tuesday- John Bosco, Priest, Religious Founder Obligatory Memorial- First Reading: Hebrews 12: 1-4- Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 22: 26b-27, 28 and 30, 31-32, Alleluia: Matthew 8: 17, Gospel: Mark 5: 21-43
1 February 2023 – Wednesday-First Reading: Hebrews 12: 4-7, 11-15, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 103: 1-2, 13-14, 17-18a, Alleluia: John 10: 27, Gospel: Mark 6: 1-6,
2 February 2023 – Thursday- Presentation of the Lord Feast- First Reading: Malachi 3: 1-4, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 24: 7, 8, 9, 10, Second Reading: Hebrews 2: 14-18, Alleluia: Luke 2: 32, Gospel: Luke 2: 22-40 or Luke 2: 22-32
3 February 2023 – Friday-Ordinary Weekday / Blasé, Bishop, Martyr/ Ansgar, Bishop, Missionary- First Reading: Hebrews 13: 1-8, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 27: 1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc, Alleluia: Luke 8: 15, Gospel: Mark 6: 14-29
4 February 2023 – Saturday-Ordinary Weekday/ Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary-First Reading: Hebrews 13: 15-17, 20-21, Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6, Alleluia: John 10: 27, Gospel: Mark 6: 30-34



St. Mary's Religious Education

Please mark your calendar:

February 1st, 8th, and 15th : Regular RE classes

February 22nd: NO CLASS – Ash Wednesday Mass at 7pm for all Families

February 26th at 8:30am – Youth Mass – Led by 1st and 2nd Graders and their families

Wed. Feb. 1st

*Rel. Ed. K-6th gr. —4pm-5:30pm

Family Meal —5:30pm—6:15pm

7th –12th gr. —6:30pm—8pm

We are making a few tweaks to our Religious Education Schedule. With the hopes of warmer days in April, we are going to move Family Faith Night scheduled for March 8th to April 19th. We will come up with fun “Carnivalish” type games to play outside. Anyone interested in helping please contact Tammi. Please watch for an updated calendar next week. We will highlight any further changes to class schedules.



Children's Sunday Liturgy will be offered most Sundays unless there is a Youth Mass or school is on break. PreK through 7 years old are invited to join Solveig Harren during the Liturgy of the Word.



Please Help

We are still looking for an additional volunteer to co-teach 7th & 8th grade Religious Education in the New Year. If you wouldn't mind offering about 2 hours a week for this rewarding opportunity, please contact Tammi. You will need to take the Safe Environment training online. **Thank you for considering.**

Flocknote

How to sign up for Flocknote if you have not yet done so.

It is very easy to do.

Using your cell phone, open your text message app and send a text to this number 84576

For: *En Español: 202-765-3441*

Canada: 514-900-0130

In the message space type, **Buttercups**, then push send.

It will reply to you with signup information.

Click the link it sent you and just follow along.

If you only wish to get text or email messages, there is no need to install the app., however, as time proceeds on, you may find it beneficial to have the app.

If you have questions or concerns or need help, contact Terrie Lynn or Tammi. Please be patient with office staff, as we too are learning this new program.

Sacred Heart Parish: You can also sign up, there is a group called Sacred Heart, simply select that group as you are signing up.