

Second Sunday of Lent

Feb. 25th, 2024

# S t. Mary's Warroad, MN t. Joseph's Williams, MN acred Heart Baudette, MN



## Parish Office



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

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

**St. Mary's:** Saturdays 3pm—3:30pm  
Tuesdays 5:45pm—6:30pm

**St. Joseph's:** Closed for winter Dec. 2nd—May 2024

**Sacred Heart:** Sundays following Mass

## Sister Parish



**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

## Parish Staff & Members

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St. Mary's Sec/Bookkeeper, Safe Environment Coordinator

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St. Mary's Religious Education Coordinator

**Michael Grover** St. Mary's Cemetery Committee—218-242-0966

**Jerry & Lyla Pieper:** St. Joseph's Cemetery Committee- 218-783-6411

## **Knights of Columbus Council 10235**

KC Breakfast every 2nd Sunday of the Month immediately after

Mass in Fellowship Hall (Oct. –April)

Meetings held 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month  
after 8:30 am Mass & Breakfast in the St Augustine's Room

## St. Mary's Week Ahead

### St. Mary's Masses & Intentions

Saturday, Feb 24th, Mass @ 5:00pm: Peggy Bahr  
Commentator: Barb Kotta  
Reader: Bob Wennerstrand

Sunday, Feb. 25th, Mass@ 8:30am: Kyle DeMolee  
Commentator: Jennie Olson  
Reader: Harold Thiessen  
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Tuesday, Feb. 27th, Mass @ 5:15pm: for those suffering

Wednesday, Feb. 28th, 10:30am, Rosary Group

\*Rel. Ed. K-6th gr. —4pm-5:30pm  
Family Meal —5:30pm—6:15pm  
7th —12th gr. —6:30pm—8pm  
2nd Grade Parent Meeting at 5:10pm—First Holy Communion.

Thursday, Feb 29th, Mass @ Care Center 10:30am  
Adoration at St. Mary's @ 5pm  
Bible Study "The Mass" @ 6:30pm

Friday, March 1st, Mass @ 9am: For Souls in Purgatory

Stations of the Cross @ 6pm



Saturday, March 2nd, Mass @ 5:00pm: Dale Telle  
Commentator: Louise Dignan  
Reader: Barb Kotta

Sunday, March 3rd, Mass@ 8:30am: Ron Bishop  
Commentator: Harold Thiessen  
Reader: Nancy Ellenson

Please Hold in Prayer:

Blanche Blaser, David Brewster, Julie Paquin, August Herbrand, Marilyn Biondi, Penny Hirst, Jimmy Olson, Sarah Klaas, Carol Birkeland, David Cassi, Clint Gibbons, Larry Sindelir, Nayana Norindr, Joleen Hartman, Curtis Anderson, Louise Menk, Leila & Nelson Armagon, Theodora Adikini, Mike Hovde, Hilde Barbot, & Lillian Fortier

**St. Mary's Sunday Collection, Feb 18th, 2024**

Adult Envelope: \$1919  
Online: \$564.93



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

### Sacred Heart Masses & Intentions:

Sunday, Feb. 25th, Mass @10:30 am: for the Parishes  
Rosary @10:00 am

Wednesday, Feb. 28th, Mass @ SH @ 8:30am

Wednesday, Feb. 28th, Mass at Lakewood @ 9:30am

Sunday, March 3rd, Mass @10:30 am: Dale Telle  
Rosary @10:00 am

**Stations of the Cross each Friday at 3PM  
during Lent at Sacred Heart**

### St. Joseph's Masses & intentions:

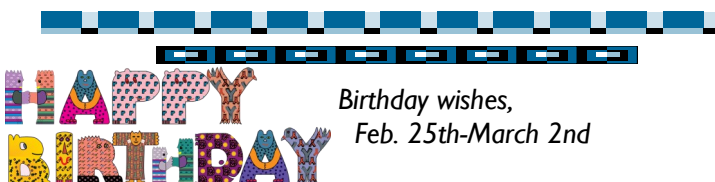
St. Joseph's will be reopening on Saturday May 4th @4:30.

### Bible In A Year Fellowship Group

Meets on Tuesdays at 1pm at Liz Lockner's home.  
Anyone is welcome. The Bible group follows Fr. Mike Schmitz study. If you have any questions, please contact:  
Liz @ 218-434-0407 Thank you.

### Weekend Offerings

February 18th	Sacred Heart	St. Joseph's Feb 1st 1/2
Envelopes	\$1065	1015
Plate	\$332	0
Total	\$1397	\$1015



Birthday wishes,  
Feb. 25th-March 2nd

Laci Kennedy  
Conway Marvin II  
Patrick Stoskopf

**Have a wonderful day.**

## 2nd Sunday of Lent

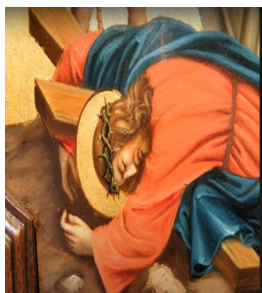
“Here I am!” he answered.”- Genesis 22:11

It is easy to say, “Here I am, Lord,” when we are kneeling in church. But how easy is it to say “Here I am, Lord,” when a neighbor needs our help, or when we are invited to join a parish ministry, or when we are asked to provide financial support? Often times we are called when it’s not convenient for us. Discipleship is not easy, most of the time it will make us uncomfortable and vulnerable.

## LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS

@ST MARY’S

PRESENTED BY OUR 7<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> GRADE  
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES



**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13<sup>th</sup> at  
7pm**

**ALL PARISHIONERS ARE WELCOME –  
PLEASE JOIN US**

**AND BRING A FRIEND**

### **We now have a Liturgy Committee**

in place! I would like to thank the following members for graciously and generously accepting to be in this Committee which will be overseeing all the liturgical activities at our beautiful Church.

1. Lois Thiessen.
2. Nancy Ellenson
3. Bob Wennerstrand
4. Barb Kotta
5. Cyd Amiot
6. Rosta Hurby.

**Thank you for your generosity to the Diocesan Annual Appeal.** The ministries you support touch the lives of thousands of Catholics in the Diocese of Crookston! If you have not had the opportunity to make your commitment, please make your pledge or gift this weekend. You can donate online at [www.crookston.org/DAA](http://www.crookston.org/DAA). For questions about automatic sustained giving, which is highly recommended, contact Reneé Tate at [rtate@crookston.org](mailto:rtate@crookston.org) or call 218-281-4533, ext. 432.

We will have our first meeting shortly so that we can discuss our roles and what is being expected from us. Once again, thank for accepting to be in this Committee.

~Fr. Christon

### **For Lent For Life ~ Catholic Relief Services’ Rice Bowl**

We will journey to Uganda, El Salvador and Indonesia to learn how issues like hunger impact our global family. Along the way we will reflect on how the Eucharist—the Bread of Life—compels us to share bread for life with all members of our human family. Please take a Rice Bowl to collect your Lenten donation to support families around the world. You can donate direct to CRS or bring to St Mary’s to donate on your behalf. Return by Easter. Thank you.



## **Jesus and the Eucharist Study Series**

We have been sharing the Jesus and the Eucharist series as a group here at Sacred Heart. We have finished, but the videos are available online.

Search for Jesus and the Eucharist videos. This would be a great Lenten series to watch as a family, or by yourself this year.

This is a seven part series, with a lot of great material that the bishops of the United States have made available, and are encouraging us all to avail ourselves to during this time of Eucharistic Revival.

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).

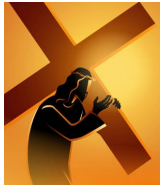
# Calendar Events



## Mark your Calendars

**March 3rd** Bishop Andrew Cozzens will be visiting and celebrating Mass at: 8:30 am at St. Mary's & 10:30 am at Sacred Heart in Baudette.

## Lent and Easter Triduum 2024



### Every Friday there will be Stations Of The Cross:

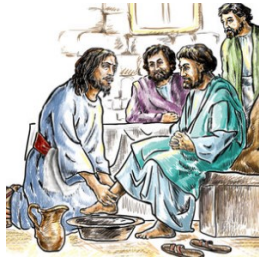
Sacred Heart @ 3pm

St. Mary's @ 6pm

**Confessions at Sacred Heart on March 8th**  
3– 5pm

### **Confessions at St. Mary's on March 20th**

- 4:15 pm—5:15 pm, is 2nd Gr.—6th Gr.
- 5:30pm—6:15 pm, Supper
- 6:30 pm—8 pm, Adoration & Confession for 7th– 11th grades & the whole Parish



### **Holy Thursday Mass, March 28th**

\*Sacred Heart, Baudette: 5:30 pm



**GOOD  
FRIDAY**

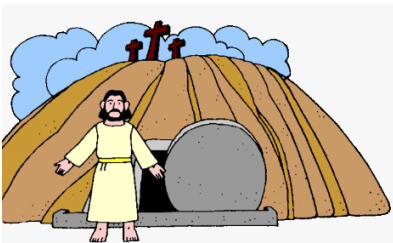
### **Good Friday Service, March 29th**

\* St. Mary's, Warroad: 3:00 pm

\* Sacred Heart, Baudette: 7pm

### **Holy Saturday Mass, March 30th**

\* St. Mary's, Warroad: 8 pm



### **Easter Sunday, March 31st**

⇒ St. Mary's, Warroad: 8:30 am

⇒ Sacred Heart, Baudette: 10:30 am



## Star of the North Eucharistic Congress May 17—19, 2024

IMPORTANT INFO: Many from the Parish are excited to attend this Pilgrimage since it is so close to home. Some are going for the entire event; some are making the Mass on Sunday.

There will be an **information meeting on Tuesday, March 19th at 6:30pm at St Mary's**. Please attend even if you are already registered/have hotel, or if you're still on the fence about going. Tammi will try to help answer questions, help with registration and/or lodging.

In the meantime, as you plan your weekend in Bemidji, keep in mind that the Star of the North Eucharistic Congress **begins May 17th, Friday evening at 7:00 PM** with Eucharistic adoration and a keynote presentation by Bishop Robert Barron, and continues

**Saturday with Mass at 9:00 AM**, followed by a day filled with testimonies, music, interactive "Saints Alive" presentations for families, keynote addresses by Sister Jude Andrew, Bishop Andrew Cozzens, and Father Mike Schmitz. There will also be a large vendor and exhibit hall throughout the conference. The congress **concludes at 4:30 PM**.

On **Sunday**, all are welcome to **Lake Itasca State Park** for outdoor Mass with Bishop Cozzens. The **Mass of the Solemnity of Pentecost** will take place at Itasca's Pioneer Village, beginning at **10:00 AM**. Following Mass, there will be a Eucharistic Procession to the headwaters of the Mississippi River. Here will commence the 1,000 mile Eucharistic procession along the [Marian Route](#) of the [National Eucharistic Pilgrimage](#).

The cost to register for the Star of the North Eucharistic Congress is **\$40 for adults** (18 and over) and **\$30 for youth** (ages 7 - 17). **Children age 6 and under are free**. All seating is General Admission. <https://www.ticketmaster.com/star-of-the-north-eucharistic-congress-bemidji-minnesota-05-17-2024/event> Or use the QR code on the Poster hanging up on the info wall. (A Ticketmaster **service fee** is charged on individual tickets purchased online. Individual tickets cannot be purchased from the Sanford Center Box Office over the phone.)

We can purchase tickets in blocks of 10 or more and we can call Sanford direct if we have enough interested.

There are hotels available (see next page); however, if anyone is interested in traveling as a group and looking to save money on lodging **PLEASE LET TAMMI KNOW BY March 5th**.

Bemidji State University is opening its dormitories for **groups of 10 or more** for the Star of the North Eucharistic Congress. If you would like to consider staying at BSU, dormitory rates range from \$20 per person per night, to \$35 per person per night. BSU is also offering options for breakfast and supper.

If you cannot attend this pilgrimage we ask that you pray for all those going from across Minnesota, the Dakotas and Wisconsin, as we gather to celebrate and glorify Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. The Star of the North Eucharistic Congress will inspire pilgrims to increase their devotion in the Eucharist while learning ways to share the many graces of this great Sacrament through powerful talks and witness testimonies, panels, fellowship, praise and worship, Mass, adoration, confession, and a Eucharistic Procession.

## Star of the North Hotel Rooms in and around Bemidji

Hotel room blocks have been reserved at the following properties. When making reservations, please ask for the "Star of the North" room rate.

All room reservations must be made by April 19, 2024 in order to receive the Star of the North Room Block Rate.

For a comprehensive list of hotel lodging in Bemidji, MN. Visit [VisitBemidji.com](http://VisitBemidji.com). But here are a few with Blocked Rates:

**Rutger's Birchmont Lodge** (6.6 Miles from Sanford Center)

[7598 Bemidji Rd. NE, Bemidji, MN](#)

(218) 444-3463

**Chase on the Lake Resort & Hotel** (35 miles from venue on beautiful Leech Lake)

[502 Cleveland Blvd. Walker, MN](#)

(218) 547-7777

When Booking Room, Please Reference Room Block #167531

### Hotels in the Greater Bemidji Area

**Country Inn - Walker, MN** - (35 miles from Sanford Center)

[442 Walker Bay Blvd., Aw-gwah-ching, MN](#)

(218) 547-1400

**Hotels in Park Rapids, MN** (45 miles from Sanford Center)

For a comprehensive list of hotel lodging in Park Rapids, MN Visit [ParkRapids.com](http://ParkRapids.com)

You are welcome to see if there were cancellations at these hotels:

**COUNTRY INN & SUITES by RADISSON HOTEL IS FULL**

[927 Lake Shore Dr NE, Bemidji, MN](#)

(218) 558-5174

**DOUBLETREE by HILTON HOTEL HOTEL IS FULL**

[115 Lake Shore Dr NE, Bemidji, MN](#)

(218) 441-4400

**HAMPTON INN & SUITES HOTEL IS FULL**

[1019 Paul Bunyan Dr S, Bemidji, MN](#)

(218) 751-3600