

The 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Feb. 16th 2025



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

Parish Office



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Sacrament of Reconciliation

St. Mary's: Saturdays 3pm -4pm
Tuesdays 5:45pm -6:30pm

St. Joseph's: Closed for Season

Sacred Heart: Sundays following Mass

Sister Parishes



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Knights of Columbus Council 10235

KC Breakfast every 2nd Sunday of the Month immediately after

Mass in Fellowship Hall (starting in Dec.)

Meetings held 2nd Sunday of the month

after 8:30 am Mass & Breakfast. Meeting held in the St Augustine's Room.

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

Donuts, drinks & good fellowship are served the last Sunday of every month
following Sunday morning Mass at St. Mary's, Warroad.

St. Mary's Week Ahead

St. Mary's Masses & Intentions

Saturday, Feb. 15th, Mass@ 5:00 pm: For our Parishes

Sacristan: Kris Drees

Reader: Darlene Smith

Communion: Cup: Deacon Jim & Nancy Lien

Body: Tim Paquin

Sunday, Feb 16th, Mass@ 8:30am: Dale Telle

Sacristan: Jess Gustafson

Reader: Brian Gustafson

Communion: Cup: Deacon Jim & Theresa Thunder

Body: Nancy Ellenson

Children's Liturgy: - Led by Jess Gustafson

Tuesday, Feb. 18th, Mass @ 5:15 pm

Finance Meeting @ 6:15pm

Wednesday, Feb 19th, Rosary group @ 10:30am

Religious Education Classes:

4:15pm - 5:30pm: K-6th

5:30pm - 6:15pm: Entire Family Meal

6:15pm - 7:30pm: 7th—12th

Thursday, Feb. 20th, Mass @Care Center @ 10:30 am

-Adoration at St. Mary's, @ 5:00pm

Friday, Feb 21st, Mass@ 9am: For the poor

Saturday, Feb. 22nd, Mass@ 5:00 pm: Herman Vogel

*There will be no Confession before Mass this day.

Sacristan: Olga Osse

Reader: Kim Hrubá

Communion: Cup: Deacon Jim & Louise Dignan

Body: Nancy Ellenson

Sunday, Feb 23rd, Mass@ 8:30am: For our Priests

Sacristan: Harold & Lois Thiessen

Reader: Jennie Olson

Communion: Cup: Deacon Jim & Renee Kuznia

Body: Mary Marvin

Children's Liturgy: - Need a person to lead class please

St. Mary's Sunday

Collection, Feb 9th, 2024

Adult Envelope: \$1256

Online: \$537



St. Mary's Parishioners, for your year-end tax donations, please visit your Flocknote account under "Giving" to find your 2024 donations. If you have trouble, touch base with Terrie Lynn for a copy.

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

Sacred Heart Masses & Intentions:

Sunday, Feb 16th, Mass @10:45 am: For our Parishes

Rosary @10:15 am

Wednesday, Feb. 19th, Mass @ SH, 8:30am

Wednesday, Feb. 19th, Mass @ Lakewood, 9:30am

Sunday, Feb 23rd, Mass @10:45 am: Harold & Theresia

Greeley

Rosary @10:15 am

St. Joseph's Masses & intentions:

There will be no Masses at St. Joseph's for the Winter Season.

It will open again next Spring.

Weekend Offerings

2/9/25/2025	Sacred Heart
Envelopes	\$1340
Plate	\$444
Total	\$1784



Lenten Opportunity

Are you looking for a way to grow closer to
your personal Savior this Lent?
Would you like to spend a few hours with
people who want to do the same?

Encountering Christ Retreat

There will be prayer, short talks, discussion.

Offered to parishioners of:

Kelliher/Blackduck/Nebish and Baudette/Williams/

Warroad.

Saturday, March 22 9:30am-3:30pm

St. Patrick's Catholic Church

Kelliher, MN

Registrations are available in the church entry.

Bingo at Lakewood Care Center

Thursday, Feb. 20th is Sacred Heart's turn for helping
with the bingo at Lakewood Care Center.
Volunteers are needed for that afternoon from
1:15pm to 3pm. All are welcome to participate. Please
call Rita Krause at 218-634-1961 for information.

6th Sunday of Ordinary Time

"Blessed are you when people hate you...exclude and insult you, and denounce your name...
on account of the Son of Man." - LUKE 6:22

All of us have been in situations when someone has made a negative comment or joke about God or our Catholic faith. How did you respond? Did you stay silent or pretend to go along with the crowd because you didn't want to cause waves and then, later, you felt bad? Know that God is with you all the time; the Holy Spirit will put the right words in your mouth. Pray for the strength and courage to proclaim our faith to others, especially during uncomfortable situations.



Monstrance

The vessel used to display a large consecrated host during exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
(Latin: monstrare – "to show, to point out")



Congratulations to Tovie Marie Sortland, daughter of Jessi & Casey, on receiving the Sacrament of Baptism on Sat. Feb. 15th. May Christ be with her always, guiding her in life.

Please Hold in Prayer:



Daniel & Gordon Kujava, David Fortier, Ozzy Jo Hentges, Mike Huerd, Connie Fish, Jack Borowicz, Kevin Scharfenkamp, Scott Pieper, Caral LePage, Gordon Otto, Gordy McDonald, Robert Skluzacek, Marilyn Biondi, Penny Hirst, Sarah Klaas, Carol Birkeland, David Cassi, Clint Gibbons, Larry Sindelir, Joleen Hartman, Curtis Anderson, Leila & Nelson Armagon, Theodora Adikini, Mike Hovde, Hilde Barbot, & Lillian Fortier.

March 9th there will be a second collection for the Black & Indian Missions. Please consider donating.

**SAVE the DATE: Bingo & Concessions
Fundraiser for Youth Mission Trip to Jamaica**
When: **Thursday, March 13th starting at 6:30pm
@ St. Mary's**

20 games, \$1 a card
Games 1-19: Winner receives 25% of the pot
Blackout Game 20: Winner receives 50% of the pot

SAVE THE DATE
Adult Lent Bible Study: "33 Days to Eucharistic Glory"
Study Guide by Matthew Kelly

Tuesdays at 1–2:30pm starting March 4th—April 29th
(no class April 22)

OR you could attend

Thursdays at 6pm—7:30pm (following adoration)
starting March 6th—May 1st (no class Apr 17 as it is
Holy Thursday) We will post sign ups Mid-February.

Happy Birthday! Wishes!



Feb. 16th– Feb 22nd
Have a wonderful

Thatcher Gustafson
Bob Wennerstrand
Bill Poole
Eileen Paquin

New Office Computers

Our computers are currently operating on Windows 10 which will be unsupported come fall this year. We will need to purchase a new laptop, monitors and docking stations for the office. Please consider helping by donating to our 'office computer fund.'
Thank you.

THE WORLD IS IN CRISIS – IS OUR LOCAL CHURCH READY TO RESPOND?

It is obvious to most Christians that the culture we live in is growing further from God. As far back as 1947, Venerable Fulton J. Sheen stated, “We are living in the end of Christendom.” He made it clear that this was not the end of Christianity, nor the end of the Church, rather the end of a society, a culture, that is organized around Christian principles. “Christendom is the economic, political, social life as inspired by Christian principles. That is finished – we’ve seen it die.” (Jan 26, 1947)

There was a time when the general culture supported the fundamental truths of a Christian worldview and Christian morals. But now we are living in a culture that has intellectually and morally rejected the truth of Christian revelation.

The Catholic Church in the United States needs to respond better. Catholics are leaving the Church in substantial numbers; 26.1 million baptized Catholics in the United States are no longer practicing the faith. There are six and a half Catholics who leave the Church in America for each person who joins it; 26 percent of the total U.S. population is unaffiliated with religion; 79 percent of those disaffiliated before age 23, with 13 as the median age of departure. These numbers continue to rise even though Catholicism continues to grow globally.

Excerpts From Bishop Cozzen’s Pastoral letter: New Life

FROM MAINTENANCE TO MISSION

Father James Mallon, founder of Divine Renovation Ministry, who spoke to our priests at their spring study days in 2024, is one of many voices explaining how the Church today needs to move “from maintenance to mission.”

Maintenance was the way the Church operated for centuries. Our parishes used to be places that sustained and strengthened the faithful amid a Christian culture. There was a time not so long ago in our diocese when the churches were full, and our main job was to provide the Sacraments and religious education to the faithful. This is no longer the case.

Today, we live in mission territory. Pope Francis spoke about this in 2013 soon after he assumed the papacy, when he commented on the parable where Jesus says he would leave the 99 sheep to go after the one that was lost.

“Brothers and sisters, we have one sheep. We have lost the other 99! We must go out; we must go out to them! In this culture – let us tell the truth – we only have one, we are a minority! And do we feel the fervor, the apostolic zeal to go out and find the other 99?” (Pope Francis, Address to Participants in the Ecclesial Convention of the Diocese of Rome, June 17, 2013)

Pope Francis is ringing the fire alarm!

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<https://www.crookston.org/vision>