St. Andrews Catholic Church

Mission: We are a Christian Community where all are welcome. Guided and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we strive to meet the spiritual needs of all through the Sacraments, religious education, and worship. We seek to live an example of holiness and encourage one another as we journey toward eternal life.

Schedule & Mass Intentions

Sunday, November 22
8:30 a.m. St. Elizabeth – †Albert & Gaudentia Mitchell
10:30 a.m. St. Andrew — †Dale Cox

Monday November 23
9 a.m. St. Elizabeth — †Isaac Benedict
4-7 p.m. St. Andrew — Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday, November 24
9 a.m. St. Andrew — Prayers of St. Jude

Wednesday, November 25
9 a.m. St. Elizabeth – †Dale Narlock

Thursday, November 26 (Thanksgiving)
9 a.m. St. Andrew — NO MASS

Sunday, November 29
8:30 a.m. St. Elizabeth – Parishioners
10:30 a.m. St. Andrew — †Joyce Buschette

To have Masses said for deceased or living family members, send your intentions to the parish office. Stipends are $10 per Mass.

***Daily Mass readings** can be found at www.usccb.org or www.livingfaith.com*

Rosary is prayed before Mass each Sunday morning beginning at 10:00 a.m.

Confessions: By request after daily and Sunday Mass and by appointment.

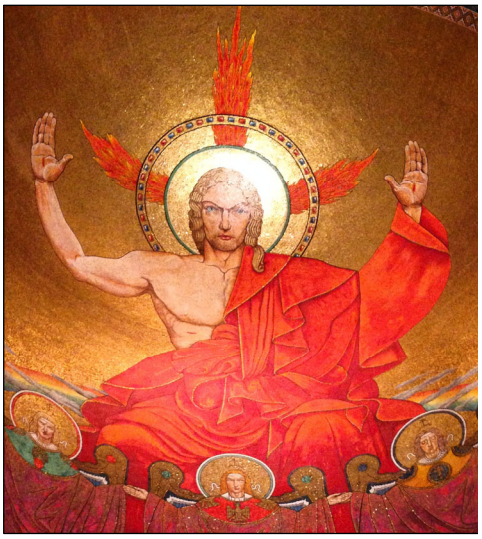
Prayers for the Sick: Remember all who are in need of the Lord's healing and strength and those who have asked for our prayers, especially: Bishop Balke, Carlos Diaz, Betty McDonald, Rose Swenson, Joan Vanderweyst (family friend of Tim and Karla Winkelman), Kay Dahlberg and Kim Moen (friends of Dawn Chisholm), Dean Grommesh (brother of Dawn Chisholm), Jason Dodd, Joan Wang, Tricia Rux, Faye Smiley Aakre, and Anna Schmidt. If you are aware of someone who should be added to the prayer list or if a name has been removed and you would like to again include someone, please email Deacontomstandrews@gmail.com.

All names will remain on the list for 30 days.

Nov. 22, 2026 / Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Christ the Universal King

"Then he will say to those on his left, "Depart from me, you accursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels. For I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me no drink, a stranger and you gave men no welcome, naked and you gave me no clothing, ill and in prison, and you did not care for me." – Matthew 25:41-43



Christ in Majesty mosaic in North Apse of the Basilica Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Washington, D.C. Distance between Christ's hands is 34 feet! Possibly the largest mosaic of Jesus in the world.

In the wake of World War I and response to spiritual and societal decline, Pope Pius XI recognized the urgent need to proclaim once more the universal kingship of Christ. He understood that when God's authority and divine law are excluded from public life, society drifts toward moral confusion and ruin. To counter this, he instituted the Feast of Christ the King in 1925, reminding the Church and the world that there is only one true King who is not only the King of Catholics and Christians, but the King of all humanity, the King of every nation, the King of the entire Universe. As we celebrate this glorious solemnity on the final Sunday of the Liturgical Year, we are invited to recall and reaffirm Christ's universal kingship.

Today's Gospel is a powerful reminder that, regardless of one's beliefs or unbelief, all will stand before Jesus Christ, the King of the Universe, and be judged by Him alone at the end of their earthly lives. No matter what creed one accepts or rejects, Christ remains the universal King and the sole Judge of all. To some He will say, "Come, you who are blessed by my Father. Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world." To others He will declare, "Depart from me, you accursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels." Judgment by Christ is inescapable. Those who reject Him in this life cannot say at death, "You have no right to judge me!" Jesus alone possesses that right and will exercise it with the perfect union of divine justice and mercy, seeing into the depths of every soul.

Grasping the universal and exclusive nature of Christ's kingship will inspire us to evangelize so as to draw every soul to Him and to work diligently to bring Christ into every sphere of human life, including governance. In nations where the separation of Church and State is the norm, we must remember that while Church leaders rightly refrain from wielding civil authority, this does not mean that Jesus Christ is to be excluded from public life. He must remain at the center of all human governance, just as He will be at the end of time when He holds all people accountable to His will.

Reflect today on the coming judgment of Christ. Consider whether He truly reigns as King over every aspect of your life—your thoughts, words, actions, relationships, and responsibilities. Then consider how you can help bring about His Kingdom in hearts, homes, and in the wider culture, so that when He comes in glory, you may be found among those at His right hand.

Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, You are the Lord of all creation, the Judge of every soul, and the only Savior of the world. We bow before You today in humble adoration, acknowledging Your sovereign authority over our lives, our nations, and our world. Reign in our hearts with the power of Your truth, purify our desires, and conform our lives to Your most holy will. May every soul in this world come to know and adore You in anticipation of that great and final day of Judgment. Jesus, I trust in You.

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Deacon Tom Jirik

Our warmest welcome to all who worship with us. We appreciate your participation. If you would like to join our community, please fill out this form and place in the collection basket or mail to our parish office.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Zip: _____

Book of Remembrance is Displayed During the Month of All Souls

During the Month of All Souls (November), many parishes have the custom of giving a place of honor to a book in which community members and visitors write the names of their beloved dead. The Book of Remembrance was inspired by the ancient practice of recording the dates of the deaths of loved ones in a necrology, a public record or registry of death. This practice provides the living with an opportunity for healing and consolation in the face of grief. The Book of Remembrance is usually displayed from the solemnity of All Saints until the beginning of Advent. It is left open for people to write the names of their deceased loved ones and for others to read the names, remember, and pray for the repose of their souls. Our Book of Remembrance will be located on a podium near the baptismal font.

HELP WANTED:
Mission Support Assistant
Records & Finances

The Parishes of St. Andrew and St. Elizabeth are seeking a detail-oriented, dependable individual to provide part-time administrative support (approximately 10–16 hours per week). Responsibilities include:

- Recording contributions, deposits, and disbursements in ParishSoft
- Processing payroll and parish bills
- Reconciling bank statements and maintaining financial records
- Preparing quarterly and annual financial reports
- Assisting with annual budgeting, reporting, and Diocesan requirements
- Maintaining parish census and HR records

Ideal candidate: Organized, accurate, trustworthy, and comfortable working with financial records and computer software. Experience with bookkeeping or payroll is helpful. If interested, please contact Father Augie at 218-443-6275 or agothman@crookston.org.

2027 Calendars Available

Pick yours up in the gathering space.

Liturgical Assignment	Sunday, Nov. 29
Lead Rosary	Janet Thompson
Altar Servers	Easton & Kyler Kolbinger Luke Lofgren
Ministers of Holy Communion	Troy Barth Kelly Bisek Dawn & Randal Chisholm Sheri Cook
Greeters	Langseth Family
Lectors	Kathy Johnston Kurt Ketterl
Ushers	Carmen & Troy Barth
Music Ministry	Cody Aldinger
Gift bearers	Dawn & Randal Chisholm
Counters	Sue Pederson Carol Schoff Laurel Schultz
Cookies & Coffee	Mary & Ron Sorvig Janet Thompson Kathy Tibbetts

The Pope's Monthly Intention

November – For the proper use of wealth: Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of the common good and solidarity of those who have less.

Charismatic Praise & Worship

Charismatic praise and worship followed by healing prayer is held at 6:30 p.m. at St. Elizabeth's on the second and four Thursday of every month.

Diocesan Victim Assistance:

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.)

Collection for Catholic Campaign for Human Development Is Today

If you missed this morning's collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development, please consider making a contribution next week. Place your contribution in an envelope and mark it for the "Campaign for Human Development." In the United States, one in seven people live in poverty. This collection supports programs that address the causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those who are struggling across the country. In addition, 25 percent of funds collected remains in our diocese to fund local anti-poverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection.

Next Week Is St. Mary's Mission Appeal

Founded in 1858, St. Mary's Mission School has been a cornerstone of education in Red Lake, MN, for generations. This fund helps create a supportive and enriching environment where students develop strong moral character, academic excellence, and a deep connection to their faith. You can give through the appeal mailing to your household, at next weekend's collection or online. For more information or to give online, go to https://www.crookston.org/smma Please be generous.

Diocese Kicks off Seminarian Appeal to support its nine(!) seminarians

This Month the Diocese of Crookston kicked off the Seminarian Appeal. This new appeal will support the diocese's seminarians in active formation. The Diocese of Crookston is incredibly blessed to have nine seminarians in formation and each year the diocese invests $16,000 to $60,000 per seminarian to cover education, formation, food, housing, travel, and spiritual direction. Your gift—no matter the size—directly impacts their ability to follow God's call without financial fear. With your support, they can give their full "yes" to Christ, confident that their Church family stands behind them. The goal is to raise $230,000 to help these young men in their discernment. Hear Bishop Cozzens' message: https://www.youtube.com/@diocrookston or read about the appeal in his October 30 "Lend us Your Heart" blog post: https://www.crookston.org/lend-us-your-heart.

Discerning the Diaconate Sessions

The Diocese of Crookston's next formation group for the permanent diaconate will begin in the Fall of 2027. The Diocese will be holding a "Discerning the Diaconate" session December 3 from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. via Zoom for men, and wives if married, to provide more information about the diaconate and deacon formation. If you are considering discernment of a call to the permanent diaconate, you are encouraged to attend one of these sessions. To register for one of the sessions and receive the Zoom link for the meeting, please email Deacon Mark Krejci, Director of Deacon Formation, at mkrejci@crookston.org. In the email, please indicate which session you wish to attend.

October Turkey Dinner Results

At our October Turkey Dinner, we served 374 adults, 14 students and 8 preschoolers. Profit was $5,063.16. From that profit, donations of $253 each were made to Birthright, Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life, and the Perry Center. Thanks to everyone who helped to make our dinners successful!

Journey to Eternity…

Whether you use a paper map or a GPS app, do you know where you are going? CENTRAL MINNESOTA KOINONIA is a weekend Catholic retreat program for adults sponsored by the St Cloud Diocese and is designed to help you on your faith journey. The next retreat is scheduled for January 22-24, 2027, at the TEC Center north of Little Falls, Minnesota. Cost of the weekend is $70. Go to www.centralmnkoinonia.org for more information and to register for retreats.

Diocese of Crookston retreat opportunities

Retreats will be at the Diocese of Crookston Nazareth Retreat House at the Diocesan Pastoral Center in Crookston. For more: https://crookston.org/attend-a-retreat.

- **December 4-6 — Mystical Roses Advent Retreat.** Join us for a special Marian Advent retreat as we ask Mary, the Mystical Rose, to draw us more deeply into the hope, expectation, and joyful waiting with which she awaited the birth of her son.
- **January 22-24 — Jesus Heals.** A healing retreat for spiritual, emotional and physical healing offered by the Diocesan Jesus Heals Ministry. Priests, deacons, and several individuals trained in the healing ministry will share the mighty works of Jesus Christ and his healing power. One-on-one healing prayer will be available.
- **January 28-31 — Bishop Cozzens' Men's Silent Retreat.** This 4-day retreat will consist of conferences each day aimed at helping you to relate and receive from God in the present, with daily Mass, daily Eucharistic Adoration and opportunities for silence and solitude. In addition, there will be times of individual spiritual direction.
- **February 4-7 — Women's Silent Retreat.** This retreat is an invitation to enter into silence so that God's voice can be amplified. Daily conferences will provide opportunities to learn more about prayer and to dispose your heart to receive whatever God desires for you. Daily Mass and Reconciliation as well as times of individual spiritual direction will be offered.
- **February 11-14 – Men's Cursillo.**
- **February 20-21 – Transformed in Love.** For engaged couples

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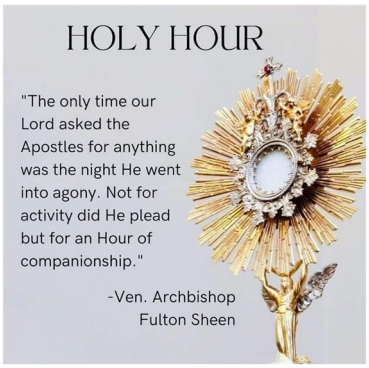
Get parish updates right on your phone!

- View parish announcements
- Access bulletins and event calendars
- Receive important parish communications
- Connect with fellow parishioners through the app

SCAN ME

Getting started is easy:

- Scan the QR code with your phone's camera
- Download the TeamReach app
- Join the St. Andrew's group



Archbishop Fulton Sheen was beatified in September, on his way to being declared a saint by the Catholic Church one day. One of the significant things he did in his life was to make a daily holy hour before the Blessed Sacrament. We have Eucharistic Adoration at St. Andrews on Mondays from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. It has been said that we are experiencing another Great Depression, this time it's a mental health one, loneliness, emptiness, depression, anxiety, fear, and more. I invite you to hear the words of Jesus: "Come to me, you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest." Please come and pray for yourself, your family, your friends, your neighbors, and those suffering any kind of mental health issue. Come and draw closer to the one who loves you more than anyone loves you!



Pray for Future Vocations

During November we are praying for future vocations – that our young people will prayerfully discern God's plan for them and their vocation as priests, deacons, men and women religious, marriage or single life.

Please consider signing up to take the traveling Vocations Crucifix Kit home for a week. The prayers in the kit take only 30 to 90 seconds each – far less than the time it takes to microwave a bag of popcorn. Please fill up the sign-up sheet in the gathering space. Let's fill it for the entire year!

Pilgrimage to Ireland September 2027

Dear Pilgrims and Friends,
I warmly invite you to join us on a pilgrimage to Ireland September 7-16, 2027. Together we will walk in the footsteps of the saints, visiting ancient monastic sites, holy wells, and beloved shrines across the Emerald Isle.

Along the way we will celebrate daily Mass, share in prayer and reflection, and enjoy the beauty, music, and hospitality of the Irish people. Whether this is your first pilgrimage or one of many, you will be most welcome.

Trip highlights:

- We depart from Minneapolis, with a direct flight to Dublin.
- Travel through Galway, Killarney, Cork, Cobh, and Dublin.
- Visits to Our Lady of Knock, the Cliffs of Moher, Titanic, distilleries, and more.

There are 16 open spots. If anyone has questions or needs further information, please feel free to reach out to me or to Jerrica Pribula:

- Fr. Chuck Huck -- 218-329-6572, chuck@crookston.org
- Jerrica Pribula – 701-260-0245, Jerrica.anheluk@gmail.com

I would be delighted to have you with us.

Blessings,
Fr Chuck Huck

Comfort, care and prayer. . .

If you or someone you know is in need of a blessed prayer blanket, see Fr. Augie or Deacon Tom. We have a number of hand-made blankets available.

Catholic Voices Count: Join the Catholic Advocacy Network!

Your voice matters in the conversations that shape our life together. Faithful citizenship means more than voting every few years. It means staying informed, engaging thoughtfully, and making our voices heard on the issues that affect our neighbors and the common good. The Catholic Advocacy Network makes it easy to participate in the political process by keeping you informed on the bills in play, helping you get to know your legislators, and encouraging you to take action during crucial decision-making moments. Each year, thousands of your fellow faithful citizens send messages to their legislators and the Governor, resulting in significant legislative achievements. For example, in the 2026 legislative session, with your help, the Minnesota Catholic Conference spearheaded the passage of landmark social media legislation designed to protect kids from addiction and exploitation by tech companies. Sign up at www.mncatholic.org.

● Parish Contest! Three Minnesota parishes with the most Catholic Advocacy Network sign-ups during November will win $2,000. Awards will be given in three categories based on parish size: small, medium, and large! Sign up today!