



St. Andrew's Catholic Church
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MISSION STATEMENT

St. Andrew's Catholic Church is 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.

Pastor: Fr. Augie Gothman AGothman@crookston.org Phone: (218) 287-2705 – St. Elizabeth Parish Office

St. Elizabeth's Website: www.stlizabethilworth.org

In an emergency, call 218-443-6275 (Fr. Augie) **any time – day or night.**

Deacon: Tom Jirik (701) 219-3949 or deacontomstandrews@gmail.com

Sec/Bkkpr: Mary Johnson

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).

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

SUNDAY MASSES:

St. Andrew's----- 10:30 a.m.

3/10 – †Dale Cox

Saturday 3/16 – 5 p.m. (NO Sunday Mass)

NEXT WEEKEND – Saturday, March 16 – 5 p.m. Mass – Fr. Pat Sullivan

St. Elizabeth's ----- 9:00 a.m.

3/10 – †Catherine Brown

3/17 – Parishioners

WEEKDAY:

St. Andrew's----- 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday – Brown Family

Thursday – †Rick & Charyl Palmer

St. Elizabeth's----- 9:00 a.m.

Monday – Hope Walters

Wednesday – †Dave Retterath

CARE OF THE SICK:



Remember in your prayers all who are in need of the Lord's healing and strength and those who have asked for our prayers especially Faye Smiley-Aakre, Karla Radke Wohlers (friend of Mary Johnson), Sandy Dornbeck, Kristi Heupel (daughter of Jerry & Sue Pederson), Leah Brambrink (friend of Tim & Karla Winkelman, Tori Hovelsrud, Jeff McDonald (son of Betty McDonald), Anna Schmidt, Wayne Knauss, Debby Leach, Mary Knoell (sister of Debby Leach), Mary Jirik, and Charlotte Olson (sister-in-law of Leslie Cox). 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 contact the parish office.

March 10 – FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23; Ps 137:1-6; Eph 2:4-10; Jn 3:14-21

March 11 – Lenten Weekday

Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-12a, 13b; Jn 4:43-54

March 12 – Lenten Weekday

Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

March 13 – Lenten Weekday

Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13c-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30

March 14 – Lenten Weekday

Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-23; Jn 5:31-47

March 15 – Lenten Weekday

Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-21, 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

March 16 – Lenten Weekday

Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9b-12; Jn 7:40-53

March 17 – FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:3-4, 12-15; Heb 5:7-9; Jn 12:20-33

St. Andrew's Pastoral Council

Matt Cook.....*2024

Beau Lofgren.....*2024

.....*2024

Carmen Barth.....*2025

Heather Egenes.....*2025

.....*2025

Scott Kolbinger.....*2026

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.....*2026

(* year terms expire)

Brenda Norris, Trustee

Cody Aldinger, Trustee

Fr. Augie Gothman

Deacon Tom Jirik

Mary Johnson, Recording Secretary

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

March 10, 2024

*Do what
is true.*

Jn 3:21





COLLECTION – March 3, 2024

Adult Envelopes = \$1,709.00
 Children's Envelopes = \$1.00
 Loose Plate = \$277.00
 Building Fund = \$200.00
 Maintenance Fund = \$50.00
 Church in Eastern Europe = \$20.00
 Black & Indian Missions = \$20.00
Electronic Giving:
 General = \$982.75
 Building Fund = \$10.00
 Maintenance Fund = \$55.00

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

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION is offered in our parish on Mondays from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Prepare and Share Freezer Meal Ministry – Do you know someone in our parish in need of support emotionally, physically, or spiritually? St. Andrew's "Prepare and Share" outreach ministers to those in need by delivering home-made meals to families and individuals for use when it works best for them. Please direct questions and referrals to Jane VanHavermaet at jane.vanhavermaet@gmail.com, 218-790-4530.

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS FOR SATURDAY, MARCH 16

Lead Rosary NONE
 Altar Servers Jonathan & Carter Lofgren, Ruth Thompson
 Ministers of Holy Communion Kelly Bisek, Dan Borash
 Randal & Dawn Chisholm, Sheri Cook, Carlos Diaz
 Greeters Kolbinger Family
 Lectors Dezi Aldinger, Kelly Bisek
 Ushers Troy & Carmen Barth
 Music Ministry Cody Aldinger
 Gift Bearers Geeslin Family
 Counters Brenda Norris, Diane Omberg, Margaret Ristvedt
 Cookies & Coffee **NONE – Dinner Preparations**

TODAY'S GOSPEL READING



Lent presents a special time to focus on our relationship with God. We spend much time discussing how to live properly during Lent. Should we fast and on what days? Is doing Christian service more valuable than a personal sacrifice of food

or fun? And while these questions are worth consideration, their focus may be a bit too narrow. Instead take a moment to consider Matthew Henry's quote: "The whole life of a Christian should be nothing but praises and thanks to God; we should neither eat nor sleep but eat to God and sleep to God and work to God and talk to God." An excellent recipe for Lent and our daily Christian walk.

STEWARDSHIP

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son..."

– John 3:16

Of all the wonderful gifts that God has given to us, the gift of His own Son is truly the greatest. How can we ever thank God for a gift like that? God does not ask us to sacrifice our own precious firstborn, but He does ask that we are grateful and generous with our God-given gifts. That we nurture and develop our gifts, and in gratitude, generously give back with increase our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works and our treasure to support the mission and ministry of our parish and greater Church.

VOCATIONS

"God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through Him." Are you being invited to share the mission of Jesus as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life?

UPCOMING DATES

Pastoral Council Meeting – Tuesday, March 12 – 7 p.m.
 Turkey Dinner – Sunday, March 17
 KC Fish Fry – Friday, March 22 – 5-7 p.m.



NEXT WEEKEND MASS

SATURDAY, March 16, 5 p.m.

Reminder: Turkey Dinner

If your last name begins with the letters A-L, bring a salad. Salads should fill the equivalent of a 5-qt ice cream pail. Please do not bring jello as it melts into everything else on the plates.

If your last name begins with the letters M-Z, bring a dessert. Desserts are either 2-9x13 pans or 1 jelly roll-size pan. Please avoid plain cakes. We have spoiled our customers, and they look for fancier desserts!

For each dinner, one group of people receives a letter asking them to be on the Cleanup Committee. However, everyone in the parish is expected to help with other aspects of the dinner even though you receive no notice. This means you would work at three dinners a year but only stay for cleanup once every approximately three dinners. You are expected to find a replacement for cleanup if you are unable to be here.

Volunteers are needed to roast turkeys and dressing (directions will be provided). Please offer your assistance after Mass on Saturday evening. Turkeys can be picked then, and dressing is prepared after the Saturday evening Mass. All you need to help with this is a working oven and the ability to follow basic instructions. (It's so easy, even a Deacon can do it!)

Relishes you might donate include a variety of pickles and olives, fresh veggies (carrots, celery, radishes, cauliflower, broccoli), and items to add color such as spiced apples or cinnamon stick pickles.

If you can't make it to the dinner or provide your food? A monetary donation would be greatly appreciated!

Our dinners started over 40 years ago (when we did a minimum of 5 a year) as a way to make our building payments. They still play a large role in our budget. They pay our church cleaners and other incidental costs. More importantly, however, we feel they are a real community builder for our own church and a wonderful public relations tool. In addition, local charities receive 15 percent of each dinner profit. Please continue to support them in any way you can.

Questions or suggestions can be directed to Guild Co-Chairs: Veronica Johnson (483-3419) & Sue Pederson (483-4490), or the Parish Office (483-4264).

Sacrament of Reconciliation: (St. Andrew's)

Saturday, March 16 – 3-4:30 p.m.

Sunday, March 17 – 6-8 p.m.

Monday, March 18 – 4-7 p.m.

Tuesday, March 26 – 6-8 p.m.

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES COLLECTION

This week we take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection to reveal Christ's love to our brothers and sisters in need. This collection makes grants to six Catholic agencies that provide relief and support for struggling communities and work for peace and reconciliation among our marginalized brothers and sisters, both here and around the world. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.

CHRISM MASS

The Most Reverend Andrew H. Cozzens invites all the faithful of the Diocese of Crookston to the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception for the 2024 **Chrism Mass at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, March 25**. Each year, the oils for sacramental anointing used in the diocese are blessed at the Chrism Mass. These oils include: the oil of the infirm, used for the sick and dying to give them strength to bear their suffering, resist evil and obtain forgiveness for sin; the oil of the catechumens, used to give strength to renounce sin and the devil; and the Sacred Chrism, the chief anointing oil, used at Baptism, Confirmation and Ordination as well as the anointing of altars and walls of churches being dedicated for Christian worship. Representatives will receive the blessed oils and take them to their parishes throughout the diocese. The priests of the diocese will also renew their promises to the bishop that evening. Livestream will be available at crookston.org

ALMSGIVING

† Operation Rice Bowl for those in need through Catholic Relief Services. Available on the table in the gathering area. **Please bring to Mass on Palm Sunday.**

† Catholic Relief Services – March 10 collection.

† Good Friday, March 29 – Collection is for the Holy Land.

Palm Sunday is March 24

Please bring your rice bowl with you to Mass on Palm Sunday and place it in the basket in the gathering space. Thank you for participating in the rice bowl project.

Don't forget to wear RED!

KC FISH FRY

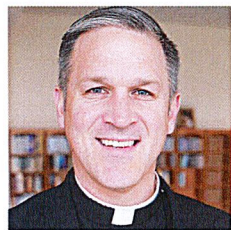


The KC's will have A Fish Fry on Friday, March 22; serving from 5-7 p.m. Menu: Beer Battered Cod, Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Coleslaw, Beverage, and Dessert. Cost: \$14 for adults and \$8 for 12 and under. Supersized meal is \$21. Two serving options will be available – dine-in or takeout. *For takeout orders, please call or text Troy at 701-367-9874. Please leave a message with the number of orders if there is no answer.*

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL – 2024

Thank you for your generosity with the Diocesan Annual Appeal. To date the diocese has received \$512,766 from 1,583 households. As of 2-29-24 St. Andrew's has committed \$4,390.00 towards our \$ 12,564.00 goal. Your gifts to the DAA provide ministries that impact everyone in our Catholic community, especially the gift of Jesus in the Eucharist, who says to each of us "I am with you always." Visit www.crookston.org/DAA to make your gift online, or to view additional information about all the good you do when you support the DAA! Thank you for your generosity!

SPEAKER – Fr. Craig Vasek



The St. Andrew's Religious Ed youth would like to invite everyone to a parish-wide event on Wednesday, March 13, at 6:30 p.m. as we welcome Father Craig Vasek from the Diocese of Crookston. He will share his story of conversion and his growth of faith in the Holy Eucharist. We will be serving a delicious soup supper starting at 6 p.m. This is an event you won't want to miss!

Bio 2023

Father Craig Vasek is a priest of the Diocese of Crookston in Northern MN. Father studied for the priesthood at the Pontifical North American College in Vatican City, earning two degrees in theology from the Pontifical University of Saint Thomas Aquinas. A few years later, Father Vasek complemented his Biblical and theological studies by obtaining a Master of Science in Psychology from Divine Mercy University, Arlington, Virginia.

In 2021, Father Vasek was chosen as one of fifty National Eucharistic Preachers for the National Eucharistic Revival in the United States of America. He was also appointed as a specialist for the Revival, serving at the headquarters of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops in Washington, D.C. During that time, Father was privileged to be part of a delegation which was received in private audience by the Holy Father to receive his apostolic blessing for the National Eucharistic Revival and 10th National Eucharistic Congress.

Father Vasek has worked extensively as a retreat director for Mother Teresa's religious community, the Missionaries of Charity, preaching retreats in Europe, Africa, and Asia.

He has also served as the Chaplain of Athletics at the University of Mary, as Program Director for the Institute of Faith, Virtue, and Sport, and as a faculty member in the School of Behavior Science and the School of Arts and Sciences.

You can find him online at fathervasek.com.

HOLY WEEK MASS SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday, March 28

7:00 p.m.

Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday, March 29

7:00 p.m.

Vigil Mass

Saturday, March 30

8:30 p.m.

Easter Sunday Mass

March 31

9:00 a.m. – St. Elizabeth's

10:30 a.m. – St. Andrew's

All Masses will be livestreamed on Facebook.

All Masses will be held at St. Andrew's.

CHURCH CLEANER NEEDED

WE ARE IN NEED OF SOMEONE TO CLEAN OUR CHURCH.

This is a shared position with other cleaners performing the duties on a monthly rotation; approximately 10 hours/week. Pay is determined by the number of Sundays in a calendar month and payroll is done monthly. If interested and for more information, please contact Fr. Augie or Deacon Tom.



OUT OF PARISH NEWS

Women's Care Center is looking for special people committed to our mission, who are personable with excellent communication skills. A part-time or full-time counselor position is available. Degreed and non-degreed candidates are encouraged to apply. Will train. Degreed in counseling, social work, nursing, teaching, or other service-related background is preferred, but not necessary. Please forward your resume to Ashley at acapuyan.wccindy@gmail.com. For further details or questions, call Angela at 701-237-6530.

Free Lutheran Bible College Concert Choir

Friday, March 8 – 7:00pm

Maranatha Free Lutheran Church
101 Foundation Ave, Glyndon

The **Holy Rosary Quilt Group** invites you to a Quilting Retreat at the Diocese Pastoral Center from Thursday, April 18, to Sunday, April 21, 2024. Contact Sandy at 701-540-2692 or sfgravelle@hotmail.com for reservation information.

Fish Fry at St. Paul's Newman Center

5:00-7:00 p.m. in the Social Hall

Mar 15, Mar 22 – Freewill Offering (Suggested Donation \$15)



Have you considered Cursillo?
A Cursillo weekend does not disappoint.
Women's Spring Cursillo weekend
March 14-17

Taizé' Prayer

A service of song, silence and contemplation

Tuesday, **March 19**, at 6:30 p.m. in the Chapel at Riverview Place; 5300 12th St. S.; Fargo, ND 58104. We offer a special invitation to those who will be involved in celebrating Holy Week. Come and take time for yourself at Taizé.

ST. ELIZABETH'S ITALIAN SPAGHETTI DINNER

Our SPRING Authentic Italian Spaghetti Dinner at St. Elizabeth's in Dilworth is BACK !!! You will notice a new time for our Spring Dinner. We will be serving from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 28. Take-out will be available. Cost of the meal is \$18.00 for adults and \$10.00 for children. Preschool (free). We will have a raffle drawing for (2) ½ Hogs and cash prizes



Springtime at the Lakes

Tabletop Luncheon

Featuring: Tim Eggebraaten
(motivational speaker & entertainer)

Saturday, May 18, 2024

10:30 a.m. - Table Viewing

11:00-1:00 p.m. - Lunch & Entertainment

Tickets are \$20

The Belles of St. Mary of the Lakes Church
20996 County Hwy 20
Detroit Lakes, MN



EASTER FLOWERS

Easter flowers will be supplied in part through generous donations given by parishioners in honor of living and deceased loved ones. If you wish to make a memorial or honorarium, please complete the form below and put it with your gift in an envelope marked "Easter Flowers" and place it in the collection basket. Suggested donation is \$10 per plant.

**In
Memory/Honor
Of**

Donated By

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

Name

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City

Zip

☐ New Parishioner

☐ New Address

☐ New Phone