



April 19, 2026 Third Sunday of Easter



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Mission Statement

St. Andrews 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
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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.)

Mass Intentions

SUNDAY MASSES:

St. Andrew's 4/19/2026 - †Mary Geeslin

4/26/2026 - Parishioners

St. Elizabeth's 4/19/2026 - Parishioners

4/26/2026 - †Geneva Busko

WEEKDAY:

St. Andrew's 9:00 a.m. Tuesday - 4/21/26 - Georgine Casement

Thursday - 4/23/26 - Prayers of St. Anthony

St. Elizabeth's 9:00 a.m. Monday - 4/20/26 - †Beatrice Schmaltz

Wednesday - 4/22/26 - †John Hanson

Mass intentions: If you would like to have Masses said for deceased or living family members, please send your intentions to the parish office. Mass stipends are \$10 per mass.

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, Gordy Zurn (Sherry Bisek's Dad), Anna Schmidt, Karla Wohlers (friend of Mary Johnson), and Eddie Sullivan (Father of Paul Sullivan). 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. **All names will remain on the Care of the Sick list for 30 days. Please submit request to add name back on. Thank you.**

Bible readings for this week:

April 19 - Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 2:14,22-33; Psalm 16:1-2,5,7-8,9-10,11; 1 Peter 1:17-21

April 20 - Monday of the Third Week of Easter

Acts 6:8-15; Psalm 119:23-24,26-27,29-30; John 6:22-29

April 21 - Tuesday of the Third Week of Easter

Acts 7:51-8:1a; Psalm 31:3cd-4,6&7b&8a, 17&21ab; John 6:30-35

April 22 - Wednesday of the Third Week of Easter

Acts 8:1b-8; Psalm 66:1-3a,4-5,6-7a; John 6:35-40

April 23 - Thursday of the Third Week of Easter

Acts 8:26-40; Psalm 66:8-9,16-17,20; John 6:44-51

April 24 - Friday of the Third Week of Easter

Acts 9:1-20; Psalm 117:abc,2; John 6:52-59

April 25 - Feast of St. Mark, evangelist

1Peter 5:5b-14; Psalm 89:2-3,6-7,16-17; Mark 16:15-20

April 26 - Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 2:14a.36-41; Psalm 23:1-3a,3b,4,5,6; 1 Peter 2:20b-25; John 10:1-10

St. Andrew's Pastoral Council:

Matt Cook _____*2027

Mikel Olson _____2026

(* year terms expire)

Beau Lofgren _____*2027

Scott Kolbinger _____2026

Tracey Viergutz _____2027

Lynn Buschette _____2026

Cody Aldinger, Trustee

Heather Egenes _____*2025

Kelly Bisek - Chairperson _____2026

Fr. Augie Gothman

“Did not our hearts burn within us while He talked to us on the road, while He opened to us the Scriptures?”

— Luke 24:32

How often do you take the time to discern what Jesus is calling you to do with your life? Are your prayers always petitions, asking Jesus to do things for you? If so, that's a one-sided relationship. Living our faith means developing a personal relationship with Jesus. Just like any friendship, there is give and take, each side listening to each other and helping each other out. Take time, in silence, to listen to what Jesus is asking of you today.

What Are You Speaking Of?

If Jesus greeted you on your road today, could you answer the question, “What do you speak of?” without blushing? We travel our own road, moving further from the day we learned about Jesus' resurrection. Are we taking the story with us? Are we reminding ourselves and those around us that a miracle has taken place? Let's pray that the Easter story is fresh and new to us every morning, so that on the Lord's return He will find us ready to answer, “Yes, Lord, we are speaking of You!”



Easter Flower Donations

Thank you to those who donated funds to help defray the cost of our Easter flowers. Your donations helped make our sanctuary beautiful for our glorious celebration of Easter.

Duane and Kristi Hovelsrud family in memory of:

Emma Hovelsrud, Vicki Schreiner, Melvin and Grace Hovelsrud

Leslie Cox in memory of:

Dale Cox, Linus & Margaret Kensok, Lynn Kensok, and Michelle Kulasingham

Anna Schmidt in memory of:

Bud Schmidt

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Kalyn Boarsh for making her profession of faith, being Confirmed and receiving her first Holy Communion today! Welcome into the Catholic Church!

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Offered at our Parish on Mondays from 4 - 7 pm.

In the words of Mother Teresa, *“The time you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the best time you will spend on earth. Each moment you spend with Jesus will deepen your union with him and make your soul everlastingly more glorious and beautiful in heaven and will help bring about everlasting peace on earth.”*

Liturgical Assignment	Sunday, April 26
Lead Rosary	Janet Thompson
Altar Servers	Ruth Thompson Adley Underdahl Coulton Underdahl
Ministers of Holy Communion	Kathy Tibbets Cody & Shelly Aldinger Randal & Dawn Chisholm
Greeters	Ryan and Vaida Vossen
Lectors	Beau Lofgren Sue Pederson
Ushers	Lloyd Maydole Dean Omberg
Music Ministry	Cody Aldinger
Gift bearers	1st Communion Class
Counters	Becky Thbiel Kathy Tibbets Sue Hesteness
Cookie & Coffee	Carol Schoff Mary Sorvig Janet Thompson

The Pope's Monthly Intention

April — For priests in crisis: Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

Sign up for Travelling Crucifix for Vocations

The sign-up for the travelling Crucifix for Vocations is located in the gathering space, just outside the north entrance to the sanctuary. We are in need of households to sign up to host the travelling Crucifix for Vocations and pray daily for vocations in our Diocese.



- *The process is as easy as can be: Take the travelling crucifix to your home for a week and place it in a prominent place as a reminder to pray for vocations then recite the prayer on the provided prayer card each day.*

Of course you can say additional prayers or a rosary each day if you wish. Many families say the time with the crucifix in their home has inspired them to pray more frequently for religious vocations. Your prayers are powerful and will result in more priests, deacons, religious men and women in our diocese!

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: _____

St. Andrew's Men's Bible Study

When: 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month, 7:00-8:00 AM

Where: Church Library (South doors will be unlocked)

What We Do:

- Read and discuss Sunday gospel readings
- Talk about what Christ is doing in our lives
Share prayer requests and pray

Want to join?

Text Mike at 218-232-4875 to be added to the group text chain

Coming events

April 25 — First Communion Retreat, 8-10 a.m.

April 26 — First Communion, 10:30 a.m.

April 28 — KC Blood Drive, 2:15-6:15 p.m.

Catholic Home Missions Appeal!

Next week we will take up the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Nearly 40% of dioceses in the U.S. and its current and former territories are unable to fund the essential pastoral work their communities need. Your support for this appeal helps them meet these faith formation and sacramental needs. Prayerfully consider how you can support this appeal.

World Day of Prayer for Vocations – April 26, 2026

The World Day of Prayer for Vocations will be observed on Sunday, April 26, 2026, also known as **Good Shepherd Sunday**. On this day, the Church responds to the Lord's invitation to "pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest" (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2). We ask all the faithful to pray that young men and women will generously hear and respond to God's call to the priesthood, diaconate, religious life, societies of apostolic life, and secular institutes.

Out of Parish News

Springtime at the Lakes Tabletop Luncheon

St. Mary of the Lakes Catholic Church, Detroit Lakes, MN, will host its "Springtime at the Lakes Tabletop Luncheon" on Saturday, **May 16**, at 10:30 a.m. Table Viewing will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Lunch & entertainment is \$20. Entertainment will be Jayme Littlewolf (playing piano) & R.N. Tertainment.

Volunteers needed at Women's Care Center

Use your talents while supporting moms and babies! To learn more or to apply, call (701) 237-6530 or email chloe@wccnd.com

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat: Hope and Healing

A safe, non-judgmental and confidential weekend retreat for anyone – including women, men, couples, grandparents or siblings – who struggle with the feelings of loss or guilt that can accompany an abortion experience. Weekend begins Friday evening and concludes on Sunday afternoon. Two retreats are scheduled for the Fargo diocese: April 17-19 and Nov 6-8. For more information, contact Sherry at 701-520 1229 or Tim at 701-799-2051 or email rvregister@yahoo.com. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

Cormorant Lutheran Church Spring Salad Luncheon

Cormorant Lutheran Church will serve its Spring Salad Luncheon on Saturday, May 2, 2026 at 11 a.m. for a freewill offering. The theme is "Aprons Appear, Love Served Here." Bring along and wear your favorite apron! Cormorant Lutheran is located at 14314 County Highway 4, Lake Park, MN 56554.

Nazareth Retreat House Retreats in 2026

Upcoming retreats at the Diocese of Crookston Nazareth Retreat House at the Diocesan Pastoral Center in Crookston.

- Jun 27-28 FIAT Ministries Discernment Retreat for Single Woman ages 18-30

<https://crookston.org/attend-a-retreat>

Let the Silence Transform You

Are you longing for a spiritual renewal, greater spiritual freedom, and a deeper encounter with God? Experience a silent retreat at the Nazareth Retreat House. Gain perspective, learn to hear the Lord speak, and revitalize your journey of self-discovery with greater honesty and integrity in Christ. Extended Weekend retreats are offered for men or women year round. Visit us online or join our standby list.

www.crookston.org/nazareth

Catholic Man Night at St. Benedicts

Join us for the next Catholic Man Night on Tuesday, April 28th at 6 p.m. at St. Benedict's (8547 Front Street, Horace). The evening starts with adoration and confession from 6 to 7 p.m. followed by a free-will offering meal and a talk and a short discussion with guest speaker Dave Richman, NDSU Men's Basketball Coach. Eat, pray, and socialize with the guys — come and bring a friend!

BE PART OF THE MISSION DURING OUR SPRING LIVE DRIVE

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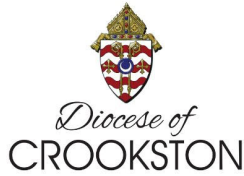
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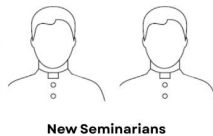
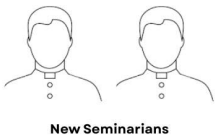
Join Bishop Andrew Cozzens



St. Andrew's - Hawley Tuesday, April 21st 5:45 pm

Following Adoration w/ Bishop Cozzens, enjoy refreshments and a presentation on New Life – Bishop Cozzens' strategic vision for the Diocese – along with an introduction to our the Northland Catholic Community Foundation and an invitation to support our current & new seminarians

RSVP by April 20th to ensure there's plenty of food by calling 218-275-4152 or e-mailing Ahorak@crookston.org



Prayer for peace

Lord Jesus,
you conquered death
without weapons or violence:
you shattered its power
with the strength of peace.
Grant us your peace,
as you did to the women
filled with doubt on Easter morning,
as you did to the disciples
who were hiding in fear.

Send forth your Spirit,
the breath that gives
life and reconciles,
that turns adversaries and enemies
into brothers and sisters.

Inspire in us to trust in Mary,
your mother,
who stood at the foot of your cross
with a broken heart,
firm in the faith
that you would rise again.

May the madness of war cease
and the Earth be cared for
and cultivated by those who still
know how to bring forth,
protect and love life.

Hear us, Lord of life!

—Pope Leo at the Prayer Vigil for Peace, April 11, 2026

Help Patients for a Chance to Win \$10,000

Give blood April 6-30 to help patients in need – and you'll be entered for a chance to win one of two **\$10,000 gift cards**.* That's enough to buy groceries for a year!

Make an appointment at vitalant.org or call 877-25-VITAL

Use blood drive code: **hawley**

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**TUESDAY, APRIL 28
2:15PM - 6:15PM
ST. ANDREW'S CATHOLIC CHURCH - FELLOWSHIP HALL**

FOR AN APPOINTMENT, PLEASE CONTACT CURT NOLL @ 218-329-2236 OR SCAN QR CODE



St. Francis de Sales Church Annual Salad Bar Luncheon



WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 2026
11 AM - 1 PM

ADULTS: \$14
CHILDREN 6 - 12: \$5
PRE-SCHOOL: FREE

INCLUDES: ALL YOU CAN EAT SALAD BUFFET, BREAD, DESSERT, AND BEVERAGE

EXPRESS LINE AVAILABLE FOR THOSE WITH A LIMITED LUNCH HOUR!

TAKE OUT IS ALSO AVAILABLE!