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SS. Peter & Paul Catholic Church Bulletin



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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).

New Members

We welcome you to SS Peter and Paul. Register at the office either by phone or personal visit.

PASTORAL VISITATION

Please remember to inform the office, or Father Ilango, if you are going into the hospital and want a visit or prayers. The hospital will not do this for you since the privacy laws have been tightened. We will be glad to pray for you and your family members.

SACRAMENTS:

INFANT BAPTISM

Catechetical Class is required; please inform Father Ilango well in advance.

RECONCILIATION

9:30 am to 11:00 am Saturdays or call for appointment. 218-745-4511

MARRIAGE

All Catholics who have made a decision to enter into marriage must see a priest six months prior to the desired date of the marriage.

SHUT INS

If you know anyone who cannot come to church, please let me know, they should be on a visiting schedule. Call the office in the near future: 745-4511. Fr. Ilango

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please contact the Parish Office by 9:00 am Wednesday prior to the weekend you want your announcement published.

MASS/ PRAYER SCHEDULE

Day	Date	Mass Time	Where	Mass Intention
Sun:	1/28	10:00 am	Warren	People of Warren, Euclid and Oslo
Tues:	1/30	6:00 pm	Warren	NO Mass
Wed:	1/31	8:00 am	Warren	NO Mass
Fri:	2/2	10:00 am	NS Manor	NO Mass
Sun:	2/4	10:00 am	Warren	People of Warren, Euclid and Oslo

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun: <i>Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time</i>	1/28	8:00 am Mass Euclid 9:30 am Rosary Warren 10:00 am Mass Warren-Welcome Msgr. Pilon
Mon:	1/29	Office Closed
Tues:	1/30	NO 8:30 am Mass Euclid 3:00 to 8:00 pm Adoration Warren NO 6:00 pm Mass Warren
Wed: <i>St. John Bosco</i>	1/31	NO 8:00 am Mass Warren Faith Formation: 6:15 am Pre-K—Grade 6; 7:30 pm Grades 7-10
Thurs:	2/1	NO 8:30 am Mass Oslo
Fri: <i>The Presentation of the Lord</i>	2/2	NO 10:00 am Mass North Star Manor
Sat: <i>St. Blaise; St. Ansgar</i>	2/3	NO Confession Warren 5:00 pm Mass Oslo
Sun: Special Collection: Mortgage <i>Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time</i>	2/4	8:00 am Mass Euclid 9:30 am Rosary Warren 10:00 am Mass Warren-Welcome Msgr. Pilon Fellowship to Follow Mass Served by Cursillo Group
Mon: <i>St. Agatha</i>	2/5	Office Closed
Tues: <i>St. Paul Miki & Companions</i>	2/6	NO 8:30 am Mass Euclid 3:00 to 8:00 pm Adoration Warren NO 6:00 pm Mass Warren
Wed:	2/7	NO 8:00 am Mass Warren Faith Formation: 6:15 am Pre-K—Grade 6; 7:30 pm Grades 7-10
Thurs: <i>St. Jerome Emi- liani; St. Josephine Bakhita</i>	2/8	NO 8:30 am Mass Oslo Father Scheduled to Return From India
Fri:	2/9	10:00 am Mass North Star Manor ??
Sat: <i>St. Scholastica</i>	2/10	9:30 to 11:00 am Confession Warren 5:00 pm Mass Oslo
Sun: <i>Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time</i>	2/11	8:00 am Mass Euclid 9:30 am Rosary Warren 10:00 am Mass Warren



Sharon Nicholls
Landon LaBine
Kinley Johnson
Mary Carlson
Peggy Rominski
Kayde Przybylski
Kim Kostrzewski
Danny Myszkowski
Steve Novak
Anthony Przybylski
LeRoy Vonasek
Caroline Colbert
Larry LaCoursiere
Rena LaCoursiere
Mary Frances Ennis
Doris Nelson
Wade Narlock
Wayd Korynta
Darryl Korynta
Allen Buchner
Robert Nowacki
Rosalie Stusynski
Stephanie DeYoung
Carol Novacek
Gertrude Praska
Nettie Kuznia
Leonard Novak
Larry Sabol
Alise Cruz Monroe
Steve Johnson
Arnie Bauer
Elise Davy
Ted Pawlowski
Denese Nicholls
Bernie Borowicz
Sharri Paulson
Ralph Melgard

Prayer for the Protection of Unborn Children

Father and maker of all, you adorn all creation with splendor and beauty, and fashion human lives in your image and likeness. Awaken in every heart reverence for the work of your hands, and renew among your people a readiness to nurture and sustain your precious gift of life. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Jan 28-Feb 3
Jan Lamb
Angela Marcotte
Mae Krpoun
Darlene Olsen
Kadence Wimpfheimer
Karsen Johnson
John Amundgaard
Thomas Gust

Upcoming Activities

† Faith Formation †

Director: Amanda Page

Don't forget to sign up to REMIND for announcements:
<https://www.remind.com/join.c69cd7> (text @c69cd7 to 81010)

January 31	Faith Formation Classes 6:15 pm Pre-K—Grade 6; 7:30 pm Grades 7-10
February 7	Faith Formation Classes 6:15 pm Pre-K—Grade 6; 7:30 pm Grades 7-10
February 14	6:30 pm Mass Ash Wednesday
February 21	Faith Formation Classes 6:15 pm Pre-K—Grade 6; 7:30 pm Grades 7-10
February 28	Faith Formation Classes 6:15 pm Pre-K—Grade 6; 7:30 pm Grades 7-10



Please Pray for those who will be receiving their First Holy Communion on Sunday, April 21, 2024:
 Aiden Johnston, Leo Larson, Aleksander Lisov.

Please Pray for those who will be graduating:
 Wyatt Anderson, Madeleine Colbert, Gretta Mercil,
 Autum Mock, Alexis Narlock, Hannah Pederson.



Heart to Heart Chat – 1.28.2024

My dear friends,

Obedient children make their parents happy. I can claim that I was an obedient boy when I grew up in my hometown in India. On summer days I tended to be little disobedient as you get more opportunities to have fun with your peers. My dad never needed to wield his belt or any such a thing on me to discipline me. In oriental cultures, obedience is being demanded by elders from all the children in the family. It is different here in western culture. Whatever is the cultural difference we experience, obedience to God's will is non-negotiable.

Jesus never did anything on his own. He spoke explicitly that he does what his Father tells him. I do not do anything on my own. Rather, I do whatever the Father tells me to do. He sat in prayer to discern his Father's will before committing himself to any work of God's Kingdom. Before choosing his twelve apostles, he spent the whole night with the Father. The night he was arrested, he prayed so intensely to the Father that he perspired blood. Finally, he commended his will to the will of his Father. We find no instance where Jesus did anything contrary to the will and desire of the Father. He confirmed that as he says, to do my Father's will is my food. Do we consider God's will as be vital to us as Jesus thought and lived? On many occasions we do not even take time to discern God's will for us. If we have a habit of consulting God for every important decision we make, then we get into a habit of knowing His will. Especially, when we come across issues in our familial relationships, what are the ways we try to resolve them? It becomes even more tough, when it involves emotions and hurts. At such moments, we need to discern our situation of life with God and if he tells us to forego our own stubborn position and surrender to the need of the time, then God's grace will remedy the situation. If we rely on our own pride and ego, then we will reap the consequence of further distance and rift in our relationships. This applies to many other things in our life. When a friend offers us a sound advice on a practical matter of life keeping the best interest of our life, then it would be beneficial to listen and obey. On the contrary, if we determine to do things in our own way, then we need to face the dire consequences of our arrogant choices. In general, obedience to God's will and of others who seek our goodness is certainly a virtue and being disobedient is not going to bring us any spiritual benefits. Be obedient to God and reap the fruits of practicing such a virtue.

Your brother in Christ,
 Fr. Xavier Ilango

"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you"
 (1 Thessalonians 5:16-17).

Collection for the Week of January 21, 2024

Adults	\$2,354.00	Christmas	\$200.00
Plate	\$228.00	Solidarity in Africa	\$330.00
Candles	\$128.00	OND	\$122.00
Parish Total	\$3,362.00	Needed Each Week	\$4,000.00

December Revenue/Expense Report

Sunday Offertory	\$27,419.67	Admin. Expense	\$7,619.48
Other Revenues	\$3,839.55	Church Expense	\$2,758.82
Gifts	\$4,720.63	Education Expense	\$3,137.07
House	\$11,096.00	Projects/House	\$12,661.14
Cemetery		Cemetery	\$18.00
Total Income	\$47,075.85	Total Expense	\$26,194.51

Ministry Schedule for Sunday, February 4, 10:00 am

Commentator/Lector:	R. Bolduc, V. Borowicz
Altar Servers:	B. Gust, N. Larson, I Johnston
Ushers:	K. Anderson, S. Bienek
Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharist:	A. Anderson, R. Bolduc, J. Gerszewski

January 21, 2024; 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Follow me and I will make you fishers of men." - Mark 1:17

Jesus' call to "follow me" is a call to all Christians! The call is in the here and now, in our present circumstances, not when we think we are "ready" or have everything in order. Good stewardship of our God-given gifts means that things aren't always going to go according to our schedule, but that God has a much better plan in store for each of us.



Pocket Change Collection for the Rectory Mortgage-
 Special collection the first Sunday of every month
 to put towards the rectory mortgage.

Past donations: \$39,082.75;

1-7-2024 Collection: \$1,606.00;

Total: \$40,688.75

Current Total due on Mortgage: \$25,857.47

Star of the North

Bishop Andrew Cozzens of the Diocese of Crookston, and Bishop Daniel J. Felton of the Diocese of Duluth welcome you to the Star of the North Eucharistic Congress, May 17 and 18 at the Sanford Center in Bemidji, MN. The Congress is a collaboration between the Diocese of Crookston and the Diocese of Duluth, preceding the May 19 commencement of the Marian Route of the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage at the headwaters of the great Mississippi River in Itasca State Park. Join Bishops and pilgrims from across the Midwest 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. Featured Speakers include Bishop Robert Barron, Father Mike Schmitz, Jude Andrew Link, OP, Tanner Kalina of Saints Alive, Aly Aleigha and more speakers to be announced soon! The Star of the North Eucharistic Congress is for the entire family. All are welcome! Register soon as spaces are limited. For more information and to register visit CrookstonEucharist.org.



We do not have some correct phone numbers. If you have dropped your landline and only have a cell phone, will you please call the office at 218-745-4511 with your current phone number to update our records? We would be most appreciative. Thank you!