



SS. Peter & Paul Catholic Church Bulletin



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www.Masstimes.org

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:	11/12	10:00 am	Warren	† Steve Deschene by David & Donna Gehrls
Tues:	11/14	6:00 pm	Warren	† Pat Falter by Tyler & Laura Golden
Wed:	11/15	8:00 am	Warren	† Marguerite Jadeke by David Jadeke Family
Fri:	11/17	10:00 am	NS Manor	† Ray Burwell by Victor & Paige Sweeney
Sun:	11/19	10:00 am	Warren	† Ron Abrahamson by Sharon Abrahamson

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun:	11/12	8:30 am Mass Oslo 9:30 am Rosary Warren 10:00 am Youth Mass Warren-Beautiful Basics-Fellowship
Thirty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time		
Mon:	11/13	Office Closed 7:00 pm Family Prayer Time on your own...
St. Frances Xavier Cabrini		
Tues:	11/14	8:30 am Mass Euclid 3:00 to 8:30 pm Adoration Warren 6:00 pm Mass Warren 6:30 pm Finance Council Meeting
Wed:	11/15	8:00 am Mass Warren Faith Formation: 6:15 am Pre-K—Grade 6; 7:30 pm Grades 7-10
St. Albert the Great		
Thurs:	11/16	8:30 am Mass Euclid
St. Margaret of Scotland		
Fri:	11/17	10:00 am Mass North Star Manor
St. Elizabeth of Hungary		
Sat: The Dedication of the Basilica of Sts. Peter & Paul; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne	11/18	9:30 to 11:00 am Confession Warren 5:00 pm Mass Euclid
Sun: Special Collection: Catholic Campaign for Human Development Thirty-Third Sunday In Ordinary Time	11/19	8:30 am Mass Oslo 9:30 am Rosary Warren 10:00 am Mass Warren
Mon:	11/20	Office Closed 7:00 pm Family Prayer Time on your own...
Tues:	11/21	NO 8:30 am Mass Euclid 3:00 to 8:30 pm Adoration Warren 5:00 pm Mass Euclid (Thanksgiving) 6:00 pm Mass Warren
The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary		
Wed:	11/22	8:00 am Mass Warren NO Faith Formation Classes
St. Cecilia		
Thurs: St. Clement; St. Columban; Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro	11/23	Thanksgiving—Office Closed 8:30 am Mass Oslo 10:00 am Mass Warren
Fri:	11/24	Office Closed 10:00 am Mass North Star Manor
St. Andrew Dung-Lac		
Sat:	11/25	9:30 to 11:00 am Confession Warren 5:00 pm Mass Euclid
St. Catherine of Alexandria		
Sun: Special Collection: St. Mary's Mission Ap- peal, Red Lake Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe	11/26	8:30 am Mass Oslo 9:30 am Rosary Warren 10:00 am Mass Warren



Sharon Nicholls
Landon LaBine
Henrietta Myszkowski
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

**Birthdays &
Anniversaries
November 12-18**
Wayne Derosier
Mark/Julie Nowacki
Tyler Golden



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)

November 12	10:00 am Youth Mass
November 15	Faith Formation Classes 6:15 pm Pre-K—Grade 6; 7:30 pm Grades 7-10
November 22	NO Classes-Happy Thanksgiving
November 29	Faith Formation Classes 6:15 pm Pre-K—Grade 6; 7:30 pm Grades 7-10
December 6	Faith Formation Classes 6:15 pm Pre-K—Grade 6; 7:30 pm Grades 7-12
December 8	6:00 pm Mass Immaculate Conception
December 9	10:00 am First Reconciliation
December 10	10:00 am Youth Mass
December 13	Faith Formation Classes 6:15 pm Pre-K—Grade 6; 7:30 pm Grades 7-10

Please Note: Change of Date of the Christmas Program from December 17, 2023 to January 7, 2024.



Heart to Heart Chat – 11.12.2023

My dear friends,

As many of us enjoy hunting, and some of us don't, a priest friend of mine calls this week of hunting as Holy Week. He prepares so strenuously ahead of time. He looks forward to these weeks with great anticipation of fun and happiness. I think this is a time that siblings and friends have a together time of fun and activities. Otherwise, who would prefer to freeze outside while you have the warm fireplace at home?

We all think that we are seeking God. On the contrary, God is seeking us relentlessly. He comes after us not for his own benefit, but for our fulfillment and fullness of life. He gains nothing by seeking us. He never gets tired of sharing his love and true joy with us. All the parables of Jesus strongly emphasize this seeking heart of God. The lost sheep, lost coin, prodigal son and so many other examples present a Father who is tirelessly looking for the soul that is lost and dissipated in life. If this God is so eager to share everything He has in his possession, how do we respond to this God of immense love and immeasurable mercy? St. Teresa of Avila offers us some directions in this regard: "We may assume that we turn to God first in prayer, but Teresa emphasizes that it is God who first gazed at us, who first loved us unconditionally and brought us into being. God continues to look at us lovingly, searching for room in our hearts throughout the day. Knowing this, how can we not turn our attention to God?" According to her understanding of God's love, it is like the gaze of a spouse who never takes the eyes off you. That means God looks for a space in our hearts. The best way to keep our gaze on God is through our prayer. When we are so consistent with our prayer life, we keep our eyes constantly on Christ. Of course, it takes a lifetime to accept God's gaze of love and learn how to respond to it. When we understand that God always sees something extraordinarily beautiful in us, then we develop the same desire to look at Him with utmost love every time we sit in prayer. There is no point in not responding to a love that continuously seeks our wellbeing and considers us as the most beautiful creation of Him. Let us think of our own response to this God every day that we may set a special space for Him in our hearts.

Your brother in Christ,
Fr. Xavier Ilango

November 12, 2023; 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour." - Matthew 25:13

Many of us have put off doing something because we think we are too busy. We've all said, "I'll do it later when I have time." Unfortunately, too many of us apply this attitude to our Faith. Jesus' call is urgent, in the here and now, in your current circumstances. How is God calling you to use your gifts today? Don't delay. None of us is guaranteed tomorrow.

Collection for the Week of November 5			
Adults	\$2,090.00	All Saints	\$915.00
Plate	\$165.00	Mortgage	\$1,333.09
Parish Total	\$4,503.09	Needed Each Week	\$4,000.00

October Revenue/Expense Report			
Sunday Offertory	\$17,183.10	Admin. Expense	\$10,206.59
Other Revenues	\$3,883.81	Church Expense	\$3,639.33
Gifts	\$2,020.00	Education Expense	\$2,413.63
House	\$544.53	Projects/House	\$
Cemetery	.00	Cemetery	\$1,696.99
Total Income	\$23,631.44	Total Expense	\$17,956.54

Ministry Schedule for Sunday, November 19, 10:00 am	
Commentator/Lector:	J. Ranstrom/C. Goroski
Altar Servers:	I. Johnston/N. Larson/E. Page
Ushers:	C. Franks/T. Franks
Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharist:	J. Weiland/J. Ranstrom/R. Schmiedeberg

Finance Council Meeting: Tuesday, November 14, 2023, 6:30 pm
Chairman-David Gehrls, Becky Adrian, Nancy Gerszewski, Tyler Golden, Greg Myszkowski, John Novacek, Scott Oberg, Tyler Page



Pocket Change Collection for the Rectory Mortgage
 Special collection the first Sunday of every month to put towards the rectory mortgage.
 Past donations: \$36,643.66;
 11-05-2023 Collection: \$1,333.09;
 Total: \$37,976.75
 Current Total due on Mortgage: \$30,502.77



Fellowship

Fellowship after Mass

We look forward to fellowship, but it will take all of us working together to make this happen. Please sign-up to serve on the sheet on the cart in the entrance. You can serve as an individual family or get together with a couple of other families. We thank those who have already served!



Mass Intentions

Mass Intentions can be given for many reasons, such as anniversaries, birthdays, healing, deceased people, etc. If you would like to request a Mass Intention, please leave your requests in the collection basket along with \$10.00 per request, or come to the office and talk to Donna about your special requests, along with \$10.00 per request.

Married Couples Retreat:

All married couples in the Diocese of Crookston are invited to a married couples retreat weekend December 1-3rd, 2023, at the Diocese of Crookston's Pastoral Retreat Center. This marriage retreat will be led by Six Stone Jars' Deacon Ben and Jennine Seitz. This retreat will not only give married couples the opportunity to spend time with each other, but also grow closer in their relationship with Jesus Christ. This retreat will be centered around "The Virtues: Building Blocks for Great Lives and Joy Filled Marriage." Couples may sign up at www.sixstonejars.org.

ST. MARY'S MISSION APPEAL:

Please begin praying, "Lord Jesus, help me give the gift of hope." Watch your mailboxes for the St. Mary's Mission Appeal or bring your gift to Mass on November 26. Your generosity provides students' hope through the gift of a faith-filled education, two free meals a day, and the skills to be successful for a lifetime!