

January 9, 2022

The Baptism of the Lord



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THE BAPTISM *of the Lord*

"I am baptizing you with water, but one mightier than I is coming. I am not worthy to loosen the thongs of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire." - Lk 3:16bc

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Third Order Franciscan Come and See

The Spiritus Sanctus Secular Franciscan Fraternity is inviting you to participate in the January Come and See: "Are You Being Called to Follow St. Francis of Assisi"? The Come and See is on January 23, 2022, beginning at 2 p.m. in the gathering space at St. Francis Church, 409 North 9th St., Brainerd, MN. An introduction to the charism of St. Francis and St. Clare and our fraternity will be shared. For more information contact Rose Clack rose.clack@yahoo.com or Esther Reagan ea_reagan_28@msn.com.

Church History Presentation

Save the date! On January 29, 2022, following the 5 p.m. Mass at St. Francis Church in Brainerd, Fr. Michael Garry will be giving a presentation on Church History. There will be a social gathering with wine and appetizers at 6 p.m. and the presentation will begin at 6:30.

Adoration Chapel News

Starting January 3, please contact MARY ACKER 612-221-9389 if you need a sub, have gotten your own sub, or have put a line on the calendar in the chapel. It is IMPORTANT that you contact a chapel coordinator in case of last minute chapel closings so we know who to contact.

An app for the chapel will soon be available for chapel news and updates. Please check the weekly bulletin for more details.

OFFICE HOURS: MON-THUR 9 A.M.-3 P.M., FRI 9 A.M.-12 P.M.

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Information

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday 4 p.m. Pequot Lakes
 Sunday 8:30 a.m. Nisswa
 Sunday 10:30 a.m. Pine River

CONFESSION TIMES

Wednesday 5:30-7 p.m. Pequot Lakes
 Saturday 11 a.m. Nisswa
 3 p.m. Pequot Lakes
 Sunday 11:30 a.m. Pine River

Prayer Requests

To make a prayer request, call 218-568-4760 or email stalicechurch@gmail.com.

Eucharistic Adoration

Everyone is invited to come for a visit to Our Lord, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. The adoration chapel is located in Pequot Lakes at St. Alice Church. It is open Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. and Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Physical Addresses

(Please see bulletin cover for mailing address)

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 Pequot Lakes, MN 56472
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 25574 Church Street
 Nisswa, MN 56468
 Kitchen phone: 218-963-1417

Our Lady of Lourdes Church
 203 2nd Street North
 Pine River, MN 56474
 Kitchen Phone: 218-587-3874

Weekly Finance Report 12/27/21

Envelopes	\$22,038.00
Plate	\$4,679.16
Children's Envelopes	\$.00
FYTD Combined	\$329,886.68
Reg. School 3% Tithe	\$9,896.00
Regional School FYTD	\$8,705.00
Regional School +/-	-\$1,191.60
UCA Goal 2021	\$89,608.19
UCA YTD 2021 103%	\$92,279.34
Online giving	\$1,730.00

Weekly Readings

Readings for the week of January 9, 2022

Sunday	Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/Acts 10:34-38/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22 or, Is 40:1-5, 9-11/ Ps 104: 1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 [1]/Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22
Monday	1 Sm 1:1-8/Ps 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19/Mk 1:14-20
Tuesday	1 Sm 1:9-20/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/Mk 1:21-28
Wednesday	1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/Mk 1:29-39
Thursday	1 Sm 4:1-11/Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25/Mk 1:40-45
Friday	1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Ps 89:16-17, 18-19/Mk 2:1-12
Saturday	1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 2:13-17
NEXT Sunday	Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11

Vocations Chalice Schedule

Date	Nisswa	Pequot Lakes	Pine River
1/9	TBA	Jeff Hemler	John & Jessie Bueckers
1/16	TBA	John & Annette Koch	Carol Furnstahl

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March for Life

You are invited to participate in the county March for Life, which will take place Saturday, January 22. This year's march marks the 49th commemoration of the Roe v. Wade US Supreme Court decision. Your presence will send a clear message that we believe in a founding principle of our country: the right to life. The march will begin at the corner of South 6th St and Oak St in Brainerd at 11:30 a.m. and will end at the Crow Wing County Courthouse. Out of respect for the local businesses, please do not leave your car at the corner where the march begins. The march is sponsored by the Crow Wing County Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life (MCCL).

Theology Uncapped

Theology Uncapped is excited to announce our next event, Thursday, January 27, 2022, featuring Fr. Richard Kunst and Pastor Rollie Brockbrader. This event topic is "Salvation" and it is being held at St. Benedict Catholic Church, 1419 St. Benedict Street, Duluth MN. The cost is \$25 which includes a catered meal from Famous Dave's, beer, wine, pop and coffee. Seating is limited to 215, so register now at www.theologyuncapped.org. Please contact Deacon John Foucault at 218-393-0631 if you are unable to register online.

Quilting Group Invitation

The St. Alice quilting group meets Friday mornings at 9 a.m. in the Fireside Room. Please join us!

Sacraments

Baptism

Please contact the parish office to arrange for Baptism preparation and to schedule a Baptism. Baptisms are not celebrated during the Lenten season.

Marriage

Couples are required to contact the parish office to make arrangements at least six to eight months in advance of the planned date.

Anointing of the Sick

If you are experiencing a serious illness or if someone is close to death please contact the Parish Office to receive the Sacrament.

Hospital Admission

If you are admitted to the hospital, please have a friend or family member notify the parish office for visits and prayers for you.

Communion for the Sick & Homebound

Please contact the Parish Office to arrange to have Holy Communion brought to your home or nursing home.

Director of Development Position Opening

The Diocese of Duluth is hiring a full-time Director of Development that is responsible for fostering intentional giving in support of the apostolic ministry of the Church. The office will promote and cultivate a culture of giving through establishing and nurturing sustainable relationships among individuals and institutions in the Diocese of Duluth. To request a job description and application, please contact Mary Rasch, the Director of Human Resources, at mary.rasch@duluthcatholic.org.

Faith Formation Director Position Opening

St. Agnes and Sacred Heart parishes are looking for a Faith Formation Director: someone alive in their Catholic faith, committed to following Jesus Christ as an intentional disciple, passionate about bringing others to Christ, and equipped for the mission of the New Evangelization. This is a full-time salaried position, ministering to people from the cradle to the grave. If you are interested in this position, please go to www.stagnesandsacredheart.com/hiring for more information and an application.

Nurse for Priests Position Opening

The Nurse for Priests promotes the healing ministry among the Presbyterate of the Diocese of Duluth, especially senior priests. This position provides leadership in identifying and responding to the health-related needs of the priests. This employee serves as a health educator, counselor, resource/referral person, advocate, pastoral/spiritual care provider and coordinator of health-related services for active and retired priests. The nurse articulates the relationship of health of mind, body, and spirit to create wholeness, health, and a sense of well-being for that person. If you are interested in this part-time role (20 hours per week), please email Mary Rasch at mary.rasch@duluthcatholic.org for a job description and application.

Weekly Finance Report 1/03/21

Envelopes	\$10,805.00
Plate	\$10,928.00
Children's Envelopes	\$.00
FYTD Combined	\$351,614.68
Reg. School 3% Tithe	\$10,548.44
Regional School FYTD	\$9,260.00
Regional School +/-	-\$1,288.44
UCA Goal 2021	\$89,608.19
UCA YTD 2021 114%	\$102,304.34
Online giving	\$1,340.00

Daily Mass Intentions

Sunday, January 9	Time	Intention
Nisswa	8:30 a.m.	Kevin Czech +
Pine River	10:30 a.m.	Allan Family +
Monday, January 10		
Pequot Lakes	7:30 a.m.	
Tuesday, January 11		
Nisswa	8:30 a.m.	MaryAnn Lewindowski +
Wednesday, January 12		
Pine River	8:30 a.m.	Amy DeLane SI
Thursday, January 13		
Pequot Lakes	8:30 a.m.	Richard Dittes +
Friday, January 14		
Pequot Lakes	8:30 a.m.	Richard Froehle +
Saturday, January 15		
Pequot Lakes	8:30 a.m.	(First Saturday only)
Pequot Lakes	4:00 p.m.	MaryJane Poirier +
Sunday, January 16		
Nisswa	8:30 a.m.	Pro Populo SI
Pine River	10:30 a.m.	Robert DeLane +
Mass Intentions: Deceased † Special Intention SI		
Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy Schedule:		
Monday (PL)	7:00 a.m.	Our Country & World
Tuesday (N)	8:00 a.m.	
Wednesday (PR)	8:00 a.m.	
Thursday (PL)	8:00 a.m.	For Life
Friday (PL)	8:00 a.m.	
Saturday (PL)	8:00 a.m.	(First Saturday only)

Education and Youth News

Little Flowers & Blue Knights

Who: Children in grades K-8 (older youth are welcome to help)

What: Learn about virtues and the saints through class time, crafts, games, prayer, and more!

When: 3:30-5:30 p.m. on two Thursdays a month. The next few meetings will be January 20, and February 3 & 17.

Where: St. Alice

Steubenville Mission Trip

We invite those who will have completed 9th, 10th, 11th, or 12th grade by July 2022 to join us for this six-day mission trip and Steubenville Conference. The trip will be July 12-18, 2022. We will be going to the Mall of America, having Mass, doing service work at the shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, going to the Steubenville Conference in Rochester, and going to an amusement park. Cost is \$750 (we will be fundraising!) Contact Mia if you are interested!

Examination for Families

Is God the center of our family?

Do we pray as a family?

Do we worship each week?

How do we model God's Love?

How do we use our gift of speech?

How do we use the Lord's Name?

Do we help our children learn their prayers?

Do we support their religion classes?

Do we share our love for God?

Do our children see US pray?

Have we taken the time to study our Faith?

At Mass, are we thankful to be present?

Do (we, I) have a relationship with God?

Do (we, I) read the Sacred Scripture?

Do (we, I) respect & love the Church?

Are our children spontaneous in prayer?

Do we share the Bible with our Children?

When did (we, I) last celebrate Confession?

Saint Quote

"It is Jesus that you seek when you dream of happiness; He is waiting for you when nothing else you find satisfies you; He is the beauty to which you are so attracted; it is He who provoked you with that thirst for fullness that will not let you settle for compromise; it is He who urges you to shed the masks of a false life; it is He who reads in your hearts your most genuine choices, the choices that others try to stifle." -St. John Paul II

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