

**WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF** 

# St. Francis & All Saints Catholic Churches

and Summer Mission, St. Thomas of the Pines

#### **All Saints Catholic Church**

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

Physical location: 16898 Carlson Lake Rd., Brainerd, MN 56401

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/ Fr. Matt Miller, Associate Pastor

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#### **Mass Times**

#### **All Saints Mass Schedule**

Sunday 10:30 am Wednesday \*7:30 am First Friday 7:30 am Saturday \*4:00 pm

#### St. Francis' Mass Schedule

Sunday 7:30 am, \*9:00 am & 11:15 am Monday, Tuesday & Friday \*8:00 am Thursday \*5:30 pm Saturday 5:00 pm First Saturday \*9:00 am \* Indicates Streamed Masses

#### St. Thomas of the Pines

Sunday 9:00 am

Summer Mission Chapel at Pine Beach (Memorial Weekend through Labor Day Weekend)

#### Reconciliation

All Saints: Saturday 3:00 pm

St. Francis: Mon 7:15 am, Thurs 4:30 pm, Saturday 10:00 am, or by appointment

#### **Other Area Mass Times**

#### St. Andrew's Mass Schedule

Tuesday 5:30 pm; Wed & Thurs 8:00 am Saturday 4:30 pm; Sunday 10:00 am

#### St. Mathias Mass Schedule

Friday 8:30 am; Sunday 8:00 am

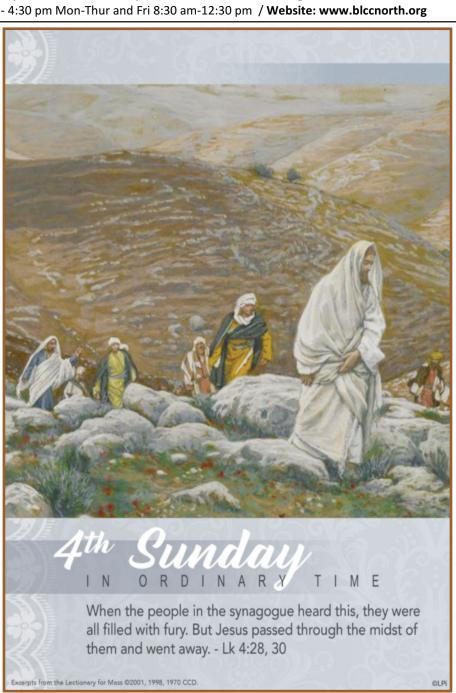
#### **Baptisms, Marriages or Funerals**

**Baptism:** By appt. following preparation session. Please call 218-822-4040 to register for the next baptism preparation class.

Marriage: By appointment at least 6 month preparation time.

**Funeral**: Please contact a funeral home and they will notify the parish.

> Please notify the parish office if someone is very ill or hospitalized.



## **Stewardship Report Through**

#### January 23, 2022

Fiscal Year: July 1, 2021 thru June 30, 2022

#### **ALL SAINTS**

Weekly N	\$ 4,865		
Weekly Received		\$ 4,795	
回物公司	Fiscal Year to Date Need	\$ 145,962	
	Fiscal Year to Date Rec'd	\$ 170,963	
	2022 UCA Goal	TBD	
	2022 UCA Total Rec'd	\$ 10,625	
St. Francis			

Weekly Needs ...... \$ 16,125

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Fiscal Year to Date Need	\$ 395,446
Fiscal Year to Date Rec'd	\$ 392,205
2022 UCA Goal	TBD
2022 UCA Total Rec'd	\$ 11,541

#### ST. THOMAS OF THE PINES

Weekly Needs	\$ 2,000
Weekly Received	\$0
Fiscal Year to Date Need	\$ 20,000
Fiscal Year to Date Rec'd	\$ 31,081
2022 UCA Goal	TBD
2022 UCA Total Rec'd	\$ 6,739

Note: For St. Thomas, the fiscal year-to-date need will remain the same until the Church re-opens on Memorial Day 2021.

For transparency, we will be sharing the general and UCA contributions received at the office during the off-season.

#### Your Generosity is Appreciated!

**BAPTISM**. We welcome to our Catholic faith community **Catherine Therese Gangestad**, daughter of Justin & Meghan (Hamson) Gangestad who was baptized at All Saints Catholic Church on Saturday, January 22, 2022.

#### PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING AVAILABLE.

Are the challenges of life stressing you out or causing you to feel depressed? Do you use alcohol or other chemical substances to relieve your anxiety? Do you need help with a relationship? Would you like help with parenting? We are fortunate to have at St. Francis and All Saints, a professional who specializes in marriage and family therapy and drug and alcohol counseling. All sessions are confidential and can be done in person or via the internet on "Zoom." To schedule an appointment call or email Beatrice Comty-Charnock, MA, LMFT, LADC, 218-838-3729 or pathwayscounseling17@gmail.com

### **Calendar of Events**

Live-streamed Masses available daily (Mon-Fri) & 4pm Sat & 9am Sun Go to our website at www.blccnorth.org and click on MASS

#### MON, JAN 31 \*CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK\*

7·15 am	Reconciliation	St	Francis	Confessional
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2:45 pm Tutoring, St. Bonaventure Rm, St. Francis Church

6:30 pm AA Meeting, Hall, St. Francis Church

#### TUE, FEB 1

8:00 am (	Cursillo Mtg,	Conference Room	, St.	Francis	Church
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9:30 am BLCC Mission Quilters, St. Anthony Room, St. Francis Church

2:30 pm Robotics, Hall, St. Francis Church

6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal, Loft, St. Francis Church

6:00 pm FUSE, Hall & Gather Space, St. Francis Church

#### WED, FEB 2

2:45 pm	Tutoring, St. Bonaventure Rm, St. Francis Church
7:00 pm	Middle School Faith Formation, St. Francis School
7:00 pm	High School Faith Formation, St. Andrew's Church

#### THUR FEB 3

4:30 pm	Reconciliation	at St.	Francis
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5:30 pm Choir Rehearsal, St. Clare Rm & Hall, St. Francis Church
6:00 pm KC BINGO Fundraiser, Hall/Kitchen, St. Francis Church
6:00 pm SF/AS Pastoral Council Mtg., Gathering Space & Conference

Room, St. Francis Church

#### FRI, FEB 4

7:30 am First Friday Mass & Adoration, All Saints Church

8:30 am Eucharistic Adoration, St. Francis

2:45 pm Tutoring, St. Bonaventure Rm, St. Francis Church

#### SAT, FEB 5

9:00 am First Saturday Mass, St. Francis Church

10:00 am Reconciliation at St. Francis in the Confessional

3:00 pm Reconciliation at All Saints

#### SUN, FEB 6

8:00 am KC Breakfast for 8th Gr Students, Gather Space/Kitchen, All Saints Church

9:00 am Choir Rehearsal, All Saints Church

9:15 am Faith Formation Gr 1-5, Mtg Rooms & Gather Space AS Church

11:30 am AS Parish Social, Gather Space, All Saints Church

12:15am Johnson Baptism, St. Francis Church

2-5:00 pm Private Party, Hall/Kitchen, St. Francis Church

6:00 pm Exodus 90, St. Kateri Rm, AS Church

**WEDDINGS.** Congratulations to **Sylvester & Emily (Birchem) Pavek** who were married at St. Francis Church on Saturday, January 22, 2022.

Congratulations also to **Alex & Jona (Hamson)** who were married at All Saints Church on Saturday, January 22, 2022.

May God bless both marriages with many years of happiness.

### St. Francis, All Saints & St. Thomas of the Pines Parishes

#### **EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE**

- Institute of Catholic Culture—free online webinars. An App that can be downloaded to your phone by going to the App Store
- Bible in a Year Podcast can be accessed at Ascension Press at https://ascensionpress.com/

#### **CATHOLIC UNITED SCHOOLS' RAFFLE**

Woohoo! It's <u>Catholic Schools Raffle</u> time!! Tickets are in our student's hands! Soon you'll be seeing them at local Masses for sale too. Only \$5 each and you could win many great prizes including a 2022 Ford Escape or \$20,000!! Every dollar stays in our school to support Catholic Education in the Brainerd Lakes Area.

#### **Diocese**

ON BEHALF OF THE OFFICE OF CATHOLIC SCHOOLS AND THE DIOCESE OF DULUTH, thank you for your generous gifts to the Schulze Family Foundation Matching Grant fundraiser. We reached our goal and will now be blessed with \$100,000.00 for resources to benefit our Catholic school students and staff! The innovative plans we have for the schools will be impactful beyond any projects we have done in the past. Your generosity strengthens our academic programs and empowers our efforts for evangelizing for discipleship. Most importantly, our mission aims to invite more families to consider the gift of a Catholic education. May the Lord's great love bless you this Christmas and in the new year.

THE MN ALLIANCE FOR ETHICAL HEALTHCARE, a partner organization of the MN Catholic Conference, is a coalition of nearly 80 organizations that advocates for compassionate alternatives to the legalization of assisted suicide. We need individuals like you to help ensure that real care is available throughout life's journey. To receive updates and action alerts on how you can support this critical effort register at ethicalcaremn.org/join-us

#### St. Francis of the Lakes Catholic School

#### St. Francis of the Lakes Catholic School – Registration Dates & Tours

Looking for a school that not only focuses on learning and growing the academic foundation for your child, but teaches skills to help form positive relationships, manage emotions, and take responsibility while continuing to build self-confidence and develop social-emotional skills to prepare them for middle school, high school, and beyond? You might want to come check us out! St. Francis of the Lakes Catholic School, providing academic excellence, Christian values, and guided discipline for children in PK through 8th grade. Learn more by visiting our website: stfranciscatholicschool.org Sign up for school tours at: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090b4ba9a92ea6fb6-stfrancis2. New student registrations begin on the following date:

Current Family Registration - Monday, January 24, 2022 / Supporting Parish Registration - Monday, January 31, 2022

Community Member Registration - Monday, February 7, 2022

#### **DIRECTOR OF ADVANCEMENT AND ADMISSIONS.**

St. Francis of the Lakes Catholic School has an immediate opening for a full-time Director of Advancement and Admissions. Responsibilities include developing, implementing, and managing admissions and enrollment, fundraising programs, communications, financial aid, grants, Capital Campaign project management, and strategic planning to strengthen and support all advancement efforts while overseeing marketing efforts. Requirements: Bachelor's degree or equivalent experience in advancement and admissions, or related field. Experience in a non-profit environment, parochial or independent school is preferred. The candidate must have excellent organization, verbal and written communication, and computer skills. Please send cover letter, resume, and letters of reference to: St. Francis of the Lakes Catholic School, Attn: Jennifer Nagel/Fr. Michael Garry, 817 Juniper Street, Brainerd, MN 56401 or email to jennifer.nagel@sf-school.org. View full job description at <a href="https://stfranciscatholicschool.org/">https://stfranciscatholicschool.org/</a>

#### AFTER-SCHOOL (KALEIDOSCOPE CLUB) AIDE.

St. Francis of the Lakes Catholic School is seeking an After-school Aide (Kaleidoscope Aide) to supervise K-8th grade students from 2:30pm-5pm daily. This position may include assisting with student activities, homework help, technology assistance, organizing games, providing snack, among others. Applicants need to be age 16 or older, preferred to have experience with school aged children or classroom experience, and must pass a complete trainings and background check. Applications can be found on the school website https://stfranciscatholicschool.org.

**To apply**, please submit application to jennifer.nagel@sf-school.org or mail to St. Francis of the Lakes Catholic School, Attn: Jennifer Nagel, 817 Juniper Street, Brainerd, MN 56401.

### **Mass Intentions for the Week**

Sat	Jan 29	4:00 pm (AS) †Earl & Besse Barnes 5:00 pm (SF)†John Nielson
Sun	Jan 30	7:30 am (SF)†Chung Nguyent 9:00 am (SF)†John & Veronica Obeidzinski 10:30 am (AS)†Rev. David Tushar 11:15 am (SF)†Beverly Tepley
Mon	Jan 31	8:00 am (SF) †Robert Austin
Tues	Feb 1	8:00 am (SF) Yvette Dullinger
Wed	Feb 2	7:30 am (AS)†Tom Doran 9:00 am (SF) For the Safety of our Military
Thur	Feb 3	5:30 pm (SF)+Patricia Depew
Fri	Feb 4	7:30 am (AS)The Betty Conkins Family 8:00 am (SF)†For the Unborn
Sat	Feb 5	9:00 am (SF) †Verona Stoltman 4:00 pm (AS) Jennifer Nagel 5:00 pm (SF)†John Nielson
Sun	Feb 6	7:30 am (SF)†Kathleen Soifert 9:00 am (SF)†Brian KPosterick 10:30 am (AS)†Joan Jedlicka 11:15 am (SF)Homebound and Nursing Home Resident

**AS** - All Saints, **SF**-St. Francis, **STP**-St. Thomas of the Pines To schedule a Mass, please contact the parish office.

#### Readings for the Week

Sat ......2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/ Mk 4:35-41

Sun ....Jer 1:4-5, 17-19/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17 [cf. 15ab]/ 1 Cor 12:31—13:13 or 13:4-13/Lk 4:21-30

Mon.... 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 5:1-20 Tue ..... 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/ Mk 5:21-43

Wed ... Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

Thur ...1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd/ Mk 6:7-13

Fri ...... Sir 47:2-11/Ps 18:31, 47 and 50, 51/Mk 6:14-29
Sat ...... 1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14/Mk 6:30-34

Sun ....Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8 [1c]/1 Cor 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11/ Lk 5:1-11

#### **ADORATION TIMES:**

**St. Francis:** Friday 8:30am-9:30pm **All Saints:** First Fridays 8:00am-8:00pm

**BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS** forms are required for bulletin requests so please pick one up at the office or go to www.blccnorth.org click on Contact/Info, complete and send.

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#### **Prayer Line Contacts**

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**St. Francis:** Liz 218-829-4402, Marlene 829-7044

#### **Other Contacts**

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#### **ADORATION CHAPEL AT ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH**

Mon –Thu 5am-10pm and Fri 5am-6pm

Contact Leonard Skillings at: 218-232-6688

For a list of subs check our website or the chapel posting.

## From Father Michael Garry

Every year the last week of January we celebrate National Catholic Schools Week. Especially this week, as Catholics we recognize the value of Catholic education and our responsibility to support our families and our regional school. We acknowledge the vital role of the school faculty, staff, and volunteers in maintaining excellence in our school—I am so grateful for the tremendous team we have!



This year we have 240 students in pre-k through 8th grade. Academically, our students are ranked higher than the national average in math and reading year after year. This is based off of the NWEA MAP Assessments that measure the growth progress of students in grades K-8th.

No family should allow finances to prevent them from attending St. Francis School. For the 2021-2022 school year, over \$79,000 has been gifted, helping 44 students in 17 families with tuition. We are committed to making it work! Sure, there is an added cost in attending a Catholic school, but there are also considerable added benefits: not only do our kids receive an excellent academic foundation, they also receive a thorough religious formation, and all in a healthy environment that teaches our kids how to form positive relationships, manage emotions, and take responsibility. At St. Francis School our kids grow in self-confidence and develop social-emotional skills to prepare them for middle school, high school, and beyond. The kids themselves say it all:

"If you are new to St. Francis, the students are really friendly and include you. I have gone to three schools and St. Francis is my favorite school I have ever gone to."

Claire, 6<sup>th</sup> grade student.

"Why I love St. Francis School is because I can go to church every Wednesday and we can pray as a class. I can learn about God." — Chloe, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade student

"I'm happy to go to St. Francis School because our brain is happy when we learn."

Ruth, Kindergarten student

The theme for this year's Catholic Schools Week is, "Catholic Schools: Faith. Excellence.

Service." I think that sums up what our school is about. Please continue to pray for our school Catholic Schools and thank you, all you who contribute to make Catholic education possible!

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