# ST. JOSEPH OUR LADY OF FATIMA HOLY FAMILY CROSBY-IRONTON & DEERWOOD GARRISON

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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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Dan Goshey, Roger Marks, Phil Mayer

# PARISH OFFICE

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# CONFESSIONS

St. Joseph's Church 617 Poplar St., Crosby

Tuesday: 11:30 – 11:50 AM Thursday: 7:30 - 7:50 AM Saturday: 9:00 - 10:00 AM Sunday: 8:00 - 8:20 AM and 10:00 - 10:20 AM

Our Lady of Fatima Church 27332 Central St., Garrison

Wednesday: 8:30-8:50AM Saturday: 3:30 - 3:50 PM

# MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday: 12 NOON – St. Joseph Wednesday: 9:00 AM - Our Lady of Fatima Thursday: 8:00 AM - St. Joseph First Fridays: 9:00 AM St. Joseph First Saturday: 8:00 AM St. Joseph Saturday: 4:00 PM - Our Lady of Fatima Sunday: 8:30 AM - St. Joseph Sunday: 10:30 AM -St. Joseph

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#### A PRAYER FOR OUR PRIEST

Gracious and loving God. I thank you for the gift of our priest. Through him we experience your presence in the sacraments. Help Father Anthony Craig to be strong in his vocation. Set his soul on fire with love for your people. Grant him the wisdom, understanding and strength he needs to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire him with the vision of your kingdom. Give him the words he needs to spread the gospel. Allow him to experience joy in his ministry. Mother Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for Father Anthony Craig that he will be able to do your Son's will this day, and that your Immaculate Heart will be his courage and strength. Oh Jesus, Eternal Priest keep our priest within the shelter of your Sacred Heart, I ask this in your name, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest. Amen- written by Mothers of Priests, Diocese of Duluth

"We are called to live our baptism every day, as new creatures, clothed in Christ."— Pope Francis

What reference point do you use when making decisions? Many times, impulse takes control and decisions are made based solely on emotion and desire. We all know that these types of decisions can often get us into trouble. When a person has a confident sense of who they are and a real understanding of what is important and of value, the likelihood of kneejerk impulsive choices diminishes. Baptism gives us what we need to make well informed and purposeful decisions. By this simple gesture, God claims us as His own and provides us with the identity and purpose we need to properly live life. It is tremendously reassuring, when we truly embrace this revelation and realize that we no longer have to wonder about the purpose of our lives or struggle to find our way. The answer of who we are in God has been given to us. We no longer have to fumble around, trip over ourselves or walk aimlessly about. Issues surrounding the sacredness of life, the meaning of death, the protection of those most vulnerable, care for the weak and the poor, offering hospitality to those in search of a home, the purpose and proper place of work, how to create a just social order, caring for creation, and understanding our roles as heralds and stewards are just a few of the wonderful gifts baptism brings. When we make decisions based on things such as these core Gospel truths we really act as Christ himself, revealing to others the new creations that we are. This is how we live our baptism. It is difficult to walk against the tide. Yet, that is precisely what baptism calls us to do. Although we are sinners, in need of mercy and far from perfection we are called to order our life and make decisions based upon the wisdom and guidance of Almighty God. He alone is the one who can claim us as His sons and daughters. Standing up for our principles will not make us popular. But who ever said Christianity is a popularity contest? Baptism calls us to stand up for that which goes against the grain of secularism. Standing in line with other sinners, we have our anchor to steady us in the tempests of life and God is very pleased. Forge ahead. There is nothing to fear. ©LPi

# DEANERY NEWS

#### SECULAR 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 2:00 pm in the Gathering Space at St. Francis Church, 409 North 9<sup>th</sup> 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 at <u>rose.clack@yahoo.com</u> or Esther Reagan at <u>ea\_reagan\_28@msn.com</u>.

# THE WEEK'S MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 8 4:00 PM	All Parishioners	Garrison
SUNDAY, JANUARY 9 8:30 AM 10:30 AM	Eileen Ferrari † Tom McMullen †	Crosby Crosby
TUESDAY, JANUARY 11 12:00 NOON	Ken Kielty †	Crosby
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY : 9:00 AM	12 Fr. Anthony Craig	Garrison
THURSDAY, JANUARY 13 8:00 AM	Nathaniel Hudrlik	Crosby
SATURDAY, JANUARY 15 4:00 PM	5 Fran Dockendorff †	Garrison
SUNDAY, JANUARY 16 8:30 AM 10:30 AM	Tom Butorac † All Parishioners	Crosby Crosby

The Mass intention for Friday, January 14 (Ethel MacGregor †)will be celebrated by Fr. George as soon as he is able. Please call the office if you have any questions.

### LITURGICAL ROLES

#### SATURDAY, JANUARY 15 4:00 PM OUR LADY OF FATIMA Lector Steve Freese

#### SUNDAY, JANUARY 16 8:30 AM ST. JOSEPH

Lector	Travis Baldwin
Ushers	Brian Gehling/Brian Franck
Servers	J. Ringhand/Brady Dyrdal/G. Vignieri
EM	Mark Hudrlik

#### SUNDAY, JANUARY 16 10:30 AM ST JOSEPH

Lector	David Fournier
Ushers	Luke & Jim Wehseler/Mark Rekucki/Tom Sablar
Servers	J. & J. Bostrom/E. Sheets/M. Wehseler
EM	Larry Hartman

# CONTRIBUTION REPORT 12-26/1-2-22

#### ST. JOSEPH

PLATE:	\$2491.00
ENVELOPE:	\$6735.00
ON-LINE GIVING:	\$7527.00
TOTAL:	\$16,753.00
UCA 2021 ASSESSMENT:	\$55,873.00
UCA TOTAL COLLECTED TO DATE:	\$45,717.00

#### OUR LADY OF FATIMA

PLATE:\$47ENVELOPE:\$18ON-LINE GIVING:\$40TOTAL:\$2,3UCA 2021 ASSESSMENT:\$12UCA TOTAL COLLECTED TO DATE:ASS

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# ST. JOSEPH

#### EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

The Adoration Chapel, located in the SJ Education Center, is open Monday through Thursday to anyone who would like to come and pray or just be in the presence of Jesus. If you desire a weekly hour

of your own, please contact Collette at 546-2781.

At this time we have a need for someone to take the following open hours: *Tuesday 1:00-2:00 pm* 



#### ST. JEROME BIBLE STUDY

Tuesday 10:00-11:00 pm

Wednesday 1:00-2:00 pm

Wednesday 4:00-5:00 pm

We meet on Tuesdays at 10:00 AM in St. Joseph's Education Center. All are welcome to come.

#### PRAYER LINE

Would you like to join the ministry of praying for others? Do you have prayer requests you would like to be covered in faithful prayer? Send an email to: <u>citec2@yahoo.com</u>.

#### ST. JOSEPH PRAYER GUILD

Alma Redemptoris Mater

Loving Mother of the Redeemer, gate of Heaven, star of the sea, Assist your people who have fallen, yet strive to rise again. To the wonderment of nature you bore your Creator, Yet remained a virgin after as before. You who have received Gabriel's joyful greeting,

Have pity on us poor sinners. Amen.



#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST JANUARY 16**

Come for breakfast (or brunch), served by the Knights of Columbus on Sunday, January 16th, from 9 AM - Noon, at St. Joseph's. pancakes, eggs, sausage, fruit, beverages, and great company. *We offer gluten-free options. Free will donations accepted.* 



# Sick or Homebound and Seeking Holy Communion?

Call the parish office to request a visit if you are unable to attend Mass.

218-546-6559

# FROM THE DIOCESE

#### SCAMS

Hackers have been targeting our parishes/parishioners with phishing emails, posing as priests, asking for money. We would like to remind everyone of these scams, and that the only way you should give money to the parish, is by, going to the parish and giving the money, mailing a check to the parish, or by giving online, through the parish's website. If you would like to give by any other means, you should contact the parish office in person or by phone. Thank You!

#### AREA CHURCHES WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

St. Francis in Brainerd: M, T, F at 8:00 am. Th at 5:30 pm. All Saints in Brainerd: W at 7:30 am.

- St. Andrew's in Brainerd: T at 5:30 pm. W and Th at 8:00 am.
- St. James in Aitkin: T. W. Th. F at 8:30 am.

#### HAVE YOU REGISTERED WITH YOUR PARISH?

Do you receive the Duluth Diocese publication, *The Northern Cross*? If not, we probably don't have you listed as being registered. Please contact the office or check the website <u>www.cuyunacatholic.org</u> for a registration form. Forms can be dropped off or mailed to the office or you may place them in the collection basket. Thanks, and welcome!

#### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Share with them the SVdP Help Line: **218-534-3182**. The local conference for St. Vincent de Paul meets every 2nd & 4th Thursday, 8:45AM, in the SJ school. All are welcome. Donations too are appreciated. 100% of what you give to SVdP is given to those in need. You may place donations in the SVdP boxes, located in the church.

# OUR LADY OF FATIMA

#### **BIBLE STUDY**

Please watch the bulletin for the start date.

#### DAILY MASS

Mass is celebrated every Wednesday at 9:00 AM at Our Lady of Fatima.

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Every Wednesday from 9:30-10:30 AM. Please come and spend some time in quiet before our Lord who loves you.

#### PLEASE NOTICE

There is a basket under the table and envelopes on the table in the front entrance of the church, for FOOD SHELF donations. There is always a need for your generous donations. Thank You.

#### PRAYER LINE REQUESTS

Sandy Berger at 612-998-6037 or Candy Schwartz at 218-232-2581.

#### **USHERS NEEDED**

There is a need for volunteer ushers. Please call Sandy: 612-998-6037.

# HOLY FAMILY

#### EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Wednesday from 9:30 AM-12:30 PM.

#### PRAYER LINE REQUESTS

Diane Schommer at 320-277-3196 or Cheryl Gearhart at 320-692-5726.

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS



#### **MONDAY, JANUARY 10**

• Little Flowers, SJ Social Hall-7:00-8:00 PM

#### TUESDAY, JANUARY 11

- St. Jerome's Bible Study SJ Education Center 10:00 AM
- Confessions, St. Joseph Church- 11:30- 11:50 AM
- Daily Mass, St. Joseph Church-12:00 Noon

#### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12

- Mass, Our Lady of Fatima, Garrison- 9:00 AM
- Sleeping Bag Ministry, SJ Educational Center-9:00-11:00 AM
- Eucharistic Adoration, Our Lady of Fatima, Garrison-9:30-10:30 AM
- Eucharistic Adoration Holy Family Hillman 9:30 AM- 12:30 PM
- Family Faith Formation, SJ Church-5:15-7:15 PM

#### THURSDAY, JANUARY 13

- That Man is You, St. Joseph's Church-6:30-7:30 AM
- Confessions, St. Joseph Church 7:30-7:50 AM
- Mass, St. Joseph's Church 8:00 AM

#### FRIDAY, JANUARY 14

#### **SATURDAY, JANUARY 15**

- Confession, St. Joseph's Church 9:00-10:00 AM
- Confession, Our Lady of Fatima-3:30-3:50 PM
- Mass, Our Lady of Fatima 4:00 PM

#### SUNDAY, JANUARY 16

- Confessions, St. Joseph's Church 8:00-8:20 AM
- Mass, St. Joseph Church- 8:30 AM
- Communion and Liberation, SJ Education Center 9:40-10:20 AM
- Confessions, St. Joseph's Church 10:00-10:20 AM
- Mass, St. Joseph's Church–10:30 AM
- Knights of Columbus Pancake breakfast, SJ Social Hall-9:00-12:00

# WEEKLY PRAYER

#### **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

#### **OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 9, 2022**

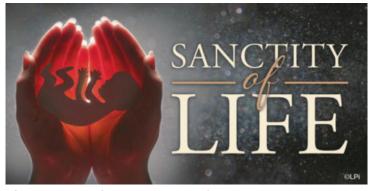
Sunday:	The Baptism of the Lord
Thursday:	St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Next Sunday:	2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FREE THROW CONTEST

The annual Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship for 9-14 year of boys and girls (as of January 1, 2021) will be held on Sunday, January 23rd at the Crosby-Ironton High School. See posters in church for more information.



Registration forms can be picked up at the school office.



O Mary, Mother of Jesus and Mother of us all, we turn to you today as the one who said "Yes" to Life. "You will conceive and bear a Son," the angel told you. Despite the surprise and the uncertainty about how this could be, you said yes. "Be it done unto me according to your word. "Mary, we pray today for all mothers who are afraid to be mothers. We pray for those who feel threatened and overwhelmed by their pregnancy. Intercede for them, that God may give them the grace to say "Yes" and the courage to go on. May they have the grace to reject the false solution of abortion. May they say with you, "Be it done unto me according to your word." May they experience the help of Christian people, and know the peace that comes from doing God's will. Amen

### **RETREAT OPPORTUNITIES**

LADIES: REGISTRATION

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