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ST. JOSEPH **OUR LADY OF FATIMA** **HOLY FAMILY**
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4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

In their synagogue was a man with an unclean spirit; he cried out, "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!" Jesus rebuked him and said, "Quiet! Come out of him!" - Mk 1:23-25

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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
Friday: 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: 8:30-8:50 AM
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
Friday: 8:00 AM—St. Joseph
First Friday: 9:00 AM—Our Lady of Fatima
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

Dear Parishioners,

I want to extend an invitation to anyone who wants to come to our next praise and worship night this Wednesday. It's part of our family faith formation night. It begins about 6:30 and goes for an hour. We will have confessions and music and adoration. All are welcome to come and spend time with the Lord.

I want to offer our youth a chance to help plan some initiatives for our parish youth. I am looking for some high school students to serve as part of a youth leadership team. I would like to get input and buy in from them. I very much doubt any of them read the bulletin, but if you think your student would be interested, please get them in touch with me. This leadership team could possibly be involved in planning events, mission trips, outreach to youth, fund raising initiatives. I would love to see some input from them.

I would also like to invite anyone who is interested in the pro-life cause to a meeting to discuss organizing a group in our parishes to support the pro-life work in our local area. We will have our first meeting next Sunday between Masses in the SJ social hall (Sunday Feb 4th) at 9:30 AM or as quickly as we can after the 8:30 Mass. If you aren't able to come, but are interested, please sign up on the signup sheets in the back of Church. I want to see what we can possibly do to help develop and grow the culture of life. I am specifically interested in working to promote life... not just be anti-abortion.

I believe we need to retool our efforts with the pro-life movement. We need to see it more broadly and also focus less on legislation and more on efforts which will help women in crisis pregnancies and efforts that will help those who are choosing to end their pregnancies or people who are choosing to end their lives by suicide or assisted suicide. We are facing a tidal wave of people who are feeling they have no good options. Jesus is the answer, but that might mean finding some very practical things to start with.

In many ways, it relies on us sharing the awesome vision which Catholic anthropology offers. What the Church has received from God is an amazing vision of the human person, but so many people are feeling lost and confused about the gift of life, and the joy of living. We have much to share... how can we find ways to share this vision in a way that is attractive and gives hope to those who are feeling hopeless?

Jesus gives us the answers, now we need to translate that into practical ways of reaching people about what he offers. We need to recapture and represent the goodness of how God intended us to live. This encompasses the way we honor life and protect it and help it when it is in danger. This should include how we advocate for the family... how we share about the gift of fertility and how we support and care for our elders and those who are no longer able to live independently. A culture of life, is so much more than just saying no to abortion, and euthanasia. We want to share the YES which God offers us to live healthy happy and holy lives.

The toxicity many are growing up in is killing us long before a person actually despairs. It's a huge undertaking, but perhaps we can just look at what's possible here locally that can be our focus.

*In Christ,
Fr. Eli*

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MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27

4:00 PM All Parishioners Garrison

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

8:30 AM Rich Northburg † Crosby
10:30 PM Dom Soriano † Crosby

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30

12:00 PM Josie Doshan Crosby

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31

9:00 AM Annie Sauerbrei † Garrison

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1

8:00 AM Elmer Bartels † Crosby

FIRST FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2

8:00 AM Tom Koenig † Crosby
9:00 AM Dean Sanford † Garrison

FIRST SATURDAY, JANUARY 27

8:00 AM Gloria McMullen † Crosby
4:00 PM Eric Krautbauer Garrison

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

8:30 AM All Parishioners Crosby
10:30 PM Mary Vukelich † Crosby

LITURGICAL ROLES

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27 4:00 PM OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Lector Lucy Lueck
Server Dan Nickols
EM Jean Olson

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28 8:30 AM ST. JOSEPH

Lector Chris Ruttger
Ushers Mary Lee Dallman/Jeff Fish
Servers K. & J. & S. Severson
EM Johnny Severson
Greeters Mary Kay Papenfuss/Jeanne Ecklund
Rosary leader Linda Braynard

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28 10:30 AM ST JOSEPH

Lector Anna Mayer
Ushers Jim W/Tom B/Murray S/Keith S
Servers J. & J. & S. Millsop/M. Anderson
EM LeRoy Johnson
Greeters Leah & Josh Jacobson
Rosary leader Tammy Ringhand

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3 4:00 PM OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Lector Travis Baldwin
Server Lucy Lueck
EM Joanne Ruttger

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4 8:30 AM ST. JOSEPH

Lector Mark Severson
Ushers Tony Ravnik/Jim Stokman
Servers J. & J. Bostrom/A. Bugnacki
EM Matt Bugnacki
Greeters Tony Ravnik
Rosary leader Carmella Turner

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4 10:30 AM ST JOSEPH

Lector LeRoy Johnson
Ushers Kathy Fo Heglund/Vern Erickson/Max Erickson
Servers L. Smith/D. Fleming/M. Schaeffbauer/JP Cady
EM Lia Price
Greeters Brianna & Luke Millsop family
Rosary leader Tammy Ringhand

Lectors, ushers, servers and EM's: please arrange for subs if you are unable to serve when you are scheduled. Call the office if you need help finding a substitute. 218-546-6559. Thank you.

ST. JOSEPH

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

The Adoration Chapel will be closed Friday, Dec. 22 at noon and reopen after noon Mass on Tuesday, January 2nd. Please contact Collette for more information at 218-831-0179. Please consider one of the open hours below:

Tuesday 2:00-3:00 PM

Wednesday 4:00-5:00 AM

Wednesday 8:00-9:00 PM

Friday 11:00AM-12:00 PM

Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The local chapter of St. Vincent de Paul is available to assist those in need in the local area. Donations are appreciated and a donation box is in the rear of the church for giving. Requests and questions can be answered by calling: 218-534-3182.

ARE YOU REGISTERED?

NEW PARISHIONER REGISTRATION

Have you registered as a parishioner of St. Joseph's or Our Lady of Fatima? If not, we encourage you to do so! New Parishioner Registration forms are in the back of church or on the website www.cuyunacatholic.org under About and Become a Parishioner. You can bring your completed form to the office, put it in the collection basket at Mass or drop in box located under the forms in the back of church. *Our seasonal parishioners are encouraged to register as well.*

ST. JEROME BIBLE STUDY

We meet on Tuesdays at 10:00 am in St. Joseph's Education Center. All are welcome to join us!

DID YOU KNOW

You can use the QR codes below to make contributions to Adult giving, Capital Campaign, UCA, the Community Table, Men of St. Joseph and St. Vincent DePaul. *You can use your credit card or bank ACH; with recurring or one-time donations. Call Nancy if you have questions: 218-545-2520.*

CONTRIBUTION REPORT 1-21-24

ST. JOSEPH

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| PLATE: | \$268.00 |
| ENVELOPE: | \$2623.00 |
| ON-LINE GIVING: | \$1680.00 |
| TOTAL: | \$4571.00 |
| UCA 2024 ASSESSMENT: | \$TBD |

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

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|-----------------------|----------|
| PLATE: | \$255.00 |
| ENVELOPE: | \$290.00 |
| ON-LINE GIVING: | \$50.00 |
| TOTAL: | \$595.00 |
| UCA 2024 ASSESSMENT : | \$TBD |



St. Joseph's Church



Our Lady of Fatima

INTRO TO CATHOLICISM—OCIA

Introduction to Catholicism/OCIA meets on Thursdays at 6:30pm in the educational building in Rm 5. Here is the list of topics for January:

2-1-24 Marriage & God's Plan for Love

2-8-24 Seven Sacraments

2-15-24 Baptism & Confirmation

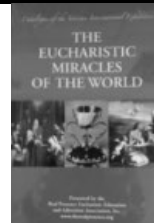
2-22-24 Holy Orders

2-29-24 Reconciliation & Anointing of the Sick

EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES BOOK

COPIES AVAILABLE

We have 8 books available in the office if you're interested in purchasing one. They are \$25 each. Our office is open Tuesday-Friday from 9am-noon.



SLEEPING BAG MINISTRY

We are back at it! Please join us in St. Joseph's education building on Wednesdays from 9:00-11:00am. No sewing skills required. Come spend some time with others while making sleeping bags for the homeless.

PRAYER LINE

Would you like to join the ministry of praying for others? Do you have prayer requests you would like covered in faithful prayer? Send an email to: cuyunaprays@gmail.com.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

BIBLE STUDY

Bible Study using the "Eucharistic Celebrations" books All are welcome. No cost. Tuesdays at 1:30 in community hall at OLF. Starts January 30th. 8 sessions. Questions? Call Deacon Roger: 839 2665

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

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

GARRISON AREA CAREGIVERS

Are you looking for an opportunity to help your community a few hours a month/week? Garrison Area Caregiver's Food Shelf and Thrift Store would love to have you! We are in need of volunteers. Please consider helping in this way. If you'd like more information, please call: 320-692-5399.

OLF MINISTRY HELP NEEDED

We need help with the various ministry roles at church. If you're willing to serve as an usher, lector, server, cantor or Eucharistic minister, please call the office. Training will be provided. Give it a try! 218-546-6559.

HOLY FAMILY

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Wednesday from 11:00 AM—12:00 PM.

PRAYER LINE REQUESTS

Diane Schommer at 320-277-3916 or Cheryl Gearhart at 320-692-5726.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MONDAY, JANUARY 29

- Community Table, SJ Social hall—5:00 doors open
- Adult choir practice, SJ choir loft—7:00 PM

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30

- Confessions, SJ Church 11:30-11:50—Mass, 12:00 PM Noon

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31

- Confessions, Our Lady of Fatima—8:30-8:50 AM
- Mass, Our Lady of Fatima—9:00 AM
- Sleeping Bag Ministry, SJ Education bldg.—9:00-11:00 AM
- Eucharistic Adoration, Our Lady of Fatima—9:30-10:30 AM
- Eucharistic Adoration Holy Family Hillman -11:00 AM- 12:00 PM
- Magnificat Children's Choir practice, SJ choir loft—5:00-5:30 PM
- FFF: Adoration & Confession, SJ Church—6:30 PM (5:30 dinner)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1

- That Man is You, SJ Social Hall—6:30-7:30 AM
- Confession 7:30-7:50 AM—Mass, St. Joseph's Church 8:00 AM
- OCIA, St. Joseph Education bldg., 6:30-8:00 PM

FIRST FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2

- Confession, St. Joseph's Church 7:30-7:50 AM Mass,—8:00 AM
- Mass, Our Lady of Fatima—9:00 AM

FIRST SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3

- Mass, St. Joseph's Church—8:00 AM
- Confessions, St. Joseph's Church 9:00-10:00 AM
- Confessions, Our Lady of Fatima 3:30-3:50 PM Mass, 4:00 PM

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4

- Confessions, SJ Church—8:00-8:20 AM & Mass 8:30 AM
- Communion & Liberation—SJ Educational bldg. 9:40-10:20 AM
- Confessions, SJ Church—10:00-10:20 AM & Mass 10:30 AM

A MESSAGE FROM DEACON PHIL

I have been at Sacred Heart Seminary and School of Theology for two full weeks now. The first week was orientation and then a five-day silent retreat. Last week was my first week of actual classes and formation. I am settling in well and find myself happy to be here. I really had no idea what to expect. It is a lot of work. I am enjoying the challenge, so far. As part of my formation to be a priest, I am assigned to work at two parishes here in Milwaukee on the weekends and during "free time." These parishes are quite different from St Joseph's in that they both have schools, are much larger, and one of them is very diverse with a large Hispanic community.

I will be home March 3-9 and then again at the end of March during Holy Week. I think of St Joseph's often and remember you all in my prayers. Pray for me please.

In Christ, Phil Mayer

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ENGAGED RETREAT

Upcoming **Weekend for the Engaged** Registration is now open for two upcoming in-person Weekend for the Engaged. The first scheduled will be at the Cathedral of Our Lady in Duluth on February 24th and 25th, and the next at **St. Joseph's in Crosby on April 27th and 28th**. A June Engaged Weekend is also planned for Duluth at St. Benedict; the date will be determined. Engaged couples, please register as soon as possible because weekends fill up. Engaged Weekends are part of the preparation for couples as they prepare and approach the Sacrament of Matrimony. If you know a couple getting married in the Catholic church within the next two years, invite them to register. More information and to register can be found at www.dioceseduluth.org/marriage-and-family-life.

Marriage
-prep-
Retreat

WOMEN'S DAY

Healing, Hope & Joy in Jesus

For: Women of the Deanery

When: Saturday, February 17th. 9am-1pm

Where: St. Alice, Pequot Lakes

RSVP: by February 9th. Call 218-568-4760 or
ladylakes.office@duluthcatholic.org.

Come and learn from Bishop Daniel how to be on fire to bring yourself and others closer to Jesus Christ, no matter where we may be in the journey of life. We need to be able to reveal to all that Jesus is the healing, hope & joy that we are desperately seeking in our lives, the life of our family and the community where we live. ***Babysitting will be available.***

40 HOURS OF DEVOTION

40 Hours Devotion Coming Up March 1-3, 2024 at St. Francis Church

40 Hours is an intentional time of Eucharistic Adoration for our entire faith community. Our theme this year is "The Eucharist - Sacrament of Love" with special presentations by internationally known speaker Fr. Louis Merosne. Born in Haiti, Father Louis grew up in Boston MA. After completing his studies at Franciscan University of Steubenville, he responded to a call to return to his homeland, where he was ordained and now serves the church and the poor. More details and a full schedule are available at www.brainerdcatholic.org/events.

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PREPARE
THE WAY OF
THE LORD

LENT IS AROUND THE CORNER

ASH WEDNESDAY—February 14th.

Mass times are : OLF at 9:00 AM. SJ at noon and 7:00 PM.

Starting Friday, Feb. 16th, there will be Stations of the Cross at both churches followed by a simple soup supper.

Our Lady of Fatima—Stations at 4:00 pm

St. Joseph's—Stations at 6:00 pm

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