



St. Raphael & St. Rose of Lima Catholic Community



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Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 30, 2022

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Mass Schedule

Tuesday	8:00 a.m.	St. Raphael
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	St. Raphael
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	St. Rose
Friday	8:00 a.m.	St. Rose
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	St. Raphael
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	St. Rose
	10:30 a.m.	St. Raphael
1st Saturday	8:00 a.m.	St. Rose

Confession

Saturday	4:00 - 4:30 p.m.	St. Raphael
Sunday	7:30 - 7:50 a.m.	St. Rose

Eucharistic Adoration

~Holy Hour - Wednesdays after the 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Raphael
~Adoration - Fridays at St. Rose, 8:30 a.m. to 7:45 a.m. on Saturday

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4th Sunday

IN ORDINARY TIME

When the people in the synagogue heard this, they were all filled with fury. But Jesus passed through the midst of them and went away. - Lk 4:28, 30

Collection Report

St. Raphael

Adult Envelopes.....\$2,233.00
 Adult Electronic Giving.....\$314.12
 Plate.....\$324.00
 Total \$2,871.12

Latin America.....\$415.00
 Latin America Electronic.....\$9.69
 UCA Envelopes.....\$30.00
 UCA Electronic.....\$26.99

St. Rose

Adult Envelopes.....\$2,107.00
 Adult Electronic Giving.....\$49.30
 Plate.....\$127.25
 Total \$2,283.55

Latin America.....\$200.00
 UCA Envelopes.....\$45.00

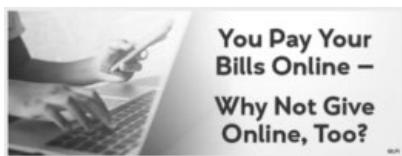
United Catholic Appeal

ST. RAPHAEL

Collected for UCA 2022.....\$6,967.82

ST. ROSE

Collected for UCA 2022.....\$2,612.86



E-giving links can be found on the parish website. The direct links are:

St. Raphael: engage.suran.com/straphael/s/give/new-gift

St. Rose: engage.suran.com/strose/s/give/new-gift

LIVE THE LITURGY

Prophets possess an intimate knowledge of God and act on their experience of God. Prophetic messages usually challenge the status quo and draw us up and out of ourselves, focusing us on the bigger picture. We often think of ourselves and our own needs first. When we listen to someone speak, we judge the merit of the message by its degree of usefulness. If the message or vision contains

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS



BIBLE STUDY: St. Rose and St. Raphael parishioners are invited to join in a Lenten Bible Study to be led by Deacon Carl Provost on Tuesdays from March 1 - April 5, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Rose. Sign-up sheets are on the bulletin boards at both parishes or you can call our parish office at 218-729-7537 so a participant book can be ordered for you. *Deadline update:* We have found a great source in the U.S. for the participant books! Please sign up as soon as possible so we can be sure to have enough books for everyone!



ST. TERESA'S CIRCLE MEETING: Tuesday, Feb. 1st at 6:30 p.m. at St. Raphael.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING: Tuesday, February 1st at 6:30 p.m. in the St. Raphael social hall downstairs.



There will be an American Red Cross Blood Drive Thursday, February 24th at St. Raphael from 12:00 noon—6:00 p.m. To sign up, you can find the poster in the St. Raphael vestibule, you can go online to RedCrossBlood.org and enter sponsor code, Raphael, or you can call Kathy at 218-260-6043.



Magnificat Magazine has all the Mass readings with corresponding meditations for the month, plus other interesting articles. If you would like to participate in our bulk subscription for \$36/year, please contact Marci at 729-7537 or marci.golen@duluthcatholic.org by February 11, 2022. Magazines are delivered to each parish for pick up. Those who currently have subscriptions through the church, please let Marci know if you'd like to renew.



LEGION OF MARY: "The Legion of Mary is a lay apostolic association of Catholics who, with the sanction of the Church and under the powerful leadership of Mary Immaculate, Mediatrix of All Graces, serve the Church and their neighbour on a voluntary basis in about 170 countries." We are fortunate to have a Legion of Mary in our own community which meets every Wednesday at 3:15 p.m. at St. Rose! New members welcome. If you are interested, please contact Mary Pavlovich at 218-624-3726 or Becky Kubat at 218-624-5280.



In Sympathy Our condolences to the family and friends of long-time St. Raphael parishioner, Barb Strand, whose funeral will be Saturday, February 5th at St. Raphael; 10:00 a.m. visitation, 11:00 a.m. funeral.

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

no personal benefit or profit but a call to stretch and grow, we can become indignant. Prophets are usually the ones whose message challenges us and calls us to see things differently and love more perfectly and deeply. God is love. When listening to St. Paul speak about love we witness the unfolding of this type of unconditional, other centered, self-sacrificial perfect God. It is an invitation to life, freedom, and happiness that can be offered to us only by God. Jesus, who is God and

Love incarnate, calls us to this richer expression of love. Are we ready to listen and be challenged and stretched?



ST. RAPHAEL RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



St Raphael Religious Education Classes

PreK-5th Grade: Sundays, 9:15-10:15 a.m., January 30, February 6, 13, 27 **No Class** February 20

6th-10th Grade: Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m., February 2, 9, 16, 23

11th Grade: Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m., February 2, 9, 16, 23 **at St. Raphael**

If you have any questions, please call or e-mail Kathy at 218-260-6043 or straphaelyouthprek.5@gmail.com

YOUTH

2022 MISSION TRIP/STEBENVILLE: Registration is open now for those who will have completed grades 9–12 by June 2022. Tuesday, July 12—Sunday, July 17, 2022. Go to dioceseduluth.org/Mission-Trips for info and registration.

CAMP SURVIVE 2022: The Diocese of Duluth is planning to host Camp Survive this summer at Big Sandy Camp in McGregor, MN. Camp Survive is a 5-day junior high camp open to students who have completed grades 6–8 this year (school year 2021-22). This extremely popular camp will be held in two sessions: July 25–29, 2022 and August 1–5, 2022. Students can register for one session only. More information will be available this spring. Please go to www.dioceseduluth.org/Camp- for info and updates.

THEOLOGY OF THE BODY DAY RETREAT: Join other Catholic teens, grades 9–12, from around the Diocese for a mini-TOB retreat. Speakers include Nic Davidson, Jen Messing, and Kevin Pilon. Saturday, March 26th, 9:00 a.m.—7:00 p.m. at St. Lawrence (2410 Morris Thomas Rd, Duluth). The cost is \$25/person to cover food and materials. Two snacks, lunch and dinner are provided. Please register by March 20th to karen.ball@duluthcatholic.org. Any questions? Call Karen at 218-722-2259.

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS - First Corinthians and Social Media

“Love is patient, love is kind ...” As familiar as these words are, they never seem to stray into the territory of becoming trite or silly. At their core they communicate a truth about us and about our Creator that never fails to inspire.

But despite the fact that you’ve probably heard it at many weddings over time, First Corinthians isn’t just for newlyweds. It wasn’t written for married folks. It’s for every single one of us, in every state of life and every social situation, in every country and culture and language across the globe.

Which means that First Corinthians is even for the online world. It’s for Facebook and Twitter and Instagram and all the other platforms I’m forgetting (there seems to be a new one every day, doesn’t there?).

ST. ROSE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



St. Rose Religious Education Classes

Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m., February 2, 9, 16, 23

11th Grade: (CONFIRMATION) - Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m. February 2, 9, 16, 23 **at St. Raphael**

If you have any questions, please call or e-mail Suzanne at 218-349-3498 or Suzanne.Lott@duluthcatholic.org

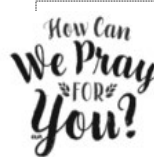
STELLA MARIS ACADEMY

SMA students will once again be taking part in the annual **Catholic United Financial Raffle** that kicks off across the state this month. This is a significant fundraiser for SMA which allows us to keep all the ticket sale proceeds! Tickets are \$5 each. Watch for our students selling after Mass!

MARRIAGE RETREATS

WWME: Every married couple deserves the gift of a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend! The next weekends in this area will be held Feb 11-13, 2022 in Buffalo, MN and Feb 18-20, 2022 in Windom, MN. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: northmnwwme.org or contact Brent & Tracy at applications@twincitieswwme.org or 612-756-8720.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: Give the best St Valentine’s Day gift possible by signing up for the February 12-13 Marriage Encounter! Weekends are held at Mt Olivet Conference and Retreat Center in Farmington. Visit www.marriages.org to register, for additional info or call 651.454.3238.



Need prayer? For St. Rose, call your prayer request in to Gloria at 218-428-4173. For St. Raphael, e-mail Beth Sever at bsevermn@gmail.com. You may also call the parish office.

A sense of division — whether rooted in politics, culture or anything else — is growing in our world, and it’s never more obvious than when we observe interactions online. It is far easier, after all, to remember what love is when a human being of flesh and blood stands before us. When all we see is an avatar or a profile picture on a screen — especially accompanied by an opinion with which we vehemently disagree — even the most loving Christians can throw First Corinthians out the window.

As everyday stewards we know that we are charged to be not only gracious but grateful. We receive others but we also give thanks for what they bring to us — even if that’s an opportunity to “strive eagerly for the greatest spiritual gifts.”

So before the next time you post anything online, I suggest giving First Corinthians a read — and remember, love never fails.
— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

Readings for the week of January 30, 2021

Sunday: 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

Monday: 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mk 5:21-43

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

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

Friday: Sir 47:2-11/Ps 18:31, 47 and 50, 51/Mk 6:14-29

Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14/Mk 6:30-34

Next Sunday: 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

Observances for the week of January 30, 2022

Sunday: 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Celebrate Catholic Schools Week

Monday: St. John Bosco, Priest

Tuesday:

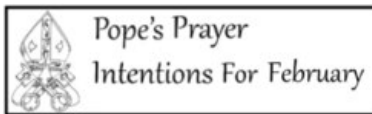
Wednesday: The Presentation of the Lord; World Day for Consecrated Life

Thursday: St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr; St. Ansgar, Bishop

Friday:

Saturday: St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr

Next Sunday: 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time; St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs



For religious sisters and consecrated women: We pray for religious sisters and consecrated women; thanking them for their mission and their courage; may they continue to find new responses to the challenges of our times.



Baptisms

Baptism preparation class must be scheduled with the priest or deacon prior to Baptism. Contact the parish office at least 1 month in advance.

Weddings

Contact the pastor at least 9 months prior to proposed date of wedding. Pre-marriage instruction is required.

Welcome!

New Parishioners

Welcome! Please register by calling St. Raphael parish office (218) 729-7537, filling out a form online through the website (straphaelandstrose.com) or taking a registration form off the bulletin board at either church. Forms can be returned in the collection basket or to the parish office.



**Catholic Schools
Week 2022**
January 30–February 5

www.NCEA.org/csw
#CSW22

Mass Intentions ~ February 1–6

Tuesday 8:00 a.m.	✠ Tyler Walsh	St. Raphael
Wednesday 8:00 a.m.	✠ Barb Johnson	St. Raphael
Thursday 8:00 a.m.	✠ Claire Schumacher	St. Rose
Friday 8:00 a.m.	✠ Mary Joppa	St. Rose
Saturday 8:00 a.m.	✠ Isabelle Callahan	St. Rose
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	✠ Sylvester Yagoda	St. Raphael
Sunday 8:00 a.m.	✠ John Gannucci	St. Rose
Sunday 10:30 a.m.	Pro Populo	St. Raphael

Liturgical Minister Schedule

Saturday, February 5, 5:00 p.m. - St. Raphael

Lector - Gail Kehoe
Ushers - Dan Buchman, Rick Johnston
Altar Server - Payton Kilgore

Sunday, February 6, 8:00 a.m. - St. Rose

Lector - Val Kusch
Usher - Scott Schneider
Altar Server - Ben & Jacob Jauhola

Sunday, February 6, 10:30 a.m. - St. Raphael

Lector - Cathy Rackliffe
Ushers - Patty Nagle, Chris Kamben
Altar Server - Simon Merritt

Saint of the Week

St. Blaise | February 3

You may be familiar with the annual “blessing of throats” that many parishes in the United States use to commemorate the beloved bishop and martyr. St. Blaise lived in the fourth century in Turkey and Armenia. Due to religious persecution, he was forced to flee and hide in a cave in the back country in order to save his life.

History has it that one day a group of hunters stumbled upon where St. Blaise was living. They found the bishop kneeling in prayer, surrounded by wolves, lions and bears that he had tamed. The legend has it that as the hunters dragged Blaise off to prison, a mother came with her young son who had a fish bone lodged in his throat. At Blaise’s command, the child was able to cough up the bone and thus lived.

Today we remember the saint on his feast day by taking two candles, crossing them against the throat, and saying the following prayer:

Through the intercession of St. Blaise, bishop and martyr, may God deliver you from ailments of the throat and from every other evil. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

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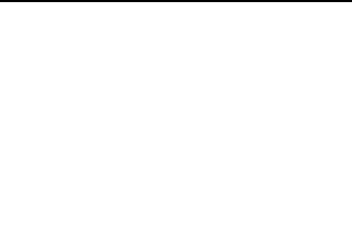
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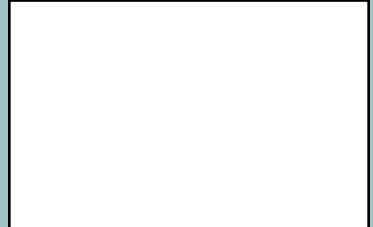
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