



2nd Sunday of Lent
March 5th, 2023

Blessed Sacrament Welcome to our Parish

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Emergency

In case of an emergency after regular business hours, call (218) 262-5441 ext. 7 to reach a priest.

Parish and School Staff

Pastor..... Fr. Daniel Weiske
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2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

“This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.” - Mt 17:5b

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Mass Schedule Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:15pm.....
Sunday 8:00am
Sunday 10:00am...BLS & Side Lake Chapel
Each week, the 8am Sunday Mass is broadcast live on Channel 805 & 118.5. The 8am & 10am Masses are livestream on our YouTube Channel each Sunday.

Weekday Masses

Monday 8:00am....Tuesday 5:15pm.....
Wednesday-Friday *8:00am.....
**Wednesday Mass is 9am during School year*

The Church is open for Prayer:

Mon., Tues., & Wed. 7:30am-4pm
Thurs. 7:30am-7pm; Fri. 7:30am-2:30pm
Saturday - 8am-5pm
Sunday - 7:30am until conclusion of 10am Mass

Reconciliation

Tuesday evening...4:30pm-5:15pm
Saturday 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Baptism

Call the Parish Office at least one month in advance and schedule preparation and baptism with a Priest.

New Parishioners

Please register on our website www.blessedsacramenthibbing.org or at the Parish Office.

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:30am-4:00pm
Friday 8:30am-1:00pm

Assumption Catholic School

The Assumption Catholic School, a part of the Blessed Sacrament Parish, is a Christ-centered partnership of parents, students, and the wider parish community.

Marriage

Begin arrangements at least six months in advance of wedding date. A marriage preparation course is required before all weddings. Call the Parish Office to begin planning.

Adoration

Weekly Adoration every Thursday from 8:30am-Friday 8:00am in the Adoration Chapel.

Natural Family Planning Northland Family Programs

Call Susie Marchetti at 218-966-0899



Blessed Sacrament Parish has two Prayer Chains:
Call Nancy at 262-4401 or Carolyn at 263-4684
Prayer requests can also be submitted online
www.blessedsacramenthibbing.org under the “Special Prayer Intention” tab.



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As a kid I remember looking at my sister and thinking, "No man is ever going to marry her. She is way too... my *sister!*" I couldn't see her as anything except my goofy, emotional, cooties-laden sister. Years later, on her wedding day, I remember seeing

how her husband looked at her, he was totally in love with her, his watery eyes full of overwhelmed joy, drinking in her beauty and grace. He was the one who actually saw her. Blinded by familiarity, I had not been able to see her until now. She was glorious. I finally saw how beautiful my sister really was.

Jesus is transfigured before Peter, James, and John. His face shone like the sun and his clothes dazzle with heavenly light. If it's a miracle, it is so related to the apostles' perception of the glory of Jesus. The physical spectacle reveals how the Father perceives the Son, so to speak: **"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well-pleased; listen to him."** The Son is *always* bathed in the Father's love. It's only just now that they finally perceive it.

Who could possibly give his or her heart totally to Jesus? If we perceive him to be just another teacher, symbol, or moral example, we can't. But if the Holy Spirit gives us eyes to see that he is the Beloved Son of God, who makes our humanity not just pleasing to God but filled with glory ... then who can resist him? Perhaps only the lovers are the ones who properly see.— *Father John Muir* ©LPi

Everyone is invited to **Spend time with Jesus this Lent! Lenten Eucharistic Adoration** is available in the Adoration Chapel from February 22nd-April 5th. **Wednesdays 10:00am— Fridays 7:00pm** **Jesus is present and truly waiting!**



PRAY FAST GIVE



Join us **Sunday March 12th** at 11:15am in St. Leo's Hall for a **Catechism in a Year Confab!** On select Sundays, Fr. Daniel or Fr. Bill will host a regular Catechism **recap and Q&A session.**

What is the purpose of life? What do we believe and why? How can I pray? The catechism is a rich tapestry of lessons for life. As Fr. Mike's podcast becomes quite a 'thing', some folks were asking for a chance to dive deeper, ask questions, and discuss.

We will hold the *Catechism in a Year Confab* twice per month, as able. If you like well-prepared answers, send questions ahead of time to fr.daniel.weiske@duluthcatholic.org. We will generally meet the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month. Watch the parish calendar for specifics. Show up sporadically, show up every time. It doesn't matter.

Find the 15-minute episodes on most podcast platforms or <https://youtu.be/OnWsRYVMm5c> YouTube.

We hope to see you there!



Pro-Life Corner: The Gospel of Life is "meant to be a precise and vigorous reaffirmation of the value of human life and its inviolability, and at the same time a pressing appeal addressed to each and every person, in the name of God: respect, protect, love and serve life, every human life! Only in this direction will you find justice, development, true freedom, peace and happiness!" (*The Gospel of Life* 5)

Star of the North Maternity Homes Annual Fundraiser

Come one, come all to the Star of the North Maternity Homes Salmon Dinner raising money for moms and babies in the northland. Join us at the St. James Gym on Fri., March 17th from 5:30-8:30pm for a delicious salmon dinner (lasagna option available), live music and our annual auction. Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$20 for seniors and veterans, \$10 for kids ages 6-12 and 5 and under eat free.

Purchase your tickets and RSVP now at www.StaroftheNorthMaternityHome.org

Visit our homepage www.blessedsacramenthibbing.org

Penance Services Lent 2023 Hibbing Deanery

Thurs., March 30th 5:00pm St. Cecilia's Nashauk
Thurs., March 30th 6:30pm St. Joseph's in Chisholm
Sun., April 2nd 4:00pm Blessed Sacrament Hibbing
Sun., April 16th 2:00pm-4:00pm Mary Immaculate in Coleraine (Divine Mercy Sunday).

SECOND WEEK OF LENT



Friday Evening Stations of the Cross Please join us at Blessed Sacrament Church every **Friday evening during Lent at 6:30pm for Stations of the Cross** (*Way of the Cross*). May we make a spiritual pilgrimage through contemplation of the Passion of Christ.

Council of Catholic Women

There will be a CCW Meeting on Mon., March 6th to discuss soup suppers. Please join us!



Lenten Soup Supper!
4pm - 6pm St Leo's Hall,
Wednesday, March 8th, 2023
Boiled Dinner
Wild Rice Soup, Clam Chowder

Suggested donation **\$5.00 Adults, \$3.00 for children 10 and under with a maximum of \$20.00 for a family.** Take out available, please bring a container. **Preparation for the soup suppers will be held following 9:00am Mass on all Wednesdays during Lent.** If you would be able and willing to lend a hand, please come to the Parish kitchen. Men and women of the Parish are encouraged to help! There will be a potluck lunch served to all workers. **Come Holy Spirit, come. Our Lady of Good Counsel, pray for us!**

School News



Friday Night Fish Dinners! Assumption School Families and The Knights of Columbus are excited to bring fish dinners to the Parish this Lent. Please join us each **Friday in Lent from 5:00pm-6:30pm in St. Leo's Hall.** Breaded Pollock and Lemon Pepper Cod, coleslaw, garlic mashed potatoes, bread sticks, and a cookie will be served. **The cost \$15.00 for adults, \$10.00 for children 6 years and older, and children 5 years and younger eat free, with a family max of \$50.00.** Take-outs available! If you are interested in volunteering for the event, please call the Assumption School 263-3054. Come and join us for fellowship and a great meal! The public is always invited!

SCRIP Volunteers Needed!

A few Parent/Grandparent volunteers are needed to help with maintaining the SCRIP Inventory.

Duties include:

- Ordering Scrip-local and national
- Picking up local Scrip (Hardees, Benders, Valentini's, L&M)
- Maintaining inventory through Scripware program.
- Counting cards in scrip box-monthly
- Running month end reports
- Preparing bank deposits
- About 10-15 hours a month.
- On the job training available.

If interested, please contact Susie Marchetti in the business office 218-262-5541. Thank you!



Assumption School Pierogi Sale! Please help support our upcoming 6th grade trips. **We have homemade frozen potato pierogi for sale \$10/dozen.** To order, Please call the Parish Office 262-5541 or Assumption

School Office 263-3054. Pierogi will be ready for pickup in St. Leo's Hall on Fri., March 17th from 2:00pm-4:00pm; Sat., March 18th following 4:15pm Mass; and Sun., March 19th following all Masses. Thank you!

Faith Formation

Middle School & High School (6th-11th grades)
Wed., March 8th~ Dinner at 6:00pm followed by Faith Formation 6:30pm-8:00pm.

Sunday School (K-5th grades) Sun., March 12th ~ Class 8:45am-9:45am.

"Hungry, Aspiring Saints" meets **Tuesdays. All are welcome!** Options: 5:15pm mass, 5:50pm meal, 6:30pm video, followed by open discussion until 8:00pm.

We will continue with **"The Chosen"** series:

Mar 7th, 14th Season 1, Episodes 7-8

Mar 28th, Apr 4th, 11th, 25th Season 2, Episodes 1-4

May 2nd, 9th, 16th Season 2 Episodes 5-7

May 23rd, 30th Season 2, Episodes 8 & Christmas

June 6th, 13th, 20th Season 3, Episodes 1-2 & extras

Evenings of Healing and Hope!

Mar. 21st Your True Identity (Sharing the Heart of Jesus the Son)

Apr. 18th From Huddled in Fear to "All Shall Hear": on Fire for Mission in the Holy Spirit

Sacraments



Jackson Scott Vesel was welcomed into the church through the waters of baptism. May he grow strong in the life Christ won for him by his death and resurrection.



Assumption Catholic School is looking for a part-time custodian to help clean the school classrooms and offices. Duties include emptying garbage, dry & wet mopping floors, dusting, vacuuming. Hours would vary depending on where help is needed – Day shift 7am – 1pm or afternoons 2pm-6pm. If you feel called to serve the Lord in this way, please contact Susie in the parish office for more information. 262-5541

Your True Identity: Sharing the Heart of Jesus

Please join us **Tuesday, March 21st** with appetizers at 5:45pm, followed by the main event from 6:30pm-8:00pm. Please call Jessica 218-262-5541 to RSVP or email jessica.koland@duluthcatholic.org.

Honored from Above, On Fire with Love

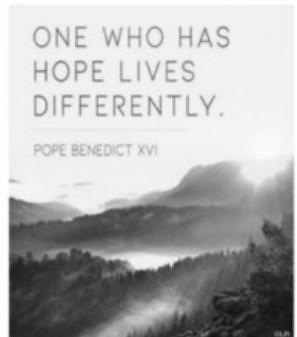
BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH, HIBBING

Tuesday, February 21

6:30-8:00 PM

March 21

April 18



This series of talks will equip you to prioritize and understand relationships, to understand your true identity, and to prepare you to live out your mission.



Knightly News

March 2023 Calendar

3-9	Officer's Meeting, KC meeting - Annex	5:30pm, 6:00 pm
3-10	Assumption School KC Fish Dinner	5pm-6:30 pm
3-13	4 th Degree/3 rd Degree Dinner Meeting- Valentini's	5:30pm-7:00 pm
3-17	Assumption School KC Fish Dinner / St. Patrick's Day	5pm-6:30 pm
3-19	Pancake Breakfast – All Proceeds go to the Faith Formation and Assumption School Bibles	8am-12pm
3-24	Assumption School KC Fish Dinner	5pm-6:30 pm
3-31	Assumption School KC Fish Dinner	5:00-6:30 pm

TO JOIN THE KNIGHTS, GO TO KOFC ON-LINE

Mass Intentions

Mon. 3/6 8:00am +Edith Borbiconi
 Tues. 3/7 5:15pm Jon Rittgers
 Wed. 3/8 9:00am +George Micensky
 Thurs. 3/9 8:00am +Eleanor Sheldon
 Fri. 3/10 8:00am +Mary, Urho, and Bob Maki
 Sat. 3/11 4:15pm +Gene Borbiconi
 Sun. 3/12 8:00am All Parishioners
 10:00am +Tia Bergen

B Birthday, A Anniversary, WA Wedding Anniversary, + Deceased

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LPi Gary Stang
 320-266-0520

Stewardship

Parish Financial Status	Last Week Actual	YTD Budget	YTD Actual
Ordinary Income (Envelope, Plate, Online)	\$15,090.99	\$458,701.92	\$451,375.57
Bequests/Other Income	\$--	\$30,288.46	\$32,306.29
UCA	Last Week Actual	2022 Assessment	Received to Date
	\$507.76		\$8,936.50

Week of February 26th, 2022

Weekly Readings

Readings for the week of March 5, 2023

Mon: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/Lk 6:36-38
 Tues: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 23:1-12
 Wed: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/Mt 20:17-28
 Thurs: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 16:19-31
 Fri: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46



Sat: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
 Sun: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or
 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

Weekly Parish Calendar

Sun., 3/5

Sunday School	8:45am-9:45am	REC
Sunday Sisters	9:10am-9:50am	SLH
Magnify 90	11:15am	SLH
Parish Funspiel	11:30am	Hibbing Curling Club
Rosary for conversion of Russia and Peace in Ukraine	7pm	BLS

Mon., 3/6

Council of Catholic Women Meeting	1:00pm	CA
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Tues., 3/7

Grandparent Ministry	9:00am	CA
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Wed., 3/8

Men's Exodus 90	6:00am	SLH
Rosary for Children	10:00am	BLS
Soup Supper	4:00pm-6:00pm	SLH
Faith Formation Dinner	6:00pm; Class 6:30pm-8pm	BLS

Thurs., 3/9

Widow's of Prayer	9:00am	CA
Knights of Columbus Meeting	5:00pm	CA

Fri., 3/10

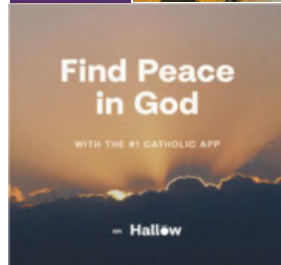
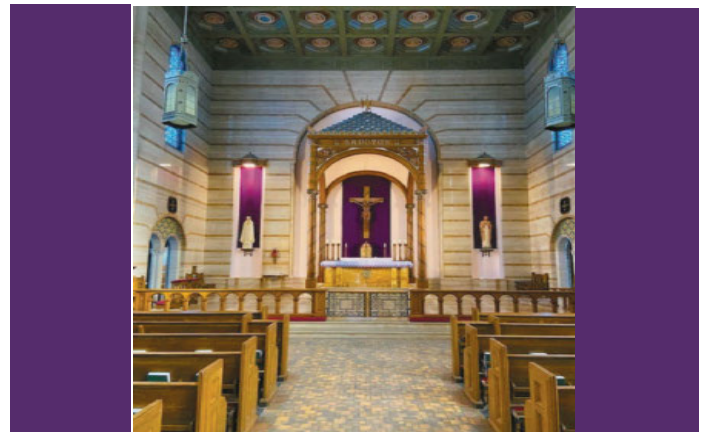
No Children Stations of the Cross		
Fish Dinner	5:00pm-6:30pm	SLH
Stations of the Cross	6:30pm	BLS

Sat., 3/11

Sun., 3/12 ~ Daylight Savings Times begins!

Sunday School	8:45am-9:45am	REC
Sunday Sisters	9:10am-9:50am	SLH
Catechism in a Year Q&A	11:15am	SLH
Teams of Our Lady	5:30pm	CA
Rosary for conversion of Russia and Peace in Ukraine	7pm	BLS

BLS Blessed Sacrament Church * CA Courtyard Annex
 * SLH St. Leo's Hall * MPR Multipurpose Room
 *REC Religious Ed. Center



Grow closer to God this Lent! Blessed Sacrament Parish has partnered with Hallow this Season to provide every parishioner **FREE access to all of Hallow's prayer content** - including the Lent #Pray40 Challenge. Hallow is the #1 Catholic app worldwide and includes over 5,000 audio-guided

sessions designed to help you grow closer to God and develop a daily habit of prayer. Hallow includes prayers for kids and families, resources for mental health, meditations for sleep, seasonal music, multiple languages (including Spanish, Portuguese, and Polish!) daily trivia, podcast-style courses to learn more about faith, and more! **Register today by selecting our parish here: Hallow.com/holyday.**

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