

# St. Mary's Catholic Church



## Mass Times

St. Mary's Warroad

Saturday 6pm~Sunday 8:30am

St. Joseph Williams~Saturday: 4:30pm

Sacred Heart Baudette~Sunday 10:30am

## Are You a New Parishioner

To help serve you better,  
please register with the Parish Office.

## Parish Office

511 Cedar Ave NW

PO Box 33 Warroad, MN 56763

218-386-1178

Website

[stmaryswarroad.org](http://stmaryswarroad.org)

Fr. Todd Arends-Pastor

218-280-7880

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Jennifer Hilligoss - Sec/Bookkeeper

[stmarys2@mncable.net](mailto:stmarys2@mncable.net)

## Planning a Marriage or Baptism?

Contact pastor for more information



## Eucharistic Adoration

Thursdays~7pm-10pm

## Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 19, 2017

**Whoever keeps the word of Christ,  
the love of God is truly perfected in him.**

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesdays 5:45-6:45pm

Saturdays 3-3:30 pm

Anytime by appointment

## Low Gluten Hosts are available at St. Mary's

Please see Pastor before Mass if you  
need to receive a Low Gluten Host.

## Homebound or in a health care facility?

### Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Call pastor if Holy Communion/or a visit is  
desired. Hospitals will not call unless a  
patient asks that a priest be notified.

## Parishioners

Please notify the parish office of changes  
of address or telephone number.

If you would like the bulletin emailed to you send  
Jennifer an email at [stmarys2@mncable.net](mailto:stmarys2@mncable.net).

## Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator

Louann McGlynn~[lmcglynn@crookston.org](mailto:lmcglynn@crookston.org)

Safe and confidential line 218-281-7895

## Abortion Alternative

Birthright~1-800-550-4900

Crisis Pregnancy Helpline~1-888-4-OPTIONS

## Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday Feb. 18 6pm Mass Comrades of Phil Kotta  
Sunday Feb. 19 8:30am Mass +Ruth Erickson  
Tuesday Feb. 21 5:15pm Mass +Robert Landby  
Thursday Feb. 23 10:30am Mass @WSLC +Milo Larson  
Saturday Feb. 25 6pm Mass +M. Madge Saurette  
Sunday Feb. 26 8:30am Mass For the Parishes

## Liturgical Ministers

Saturday Feb. 25  
Commentator—Bob Wennerstrand  
Reader—Eileen Paquin  
Musician—Pat/Dignans  
Sacristan—Olga

Sunday Feb. 26  
Commentator—Lois Thiessen  
Reader—Tom Goldsmith  
Music—Heather  
Sacristan—Schevings

If you are unable to serve in the ministry you are scheduled for please contact a substitute.



Our gift to God for

2-12-2017

\$1786.00

We thank God for all gifts!

Online giving sign up

<http://bit.ly/1tGQiOQ>

## Bible Readings for the Week of February 20-26

Monday Sir 1:1-10/Mk 9:14-29  
Tuesday Sir 2:1-11/Mk 9:30-37  
Wednesday 1 Pt 5:1-4/Mt 16:13-19  
Thursday Sir 5:1-8/Mk 9:41-50  
Friday Sir 6:5-17/Mk 10:1-12  
Saturday Sir 17:1-15/Mk 10:13-16  
Sunday Is 49:14-15/1 Cor 4:1-5/Mt 6:24-34



## Prayer Requests

Evan Frutiger, Denise, Hall, Leonard, Dahlgren,  
Dan McKinnon, Kevin Smith, Arne Freije, James  
Michael Sweeney, Megan Knott, Lisa Lewis, Ryan  
Detweiler, Jim Benoit, Alice Mohs,

Bernie Burger, Dale Telle, Phil Goulet, and Stephanie Schmitz.

Please remember to call the office when a name should be added or removed.

*Those listed in the "Prayer Request" box will be listed for two months and then removed unless a request is made to keep them on the list.*

## The Week Ahead



Sunday Feb 19  
8:30am Mass

Tuesday Feb. 21  
5:15pm Mass  
Adoration/Marion Prayers following Mass

Wednesday Feb. 22  
10:30am Prayer & Fellowship  
6-8:30pm MS RE

Thursday Feb. 23  
10:30am Mass @ WSLC

Saturday Feb. 25  
9am Piece Makers  
6pm Mass  
Soup & Sand. Following Mass

Sunday Feb. 26  
8:30am Mass  
7-8:30pm HS RE



Our Sympathy to the Mark Vettel and family upon the recent death of Marks's father. May he rest in the love and peace of Christ.

Our sympathy to George Boice and family upon the recent death of George's father. May he rest in the love and peace of Christ.

## February 19, 2017

### 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

*"But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you..." MATTHEW 5:44*

Love your enemies, easier said than done, no doubt. But, remember, the foundation of stewardship is prayer. When we are in close communication with God, it opens our heart and it turns our attention away from "me" and moves it towards God and others. It allows us to have a little more empathy for "our enemy". When we pray for others, even "our enemies", maybe it softens their hearts as well

## Student Ministry

### Middle School (Grades 6-8)

Feb. 22 6:30-8pm

### High School

Feb. 26 7-8:30pm

### Elementary Faith Formation

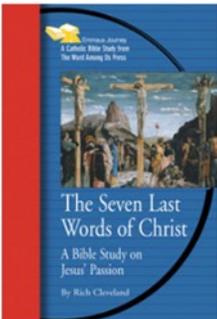
March 1 3:20-5pm

## Adoration Moment

“When I stand up to talk, people listen to me; they will follow what I have to say. Is it any power of mine? Of course not. St. Paul says, ‘What have you that you have not received and you who have received, why do you glory as if you had not?’ But the secret of my power is that I have never in fifty-five years missed spending an hour in the presence of our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. That’s where the power comes from. That’s where sermons are born. That’s where every good thought is conceived.” Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen



**Lenten Bible Study: The Seven Last Words of Christ** Monday, Feb. 27th through April 10th; 6:00 p.m. This scripture study of the seven short sentences uttered by Jesus as he endured his crucifixion will draw you closer to Jesus' Passion to make the real meaning of Easter come alive. Please sign up today in the gathering space so that we can order books. Cost \$9.



**Telle Birthday Party**  
Dale and Theresa Telle are Celebrating milestone birthdays. Please join us after mass on Sunday February 19 for cake and coffee.

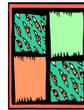
## Prepare for Lent!

### Masses for Ash Wednesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>

7:00 am at Sacred Heart Church

1pm WSLC-Warroad

7:00 pm at St. Mary's - Warroad



Piece Makers will meet on Saturday Feb. 25, 9-noon. All are welcome to join. Come and help in any way that you can. Coffee will be ready.

The next Quilt & Craft retreat will be held on March 10 & 11th.



Soup and Sandwich  
February 25  
After mass

Come and enjoy a warm bowl of soup and great fellowship after Mass.

39th Annual Warroad Lions Fly In Breakfast  
Sunday February 26  
8-noon  
Warroad American Legion Club



## HONOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

### We Keep in our prayers...

Jacob Larson, Tyler Larson, Brett Hebel, Nic Gray, Joseph Larson, Shane Thompson, Krista Johnston, Kampton Carpenter, Alex Johnston, Pamela Genereaux, Derek Woodward, Jason Hillgoss, Deb Lien & Kyle Mohrbacher.



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Birthday wishes (Feb. 20-26) go out to.... Anthony Paradis, Vesha Rymysza, Jasmine Fast, Eileen Paquin, Ville Poole, Larry Brewster, Melanie Shepard, & Laci Kennedy..



## An initiative of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

The blog entry below is just a sample of the material from a great website to assist our marriages! Please visit: [www.foryourmarriage.org](http://www.foryourmarriage.org).

### Teaching Transcendence

by Josh Noem  
January 10, 2017

We prepared a couple for marriage last year and encouraged them to carve out time for an intentional spiritual practice during the week before their wedding—something they could do together to remain centered with each other and with God as they entered the busy whirlwind of the wedding week.

They were getting married in Nebraska, where the bride grew up on a farm, so the couple decided to grab a six-pack of beer and a pickup truck and headed out on a country road one night for a couple hours of star gazing.

Does this qualify as a spiritual practice? Of course it does! Who can spend an hour under the Milky Way without gaining a better sense of who they are and how they fit in the universe? This couple had set aside time to touch transcendence, and the experience grounded them as they flew through the receptions and photos and dancing.

Stacey and I recently came to an appreciation of how our childhoods were shaped by these kinds of experiences of transcendence. Stacey grew up in Florida near the Gulf of Mexico and being on or near the water puts her in touch with the eternal. I was raised in the Black Hills of South Dakota, where the wind whispers the secrets of created things through pine trees. Spending time outside was formative for both of us because it was a kind of deep prayer—it was a way of being both small and significant in a vast world.

We now live in Indiana, and though we've tried to provide a home with space around it for our kids to have healthy outdoor experiences and playtime, it's not the same as standing on top of a mountain. I've been pondering how to make sure our children are formed by a sense of the transcendent—how to invite them to those quiet, soul-searching moments where we simply rest in God.

We are lucky to have family in both South Dakota and Florida, so when we visit them, we have great opportunities to get back in touch with the natural surroundings that fed us. We are getting better at capitalizing on these trips as a family—by getting out on the water in kayaks or going for hikes in the hills.

We try to do hiking here in Indiana, and though it's not the same as being in the mountains, it doesn't take long to be in the woods. Trees might be our best shot at touching nature's transcendence here in the flatlands—even a short stroll in the deciduous forest here offers a breath of fresh air. We always seem to emerge from these walks refreshed and renewed—everyone's in a good mood.

I realize that nature is not the only mediator of the transcendent—we can share moments of quiet and solitude practically anywhere we are. One of our prayer practices as a family is to occasionally spend 10-15 minutes of silent prayer in our own rooms before coming together for our regular night prayers. In those moments, the house is still and resonant with the awareness that each of us is approaching God in his or her own way—it is a tangible moment of solidarity. Perhaps these kinds of prayerful experiences are the most important way in which we touch transcendence.

We were recently visiting family in St. Louis and made a visit to the Cathedral Basilica there. It is a massive church full of stunning mosaics—we enjoyed a tour of the side chapels and pondered the imagery throughout the building. I was impressed with what our kids could interpret on their own. The space bestowed a sense of wonder and awe, which is just exactly what I'd like to provide our family—either through the natural world or through moments of prayer: a glimpse of heaven