ITEMS FOR SALE BY PARISHIONERS

Eagle River house share for women of faith available in January, 2022. Two rooms with shared bath for \$500. Or one room with private bath \$700 and use of heated garage. Utilities included. This is a great opportunity for women who value a healthy lifestyle and positive, encouraging relationships! First and last month's rent. Please text Juanita at 441-3683 for details.

Needed: able bodied female for full-time job with disabled elderly female. Please call 907-694-6408 for more details. Good job for medical student.

Looking for piano and place to practice piano. I a recovering from a stroke/arthritis. This would be for therapy. Pease call Sue @ (907) 406-6875.

ARCHDIOCESE ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pick.Click.Give—Your generosity through Pick.Click.Give. makes it possible for Catholic Social Services to ensure that Brother Francis Shelter and Clare House provide emergency shelter, St. Francis House Food Pantry can provide emergency food, and Case Managers in all our programs can provide individualized support for families on their journey toward permanent stability. Sign up for your PFD and Pick.Click.Give: https://www.pfd.alaska.gov/

PROGRAM NEEDS

CSS Main Building:

- Childrens Boots, snow pants a and coats
- Male: ages 5, 3 and 7Female: ages 4, 5 and 6.
- Shampoo & Conditioner
- Body Wash
- Size 5 and 6 diapers

Clare House is in need of:

- White kitchen trash bags
- Black trash bags
- Fabuloso
- Size 5 & 6 diapers

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

BFS Meals Team: We are looking to fill monthly slots for volunteers to create sack breakfast and lunches for the 75 guests at BFS. This is a great opportunity for a group of friends/youth group to together to feed the community! For more information about this ask, please contact Molly Cornish at mcornish@cssalaska.org.

27th Annual Lumen Christi High School Gala and Auction - Virtual! SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12th, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.

REGISTER: Online bidding and meal purchase at lchsak2022.ggo.bid All bidding happens here!

SILENT ONLINE AUCTION:

Begins Wednesday, February 9th at 9:00 a.m., and ends Monday, February 14th at 12:00 p.m.

LIVE VIRTUAL EVENT:

Saturday, February 12th at 7:00 p.m., join us on our Facebook page for our event using the link below. Please note that a Facebook account is not needed to view the livestream. We are looking forward to celebrating our school with you, your family, and friends near and far!

www.facebook.com/lumenchristiak





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Welcome Visitors and soon to be New Parishioners

Thank you for visiting our parish, and for joining us in our celebrations as we worship and praise Our Lord. Please stop by the Welcome Table after Mass to get information about our parish and pick up a parish registration form. We will have people to help you once COVID restrictions are lifted.

Prayer Chain Phone # 694-4771

The deadline for bulletin entries is Wed. @ noon.

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME FEB 6, 2022

Readings: Isaiah 6:1–8, Psalm 138:1–5, 7–8 1 Corinthians 15:1–11, Luke 5:1–11

Simon Peter, the fisherman, is the first to be called personally by Jesus in Luke's Gospel.

His calling resembles Isaiah's commissioning in the First Reading: confronted with the holiness of the Lord, both Peter and Isaiah are overwhelmed by a sense of their own sinfulness and inadequacy. Yet each experiences the Lord's forgiveness and is sent to preach the good news of His mercy to the world.

No one is "fit to be called an apostle," Paul recognizes in today's Epistle. But by "the grace of God," even a persecutor of the Church—as Paul once was—can be lifted up for the Lord's service.

In the Old Testament, humanity was unfit for the divine—no man could stand in God's presence and live (see Exodus 33:20). But in Jesus, we're made able to speak with Him face-to-face, to taste His Word on our tongue.

Today's scene from Isaiah is recalled in every Mass. Before reading the Gospel, the priest silently asks God to cleanse his lips that he might worthily proclaim His Word. God's Word comes to us as it came to Peter, Paul, Isaiah, and today's Psalmist—as a personal call to leave everything and follow Him, to surrender our weaknesses in order to be filled with His strength.

Simon put out into deep waters even though, as a professional fisherman, he knew it would be foolhardy to expect to catch anything. In humbling himself before the Lord's command, he was exalted—his nets filled to overflowing; later, as Paul tells us, he will become the first to see the risen Lord.

Jesus has made us worthy to receive Him in the company of angels in God's holy Temple. On our knees like Peter, with the humility of David in today's Psalm, we thank Him with all our hearts and join in the unending hymn that Isaiah heard around God's altar: "Holy, holy, holy ..." (see also Revelation 4:8).—Scott Hahn

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:30 pm

Sunday: 10 am and 7 pm (10am Live-streamed during COVID)

Weekdays*: Tues-Fri. Mass 9 am

*Unless otherwise noted in the weekly schedule

Holy Days: 9 am and 6:30 pm

Rosary—8:30 am daily, 6:15 pm on Thursday

Eucharistic Adoration—Perpetual

Sacraments

Confessions—Saturday: 3:30 or by appointment Baptism, Marriage, Anointing of Sick--contact the office. Sacraments of Initiation--Adults interested in becoming Catholic --Please contact Deacon Mark or the office.

Mass Intentions week of Feb 7

Mon.		
Tues.	Betty Chrysler	ROS
Wed.	Phil & Bernie Schmirz	ROS
Thurs.	Mary Deal	ROS
Fri.	Living & Deceased members of the Tett/Crowley families	
Sat 5:30 pm	Jean Abel	SI
Sun.10 am	Catherine Ethier	ROS
7pm	People of the Parish	

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION—It gives more praise to God and more delight if we pray steadfast in love, trusting his goodness, clinging to him by grace, than if we ask for everything our thoughts can name . . . The best prayer is to rest in the goodness of God. - St. Julian of Norwich

These hours are in need of more Adorers soon:

Tuesday 6am and 11pm Wednesday 3pm Thursday 3am Friday 10pm Saturday 11am

Please call 907-632-0272 to reserve a Holy Hour or for more information about Eucharistic Adoration. Any hour you choose will please the Lord.

		St. Andrew Catholic Church				
	Offertory - Jan. 24-30, 2022					
			Build	ling Fund		
	(Offertory	& Debt	Reduction		Total
Masses & Mail Box		\$5,140.00		\$590.00	\$	5,730.00
Given On-line		\$6,250.00		\$1,257.00	\$	7,507.00
Earthquake Repair					\$	-
Yurt					\$	-
Total	\$	11,390.00	\$	1,847.00	\$	13,237.00

LADIES GROUP—Ladies please join the Ladies Group for our monthly meeting on Sat., Feb. 12, from 10:30-12:30. We will be making cards for the Senior Center, playing a game, socializing, and having snacks. For more info call Merle 229-9347 or Renee 694-3580.

RETROUVAILLE —Marriage Saving – the Post Session Phase –The post-weekend retreat phase of Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) is as crucial to the healing of a troubled marriage as the initial weekend retreat experience. During the 7 post-weekend sessions, the weekend retreat technique is further developed and combined with additional tools to explore other areas of the marriage relationship. For confidential information or to register for the Retrouvaille of Alaska program beginning with a weekend retreat on Feb. 25, 2022, call 907-863-8000 or email: anchorage@helpourmarriage.org or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.org

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP AND ADELINE CAMPBELL SERVICE AWARD-

Applications are now available online at the Knights of Columbus 9830 website. The website can be found following the link http://www.council9830.com

Applications are under the forms tab in PDF, Word and the Pages format. There are 3 forms on the webpage. You can also reach the Knights website from the link on the St Andrew Parish website.

All applications and letters of recommendations are due in the Church office by 4 PM on April 15, 2022.

MOMS Ministry studying "Evidence for Catholic Moral Teaching" with Trent Horn of Catholic Answers. To help cover material costs: suggested donation \$10.

Our Meeting Dates through May 2022:

February 3, 10, 17, 24

March 3, 17, 24, 31 (No meeting March 10 due to ASD Spring Break)

April 7, 14, 21, 28

May 5 and 12

EVENTS for February:

Meals for Clare House: February 10, 2022

Drop off <u>3pm</u> at St. Andrew

Look out for menu and signup link!

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2022

Save the Date for our special guest Guest Speaker Fr. Nathan Cromly, CSJ (See Below)

Time: 10am-12pm following 9am Holy Mass

Where: Mother of God Chapel, St. Andrew Catholic

Church

Who: All Mothers, physical and spiritual

Topic: Our Lady: Inspiration for the New Evangelization

Cost: This event is free of charge

Bring a notebook and a writing utensil. If you forget, don't worry, we have extra! Bring a friend! Childcare is provided free of charge. Please let us know how many children we need to prepare for and their ages.

Contact: Donabelle Shepherd

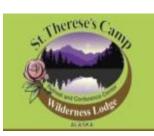
Phone: 702.994.9269 standrewmomsministry@gmail.com

FEATURED MINISTRY— St. Andrew Youth Groups

St. Andrew offers youth group for middle school (6th-8th grade) and high school (9th-12th Grade) youth.

Middle School Youth Group meets Sunday from 11:30am-1pm. We spend time exploring our Catholic Faith using the Lifeteen Edge program and are currently studying the Mass. At our meetings, we enjoy games, faith-building activities, prayer, discussion, sharing and food!

High School Youth Group meets weekly in small groups (various days & times), offers Confirmation preparation, monthly Adoration and Confession, large group activities, retreats, service to the community and trips to Catholic vouth conferences and World Youth Day.



ST. THERESE'S week-long summer camp is open for registration! Middle school camp has weeks in June and July, High School week is June 26th-July 1st (only a few slots left!). St. Therese's Camp offers a week-long residential Catholic camp experience. We share the joy of the faith in a fantastically fun way.

Register online here: https://www.sttheresescampak.com/

Or contact the camp directly at 907-232-2066 or <u>campdirector@stthereseak.com</u>

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS CAMP SCHOLARSHIP—It's that time of the year again when our local Catholic Daughters of the America's are offering (3) Camperships to St. Therese's Camp in Wasilla for the 2022 summer session; for students currently in 6th, 7th or 8th grades. A 250-300 word essay written or typed on "When and how might I encounter Jesus at Camp"? Applications and more information are available at your Parish or Catholic School office or can be emailed to you by contacting kewhitney14@gmail.com. You can also call Kerry at 907-230-4726. Application and essay must be entirely completed and postmarked no later than March 15, 2022 and sent to the CDA Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 243953, Anchorage, Alaska 99524-3953. Please encourage your youth to participate!

Scholarship applications are on the bulletin Kiosk in the Narthex

