

ITEMS FOR SALE BY PARISHIONERS

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

St. Francis House Food Pantry

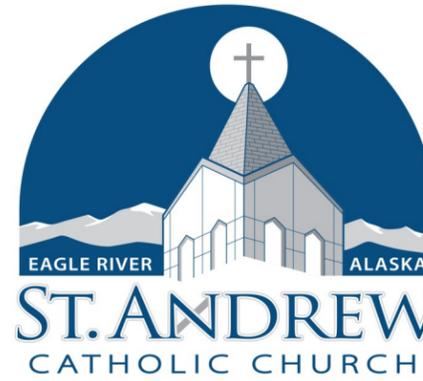
- We have a HIGH NEED for pots and pans

Clare House is in need of:

- Paper Towels
- Black trash bags
- Toilet Paper
- Size 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.



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(907) 694-2170

www.aksaintandrews.org

Church Office Hours: Tues-Fri 10am –2pm

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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 SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
FEB 13, 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 . . .” —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 14

Mon.		
Tues.	Samuel Hogar	ROS
Wed.	Jean Vile	ROS
Thurs.	Deceased members of the Sweda/Wajahowski families	ROS
Fri.	Andrews Wilkinson Jr	ROS
Sat 5:30 pm	Jeff Ploch	ROS
Sun. 10 am	People of the Parish	
7pm	Jack & Patrick Culhane	ROS

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION—

A thousand years of enjoying human glory is not worth even an hour spent sweetly communing with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

- Padre Pio

These are the hours most in need of adorers soon:

Sunday 5pm
Monday 11am
Tuesday 11pm
Wednesday 5pm
Thursday 3am
Friday 10 pm
Saturday 11am



Any hour you choose will please the Lord.
Please call 907-632-0272 to reserve a Holy Hour.

Financial statement will return next week.

LADIES GROUP—Thanks to all who joined us for our Feb. 12th meeting and to Fr. Alejandro for speaking. For more info about the Ladies group call Merle 229-9347 or Renee 694-3580.

CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL—Next week (Feb 19-20) we will take up the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Right now, over 40 percent of dioceses in the United States are considered home mission territory because they are unable to fund the essential pastoral work needed in their communities. Your support of this appeal helps ease the struggle of these dioceses. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this appeal. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.

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 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:

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

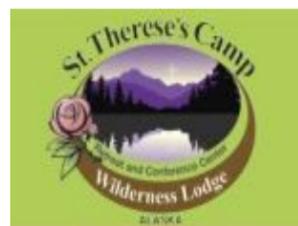
Bring a notebook and a writing utensil. If you forget, don't worry, we have extra! Bring a friend! Childcare is provided free of charge. Please let us know how many children we need to prepare for and their ages.

Contact: Donabelle Shepherd
 Phone: 702.994.9269 standrewmomsministry@gmail.com

FEATURED MINISTRY—Music Ministry--The music ministry provides choral and instrumental sacred music to enhance the beauty and holiness of our Eucharistic Liturgies. We have three choirs: The Contemporary Choir at the 5:30 Saturday Vigil Mass; The Celebration Choir at the 10 a.m. Sunday Mass; and the Sunday Evening Choir at the 7 p.m. Sunday Mass.

If you are interested in singing or playing with one of the choirs, or would like more information, please contact one of our choir directors:

- Saturday Vigil Mass: Travis--please see him before or after the 5:30 Mass
- Sunday 10 a.m. Mass: Debbie--please contact her at (907) 862-0121 or after the 10 a.m. Mass
- Sunday 7 p.m. Mass: Terry--please contact him at (907) 230-6729, or e-mail him at: terrymichalski1955@outlook.com



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

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

ST. ANDREW CATHOLIC CHURCH INVITES YOU TO OUR

PARISH MISSION: Living out the Catholic Faith in your Vocation

February 15-16-17, 2022 | 6:30-8:30pm

Marriage | Family | Work

Father Nathan Cromly

ENGAGING SPEAKER
 RETREAT LEADER
 INNOVATOR
 EXPLORER
 WRITER

FOUNDER: EAGLE EYE MINISTRIES

TUESDAY: Integrating Faith in your Marriage Vocation

WEDNESDAY: Integrating Faith in your Family Vocation

THURSDAY: Integrating Faith in your Work Vocation

SAINT JOHN LEADERSHIP NETWORK

FR. NATHAN—Join us for a Date Night with the president and founder of Eagle Eye Ministries and Saint John Institute, Fr. Nathan Cromly, for an evening with your spouse and other couples seeking to grow in their relationships. Date Night with Fr. Nate will be held in Deacon's Hall at St. Patrick's, Friday February 18th 6-9:30. Tickets are \$80 per couple and include heavy appetizers, dessert, beer and wine. RSVP <https://bit.ly/datenightanc2022>. Contact Rachel Alexander 9073100464 | belovedeweproductions@gmail.com for more information

How can we integrate our faith into our businesses and workplace? Fr. Nathan Cromly will be talking to business professionals about How to Live Your Faith in Your Business at St. Benedicts Saturday, February 19th. Join us for mass at 9 am followed by a networking brunch and talk from 10-12:30. Cost is \$25. RSVP <https://bit.ly/bizbrunch2022>. Contact Rachel Alexander 907310464 | belovedeweproductions@gmail.com for more information.

Interested in becoming a deacon? Check out the kiosk for information and a pre-application form.

Childcare is available during the Mission.