

ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH

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August 13, 2023

St. Philip's Church

218-444-4262
www.stphilipsbemidji.org

Parish Staff

Pastor:	
Fr. Bill DeCrans	441-4901
Parochial Vicar:	
Fr. Michael Arey	441-4902
Senior Associate:	
Fr. John Kleinwachter	441-4908
Deacons:	
Deacon Kermit Erickson	441-4903
Deacon Robb Naylor	441-4904
Parish Administrator:	
Maryhelen Chadwick	441-4906
Bookkeeper:	
Tina Stearly	441-4909
Director of Music & Liturgy:	
Bonnie Lee	441-4905
Faith Formation Staff:	
Preschool & Elementary/Safe Environment	
Kris Jensen	441-4944
High School	
Sue Hengel	441-4944
Youth Group	
Brad Arel	441-4911
Campus Ministry & Adult Formation:	
Nancy Goodman	441-4907
Parish Office Coordinator:	
Tammy Johnson	441-4900
Facility Maintenance Supervisor/ Holy Cross Cemetery Sexton:	
Brad Arel	441-4911
Maintenance Support Staff:	
Jim Shaw	
Rick Dahlman	

St. Philip's School Staff

218-444-4938

Principal:	
Jana Norgaard	ext. 4941
School Office Staff:	
Stephanie Glen	441-4940
Charity Hanevold	441-4942
LeeAnn Jacobson	441-4943
Marilyn McCollum	441-4943

Sister Parish

St. Charles Pennington

2500 Scenic Hwy NE, Pennington, MN
4 p.m. Saturdays from Memorial Weekend
until Labor Day Weekend

Newman Catholic Ministries

BSU/NWTC

All sacramental events take place at
St. Philip's Church. School year only.

St. Philip's Clothing Depot

218-444-3835

Open 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. T, W, Th, Fri

Manager:

Norma Himmelright

Spiritual Direction

Tamara Moore

Please call the Parish Office for information.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for supporting me and this next step in my vocational discernment as I prepare to move to Saint Paul Seminary this September. It has been a pleasure to meet many of you over the last few weeks. Your generosity and kindness has left its mark on me; I consider it an honor to discern serving you and the entire diocese of Crookston as your priest.

I was asked to share a little bit about my story with you in bulletin form. If you would like to know more about my story or want to share your own, don't hesitate to flag me down! I am always happy to share how the Lord's merciful love molds and directs all of our lives.

Despite growing up in a strong Catholic family, my faith never interested me very much. God seemed distant and separate from my life outside of the Mass. As I grew, my relationship with the Lord shrank. When I left for college to pursue a music degree, I stopped going to Mass and started indulging my flesh with pleasure and intoxication. When I won an audition with the Air Force bands in 2017, my musical ambitions were satisfied and I suddenly had financial stability. I believed that this new state in life would guarantee my happiness, but after 2 years I found my life more meaningless than it was before I entered the Air Force. I know now that this was God calling me out of the darkness and into the light.

During this time I became aware of the philosophical arguments for the existence of God. These arguments fascinated me because I was not aware that a person could make convincing arguments for God; I thought faith required the absence of logic. Over the next year I conducted many hours of research into God, Christianity, and ultimately the Catholic Church and became convinced that the Catholic Church is God's church. After going to Confession and Mass for the first time in years, a heavy burden was lifted from my shoulders. I felt compelled to serve Jesus with everything he had given me; I wanted to give my life to him. It was immediately after this first Mass that I knew God was calling me to the priesthood. I served the rest of my contract with the Air Force before moving to Bemidji and continuing my discernment. With the help of Father Bill, Father Michael, and my parents, I discerned that the Lord is calling me to Saint Paul Seminary.

When I leave for Saint Paul in September, my hope is that we all continue to pray for vocations and conversion. I was freed of my separation from God through these prayers, and the harvest is still plentiful. Please pray for me and my formation as well; I will be praying for you.

In Christ,
Tim Guidry

Mass Times

Saturday 4:00 PM (St. Charles)
Saturday 5:30 PM
Sunday 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, & 11:00 AM
Monday 8:30 AM
Tuesday 6:30 PM
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 8:30 AM

Reconciliation Times

Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 8:45 AM, 10:30 AM
or by appointment, call 444-4262 to schedule



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FOR MORE OF LEARN MORE ABOUT ST. PHILIP'S, VISIT: WWW.STPHILIPSBEMIDJI.ORG

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 13, 2023

Forget not, Lord,
the life of the poor!

Mass Intentions

For Week of August 14 to 20

Monday, Aug 14

8:30 AM Mass: +Ray Sauve

6:30 PM Vigil Mass: +Michael & +Stephanie Gratkowski

Tuesday, Aug 15 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 AM Mass: +Mardene Schuiling

6:30 PM Mass: +Lillian Huderle

Wednesday, Aug 16

8:30 AM Mass: +Susie Dahle

Thursday, Aug 17

8:30 AM Mass: +Ann Schmickle

Friday, Aug 18

8:30 AM Mass: Holy Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, Aug 19

4:00 PM Mass (Pennington): +Kaye Huch

5:30 PM Mass: +Corky Gothman

Sunday, Aug 20

7:30 AM Mass: +Ellen Vonasek

9:00 AM Mass: +Jennifer Spaulding Heikkinen

11:00 AM Mass: +For the People

Daily Readings

For Week of August 14 to 20

Monday, Aug 14

Dt 10:12-22

Ps 147:12-13,14-15,19-20

Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday, Aug 15

Rv 11:19a;12:1-6a,10ab

Ps 45:10,11,12,16

1 Cor 15:20-27

Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday, Aug 16

Dt 34:1-12

Ps 66:1-3a,5,8,16-17

Mt 18:15-20

Thursday, Aug 17

Jos 3:7-10a,11,13-17

Ps 114:1-2,3-4,5-6

Mt 18:21—19:1

Friday, Aug 18

Jos 24:1-13

Ps 136:1-3,16-18,21-22,24

Mt 19:3-12

Saturday, Aug 19

Jos 24:14-29

Ps 16¹:1-2a,5,7-8,11

Mt 19:13-15

Sunday, Aug 20

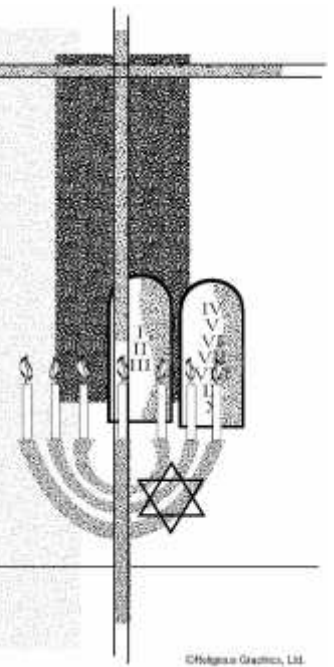
Is 56:1,6-7

Ps 67:2-3,5,6,8

Rom 11:13-15,29-32

Mt 15:21-28

They are Israelites;
theirs the ADOPTION,
the GLORY,
the COVENANTS
the giving of the LAW,
the WORSHIP, and the
PROMISES;
theirs the PATRIARCHS,
and from them,
according to the flesh,
is the CHRIST,
who is over all.



This Week in the Parish

Monday, Aug 14

8:00 AM Rosary (Church)

9:00 AM to 8:00 PM Adoration (Chapel)

7:00 PM AA Mtg (St. Kateri Rm)

Tuesday, Aug 15

Parish Offices Closed

6:00 PM Rosary (Church)

Wednesday, Aug 16

9:00 AM Rosary (Chapel)

9:30 AM Divine Mercy Cenacle (St. Elizabeth Rm)

5:00 PM Block Party Committee Mtg (St. Kateri Rm)

6:30 PM Grill and Chill (Social Hall)

Thursday, Aug 17

10:30 AM Communion Service (Havenwood)

5:00 PM Society of St. Vincent de Paul Mtg (St. Elizabeth Rm)

7:00 PM Eucharistic Revival Team Mtg (St. Elizabeth Rm)

Friday, Aug 18

9:00 AM Rosary (Chapel)

Saturday, Aug 19

9:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration (Church)

10:00 AM Prayer Hour at Planned Parenthood

4:00 PM Reconciliation (Chapel)

Sunday, Aug 20

8:35 AM Rosary (Chapel)

8:45 AM Reconciliation (Chapel)

10:30 AM Reconciliation (Chapel)

11:00 AM Newman Club (Church, St. Elizabeth Rm)

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Tuesday, August 15 is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (a Holy Day of Obligation). See the Mass schedule on this page for additional Mass times. All are invited to pray the rosary at 6 PM Tuesday prior to Mass. The Parish Offices will be closed on August 15.

Safe Environment

If you or someone you know has been the victim of sexual misconduct on the part of a priest, deacon, or individual representing the Diocese of Crookston, its parishes, or its schools, your first call should be to law enforcement. In addition, the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator is available at 218-281-7895 (24-hour confidential number).

Sacramental Life

Baptisms

Parents who wish to have their child baptized, will need to complete the online Baptism Information form, which can be accessed by scanning the QR code. Once the form is received, you will be contacted. The next class will be **September 10**. Please contact Kris Jensen at 218-441-4944 or kjensen@stphilipsbemidji.org for additional information.



Marriages

Congratulations! Please contact the Parish Office as soon as possible (six months or more in advance) so that we can work with you to prepare for the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony.

Anointing of the Sick or Pastoral Visit

If you are ill or will be having surgery and would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick, please call the Parish Office to set up a time to meet with Fr. Bill or Fr. Michael. If hospitalized, be sure to indicate you are Catholic upon hospital admittance.

Order of Catholic Initiation of Adults

Raised Catholic but never Confirmed, or want to become Catholic? Visit with Dcn. Robb or Dcn. Kermit to find out how you can enter into full Communion in the Catholic faith.

Religious Vocations

Contact Fr. Bill or Fr. Michael for more information.

The St. Philip's Catholic Community welcomes through the waters of baptism, **Brinley Marie Suther**, daughter of Zach and Sara Suther, **Otis Anthony Nistler**, son of Aaron and Caitlin Nistler, and **Colin John Perry**, son of Joel & Jocelyn Perry.



Parish Life

Block Party Updates

The Block Party Committee is hard at work planning the Aug. 26 event. Plan for good food and drinks, kids' games, inflatables, live music from Ben Zamzow and more!

Volunteer Signups are Open! Sell 50/50 raffle tickets on weekends. Many opportunities are available prior to and the day of the event. Select your spot now, so you can plan to attend the rest of the festivities. Use the QR code here to sign up for your preferred area and time to volunteer.



Register for the Cornhole Tournament. To register, go to our website for more information. Teams of two can win cash prizes. Great activity for teens and adults.

Silent Auction items now due. If you've taken a tag from the Auction board, please return your item/s with the tag (write your name on back of the tag) to the Parish Office ASAP. It's time to assemble the baskets so all the items are needed! If you are creating your own basket, please turn it in now as well.

50/50 Raffle. Tickets are available to pick up in the Parish Office. We invite all parish families to sell one \$50 book of tickets.

Give. Can't attend but want to contribute to St. Philip's annual fundraising event? Financial support is welcome. There is a link to give online or you are welcome to stop by the Parish Office.

Get your Baking Gear Ready. Prepare treats for the Bake Sale and "CupCake" Walk (not limited to cupcakes). Brownies, cookies, fudge, etc...Drop off Friday, Aug. 25 in the Parish Office. We will package items.

Stewardship of Financial Resources

Monthly Contributions

Monthly Total as of 7/31/23	\$ 89,581.50
Monthly Budget:	\$ 80,627.08

Fiscal Year-to-Date (Jul 1 to Jun 30)

YTD Actual:	\$114,809.20	YTD Budget:	\$153,879.18
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STEWARDSHIP ~ A HABIT OF THE HEART

2023 Passport Party

The 2023 Passport Party for incoming 6th-8th graders is Thursday, August 17 is the day! (11:30-9 PM) Register your child and sign up to volunteer at stphilipsbemidji.org. (Limit 85 kids. Cost is \$65). Register online ASAP. If you need an alternative for online registration, please call the Parish Office at 218-444-4262.

Youth will check-in and eat at St. Philip's 11:30 AM-12:30 PM. The bus will leave by 12:30 PM. Afternoon activities will include Evergreen Fun Park (bumper boats, go carts, mini golf and more!), Mass at the Grotto in Two Inlets, and a meal. We will finish the evening at Bemidji Bowl for bowling and arcade games. Please have kids bring extra money for snacks at fun park and the bowling alley. (Those who are going to bowl must also bring socks). **Parents/Guardians should pick up students at Bemidji Bowl at 9 PM.**

VOLUNTEER:

- 5 people to serve lunch and Clean up (11:30 AM-1 PM) at St. Philip's
- 8 people to spend the day and evening with the group (11:30 AM-9 PM)

Questions? Please reach out to Brad at 218-556-1739 or Ashley Hodapp at 218-766-7025.

All volunteers must complete Diocese of Crookston Safe Environment Certification. (<https://www.crookston.org/offices/safeenvironment/>).

Please keep the following individuals in your prayers:

Lloyd Holy, Angel Krigbaum, Joann Stradtmann, Mary Westrum, Jeff Bordwell, Beth Butcher, Brandi Green, Joyce Morin, Eddie Giron and Ann Loeffler

** If you are in need of prayer from your St. Philip's family, please contact the Parish Office to have your name added to the prayer list, 218-444-4262.*

Capital Campaign 2023

Thank you to parishioners and visitors alike who have contributed to St. Philip's 2023 Capital Campaign. We have raised \$431,033 of the \$500,000 goal, which is 86% of goal. We are grateful to accept contributions by cash or check (envelopes available in the church lobbies), online, IRA disbursements, estate gifts, and pledges. Thank you for your prayers and contributions!

Eucharistic Adoration August 19

Our parish will offer Eucharistic Adoration one Saturday a month at 9:00 AM with Exposition and Benediction in the Church. Our first Holy Hour will be Saturday, August 19 from 9 to 10 AM. We will provide reminders every month as to when the future Holy Hours will take place. Every Holy Hour will include a monthly prayer intention. Our prayer intention for August will be for all students and teachers and all who work in schools, both private and public schools, as well as homeschoolers and their parents – all grades and every level of education will be included in our prayers.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

"Although we may feel unsure how best to comfort those who mourn, we must stand with them in their time of suffering. Miscarriage touches the lives of many people, yet all too often this tragedy remains unaddressed. This lack of response not only often leads to unresolved grief, but also fails to clearly manifest our belief that each person, from conception onward, is precious and unique." *USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Solace and Strength in the Sorrow of Miscarriage"*

3rd Saturday of the Month Prayer Hour

Join the Knights of Columbus Council #1544 to pray for an end to abortion. WHEN: Next Saturday, August 19 from 10 – 11 AM at Planned Parenthood of Bemidji, 2504 Hannah Avenue. Stay for any length of time. All ages are invited. Questions: call 218-368-9019.

Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter. ~Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Wanted! St. Philip's School has openings for the following positions:

Lunchroom/Playground Supervisors. 10:30-1:30 PM on days school is in session; Monday-Friday, but we can work with your schedule if you cannot be there every day of the week. This person will help staff members supervise the cafeteria, assist students with opening milk, cold lunch items, etc. and supervise the playground during recess. This is a paid position.

Noah's Ark After School Care Workers. 3:00-5:30 PM on days school is in session. These people help set up snack, supervise students and assist the Noah's Ark Director as needed. This is a great job for high school or college students. High school students would be able to start as soon as they can get there from the high school. This is a paid position.

Substitutes are needed for this school year! Although preferred, a teaching license is not required to substitute teach at St. Philip's School. We also are looking for subs for our secretary, nurse, custodians, and playground/lunch room supervisors. Please call the school office at 444-4938 or email our secretary, Stephanie, at sglen1@stphilipsbemidji.org if you are interested.

School Council Positions. We will have two openings on our St. Philip's School Council. The School Council helps advise our principal and pastor. Candidates must be a parishioner of St. Philip's Parish. This is an elected position, and the vote will be taken by St. Philip's parishioners after Mass one weekend towards the end of September. School Council meets the second Tuesday every month at 11:45 AM.

Contact Jana Norgaard, Principal at 218-444-4938 or jnorgaard1@stphilipsbemidji.org for more information or to apply.

Bemidji Area Church Musicians 2023 SUMMER RECITAL SERIES

Our 36th Season
Wednesday, August 16 ~ 12:00 PM

New Salem Musicians
New Salem Lutheran Church
7491 Island View Dr NW

Free-will offering to support music scholarships. Luncheon served following recital. Cost to be announced.

Holy Souls/Purgatory Devotion

*Have pity on me, have pity on me, O you my friends,
for the hand of God has touched me! (Job 19:21)*

Is the word "Purgatory" mentioned in Holy Scriptures? The simple answer is "no" - the word Purgatory does not occur in the Bible. The concept of Purgatory is a faith tradition extending back before the time of Jesus. Although a number of Old Testament passages are interpreted to support the tradition of Purgatory, after-death purification, and praying for the dead, the verse from 2 Maccabees 12:41-45 (NRSV Catholic Bible) is most often used.

41 So they all blessed the ways of the Lord, the righteous judge, who reveals the things that are hidden; **42** and they turned to supplication, praying that the sin that had been committed might be wholly blotted out. The noble Judas exhorted the people to keep themselves free from sin, for they had seen with their own eyes what had happened as the result of the sin of those who had fallen. **43** He also took up a collection, man by man, to the amount of two thousand drachmas of silver, and sent it to Jerusalem to provide for a sin offering. In doing this he acted very well and honorably, taking account of the resurrection. **44** For if he were not expecting that those who had fallen would rise again, it would have been superfluous and foolish to pray for the dead. **45** But if he was looking to the splendid reward that is laid up for those who fall asleep in godliness, it was a holy and pious thought. Therefore he made atonement for the dead, so that they might be delivered from their sin.

This week, pray for the souls whose memory has vanished from this world, whether because of the passing of time, or the lack of family and friends to pray for them.



**We had a great week at VBS
learning about the Mass! A
huge thank you to those who
journeyed with us on the**

MARVELOUS MYSTERY:
The Mass Comes Alive

Joshua Arel
Elizabeth Brooks
David Buxton
Isaiah Caouette
Maryhelen Chadwick
Katie Coe
Danielle Folkers
Luke Frenzel
Austin Haman
Sarah Haman
Paul Hodapp
Ashley Hodapp
Patrick Hodapp
Elly Hodapp
Molly Johnson
Rosie Maus
Wendy Mellum

Jana Norgaard
Kinsley Olson
Jodi Quade
Liana Schaefer
Darin Schultz
Jamie Schultz
Brent Siems
Matt Siems
Peyton Stearly
Sage Steves
Carmen Urman
Talia Zeman
Fr. Bill DeCrans
Fr. Michael Arey
Fr. John Kleinwachter
Deacon Kermit Erickson
Deacon Robb Naylor

Carmelite Corner

Lay Carmelites of The Most Pure Heart of Mary

The call to become a lay Carmelite is a call to seek the face of God in prayer, in community, and in service. The Carmelite way of life is one way among many that Christians seek to live a life of allegiance to Jesus Christ. How pure in heart and stout in conscience we seek to serve our Lord. For more information, call Pat Sturk @218-398-0814. The next open meeting of the St. Philip's Lay Carmelite is August 22 at 5 PM in the St. Elizabeth Room.

Central Minnesota Koinonia

Just like your computer needs a reboot once in a while, so does your faith life. Central Minnesota Koinonia is a weekend Catholic retreat program sponsored by the St. Cloud Diocese and is designed for adults to help you on your faith journey. Retreats are held at the TEC Center north of Little Falls, MN. The next English weekend will be held September 22-24, 2023, cost of the weekend is \$70.00. Go to centralmnkoinonia.org for more information and to register for retreats.

Employment Opportunity

St. Philip's Church & School is searching for two people to join our custodial cleaning staff full time. (One for days. One for evenings). Custodial/cleaning experience a plus, but not required. Safe Environment Certification will be required. If interested, contact Maryhelen Chadwick, Parish Administrator, at 218-444-4262 or mhchadwick@stphilipsbemidji.org.

Womens Cursillo Retreat

September 21-24 at the Crookston Retreat Center. Looking for a chance to grow in faith and knowledge? Join us for the upcoming Cursillo. Sue Hengel will be directing the retreat and Fr. Joseph Kennady from Kelliher will be the Spiritual Director. Cursillo is a wonderful chance to get away from the busyness of life and spend some time with Jesus. For more information, please contact Fr. Bill.

Dear Parishioners of St. Philip's,

Thank you so much for the church's support of the displaced residents of Red Pine Estates. Your donation of \$12,500 provided another week at the hotel, meals, storage, application fees, and other miscellaneous expenses.

Our community resource agencies are working hard to find long-term housing for each individual situation.

Because you have helped meet their immediate needs, these groups are able to focus on the long-term plans.

Thank you again for your donation and care for the Bemidji community and thank you for LIVING UNITED.

With gratitude,

Denae Alamano,

Executive Director, United Way of Bemidji

Knights of Columbus

Feast Day for Blessed Fr. Michael is August 13

Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney;
Founder of the Knights of Columbus

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Blessed Michael McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue, may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify Blessed Michael McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (here make your request). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

For more information on the Bemidji Council scan the QR code.



Looking Ahead...

MS Passport Party: August 17

End of Summer Block Party: August 26

Ministry Expo: September 30-October 1

American Red Cross Blood Drive: October 19

Star of the North Eucharistic Congress: May 17-19, 2024

Campus Improvements

602 Building Progress

- J Larger water line installed and connected to City of Bemidji water to accommodate sprinkler system (Beltrami Ave. was closed for a few days this week).
- J Electric line run from school building to 602 Building (underground).
- J Ductwork is being installed.
- J Air exchange equipment is ordered and will be installed on the roof.
- J Walls and bathroom in the process of completion.

Boiler/Roof Projects

- J Main roof repairs have been completed! Some other issues have been found on the roof and will be addressed soon.
- J Boiler work is continuing. Boilers are in. Work is being done to tie into the existing piping. Electrical work on boilers will be done soon.

Other Work

- J Parking lots (church, playground, Clothing Depot, 602 Building) seal coated and striped.
- J Masonry work on the new directory at Holy Cross Cemetery is complete.
- J Interior painting.

Prayer for the Eucharistic Revival



NATIONAL

**Eucharistic
Revival**

My God, I believe, I adore, I hope and I love You! I beg pardon for those who do not believe, nor adore, nor hope, nor love You.

Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, I adore You profoundly. I offer You the most precious Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus Christ, present in all the tabernacles of the world in reparation for the outrages, sacrileges and indifference by which He is offended. And, through the infinite merits of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I beg of You the conversion of sinners. ~ Our Lady of Fatima

St. Philip's Mission Statement:

To Accomplish God's Work

Rosary Leaders Needed

Do you pray the rosary? Would you be willing to take a few minutes out of your day to pray the rosary at the nursing home in the chapel? What a gift this would be to elderly residents that have a devotion to Mary and so many things to pray for and much time to do it. We are looking for a volunteer or two to pray the rosary with Catholic residents at 11 AM at the Havenwood chapel (activity room). The rosary is said the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month. We currently have one volunteer and looking for a 2nd volunteer to share the schedule and/or a 3rd to serve as a backup if the other two have a conflict. Call or text Kim Klinger at 701-740-1685. Thank you.

Quilters Retreat

The Holy Rosary Quilt Group invites you to join us for a 3-day Quilter's Retreat at the Crookston Diocese Pastoral Center from Thursday, October 19 to Sunday, October 22, 2023. Contact Sandy at sfgravelle@hotmail.com or 701-540-2692 for reservation information.



Ministry Schedule

Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary

	Monday, August 14 at 6:30 PM (Vigil)
SACRISTAN	Marleen Webb
INTRO TO MASS/ INTERCESSOR IF NEEDED	Help Please
LECTOR 1	Help Please
LECTOR 2	Help Please
CAPTAIN EMHC	Marleen Webb
EMHC	Help Please Help Please Help Please
ALTAR SERVER	Help Please Help Please Help Please
USHER	Help Please Help Please Help Please Help Please
GREETER	Help Please Help Please

	Tuesday, August 15 at 6:30 PM
SACRISTAN	Marleen Webb
INTRO TO MASS/ INTERCESSOR IF NEEDED	Help Please
LECTOR 1	Cynthia Haskin
LECTOR 2	Karen Merschman
CAPTAIN EMHC	Marleen Webb
EMHC	Kim Klinger Cynthia Haskin Help Please
ALTAR SERVER	Help Please Help Please Help Please
USHER	Help Please Help Please Help Please Help Please
GREETER	Help Please Help Please

Farmers Market is back

Starting now, you can bring your excess produce to St. Philip's on the weekends. A free will donation will happily be accepted for any produce that you'd like to take home, with proceeds going to benefit the Bemidji Community Food Shelf.



Diocesan News

Discerning the Diaconate Sessions

The next formation group for the permanent diaconate will begin in the fall of 2024. The Diocese will be hosting a series of sessions beginning in September for men (and if married, their wives) on "Discerning the Diaconate." The initial sessions will be held via Zoom and will provide information on the diaconate and application process. The sessions for these dates are: September 26, October 10, & November 7 from 6:30 to 7:30. To register for a session (those interested only need to attend one of these sessions) please e-mail Dcn. Mark Krejci at mkrejci@crookston.org. If you are unable to attend any of these sessions, please email Dcn. Mark and he will be in contact with you.

Pre-Marriage Retreat Opportunity

Engaged couples are invited to attend a Pre-Marriage Retreat, September 9-10, 2023, hosted by the Diocese of Crookston. This retreat will be held at the Diocese of Crookston Pastoral Retreat Center, 620 Summit Ave N, Crookston MN 56716. It begins on Saturday, Sept 9, at 11:00 AM with Mass with Bishop Andrew Cozzens and concludes Sunday, Sept 10th, late afternoon at 3:00 PM. Two private bedrooms, meals, and materials will be provided for the couples on site at the Pastoral Retreat Center. This retreat does fulfill the weekend retreat requirement for couples preparing for marriage in the Diocese of Crookston. To register for this retreat, visit <https://www.crookston.org/offices/discipleship/marriagefam>. For more information or questions on the Pre-Marriage Retreat contact Cassandra Johnson, by email, at cjohnson@crookston.org.

DIOCESE OF CROOKSTON

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

Creighton model • achieving pregnancy
avoiding pregnancy • monitoring fertility • cycles

Free Introduction Sessions

Zoom Online
7:30-8:30pm

October 20th, 2022
 January 10th, 2023
 April 18th, 2023
 July 18th, 2023
 October 12th, 2023

Presented by Laura Golden, FCP •
 Sarah McKeown, CFCP
holyfamilynfp.com

Ministry Schedule

August 19/20 ~ Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:30 AM NO DEACON	Sunday, 9:00 AM	Sunday, 11:00 AM
SACRISTAN	Janet Moris	Ashley Hodapp	Joe Bofferding	Connie Aagard
INTRO TO MASS/ INTERCESSOR IF NEEDED	Help Please	Judy Stai	Daniel Froelich	Karen Merschman
LECTOR 1	Joe Czapiewski	Jennifer Leisenheimer	Mollie Rupp	Emily Vincent
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