

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time January 21st, 2024

# Blessed Sacrament Welcome to our Parish

"Sharing life in communion with Christ and the family of the Church. Inviting others joyfully into this life.

### **Parish and School Directory**

### **Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church** 2310 East 7th Avenue

Hibbing MN 55746

### Parish Office / Assumption School St. Leo's Hall

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### www.blessedsacramenthibbing.org Visit our Facebook Page

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Parish Office Fax	(218) 263-3682
Parish Kitchen(	218)262-5541 ext 235
School Office	(218) 263-3054
School Office Fax	(218) 263-3682
Kids Club	(218) 969-0440

### **Emergency**

In case of an emergency after regular business hours, call (218) 262-5541 ext. 7 to reach a priest.

### Parish and School Staff

Fr. Daniel Weiske @ <i>duluthcatholic.org</i> <b>er</b> Fr. Bill Skarich				
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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 Mass is 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., & Thurs. 7:30am-4pm Fri. 7:30am-1:00pm; Sat.- 8am-5pm

Sun. - 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



THE STAR OF THE NORTH EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS May 17 & 18, 2024 -The Sanford Center -Bemidji, MN

Bishop Andrew Cozzens of the Diocese of Crookston, and Bishop Daniel J. Felton of the Diocese of Duluth welcome you to the Star of the North Eucharistic Congress, May 17 and 18 at the Sanford Center in Bemidji, MN. The Congress is a collaboration

between the Diocese of Crookston and the Diocese of Duluth, preceding the May 19 commencement of the Marian Route of the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage at the headwaters of the great Mississippi River in Itasca State Park. Join Bishops and pilgrims from across Minnesota, the Dakotas and Wisconsin, as we gather to celebrate and glorify Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. The Star of the North Eucharistic Congress will inspire pilgrims to increase their devotion in the Eucharist while learning ways to share the many graces of this great Sacrament through powerful talks and witness testimonies, panels, fellowship, praise and worship, Mass, adoration, confession, and a Eucharistic Procession. The Star of the North Eucharistic Congress is for the entire family. All are welcome! Register by visiting <a href="https://crookstoneucharist.org/register">https://crookstoneucharist.org/register</a>.



### Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

Pope Francis has said that respect for life is not just about the unborn child in the womb, but also about the least of our brothers and sisters. Yes, it is even upon the undocumented resident alien who has no voice but ours. As followers of Jesus Christ, we are all called to protect the voiceless.

Let us pray...

Good and gracious God, you blew into our nostrils the breath of life. You are the One to whom we owe our very existence.

Give us the courage to take that unpopular position of protecting those who have no voice, the unborn child in the womb to the person taking his or her last breath.

The life you have given us is a gift beyond measure. Embolden us to speak the truth about protecting the child, the elderly, and the one without a voice in the public square.

With thankful hearts, we ask all this of the One God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.



**Pro-Life Corner:** "There is such a wide spectrum of issues involving the protection of human life and the promotion of human dignity. Good people frequently disagree on which problems to address, which policies to adopt and how best to apply them. But for citizens and elected officials alike, the basic principle is simple: *We must* 

begin with a commitment never to intentionally kill, or collude in the killing, of any innocent human life, no matter how broken, unformed, disabled or desperate that life may seem. In other words, the choice of certain ways of acting is always and radically incompatible with the love of God and the dignity of the human person created in His image."

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops "Living the Gospel of Life," © 1998 USCCB

## Walking with Moms in Need



### "Light After Loss Mn"

Hibbing-based nonprofit organization to provide support and love after a pregnancy loss.

Sunday, Jan 21st at 11:15am After 10:00am Mass Courtyard Annex

Presentation by Nicole Fagerstrom, Secretary of Light After Loss Mn

- O Who do they support?
- O How do they offer support?
- O How can we learn to be supportive?
- O How can we support our local organization?

For questions or more information: visit the parish website or connect with our parish contact: ctimmerman@proton.me 218-969-2496

Registration for the January Restored retreat is open! All adults 21 and older are invited to a retreat weekend taking place January 26-28 at Sugar Lake Lodge. Come enjoy good fellowship with people from all over the diocese, delicious food, engaging presentations, time for prayer and reflection, and be restored in both body and soul. All adults are welcome to come! More information on the weekend and registration can be found at <a href="https://www.dioceseduluth.org/restored-retreat">www.dioceseduluth.org/restored-retreat</a>.

## **Council of Catholic Women**



The Council of Catholic Women will meet Mon., Feb. 5th at 1pm in the Courtyard Annex. A review of the past year's activities will be discussed. Any new ideas are welcome as we plan the year, including preparing for upcoming soup suppers. All the ladies of the Parish are invited and welcomed to attend! Pray

to the Holy Spirit to guide you. Come Holy Spirit Come. Our Lady of Good Counsel, pray for us!

## **School News**

Father Bill blessed chalk and then used it to write an Epiphany Blessing above all the doorways in the **school!** At the Epiphany, we celebrate the manifestation of our Lord to the world. Just as the Magi (Three Kings) came to adore the Christ Child many years ago, we adore Him today!





Group baking session will be held on Monday, January 22.

4:00pm - prepare sauce

Come when

· 6:00pm - assemble lasagna

you can!

We are collecting the following for a Lasagna Love group baking session at Blessed Sacrament:

- · Lasagna noodles regular
- prepared spaghetti sauce
  Super One or Walmart gift cards
- heavy duty tin pans
- Tin foil
- Plastic wrap
- Parmesan cheese

\*Drop off these items in the office labeled "Lasagna Love"\*

Go to the link below for more information if you are able or interested in serving! www.blessedsacramenthibbing.org

Contact Sue Schwartz with questions: sue.schwartz@duluthcatholic.org (218) 969-4718 Cell phone

## **Faith Formation**

Middle School & High School (6th-11th grades)

Wed., Jan. 24th meal available 6:30pm; class 6:30pm-8pm

**Sunday School (K-5th grades)** 

Sun., Jan. 28th 8:45am-9:45am

### Sacraments



Please pray for Louise Bordon, Ruthann Bussey, and Christine Claveau who have died. May God grant them eternal rest and peace in His Kingdom.

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Catholic Schools week kick off! We will kick off Catholic Schools week at the 10am Mass next Sunday, Jan. 28th. We are excited for a great Catholic Schools Week, high-

lighting our catholic school and the beautiful benefits to our community in catholic formation of our youth. Thank you for supporting Assumption Catholic School!



### Jesus and the Eucharist: A Small Group Series for **Eucharistic Revival**

We invite you to grow closer to Jesus alongside fellow parishioners through the Jesus and the Eucharist study on Tuesdays starting in January. The Jesus

and the Eucharist study was specifically designed for this Eucharistic Revival, and we will be joining many parishes throughout the United States that are participating in this small group study as part of our National Eucharistic Reviv-

Each session is full of rich theological content, powerful testimonies, and unique and timely messages from individual bishops across the country. This is a great opportunity to dive more deeply into the richness of our Eucharistic faith.

Please join us on **Tuesdays (through February 13th)** at 6:15 pm. in St. Leo's Hall at Blessed Sacrament

For those interested, a potluck supper will also be held at 5:45 each week, after 5:15 Mass, as is done throughout the year on Tuesdays by our Hungry Aspiring Saints group which will host these Eucharistic Revival sessions!

The 23-24 Knights of Columbus Scholarship **Application Form** is now available on the Parish website www.blessedsacramenthibbing.org (Knights of Columbus tab on top of webpage). The deadline for applications is May 4, 2024.

## **Knightly News**

## January 2024 Calendar



The Knights of Columbus will host a pancake breakfast in St. Leo's Hall this weekend following Sunday Masses. All are welcome!

TO JOIN THE KNIGHTS, GO TO KOFC ON-LINE

### **Mass Intentions**

Mon. 1/22 8:00am+Dermot & Magdalena Reynolds

Tues. 1/23 5:15pm+CJ Longdon

Wed. 1/24 9:00am+William Bischoff (A) Thurs. 1/25 8:00am+Louie Cannata

Fri. 1/26 8:00am+Loyd & Helen Christenson Sat. 1/27 4:15pm+Virginia Patregnani

Sat. 1/27 4:15pm+Virginia Patregna Sun. 1/28 8:00am+Roselyn Riley

10:00am All Parishioners

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



# 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.

## Stewardship

<b>Parish Financial</b>			YTD
Status	Actual	YTD Budget	Actual
Ordinary Income			
(Envelope,			
Plate, Online)	\$14,897.81		\$391,058.86
Bequests/Other			
Income	\$83.25	\$	\$3,021.51

Due to your generosity, our <u>Parish has met the</u> <u>2023 UCA goal of \$112,199.67.</u> Thank you!

January 14th, 2024

Weekend for the Engaged registration is open!
Engaged Weekends are part of the preparation for couples as they prepare and approach the Sacrament of Matrimony. If you know a couple getting married in the Catholic Church within the next two years, invite them to register.



## **Weekly Parish Calendar**

### Sun., 1/21

Sunday School
8:45am-9:45am
REC
Knights of Columbus pancake breakfast 8am-12pm
Walking with Moms in Need Presentation 11:15am
Rosary for conversion of Russia and peace in Ukraine 7pm BLS

### Mon., 1/22

Lasagna of Love group baking session 4pm prepare sauce; 6pm assemble lasagna~ come when you can!

### Tues., 1/23

Grandparent Ministry 9:00am CA Finance Council 1:00pm CA Eucharistic Revival Series; potluck 5:45pm/ session 6:15pm

### Wed., 1/24

Rosary for Children 8:30am BLS Faith Formation 6pm meal; class 6:30pm-8pm SLH

### Thurs.., 1/25

Widows of Prayer 9:00am CA One Family in Christ Event Rescheduled 5:30pm-7:30pm

Fri.., 1/26

Sat., 1/27

### Sun., 1/28~Catholic Schools week kick-off!

Sunday School 8:45am-9:45am REC Coffee Social 11:15am REC SLH 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



Jesus, I Trust in You. Eucharistic Adoration is open every Thursday 8:30am– Friday 8:00am

in the **Adoration Chapel.** 

## 

Lenten Adoration begins Ash Wednesday, Feb. 14th and will continue each week concluding on Wednesday, March 27th.

Adoration will be held in the Adoration Chapel.

## The following hours are available each week:

Wednesday beginning at 10:00 am through Friday concluding at 6:30 pm

We invite each of you to join us at any time during Lent in this beautiful devotion to the Blessed Sacrament.

We need 2 committed adorers per hour!

Sign-up sheets can be found in the east link hallway at Blessed Sacrament by the back parking lot or check our parish website for online registration as well as any unfilled

**hours!** If you have any questions, contact Sue Schwartz at 969-4718 or call the Parish 262-5541.



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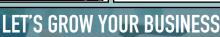




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