Catholic Churches of

St Mary's

15 1st Ave. NE Deer River, MN 56636

St. Josephs Mission

51061 Wolf Drive Ball Club, MN 56636

St. Charles

308 Central Ave. N Cass Lake, MN 56633







5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Office Hours

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February 9, 2025

Tue-Fri. 9:00am-1:00pm

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5th Sunday

Simon said in reply, "Master, we have worked hard all night and have caught nothing, but at your command

Reconciliation

St Charles

Saturday 10:00 - 11:00 AM. And during Adoration

St. Mary's

1/2 Hour before each Mass. And during Adoration

St. Josephs

During Adoration.

Adoration

St. Mary's

Wednesday 9-10AM

St. Charles

Thursday 9-10AM

St. Josephs

Saturday 3:30-4:30PM followed by Benediction

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday 5:00 PM <u>St. Joseph</u> Sunday 8:30 AM <u>St. Mary's</u> Sunday 11:00 AM <u>St. Charles</u>

Weekday Mass Times

Tue. - Wed. 830 AM - <u>St. Mary's</u> Thur. - Fri. 8:30 AM - **St. Charles**

Greetings (Boozhoo Aaniin)

As you read this, I will be in the middle of the annual priest retreat! By Canon Law, priests need to take a canonical retreat every year. In our diocese, every other year, the Diocese of Duluth hosts a diocesan retreat, and the off years each priest is reliable to find their own retreat.

Retreats are a great time to retreat from the busyness of the world to spend some time with God. These retreats are five days, they can be silent retreats where a priest does not speak at all, there are also retreats where one can talk, there are five, eight, and even thirty-day silent retreat days! I have not done a thirty-day silent retreat yet, and I still think I would like to do one. I believe Sacred Heart Seminary in Detroit requires their seminarians to do a thirty-day retreat in early summer (I went to St. Paul Seminary). Maybe you're wondering why Fr. KK is not joining us at the priest retreat. Since he belongs to a religious life, he went back to India to take his retreat with his brother priests, so he doesn't join us.

Lastly, did you know that retreat centers offer short weekend retreats for the laity? These retreats focus on a laity life to help laity to grow in their relationship with Jesus. There are many laity retreats that focus on many aspects of life, and the Diocese of Duluth does offer a retreat right next door to us in Cohasset at Sugar Lake Lodge. This retreat is called Restored, and it is for adults 21 and over! I really encourage all parishioners to do this retreat at some point, and I must warn everyone that after doing this retreat, most will want to go again. There is also another retreat that the diocese hosts and that is a family retreat. This is usually held on the weekend between Week One and Two of Camp Survive.

Retreats are such a beautiful way for all of us to retreat from the busyness and craziness of the world to be with God! I would be more than happy to speak to anyone who wants more information on retreats!

God Bless ~ Fr. Trevor

Our Grand Rapids Neighbors at St. Joseph's Catholic School Registration

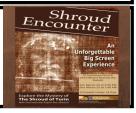
Thank you for your interest in St. Joseph's School, a joy-filled space where serious learning takes place! We would like to meet you to learn about your child, answer your questions, and tell you about our school. St. Joseph's School accepts students for preschool to sixth grade. Please keep in mind that we may not have openings in all classrooms. If you have a child who will be ready in the fall of 2025 for Preschool (age 4 by Sept. 1, 2025), Kindergarten (age 5 by Sept. 1, 2025), or a new student entering grades 1-6, please come to our office or visit our website for registration forms:

https://www.itascacatholic.org/admission-registration

It is a good idea to register early to reserve a spot for your child as our class sizes are limited. For questions, please contact the school office at: 218-326-6232. Please also visit the school tab on our website. Thank you!

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"The Shroud Encounter" on Saturday, March 22nd at 5:30pm and Sunday, March 23rd at 1pm, at St. Lawrence Church 2410 Morris Thomas Rd in Duluth. There is a small fee of \$10 per adult to help defray the costs, 18 and under are free. Explore the mystery of the Shroud of Turin with International expert Russ Breault



Faith Formation stmarysreligoused@duluthcatholic.org



Classes will be in session February 12th
Elementary: 2:35 - 4:00 pm
Confirmation: 4:30 - 5:30 pm
Youth Group (High School): 6:00 - 7:30 pm



This week our Gospel reading is Jesus calling Peter, James and John to be his disciples. I am always in awe when I hear Simon Peter say "but at your word, I will let down my nets." To have such faith and trust is incredible and reminds us to have the same faith and trust in Jesus ourselves. Check out a video to help your children understand this weeks Gospel reading.





The Ministries Appeal focuses on the shared ministries of the Diocese of Duluth that no one parish can support on their own. We join together in following our mission of living a life of healing, hope, joy and abundance. Please offer your prayers for all of the ministries who need our assistance and for the success of The 2025 Ministries Appeal. God Bless.



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PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Dennis & Elizabeth Bergeron , Ruth Wittner, Rodney and Beverly Benson, Bob Karbowski, Charles Bush Jr., Patricia Karbowski, Darwin Kingbird, Bradley Kurtzell, Maria Patton, Evelyn Perrault, Christine Stenger,

Connie Suchon, Deana Thomas,
Andrea Emilia Bernabey, Anitra Benson,
Regi in India Kidney Transplant,
Janeen Gregerson.

Joseph the eldest brother of Fr. KK. For all those who are suffering with cancer.

St. Joseph and St. Mary's

Prayer requests may be submitted to our prayer chain by calling
Gwenn Smith (218)246-2180





February 8st - February 15th

Saturday 8th For the Parishioners of our Cluster parishes
Sunday St.M 9th Norene Martineau

Sunday St.C 9th Ila Senn Monday 10th No Mass Tuesday 11th † Barb McI

Tuesday 11th † Barb McDowell Wednesday 12th Kenny Smith

Thursday 13th † Jim Mellema Friday 14th † Erin & Margaret Marthe

Saturday 15th t Gertrude Villeneuve

February 2th 2025 Contribution Report

Thank you for your contributions

Ministries Appeal



Church	Envelopes	Plate	On-Line	Total	Latin America	Ministries Appeal	Ministries Appeal Goal
St. Charles	\$254.00	\$225.00	-	\$479.00	-	\$50.00	10,146
St. Joseph	\$180.00	\$103.00	-	\$283.00	-	-	3,538
St.; Mary	\$310.00	\$491.00	-	\$801.00	\$100.00	-	11,066