

Catholic Churches of

St Mary's

15 1st Ave. NE
Deer River, MN
56636

St. Josephs Mission

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56636

St. Charles

308 Central Ave. N
Cass Lake, MN
56633



Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

June 29, 2025



STS. PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES

"You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my Church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it. I will give you the keys to the Kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." - Mt 16:18-19

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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 (Vigil) 5:00 PM St. Joseph

Sunday 8:30 AM St. Mary's

Sunday 11:00 AM St. Charles

Weekday Mass Times

Tue. - Wed. 830 AM - St. Mary's

Thur. - Fri. 8:30 AM - St. Charles

Greetings (Boozhoo Aaniin)!

This Sunday, we celebrate the Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul. Here is a small insert from St. Pope John Paul II's homily.

On today's Solemnity of Sts Peter and Paul, the Liturgy of the Word presents two elements which seem to contradict one another but are actually complementary. On the one hand, we have the extraordinary vocation of the Apostles Peter and Paul and, on the other, the difficulties they had to face in fulfilling the mission they received from the Lord.

In the Gospel passage Jesus says to Simon Peter near Caesarea Philippi: "I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven and whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven" (Mt 16:19). Thus Christ foretold the institution of the Church and founded her on Peter's ministry, which consequently has an essential and enduring significance for her.

When Jesus asked who people thought the Son of God was, the Apostles reported several of the opinions current among the Jews. But when he asked them directly: "But who do you say that I am?" (Mt 16:15), Peter replied in the name of the Twelve: "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God" (Mt 16:16).

Peter made his profession of faith in Christ and this faith constitutes the firm foundation of the People of the New Covenant. The Church is not primarily a social structure; she is the community of those who share the same faith as Peter and the Apostles: the community of those who proclaim the one apostolic faith. This common profession of faith is the real *raison d'être of the Church herself as a visible institution: it motivates and sustains every project and initiative.*

Let us listen once again to these words of Jesus on the day when we recall with veneration the holy Apostles Peter and Paul. The Fathers loved to compare them to two pillars supporting the Church as a visible construction. According to ancient tradition, the liturgy celebrates them together, commemorating their glorious martyrdom on the same day: Peter, whose tomb is on this Vatican Hill, and Paul, whose tomb is venerated in the vicinity of the Ostian Way. They both sealed with their blood the witness they bore to Christ by their preaching and ecclesial ministry.

Today's liturgy clearly emphasizes this witness and gives us a glimpse of the profound reason why it was necessary for the faith professed by the lips of the two Apostles to be also crowned with the supreme test of martyrdom.

Citation

John Paul II, [*Homilies of Pope John Paul II \(English\)*](#) (Vatican City: Libreria Editrice Vaticana, 2014).

2025 Catholic Summer League

Softball Games Schedule

2pm Sundays

July 13th: Pequot Lakes

August 17th: Hackensack
Potluck after all games



Coffee & Donuts after
Sunday Mass at St.
Charles
All are welcome.

Here it comes:

The annual St. Mary's Wild Rice Festival July 11th - 13th

Wild Rice Turkey Dinner with all the fix'ns

Sunday July 13th 11:00 am - 3:30 pm

There are sign-up sheets in the back of the church on the big table for:

Food & other donations,

Parishioners to Roast a Turkey, (turkey supplied by the church)

Workers for set-up, serving, & clean-up.

Please consider helping our parish with this major fundraiser.

Also on Friday 11th & Saturday 12th

We are kicking off a new **Faith Formation** fundraising event.

Food & Music under the Tent.

There are sign-up sheets in the back of the church for this as well.

Pulled Pork stuffed Mac&Cheese

Brats from S&S Meats,

baked goods (provided by our youth), chips, water, tea.

Don't forget the music, open Mic. with local talent.

We are looking for volunteers for set-up, serving and cooking,

and don't forget the dreaded clean-up.

Please consider volunteering for this Faith Formation Fundraiser.

We are looking to the men to help with this endeavor in the tent.



Faith Formation

You may contact Faith Formation at: stmarysreligoused@duluthcatholic.org



High School Bonfire Night

9th-12th Smores & Fun

Bring a Friend

Tuesday July 15th 7pm-9pm
Wednesday Aug. 13th 7pm-9pm



St. Mary's Parish Potluck Picnic

TUESDAY July 16th, Aug. 19th,
6:00pm - 8:00pm

St. Mary's Catholic Church Presents

Game Night Let the games begin

6th, 7th, 8th Grades

July 15th, Aug. 13th 5pm - 6:30pm

Bring your favorite: indoor or outdoor game

Bring your favorite: snack

Bring your favorite: friend

For more info. Contact Liann at 360-463-0517

So I've tried this a couple of times and seems that I can't get all of the volunteer list together, so I'm trying again and I think I have it this time. There are sign-up sheets in the back of the church on your right as you leave for **Lectors, Ushers, Sacristans, Servers, Choir/Musicians, Extraordinary Ministers, Visiting the Homebound, Money Counters, Men's & Women's Group, Church Cleaners.** It's amazing how much there is to do in our parish and how many volunteers we need. If you are already volunteering for these services we thank you, but please sign-up again as we are up-dating our data base. If you are not volunteering please consider volunteering to help our parish. There will be required training for all positions coming in late July or early August.

We cannot help our church to endeavor, persevere, and grow without your help.

PLEASE CONSIDER VOLUNTEERING. God Bless! Jesus I Trust In You!



Make a friend
Be a friend &
Bring that friend to Christ



PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Dennis & Elizabeth Bergeron, Ruth Wittner,
Rodney and Beverly Benson, Bob Karbowski,
Charles Bush Jr., Patricia Karbowski,
Darwin Kingbird, Bradley Kurtzell,
Maria & Ralph Patton, Evelyn Perrault,
Christine Stenger, Connie Suchon,
Deana Thomas, Andrea Emilia Bernabey,
Anitra Benson, Janeen Gregerson.

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: [Elaine Grossell \(218\)246-8099](tel:2182468099)



Mass Offerings



June 28th - July 5th

Saturday: 28th For the Parishioners of our cluster parishes
Sunday: St. M: 29th Marcia Dorry
St. C: 29th Kathryn Fristoe
Monday: 30th No Mass
Tuesday: 1st For all hungry & starving children of the world
Wednesday 2nd † Louie Perrington
Thursday 3rd † Barb McDowell
Friday 4th Supporters of Catholic Extension
Saturday 5th Mark Saiger

June 22nd 2025 Contribution Report

Thank you for your generous contributions!



Church	Envelopes	Plate	On-Line	Total	Ministries Appeal	Ministries Appeal Goal	Collected By 5/18/25
St. Charles	\$280.00	\$159.00	\$440.00	\$879.00	-	\$10,146.00	\$2,851.00
St. Joseph	\$150.00	\$117.00	\$75.00	\$342.00	-	\$3,538.00	\$1,117.00
St. Mary's	\$395.00	\$770.25	\$265.00	\$1,430.25	-	\$11,066.00	\$3,405.00