

Diocese of Superior Modesty Guidelines

We love you. We want you to feel at home and comfortable. Our goal is simple: to show and speak the love of God to you. You are a beloved child of God. Our desire is to lead you deeper into that reality!

In any family or organization there are some very basic expectations and dress is one of those. The following are our expectations and they come from our belief in the dignity of the human person and the sacred beauty and meaning of our bodies. We want you to have the most positive and engaging experience possible. Sadly, dress can become a distraction – let's not let that happen! We have too many wonderful things to do together! So, we ask that you agree to the following:

- For simplicity, it is best to wear t-shirts and layer with sweatshirts/sweaters all weekend. These must be loose fitting with no inappropriate messages or images; midriff must be covered, no cut off or torn t-shirts. No sleeveless t-shirts or cut-off t-shirts will be allowed though sleeves can be rolled up.
- All pants and shorts must be loose-fitting.
- Ladies Leggings may be worn if other clothing such as loose-fitting shorts, skirts, dresses or pants are worn over them. T-shirts and sweaters/sweatshirts are not adequate.

A note on attire at Mass:

All Liturgies are sacred and require reverence for God and others. Part of this reverence for God and others is found in appropriate dress. Whenever possible any individual asked to serve as lector, greeter, extraordinary minister of the Eucharist or another volunteer position should wear long pants or a skirt while performing the corresponding duty. Everyone else is welcomed to 'dress up' as well – this is a fitting way to honor the sacred reality of the liturgy.