

Holy Assumption

March 8, 2020

<http://stwilliamparish.net/ha.htm>



Second
Sunday of
Lent

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 7th	4:30 pm
+Brenda Summerfield by Family	
Sunday, March 8th	9:00 am
+Dolores Zalabski by Family	
Monday, March 9th	8:00 am
Communion Service	
Tuesday, March 10th	8:00 am
+Jeanne Frodesen by Kristen Brown	
Wednesday, March 11th	10:00 am
<i>Stations of the Cross and Mass</i>	
People of the Parish	
Thursday, March 12th	8:00 am
Health and Welfare of the Felician Sisters by the Franciscans	
Friday, March 13th	8:00 am
+Shirley Carlson by Barb Dickenson	
Saturday, March 14th	4:30 pm
+Duke Summerfield by Family	
Sunday, March 15th	9:00 am
People of the Parish	

Weekly Contributions February 29 & March 1, 2020

Adult Envelopes.....	\$ 2197.00	Catholic Herald....	\$ 20.00
Loose.....	\$ 65.00	Flowers.....	\$ 90.00
Children.....	\$ 4.00	Utilities.....	\$ 100.00
Online Giving.....	\$ 345.00	Snow Removal.....	\$ 100.00
Building.....	\$ 415.00	Rice Bowl.....	\$ 140.00
Ash Wednesday.....	\$ 660.00	Black & Indian.....	\$ 527.00

Thank you for your generosity.

We Pray for Their Health and Welfare

Barb Schiller Fr. Lee Flaherty Fr. Ron Olson Helen Dudek Lois Dzuick Carol Schiesser Ron Engstrom CeCe Dorin Penny McGrath Barb Doherty Cindy Wnuk Boguslaw Wnuk Richard Krynski Tim Karling Mike Schmitt Lorraine Archambeault Paul Witzman Robert Amoth Charlie Dolsen Angie Timmerman Jan Marcuk Judy Dorin Ruth Gallagher Eileen Larochelle Mary Jean Dolsen Shirley Sickler Irene Kulig Ruth Fenhouse Bob Atkinson Michelle Crowe Joe Hagadorn Larry Atkinson Fr. Ron Levra

Those on the Prayer List are usually listed for four weeks unless notified otherwise.



Pray for Those Who Serve Our Country

Tim Motschman Jeremy Pionk Steve R. Koszarek Kelsey Merry Steve Wachtler Adam Sislo Nick Kiminski Ryan Alan Olson Lee Olson Erin Ansell Joshua Brand Jadon Stone Jeremy Knase Justin Knase

Liturgical Roles

Saturday, March 14th	4:30 pm
Communion	John Hansen
Reader	John Hansen
Upstairs	Kathy Willoughby
Cross Bearer	Dwight Willoughby
Servers	Open
Sunday, March 15th	9:00 am
Communion	Bob Chamings
Reader	Francy Chamings
Upstairs	Francy Chamings
Cross Bearer	Steve Edwards
Servers	Lili Sakuray Adi Sakuray

PARISH HAPPENING

Saturday, March 7th	KISA Lasagna Dinner @ 4:30-7:00 pm
Sunday, March 8th	KC Sunday Breakfast @ 9:00-11:00 am
Tuesday, March 10th	Leadership Meeting @ 7:00 pm
Wednesday, March 11th	Stations of the Cross & Mass @ 10:00 am
	Fr. Ron @ SMDC @ 11:15 am
Thursday, March 12th	Taco Dinner Meeting @ Guadalajara @ 6:00 pm
Sunday, March 15th	KC Sunday Breakfast @ 9:00-11:00 am
Wednesday, March 18th	Stations of the Cross & Mass @ 10:00 am

Stations of the Cross



*Please join us for
Stations of the Cross and Mass
each Wednesday
at 10:00 am during Lent.*



*Our Sympathy and Prayers
to the Family of
Jacquelyn Shykes*

CELEBRATION OF LIFE



The **H.A.L.O.S.** is sponsoring **The Celebration of Life on March 21st & 22nd, 2020.**

Please bring your pictures of babies born in this last year. Children, Grandchildren or Babies of friends are welcome.

Put these in the collection baskets or drop off at the Office Monday-Thursday, 8AM-1 PM by March 16th.

Be sure to write your name/address on the back of the pictures so they can be returned.

FILL A DRESSER



The Celebration of Life kicks off our **Fill a Dresser Program.** Collection boxes are located at the back of the Church and at the side entrance of the Church to fill with items pertaining to babies.

The donations we receive are for the **Lake Superior Life Care Center in Superior.**

The donations will surely radiate your love in each and every item this new little life needs that perhaps the mother would not have been able to provide. Items to donate include – **Clothing, Bedding, Hygiene, Bottles, Toys.**

THANK YOU FROM THE KC'S



A very special thank you to all those who volunteered at the Garbage Omelet Breakfast. Your help is greatly appreciated. Also, thank you to all who attended the breakfast and making this year's Garbage Omelet Breakfast a success!

FIESTA de
MAYO



HOLA, AMIGOS

Even though the weather does not make us think of spring, the calendar indicates it is time to turn our thoughts to our parish's **5th Annual Fiesta de Mayo Taco Dinner on May 6th.** This is a fundraising activity for our parish, so we are asking anyone who would like to help with planning this fabulous event to meet at the **Guadalajara Restaurant in Superior on Thursday, March 12th at 6:00 pm.** (Mariner Mall) Speaking fluent Spanish is not a requirement to volunteer to help.

ONLINE GIVING



Online giving is available at all of the Superior Catholics Cluster parishes. To use online giving either go to our parish website and click "Donate" OR use the myParish app and click "Giving." Donations can be set to be recurring or a one-time donation.

THE MASS OF THE CHRISM



All are invited to join in the celebration of the Mass of Chrism at **Cathedral of Christ the King on Tuesday, March 31st at 12:00 noon.** During the Mass, the Oils of Catechumens, of the Sick, and of Chrism will be blessed in preparation for Easter Sacraments and those of the coming year. It is a very special event, open to all Catholics. There will be NO other scheduled Masses in the City of Superior on the day of the Chrism Mass. It is an important diocesan celebration and hope you will be able to attend. **If you plan on attending and staying for the luncheon, please call the office at 715-394-7919 by March 18th so we can have a luncheon ticket ready for you.**



MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions are available for anyone who would like to remember a loved one who has passed, the health and welfare of someone in need, or your own private special intention. Please call the office at 715-394-7919 or place an envelope in the collection basket with your intention included. Mass intentions are \$10.

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

We continue with the Catholic Services Appeal in our parishes and throughout the Diocese of Superior. The church serves each of us in some way and our financial support is needed to continue God's work in our area. This year our fair share assessment at Holy Assumption is \$19,549.00. Please give generously. Thank you to all who have already contributed.

Holy Assumption

CSA Parish Goal Summary 2020
as of February 3, 2020

CSA – 2020 Goal	\$ 19,549.00
Total Payments & Pledges:	11,725.00
Remaining to Raise	\$ 7,824.00

Thank you for your continued support of our Catholic Services Appeal obligation.

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- Enter your name, email address, & desired password

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EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION AND HOLY HOUR

"Do you know more about the faith than you did a year ago? Most people are not called to a formal study of the faith; but we are all called to learn a little more each week, month, and year. For years I have been encouraging people to read five pages of a great spiritual book each day."

REDISCOVER THE SAINTS - by Matthew Kelly

We have our little black books and the books which are a gift of your parish...and peace and quiet from 2:00-5:00pm on Thursday at Cathedral for adoration. Perfect. Bring your book and thoughts you'd like to share with the Lord. He waits. Come when you can; leave when you must.

WEEKLY MEDITATION

This week the Gospel of Matthew shows the transfiguration of Jesus. Having brought Peter, James and John up the mountain, the Lord is revealed in his heavenly glory - surrounded by Moses and Elijah - as the Father's voice booms out: *"This is my beloved Son, listen to him!"*

For a brief moment the disciples see Jesus as he stands in Heaven. Together with great figures from salvation history, Jesus displays the power and authority he has as the Son of God. It is inspirational, terrifying, awesome and mighty.

It's also very brief.

The moment fades, and the fear experienced by the disciples passes away as the Lord tells them not to be afraid, but rather to tell no one of the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead.

There are times in life when we face tremendous obstacles, challenges that test us to the extreme. In the midst of difficulty we sometimes get a short reprieve - a moment where we can pause, step back, and see the big picture - so that we can keep our perspective and understand why we do what we do.

The transfiguration is one of those short pauses where the three disciples gain an insight into who Jesus is and what he must accomplish. As we engage the struggles of our lives, may we experience moments of God's presence, empowering us to keep going in the face of adversity.

Fr. Andrew

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Question for Children: Share about a time when you felt especially close to God or Jesus.

Question for Youth: Have you ever had a "mountain top" experience where you felt especially close to God? How was your life changed by that experience?

Question for Adults: Perhaps this reading calls us, not to cling to the familiar, but to leave the comforts of the parish and reach out to the world around us. In your neighborhood or community, who is waiting to hear the Good News?

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Readings for the week of March 8, 2020

Sunday: Gn 12: 1-4a / 2 Tm 1: 8b-10 / Mt 17: 1-9
Monday: Dn 9: 4-b-10 / Lk 6: 36-38
Tuesday: Is 1: 10, 16-20 / Mt 23: 1-12
Wednesday: Jer 18: 18-20 / Mt 20: 17-28
Thursday: Jer 17: 5-10 / Lk 16: 19-31
Friday: Gn 37: 3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a / Mt 21: 33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7: 14-15, 18-20 / Lk 15: 1-3, 11-32
Sunday: Ex 17: 3-7 / Rom 5: 1-2, 5-8 / Jn 4: 5-42
or 4: 5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

**THE CHRIST THE KING COUNCIL 16691
OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Put your Faith in Action! The Knights of Columbus offers Catholic men opportunities to grow in their faith while serving their family and community. Joining our Council is an excellent way to help grow our Superior Catholic Cluster. Learn more on our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/KofC16691 or at www.kofc.org. We'd love for you to join our Council. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 7th at 6:30 PM in Kress Hall. Contact Grand Knight Steve Tanko (392-7494) if you have questions.

NORTH STAR PRAYER GROUP

The North Star Prayer Group meets on the first and third Mondays at 6:30 PM at Cathedral in Kress Hall. All are welcome!

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

February Assistance –



The people who we are able to serve are much more important than any numbers we provide. We wish to let you know how much your support and our volunteers are able to touch the lives of those in our community. In February we had contact with 146 households. Many of those individuals were able to be served through information and referral. We had 30 office visits and 13 home visits. We helped those in need with approximately \$2,000 in rental assistance and \$2,000 in motel stays when shelters were full. \$1,100 was distributed in transportation assistance (bus tickets, bus passes, gas etc.). The total amount distributed was \$5,189. Approximately \$1,300 worth of food, household goods, clothing and furniture was distributed by our volunteers.

You are welcome to join us at our next meeting on Tuesday, March 10th at 6pm at the Catholic Charities Building ~ 1416 Cumming Avenue - 715-398-4039.

RESPECT LIFE

Are you someone who has ideas about respect life initiatives that you would like us to promote or develop? Are you someone who dislikes planning and committees but rather you are a "worker bee" and enjoy volunteering your time in efforts to promote life? If either of these describe you - please let me know and we would love to have you a part of our growing group! Contact Lynn Tracy through the parish office at 715-392-8511 to join our efforts!

RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults – RCIA – is a process of the Catholic Church designed to help adults to become fully initiated, practicing Catholics. The next session is Thursday, March 5th. The group meets from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in Kress Hall.



CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS

You are cordially invited to attend the upcoming meeting of the Catholic Daughters. It will be held on Tuesday, March 10th at 7:00pm at Cathedral of Christ the King. The meeting will be a reflection with Deacon Arthur of Cathedral Parish. Dessert will be served. All interested women are invited to attend. For a ride, call Ro Birch at 715-394-5958.



CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS

Preschool Registration

Cathedral Preschool registration is now open for the 2020-2021 school year. Cathedral Preschool offers a 3 year old and a 4 year old program. Cathedral School is also a site for Superior Community Preschool. For more information about any of our preschool programs please contact Kristen Revering at 715-392-2976

Substitute Teachers Needed

Have you considered Substitute Teaching?

Do you love working with children of all ages? Does your busy schedule keep you from working full-time? Would you like to supplement your current income? Cathedral School is looking for qualified substitute teachers. If you answer yes to the question, we need you!! A 4 year degree is required but the degree does not need to be in education. If you are interested, please contact Melissa in the main office for more information 715-392-2976

First Grade Service Project Pop Tab Collection

Our first grade is collecting pop-tops to help Shriners Hospital purchase children's wheelchairs a collection container is located down on first floor by room 100 and in the 1st grade classroom, room 206. Thank you for your support!

OTHER NEWS

CLEANING SUPPLIES COLLECTION

The Catholic Daughters and the Society of St. Vincent de Paul are co-sponsoring a cleaning supplies collection for families establishing a new home. There will be collection boxes in the back of the churches from March 7th through March 22nd. Among the items needed are: laundry soap, dish soap, bleach, paper towels, sponges, brooms, dust pans, and household cleaners.

Your support and donations are greatly appreciated.



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LASAGNA DINNER

(Many varieties)

MARCH 7, 2020

4:30 – 7:00 P.M.

Holy Assumption Church

5601 Tower Avenue

All profits benefit our sister parish in Tanzania - East Africa

FREE WILL OFFERING



FISH FRY

St. Anthony Church, 4315 East 3rd Street, Superior, will be serving our annual Lenten Fish Dinner each Friday during Lent starting February 28th and continuing through April 10th from 4:30 – 7:00 p.m.



Choice of Fried or Baked Fish, Mashed or Baked Potato, Coleslaw, Vegetable, Pickled Beets, Roll, Dessert and Beverage. Adult – \$10.00, Student (12 and under) – \$5.00 and Preschool – Free. We are handicapped accessible and take-outs are available.

EASTER HAM BINGO

St. Mary Star of the Sea Church, 325 East 3rd St. – Duluth will be having an Easter Ham Bingo on Sunday, March 29th beginning at 1:00 pm. Total of 30 games will be played. 20 Hams will be given away along with gift cards. Split the pot, and winner take all. Sloppy Joe and Hot Dog lunch served at 11:30 am. Price of boards: \$2 each or boards for \$5. Silent Auction. Easter basket drawing for children. \$1 raffle: First Prize \$500 - 2nd Prize \$300 – 3rd Prize \$200 gas gift care – 4th Prize \$200. Handicapped accessible.

SOMETHING YOU CAN DO FOR OUR PRIESTS, BISHOP, AND DEACONS

Would you be willing to do something easy and yet incredibly powerful and helpful for our priests, bishops, and deacons (and seminarians and religious)? Recently, this idea was mentioned on Real Presence Radio, to do every day, and it only takes 15 seconds:

For our priests, every day stop and say:

**Hail Mary,
Full of Grace,
The Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou among women,
and blessed is the fruit
of thy womb, Jesus.**

**Holy Mary,
Mother of God,
pray for us sinners now,
and at the hour of our death.
Amen.**

**OBSERVE LENT AND CELEBRATE HOLY WEEK
AND EASTER WITH EWTN**

Learn more about your Faith during the holiest time of the year with EWTN's first-rate movies, documentaries, musicals, children's programs, and much more! Join in the celebration of Mass from Rome and Washington, D.C. Get program details at www.ewtn.com and visit www.ewtn.com/channelfinder to find a station near you!

Also, during Lent, be sure to visit the special Lent website by EWTN, www.ewtn.com/lent

You may also contact the Cathedral's EWTN Media Missionary, David Dusek at the22rosaries@gmail.com or text or call David at 715-392-9326.

**REAL PRESENCE RADIO BANQUET IN DULUTH
March 10, 2020**

Real Presence Radio will host Dr. Ray Guarendi as keynote speaker of our fundraising banquet in Duluth, MN. The banquet will be held Tuesday, March 10th at the DECC, and we invite you to join us! Sponsor the event at the \$250, \$500, \$1,000 or higher levels, host a table of eight, or join us as a guest!

Seating begins at 5:30; we will begin with prayer at 6:30 p.m.

For more information about the event, or to become a table host, event sponsor, or register to attend as a guest, please call (877) 795-0122 or email Jessica@yourCatholicradiostation.com

You may also register online at www.yourcatholicradiostation.com

Dr. Ray Guarendi is a Catholic father of ten adopted children, a clinical psychologist, author, professional speaker, and national radio and television host. His radio show, "The Dr. Is In" can be heard Mondays - Fridays on Real Presence Radio. Dr. Ray has a wide variety of experience working with parents, families, educators, substance abuse programs, in-patient psychiatric centers, juvenile courts, and private practice. He has witnessed the common time-tested factors that consistently contribute to success in marriages and families.

Dr. Ray captivates audiences with his humor-laced presentations filled with practical advice and proven techniques for successful marriages and families. In addition to the Parenting and Family genre, Dr. Ray, an adult "revert," speaks on many topics concerning the Catholic faith and apologetics.

David Dusek, Cathedral's Real Presence Radio rep will be hosting 2 tables at the Banquet and invites you to be his guest. You may also contact David Dusek for further information at 715-392-9326 or email the22rosaries@gmail.com

Real Presence Radio can be heard locally at FM 88.1 (WWEN) or streamed through the app or available at www.yourcatholicradiostation.com

KISA LASAGNA DINNER

**Saturday, March 7th
4:30 - 7:00 pm**



Holy Assumption Church
5601 Tower Ave. Superior, WI

There will be many varieties of lasagna to choose from, dessert and beverage. All profits benefit our sister parish in Tanzania, East Africa.

Free Will Offering

Sunday Breakfast At Holy Assumption

Hosted by the Knights of
Columbus 7106 Council

**9:00 – 11:00 am
March 1 - March 22**

MENU:



**Eggs to order
Pancakes or French Toast
with Ham, Bacon, or
Sausage, Hash Browns,
Toast, Coffee, Juice or Milk**

**All for \$7.00 for Adults
\$5.00 for 10 and Under**