

ST. ANTHONY – SUPERIOR

MARCH 28, 2021 PALM SUNDAY



Mass Intentions

Sunday, March 28, 2021 9:00 a.m. Mass—+Austin Shiff Sislo by Natalie Miller

Sunday, April 4, 2021

9:00 a.m. Mass—+Bruce Routh by the Spirit Seekers

🌠 Liturgical Ministers

Note: All Holy Week Services will be held at Cathedral of Christ the King.

Sunday, April 4th at 9:00 a.m. - Easter Sunday

Celebrant—Fr. Andrew Sacristan—Delores Musicians—Chris, Liz and Pat Reader— Delores Conductors— Bruce and Dennis

RECENTLY DECEASED

Beverly Lundgren (1/29/21) Bernice Jubenville (11/22/20) Craig Gotelaere (11/9/20) Jim Soderlund (10/28/20) Mary Drobot (4/14/20) Bruce Routh (3/14/20) Char Laureys (2/17/20) Bonnie Checkalski (1/21/20)

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL ASSESSMENT



2020 – 2021 School Assessment \$21,442.85 Monthly Payment: \$1,786.90 Balance Due: \$7,117.65

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL



2020 – 2021 CSA \$18,437.00 \$11,400.00 pledged \$7,037.00 Remaining Balance

Please prayerfully consider donating to the Catholic Services Appeal. Any shortfall in the pledged amount will have to paid from our General Fund.

Parish Census

NEW TO OUR PARISH?

If you would like to register as a member of our parish and receive Contribution envelopes please contact the parish at **715-398-3261** or go to <u>https://superiorcatholics.org</u> click on **Our Parishes** then **Become a Member & Parish Census** and fill out the form for **St. Anthony – Superior.**

MASS ATTENDANCE

3/21/21	45
3/14/21	43
3/7/21	69
2/28/21	61
2/21/21	47
2/14/21	47
2/7/21	25
1/31/21	62

SUNDAY ENVELOPES

March 21, 2021

Regular Envelopes—\$900.00 Loose—\$10.00 Cathedral School—\$5.00 World Concern—\$20.00 Easter Flowers—\$35.00 Utilities—\$5.00 Online Giving—\$242.07 Total—\$1,217.07

All Online Giving is distributed to individual giving funds. Thank you to all who continue to support our parish in person, online or by mail.



Fr. Dean Buttrick, Fr. Lee Flaherty, Fr. Ron Olson, Liz Anderson, Barb Hapy, Mark Jones, Colleen Aird, Doug Severson, Jennifer Ross, Lorrayne Maki, Bob Marnich, Mary

K. Jones, Lorraine Archambeault, Tracie Kotter, Sue Polaski, Shirley Brandt, Lois Langfitt, Josh Jones, Zander Sislo, Kim Hart, Ken Jones, Fr. Ron Levra, Greyson Tomczak, Joshua Tomczak, Jerry Carswell, Jo Hawley, Mike Jentges, John Faris.

If you would like to be included in our prayer list or no longer wish to be on our prayer list, please contact the parish office.

WEEKLY MEDITATION

On the road to Jerusalem the Lord was dropping hints to his disciples:

"See, we are going up to Jerusalem, and the Son of Man will be handed over to the chief priests and scribes, and they will condemn him to death; then they will hand him over to the Gentiles to be mocked and flogged and crucified; and on the third day he will be raised." Matthew 20:18-19

He knew it was coming...and he went through with it.

For us.

And just so we're clear: not because we've been good and deserve it. Because we've sinned and cannot continue without his saving grace. The sacrifice of Christ on the Cross reveals God's love for humanity: the fundamental value which the Lord places on ALL human life and demonstrates how love is the greatest of all commandments - for sacrifices reveal quickly and bluntly what we value, respect, cherish, and love.

And Christ sacrificed his pure and sinless life...for our sins. The more we reflect on the Passion of the Lord, the more we understand the depth of God's love that knows no limit or boundary - a priceless gift that flows from the heart of Heaven.

Which means that as his disciples the example of Christ becomes our model. Where do we see our sacrifices today? How do we - through a sincere and genuine desire to love others - participate in the great sacrifice of Jesus? What are the Crosses in our lives, and how might we carry them with the help of one who understands the weight of the Cross?

His Cross becomes a gateway that leads to abundant life; may the crosses we carry today be received as our path that the Lord sets before us:

- To grow in Grace
- To face our Fears
- To live in Love

Have a blessed Holy Week.

Fr. Andrew

Question for Children: Name one thing that you will do each day this week to remind you that Jesus died and rose to new life for you.

Question for Youth: We hear the story of Jesus' death each year. What did you hear differently this year? How has your faith changed in the past year?

Question for Adults: Identify and share one way that you personally "die in Christ."



SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



IT'S BEEN A YEAR!

Since the beginning of the pandemic our Society has been contacted by 955 households. Even without access to the

Catholic Charities Building for donation drop off and distribution - our dedicated volunteers have delivered items to those in need. In parentheses are the previous year's dollar values - in contrast to this past year. Clothing \$3500 (\$16,000), Household goods \$1600 (\$8000) and food \$3500 (\$9500).

We are in particular need of tents, sleeping bags and camping equipment for those who are homeless.

If you are in need of any of these items, or have items to donate please leave a message for us at **715-398-4039**. Monetary donations can be mailed to: SVDP 1416 Cumming Ave. 54880.

RESPECT LIFE

RESPECT LIFE - RESOURCE OF THE WEEK WIC – WOMEN, INFANTS, CHILDREN 715-394-2750 northwest-csa.org

Providing food and resources to eligible pregnant & postpartum women, infants & children up to age 5.

- Supplemental nutritious foods
- Nutrition & breastfeeding information
- Referrals to other health & nutrition services

- Breastfeeding peer counseling
- Farmers Market Vouchers

For information about other resources: check out superiormoms.com

RCIA



Adults are drawn to the Catholic Church for many reasons and in many ways. They come to the Church with varying levels of knowledge and understanding but the one constant is that each has many questions. RCIA – the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults - is the process that allows adults to explore Catholicism, increase their understanding and get answers to their questions in an environment that is

welcoming and responsive.

All RCIA meetings will be held virtually. If you are interested in participating – or know someone who is – please contact **Kathy Drinkwine** at <u>Kathy.RCIA@gmail.com</u> or at **715-394-3005.** If there is no answer, please be sure to leave a message.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

WEDNESDAY, March 31st Religious Education

Grades 5-11: (Virtual) – Students will log in for class from 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. (Last day of Religious Education)

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 499



The Knights of Columbus Council 499 will hold their monthly meeting at St. Anthony, Superior in the parish hall on Tuesday, April 6th with a Rosary at 6:30 p.m. and a business

meeting to follow at 7:00. Everyone is invited. Social distancing policy will be followed.

Knights of Columbus, Superior Council 499 will hold a Pasty Sale on Friday and Saturday, April 16th & 17th. The cost is \$4.00 for a 12 oz. pasty (filling: beef, potatoes, carrots, onions & rutabagas). Pasties will be available for pick-up between 12:00 Noon & 4:00 p.m. on Friday and 12:00 Noon & 2:00 p.m. on Saturday at St. Anthony Church in Superior. Pasties will be sold on a first come basis for those who did not preorder starting at 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. On-line orders will be accepted through Sunday, April 11th, by going to www.superiorcatholics.org After that point in time orders can be made only by calling as follows: Darryl at 218-349-9165, Tom at 715-392-2061, or AI at 715-364-2664. Leave a message if you get no answer.

SCRIP IS AVAILABLE



Scrip is available for Gas at Holiday, Krist and Kwik Trip. We also have Scrip available for Eddie's Supper Club, Grizzly's and VIP. If you would like to purchase Scrip for any of these, please contact Tom Lozon at the 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass or contact the parish office.

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS

CA HEDRAL SCHOOL

<u>Cathedral School Registration K – 8th</u> <u>grade.</u> Registration has begun for the 2021 – 2022 school year. If you or

someone you know is interested in enrolling or receiving registration information, please contact the school at **715-392-2976**. Some classes fill quickly. Please be sure to register early to guarantee your child's spot.

Cathedral Preschool registration is open!! Preschool runs five days a week for three hours a day and is a free program. This is an early education option for all families in the Superior School District. Cathedral Preschool's SCP session time runs from 8 – 11 a.m. Many parents register for both SCP and Cathedral Preschool in order for their children to attend school for a full day. The classes fill on a first come first serve basis. Cathedral Preschool offers a 3 and 4-yearold program. Cathedral School is also a site for Superior Community Preschool.

If you have any questions regarding any of our programs, or to register for Cathedral Preschool 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**.

† STATIONS OF THE CROSS **†**

There will be no Stations of the Cross held at St. Anthony – Superior on Good Friday!!

CLUSTER NEWS

THE PROCESSION OF GIFTS FOR THE POOR ON HOLY THURSDAY

The liturgy of the Lord's Last Supper on Holy Thursday evening has a focus on service, which will include a procession of gifts of food and money for the poor. This is our assembly's gift of service to others this night. For these reasons, we will make a procession of our gifts to the sanctuary before the altar and place them in baskets provided. These gifts will go to St. Vincent de Paul, and the Rice Bowls go to Catholic Relief Services.

~ <u>SAVE THE DATE!</u> ~ <u>CATHEDRAL'S</u> 58th ANNUAL CHICKEN DINNER

Mark your calendar to save the date for Cathedral's Annual Chicken Dinner Sunday, April 25, 2021 ~ 11:30 AM to 4:30 PM <u>TAKE-OUTS ONLY</u> Chicken, mashed potatoes & gravy, corn, coleslaw, Cranberries, dinner roll, & dessert Adults: \$10.00 Children 12 & under: \$5.00 Payable at the door

ONLINE GIVING

So many of us are paying bills and shopping online these days. Now all parishioners can give to the Sunday offering, donate to events and our favorite causes, and to Holy Days online. The benefits of giving online are many:

- Sustainable No need to remember mailing the envelope when you are traveling.
- Easy Attending Mass at another parish? Your donation still gets credited to your parish.
- Flexible Give once or set a recurring gift.
- Use either your checking account or credit card.
- Recorded in your End of Year statement which is mailed out in January.

If you would like to start electronic giving, please go to the myParish app and click Giving or to www.superiorcatholics.org and click the Giving button.

SDCCW Mary Jane Morancyk Hennessy Scholarships

The Superior Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will award four (4) \$500 scholarships to women **completing their second year of post high school education or continuing their education** for career advancement, or returning to the work field.

Applications may be obtained by contacting the SDCCW Scholarship Committee, Mary Werner, W5490 County Road O, Medford WI 54451 – Telephone **715-748-4709**, email werner@tds.net.

The Committee will notify the winners by phone or email. Applications will be accepted starting February 1st and postmarked no later than April 30th.

OTHER NEWS

ROAST BEEF DINNER – TODAY

St. Francis Xavier Church will be having its Annual Roast Beef Dinner on Sunday, March 28th, from 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. **Take-out only.** The meal will include Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Coleslaw, Dinner Roll and Dessert. Cost of the meal is \$10. Hope to see you!



So they brought the colt to Jesus and put their cloaks over it. And he sat on it. Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut from the fields.

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TAKE-OUT FISH DINNER

Each year during Lent our parish community holds seven Weekly Friday – Fish Dinners to assist in paying our Cathedral School Assessment. Much time and effort goes into this event. This year, due to the Coronavirus pandemic the meals will be Take-out only with some minor changes to the menu.

Not all of our parishioners are able to contribute time to assist in making this event possible. If you would like to "sponsor" an item, or part of an item needed for the dinner, please contact the parish office or place your contribution in the collection basket at the weekend mass, marked "Fish Dinner".

The following items will be used throughout the duration of these events. Prices reflect approximate total cost of each item used.

Item	Cost	Donor
Fish	\$2,695	Anonymous \$2,430 Anita McFarlane \$100 Dorothy Scott \$100 Adele Archambault \$100 Chuck & Barb Tomczak \$100 Tom & Phyllis Flaherty \$100 Tom & Pat Lozon \$100 Ron & Liz Gaynor \$100 Barb VanHolbeck \$100
Potato Baker	\$210	Carol Zowin \$210
Butter Blend	\$62	Don & Barb Hapy \$50
Butter Pats	\$210	Betty Heytens \$100
Pickled Beets	\$184	Mike & Karen Kraft \$184
Vegetable	\$545	
Coleslaw	\$520	
Tartar sauce	\$200	Jane Moe \$200
Sour Cream	\$110	Sandy Gunski \$110
Plates To-Go	\$252	Ken Jones Family \$100
To-Go Dssrt.	\$140	Jerry & Brenda Wiisanen \$140
Foil Wraps	\$60	Keith Zowin/Danielle Ruedy \$75
Seasoning	\$88	Butch & Cheryl Liebaert \$88
Buns	\$490	

If you would like to assist us in the setup and/or the preparing of our Friday Fish dinners or preparing desserts during this Lenten season please see Liz or Delores after Mass and sign up on the sheets located in the entrance of our church.

FISH DINNERS SERVED

Week One: – 199 Adults. 3 Students and 39 Deliveries. Week Two: - 172 Adults, 12 Students and 24 Deliveries. Week Three: - 157 Adults, 2 Students and 18 Deliveries. Week Four: – 152 Adults, 3 Students and 7 Deliveries. Week Five: - 140 Adults, 2 Students and 9 Deliveries.



Please visit our Superior Cluster website at: https://superiorcatholics.org

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Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion



As we celebrate Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion, we are reminded that Lent is coming to close and the Resurrection is nearing. In one week, we will celebrate Easter Sunday. Pray that the Lord allow you to accompany him serenely during these Easter mysteries and you may emerge from them renewed in faith, hope and charity.

Meet Me in the Desert

Lord of Lent, Lord of Easter, As you went into the desert So do I follow Putting aside that which distracts me Grabs at me Falsely claims me. To search inside To confront myself My best, my worst My good works and my sins.

And each time, I find you there To call to me again With words of challenge and words of mercy.

And as I fall to my knees, in prayer, in fasting In sacrifice and penitence Somehow, you have it in yourself to reach out and gently lift me To renew me To claim me as nothing of this world can claim me.

Meet me in the desert, Lord. Claim me anew. **Amen.**

The Easter Triduum

The summit of the Liturgical Year is the Easter Triduum–from the evening of Holy Thursday to the evening of Easter Sunday. Though chronologically three days, they are liturgically one day unfolding for us the unity of Christ's Paschal Mystery.

The single celebration of the Triduum marks the end of the Lenten season, and leads to the Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord at the Easter Vigil.

Holy Thursday–April 1, 2021 Good Friday–April 2, 2021 Easter Sunday–April 4, 2021

Mass of the Lord's Supper Good Friday of the Lord's Passion Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord



