

# MARCH 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2024 3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

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Call Fr. Andrew at 715-392-8511



## DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

**TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 2024**

8:30 A.M. – Joe Krieg-M  
Anonymous

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 2024**

8:30 A.M. – Betty Peterson-M  
Luz Lao

**THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 2024**

8:30 A.M. – Brian Tokar-M  
Mark & Kay Sitek

**FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 2024**

8:30 A.M. – Dolores Peterson-M  
Muriel Freeman

## WEEKEND INTENTIONS

**SATURDAY, MARCH 9, 2024**

4:00 P.M. – The Spiritual & Temporal Welfare  
of Cathedral Parishioners

**SUNDAY, MARCH 10, 2024**

7:30 A.M. – Ronald Roubal-M  
His Family

10:30 A.M. – Greg Carlson-M  
Mom & Dad

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**THE SANCTUARY CANDLE for the week of Mar. 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Will burn for the Well-being and Safe Travel of Katie Hughes  
By: Grandpa & Grandma

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**VOCATIONS...** Do we demand signs or do we hear the  
Lord speaking to our heart? (1 Corinthians 1:22-25)

### Cathedral Church Calendar

Sun. Mar. 3 – 12:00-3:00pm First Communion Retreat

Mon. Mar. 4 – 6:30pm Prayer Group Meeting KH

Wed. Mar. 6 – 5:30-6:30pm Religious Ed. Gr. K-6  
– 7:00-8:00pm Religious Ed. Gr. 7-11

Thurs. Mar. 7 – 1:00-3:00pm Adoration  
– 5:00pm Holy Hour  
– 6:00pm Soup Supper  
– 6:30pm RCIA in KH

Sat/Sun. Mar. 9/10 – World Concern Collection

Sun. **Mar. 10 – Daylight Savings Time Begins**

### PRAYER MINISTRY –

There are people in the parish willing to share  
your needs and prayers. Please call Mary Jo  
**218-341-2606** if you or a loved one is in need.



**Notice: MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION, READERS, SERVERS, USHERS and GREETERS...** We will be scheduling for the **months of May, June and July.** If you know of dates you cannot volunteer please call the parish office (715-392-8511) no later than Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup>. Thank you!

## LITURGICAL ROLES for March 9 & 10

### READERS:

4:00 Eric Williams & Ryan Bayless

7:30 Greg Leszczynski & Jim Paine

10:30 Anne Sims & Kent Phillips



### EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

4:00 Anna Marie Olsen (F) & James Johnson (B)

**Need 2 Ministers for Communion Cup**

7:30 Louise Pope (F) & Joe Perfetti (B)

**Need 2 Ministers for Communion Cup**

10:30 Kent Phillips (F) & Erica Milliken (B)

**Cup: Bonnie Thom & Tim Thom**



### SERVERS:

4:00

7:30

10:30 Lily & Lauren Milliken



### USHERS:

4:00 Eric Williams (Lead)

Irene Peterson

Need 2

7:30 Bob Ahlborg (Lead)

Jim Crawford

Bruce Haraldson

Kevin Peterson

10:30 Walt Tafelski (Lead)

John Berchild

Sandy & Tom Henning



### GREETERS:

4:00

7:30 Robyn Deshayes

10:30 Erica, Lauren & Lily Milliken



## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

"You shall not covet" is perhaps a difficult commandment to keep in our consumer society. But as Christian stewards, we know that we are the recipients and caretakers of God's many gifts. May this understanding that *all* is gift help us be less resentful of the gifts of others.

	<b>Feb. 24/25</b>	<b>Last Year</b>
<b>Envelopes:</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>102</b>
<b>Collection:</b>	\$4,644.75	\$4,330.00
<b>On-Line Giving (42)</b>	\$2,616.50	\$2,801.00
<b>Loose:</b>	\$ 658.03	\$ 294.00



*Thank you for your generosity!*

## FROM THE RECTOR'S DESK

### MASSSES AT ST. MARY HOSPITAL SUPERIOR

Masses are celebrated at St. Mary's Hospital, Superior, on Wednesdays at 11:15 A.M.

**Help needed:** filling and boxing oil bottles for the 2024 Chrism Mass

~Tuesday, March 12, immediately following the morning Mass in Kress Hall

~Luncheon served.

~All past and future helpers invited to take part.



## WEEKLY MEDITATION

Here are some of the main themes that we find in the Mass readings for the 3rd Sunday of Lent.

### 1st Reading - Exodus 20:1-17

- The Ten Commandments are a central part of Jewish and Christian teaching, and they have shaped faith and culture in countless ways.

### Psalm - 19:8-11

- "Lord, you have the words of everlasting life."
- God's laws, decrees, precepts, commands, and ordinances bring joy, wisdom, and truth.

### 2nd Reading - 1st Corinthians 1:22-25

- We proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to many, but to those who are called, the wisdom of God.
- God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom; God's weakness is stronger than human strength.

### Gospel - John 2:13-25

- Jesus drives out of the temple area the money changers and the people who sold animals for sacrifice.
- He responds to their question for a sign, saying, "Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up."
- The disciples will remember these words after the Lord was raised from the dead.

Fr. Andrew



**Question for Children:** Share one way in which you "honor your father and mother."

**Question for Youth:** Jesus was angry – as we all get at times. When is your anger a good thing? When is it not?

**Question for Adults:** As you hear the Commandments proclaimed today, which one of them really strikes you?

### Readings for the week of March 3, 2024

Sunday:	Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/1 Cor 1:22-25/ Jn 2:13-25 <i>Scrutiny:</i> Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8 Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42
Monday:	2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Ps 42:2,3;43:3,4/Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday:	Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 Mt 18:21-35
Wednesday:	Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20 Mt 5:17-19
Thursday:	Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 11:14-23
Friday:	Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17/Mk 12:28-34
Saturday:	Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab Lk 18:9-14
Next Sunday:	2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6, (6ab)/Eph 2:4-10/Jn 3:14-21 <i>Scrutiny:</i> 1 Sm 16:1b,6-7,10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

## CATHEDRAL NEWS




### PRAYER GROUP MEETING

Monday, March 4<sup>th</sup>

6:30 PM – Cathedral Kress Hall

All are welcome!

**Bible Study** - Immediately following the 8:30am daily Mass on Thursday mornings at the Cathedral, we will gather in Room 2 in Kress Hall for about one hour of time to read, discuss, and prepare our hearts for the upcoming Sunday Gospel. 

### CATHEDRAL YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSALS:

Sunday, March 3, 9:30am

Sunday, April 7, 9:30am

Sunday, May 5, 9:30am



### The 2023-2024 Cathedral Book Club

We meet on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in the Cathedral Parish Office. All are welcome to attend.

March 13<sup>th</sup> - The Book of Esther-The Bible

April 10<sup>th</sup> - The Measure-Nikki Erlick

May 8<sup>th</sup> - Sunflower Sisters-Martha Hall Kelly



## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

### FASTING

Fasting makes sense if it questions our security, and if it also leads to some benefit for others, if it helps us to cultivate the style of the Good Samaritan who bends down to his brother in need and takes care of him. Fasting helps us to attune our hearts to the essential and to sharing. It is a sign of awareness and responsibility in the face of injustice and abuse, especially to the poor and the little ones, and it is a sign of the trust we place in God and in His Providence - Pope Francis

Mark your calendars for our 23rd Anniversary Free Community Breakfast on Sunday, April 7th from 8:30-1pm in Kress Hall at the Cathedral. Come celebrate with us! Join us for music, a silent auction, door prizes and great food and fellowship! 715-398-4039.



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>  
in Kress Hall

5:30-6:30pm for grades K-6 and  
7:00-8:00pm for grades 7-11

## CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS



**Cathedral School registration** for the 2024-2025 school year began on February 1st, for Preschool through 8th grade. **Cathedral School** continues our tradition of **3 year-old and 4 year-old Preschool**. Preschool classes are 5 days a week with half-day or full day options available. Before and after school care is available for Preschool students through our Extended Care program. To schedule a tour please contact us at 715.392.2976.

### Read a thon:

Cathedral School will be running a 2024 Reading Raiser from **March 4 - 22, 2024**

A Reading-Raiser is like a jog-a-thon, except your students will be reading books instead of running laps, and earning pledges based on how much they read.



To become a sponsor please visit our read a thon website: [https://app.readafun.com/school\\_orgs/cathedral-school-529?open\\_public\\_donation=true](https://app.readafun.com/school_orgs/cathedral-school-529?open_public_donation=true)

## YOUTH GROUP

**Bagging Groceries** - kids going to Extreme Faith Camp are invited to sign up for one of the shifts March 22 & 23, 2024 to help raise funds covering the cost of camp this June. Our **Parishioners** are also invited to stop by and have their groceries bagged by the Youth Group for support!

- Super One (East End)
  - Friday, March 22, 4pm - 7pm
  - Saturday, March 23, 10am - 1pm
  - Saturday, March 23, 1pm - 4pm

**Volunteer Opportunities - for all Youth Group/Religious Ed Students** - have a volunteer opportunity? Please send it to Virginia to promote with our Youth programs!

Lent - February 16 - March 29, 2024

- Fish Fry, St Anthony-Superior, every Friday night 4pm - clean up (any hours available)

April

- St. Vincent de Paul Community Pancake Breakfast, Kress Hall, April 7, 11:30am until done for help cleaning up.
- Annual Chicken Dinner, Kress Hall, April 28, 11:30am - 3:30pm

May

- Knights of Columbus #499 Pasty Sale, St Anthony - Superior, May 3-4 - 9am-4pm

SCYG provides **dinner to Religious Ed** classes every **THIRD Wednesday of the month**. Please check the **updated Event Calendar** at [superiorcatholics.org](http://superiorcatholics.org). To RSVP to any events or if you have any questions about our Youth Group, please contact Virginia Kovaleski at 952.300.1671 or [virginiak@superiorcatholics.org](mailto:virginiak@superiorcatholics.org).

## CLUSTER NEWS



### CHRISM MASS

**TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 2024 - 12:00 NOON**

You are invited to join in the celebration of the Mass of Chrism here at Cathedral on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup> 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 we at Cathedral are privileged to act as hosts. We hope that many of you will be able to attend and extend a warm "Cathedral" welcome to visitors from throughout the diocese. There will be a luncheon served immediately following in Kress Hall. **If you plan to attend the luncheon, we ask that you purchase your ticket in advance at the Parish Office. The cost of the ticket is \$15.00.** Reservations for the luncheon are required, as the caterer will need an accurate count for food preparation. **Deadline to purchase your ticket is Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

### Catholic Daughters (CDA) Meeting:

Monday, March 11, 2024 - 11:30 am



**Holy Assumption Church** - 5601 Tower Ave. Room 102. This will be our Lenten reflection. A light lunch will be served.

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR CLUSTER:

Cathedral – every Thursday from 1-3pm  
St. Anthony, L.N – every Thursday from 9-10am  
St. William – 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday from 5:30-6pm  
Holy Assumption – 1<sup>st</sup> Friday from 7:30-8:00am  
St. Anthony, Sup. – 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday from 8-8:30am



### LENTEN HOLY HOUR AT CATHEDRAL

**Every Thursday February 15<sup>th</sup> – March 21<sup>st</sup>**

Live and Livestreamed from 5:00-6:00pm:

- \*Stations of the Cross
- \*Presentation: 6 part series "How do I share my faith with others?"
- \*Soup Supper to follow in the Parish Hall

### A LENTEN SPIRITUAL EXPERIENCE

Each Friday during the Lenten Season at St. Anthony Church 4315 E 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Superior, Fr. Anthoni will conduct a Lenten experience in the upper church during our Annual Fish Dinners.

Date	Experience
1 <sup>st</sup> Friday of Lent Feb. 16 <sup>th</sup>	Rope
2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday of Lent Feb. 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Crown of Thorns
3 <sup>rd</sup> Friday of Lent Mar. 1 <sup>st</sup>	Cross
4 <sup>th</sup> Friday of Lent Mar. 8 <sup>th</sup>	Veronica's cloth
5 <sup>th</sup> Friday of Lent Mar. 15 <sup>th</sup>	Nails
6 <sup>th</sup> Friday of Lent Mar. 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Spear
Good Friday Mar. 29 <sup>th</sup>	Silent veneration of the cross – Last seven words and confession.

## STATIONS

OF THE  
*Cross*

ST. ANTHONY, SUPERIOR

WITH

*Fr. Anthony*

FRIDAYS DURING THE FISH DINNER

Pray the stations of the cross holding an item that brings  
to mind Jesus' suffering; receive a blessing from Fr.  
Anthony.

### LENTEN FISH FRY

St. Anthony Church, 4315 E. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street in Superior, will be serving our Annual Lenten Fish Dinner each Friday during Lent starting February 16<sup>th</sup> and continuing through March 29<sup>th</sup> from 4:00 – 6:30 p.m. The dinner will be dine-in or take-out.



Meal includes: Fried or Baked Fish, Mashed or Baked Potato, Coleslaw, Vegetable, Pickled Beets, Roll, and Dessert (Beverage for dine-in). Adults – \$13.00, Students (12 and under) – \$6.00 and Preschool – Free.

We are handicapped accessible. Local deliveries will be available by calling **715-398-3261** Monday through Thursday each week. If there is no answer, please leave a message including name, address and phone number.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 499 SCHOLARSHIP

The Knights of Columbus Council 499 in Superior is now offering a post-secondary scholarship to all Superior and Northwestern High School seniors. There will be a \$500 scholarship given to one student in each school. The application forms are available at all local parishes and at Northwestern High School. The deadline to apply is April 28, 2024.

### OTHER NEWS

#### SDCCW Mary Jane Morancyk Hennessy Scholarships

The Superior Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will award four (4) \$1000 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](mailto:werner@tds.net).

Applications are available from the SDCCW website: <https://sdccw-wisconsin.weebly.com>

The Committee will notify the winners by phone or email. Applications will be accepted starting February 1<sup>st</sup> and postmarked no later than April 15<sup>th</sup>.

# Totus Tuus is back!

Save the Date:

June 9-14, 2024  
Cathedral of Christ the King

**WE'RE LOOKING FOR  
VOLUNTEERS!**

For more information contact:

Jessica Pearson  
[jessicapearson@superiorcatholics.org](mailto:jessicapearson@superiorcatholics.org)  
715-817-0333

What's Totus Tuus? ———→



[catholicdoos.org/totus-tuus](http://catholicdoos.org/totus-tuus)



## DIOCESE OF SUPERIOR

### OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

March 2024

Beloved Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As we journey through the sacred season of Lent, a divine gift that readies our hearts for the glorious resurrection of Jesus, it is truly inspiring to witness the transformative work of the Lord within us and through us as we approach Easter. In the Diocese of Superior, many faithful followers of Christ are contemplating contributing to the World Concern Collection on the fourth weekend of Lent, scheduled for March 10, 2024. Your benevolence and fervent prayers will play a pivotal role in extending crucial relief services wherever they are most needed across the globe, including regions like Ukraine. Additionally, your support will fund various special initiatives aimed at fostering goodwill and alleviating suffering.

For those blessed with the guidance of more than 25 **International Priests** in their parishes, rest assured that 100% of your parish's proceeds from the World Collection will be forwarded to the home Diocese of the international priest serving your community.

The **Collection to Aid the Catholic Church in Eastern Europe**, endorsed by the U.S. Bishops as a vital fund, serves as a beacon of hope and humanitarian assistance in response to the ongoing war in Ukraine. It also empowers the Church to reconstruct parishes, schools, seminaries, and impart religious education to the laity.

The **Catholic Relief Services Collection** stands as a pillar of support, delivering expertise, aid, and compassion to the most impoverished nations worldwide. As a front-runner in responding to crises, Catholic Relief Services continues to play a pivotal role in disaster relief efforts.

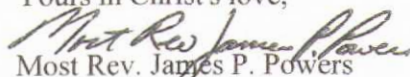
The **Church in Latin America** extends its helping hand to a continent grappling with poverty, injustice, and economic-political turmoil.

The **Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa** sponsors a multitude of essential pastoral programs that bolster the rapidly growing Church in the region. These programs include aid for Catholic schools, facilitating vocational training, education, and employment.

Contributions to the Collection for the **Holy Father (Peters Pence)** empower the Pope to respond to direct appeals for vital assistance.

As we traverse this sacred season of Lent, please accept my warmest personal regards and the assurance of continued prayers.

Yours in Christ's love,

  
Most Rev. James P. Powers  
Bishop of Superior

Please Join Us for a Lenten Retreat

# **“Walking with the Lord through Holy Week”**

Saturday, March 16, 2024

9:30 AM – 5:30 PM

St. Anthony Catholic Church

11648 E County Road B

Lake Nebagamon, Wisconsin 54849

This one-day retreat will explore the central themes of the Sacred Triduum, the three days that celebrate the heart of the Christian message surrounding the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. This is a great way to get ready and prepare for Holy Week. It will be led by Father Andrew Ricci.

Suggested Donation is \$25

(Please make checks Payable to St. Anthony- LN)

## **Schedule**

- 9:00am Doors Open
- 9:30am Palm Sunday – Setting the Stage
- 10:45am Holy Thursday
- Noon Lunch
- 12:45pm Adoration & Reconciliation
- 1:45pm Good Friday
- 3:00pm Easter Vigil
- 4:30pm Mass
- 5:30pm Departure



Please register, by leaving your name and phone number at the Cathedral Parish Office (715)392-8511, by Wednesday, March 13<sup>th</sup>.



# Dine-in or Take-out Lenten Fish Dinner

Each Friday during Lent,  
February 16<sup>th</sup> through March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Serving from 4:00 — 6:30 p.m.

**St. Anthony Catholic Church**  
**4315 E. 3rd. St. Superior, WI**

*Handicapped accessible. Local deliveries are available by calling  
715-398-3261 Monday through Thursday. If no answer please leave a  
message, including name, address and phone number.  
Take-out orders will be available downstairs in the Parish Hall.*

## Menu

Fried or Baked Fish,  
Mashed or Baked Potato,  
Cole Slaw, Vegetable,  
Pickled Beets, Roll, Dessert,  
and Beverage.

## Cost

Adults \$13.00  
Students (12 & under) \$6.00  
Pre-school (5 & under) Free



Serving great  
Lenten  
Fish Dinners  
since 1991



**Christ the King Council 16691  
Superior WI  
Knights of Columbus**

**40 Cans for Lent 2024**

Our Christ the King Council 16691 of the Knights of Columbus is again helping the St. Vincent de Paul food shelf with this year's 40 Cans for Lent. Can you help us? As much as you are able, please consider 40 cans (or boxes or packages) for Lent. Here is a list of items requested by our St. Vincent de Paul food shelf for the 2024 Cathedral collection. Their needs are very great this year. This list is somewhat different than last year's list.

***Please do not purchase or donate items in glass jars, as they could break and cause a big mess. Plastic jars (such as plastic peanut butter jars) are fine. Please do not provide fresh foods (such as bread and fresh vegetables and fruits) and items requiring refrigeration, and please do not donate expired or opened items. PLEASE: The Food Shelf does not need canned vegetables and canned beans. Thank you!***

Donations can be brought to Cathedral between now and Holy Thursday. We anticipate that items will be on display on the steps to the stage in Kress Hall. **THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS DONATION! VIVAT JESUS!**

**Breakfast Foods**

- Cereal
- Pancake Mix and syrup

**Fruit**

- Canned fruit

**Beverages**

- Coffee
- Hot Cocoa Packages
- Juice boxes
- Powdered milk
- Shelf stable milk

**Ready-to-Eat Foods**

- Cheese and Crackers
- Crackers (all kinds)
- Healthy Bars (such as granola or cereal bars)
- Jell-O or pudding cups

**Miscellaneous**

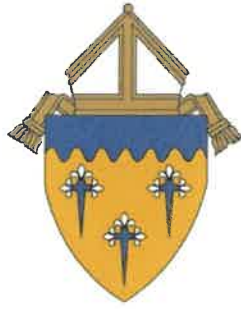
- Easy Snacks for kids

**Easy Meals in a Box or a Can and Protein**

- Beef Ravioli
- Beef stew
- Canned meats (chicken, ham, salmon, Spam, tuna)
- Chili (Hormel with pop-top lids)
- Chili in a Bag
- Hearty Soups (not creamed soups) chunky, hearty (such as Progresso, etc.)
- Peanut Butter (and Jelly!)
- Spaghetti and meatballs
- Spaghetti-O's

**Carbohydrates**

- Instant potatoes
- Macaroni and Cheese bowls
- Ramen Noodles
- Rice
- Scalloped Potatoes
- Spaghetti Sauce
- Stove Top Stuffing



## **DIOCESE OF SUPERIOR**

### **INVITATION TO THE MASS OF CHRISM**

To the Faithful of the Diocese of Superior

As Diocesan Bishop, I cordially invite you  
to join me and the entire presbyterate  
in the blessing of the Oil of Catechumens,  
in the blessing of the Oil of the Sick,  
and in the consecration of Chrism  
at the celebration of the MASS OF CHRISM  
on Tuesday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March 2024, at 12:00 noon,  
at Cathedral of Christ the King, Superior, Wisconsin.

If you cannot be present for this celebration,  
I invite you to be with us in prayer as we bless  
these Oils and pray for those who will receive them.

Most Reverend James P. Powers  
Bishop of Superior