

St. William

September 22, 2024

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Saturday, September 21st 6:00 pm

+Paula Hughes
by Joannie Thompson

Saturday, September 28th 6:00 pm

+Teresa Flood
by Mary Jo Card



Weekly Contributions September 14, 2024

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| Envelopes..... | \$ 455.00 |
| Loose..... | \$.00 |
| Online Giving..... | \$ 160.00 |

Thank you to all of our parishioners who continue to support our parish at Mass, on Line, or by Mail.



Liturgical Ministers

Saturday, September 28th 6:00 pm

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| Wine | Lucy Nielsen |
| | Amy Hockenbrock |
| Reader | Diane O'Connell |

Pray for Their Health and Welfare

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| Fr. Ron Olson | Mary Kunz | Maryann Grymala |
| Krista Hudacek Lambert | | Wendy Johnson |
| Carolyn Ward | Carl Schultz | Julia Dalbec |
| Erma Harty | Chris Litchke | |

Pray for Those in the Armed Services

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| Nathaniel Grymala | Joe Austin |
| Nathan Blair | Brandon Anderson |



Please join us for Eucharistic Adoration the first Saturday of each month at 5:30 pm before the 6:00 pm Mass.

THANK YOU

Thank you to all the volunteers that helped make the Ham and M... Dinner a huge success. Without your help, none of this would have been possible. A special thank you to all those who donated items and, of course, to all those who attended our dinner.

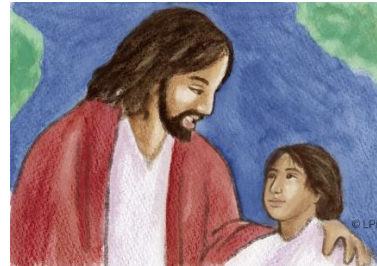
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<https://superiorcatholics.org>



The Lord upholds my life.

-Psalm 54

Kisa Lasagna Dinner
Holy Assumption
Saturday, October 12th
4:30 - 7:00 pm



Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Taking a child, he placed it in their midst, and putting his arms around it, he said to them, "Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me; and whoever receives me, receives not me but the One who sent me." - Mk 9:36-37

ST. WILLIAM PASTY SALE



Pasties are available to purchase after Mass each Saturday or call Amy at 218-590-7354 to place your order. They are \$5 each.

St. William 2025
CSA Goal: \$5948.18
United in the Eucharist
Empowered for Mission



WEEKLY MEDITATION

Let's examine some of the themes we find in the Mass readings for the 25th Sunday of the Year.

1st Reading - Wisdom 2:12,17-20

- The just person is beset by the wicked, who threaten revilement and torture to test for patience and gentleness.
- The wicked will condemn the just person to death, to see if God will offer care and protection.

Psalm - 54:3-8

- "The Lord upholds my life."
- In the face of oppression and attack, we call upon the Lord for help and defense.

2nd Reading - James 3:16-4:3

- War and conflict arises from the passions and desires within us.
- Wisdom and peace arise from what is above, fostering virtue and fruitfulness.

Gospel - Mark 9:30-37

- Jesus offers the second prophecy of his passion.
- After hearing how the disciples were arguing about who was the greatest, Jesus places a child in their midst and speaks about becoming the servant of all.

Fr. Andrew

Question for Children: What are some specific ways in which you can serve your friends or family members?

Question for Youth: Sometimes, when we strive to be first or be the one that wins, we hurt others. When has striving to be first hurt others? What can you do differently in the future to help others to succeed?

Question for Adults: Is the role of being a servant for others easy or difficult for you to embrace?

Readings for the week of September 22, 2024

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| Sunday: | Wis 2:12, 17-20/Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 (6b) Jas 3:16—4:3/Mk 9:30-37 |
| Monday: | Prv 3:27-34/Ps 15:2-3a,3bc-4ab,5/Lk 8:16-18 |
| Tuesday: | Prv 21:1-6, 10-13/Ps 119:1,27,30, 34, 35, 44 Lk 8:19-21 |
| Wednesday: | Prv 30:5-9/Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163 Lk 9:1-6 |
| Thursday: | Eccl 1:2-11/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b Lk 9:7-9 |
| Friday: | Eccl 3:1-11/Ps 144:1b and 2abc, 3-4 Lk 9:18-22 |
| Saturday: | Eccl 11:9-12:8/Ps 90:3-4,5-6,12-13,14and17 Lk 9:43b-45 |
| Next Sunday: | Nm 11:25-29/Ps 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14 (9a) Jas 5:1-6/Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48 |



Cathedral School Blue Mass
Wednesday, September 25th
8:30 am.



SAVE THE DATE!!! The Kisa Lasagna Dinner

The Kisa group will be offering the tasty, tangy, (including sauerkraut) wonderful lasagnas at **Holy Assumption** on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12th
from **4:30-7:00 pm.**

**VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED**

Sign up sheets are located at the entrances of the church. Hope we can make this the best dinner yet. "Free will offerings to be used for our mission orphans and projects." If you have any questions please call Deacon Bob at 715-919-0042.

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

The 2024/25 Catholic Services Appeal is underway in our parishes. The Appeal is an opportunity for us, as a faith family, to join together to do the work of the Lord. All families are encouraged to support the Catholic Services Appeal. By giving to the Catholic Services Appeal, you are answering God's call to discipleship to put the work of God before your own needs. The Church serves each of us in some way and our financial support is needed to continue God's work in our area. In addition, every dollar contributed to the Appeal assists our parish in offsetting our yearly fair share of diocesan financial responsibility to our Diocesan Church. This year,

Online Giving to the Catholic Services Appeal provides donors with a secure and easy way to make a gift to the Catholic Services Appeal. Please go to catholicdos.org to make your

CATHEDRAL NEWS

CATHOLIC MEN'S GROUP MEETING

The Catholic Men's Group will meet on Monday, September 23 at 7:00pm in Kress Hall. We invite men to join us for Catholic fellowship and discussion as Brett Jones presents on the precepts of the church.

POLKA MASS

September 28, 2024
4:00 Mass, Cathedral of Christ the King
Dance to follow in Kress Hall
Celebrate fall with this great family-friendly event featuring the Osacho Sisters!

PRAYER GROUP MEETING

Monday, October 7th
6:30 PM Cathedral Kress Hall
All are welcome!



Any questions please call Anna Marie ~ 715-392-1673

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.

BOOK CLUB

The Cathedral Book Club is open to all interested readers in our area, regardless of which parish you call home. Each month we have a lively and interesting discussion. We meet at 6:30 in the large meeting room at Cathedral Parish Office. 

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| October 9 th | Apeirogon | by Colum McCann |
| November 13 th | The Boys In The Boat | by Kevin Lang |
| December 11 th | South Of Luck | by Jim Guhl |
| January 8 th | The Women | by Kristin Hannah |
| February 12 th | Lessons In Chemistry | by Bonnie Garmus |
| April 2 nd | The Bully Pulpit | by Doris Kerns Goodwin |
| May 7 th | Left To Tell | by Immaculee Ilibagiza |

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

YOUTH'S CORNER

2024-2025 Religious Ed Program

It's time to register for Religious Ed classes! We have another exciting year planned! Scan the QR Code or use our [Google Form](#) to register found on the SuperiorCatholics.org website.

There will be a **parent's meeting** on September 25th at 5:30pm in Kress Hall for First Reconciliation/First Communion and for Confirmation families. Please reach out to Jessica Pearson 715.817.0333 for any questions or details.

Religious Ed classes are **Wednesday nights** and **start October 2nd** this year. PreK - 6th grade classes will be held from 5:30-6:30pm in Kress Hall. 7th grade - Confirmation class will be held 7-8pm in Kress Hall.

If you have any questions, please reach out to Virginia Kovaleski at 952.300.1671 or vrkovy@gmail.com. God Bless!



High School Discipleship Weekend

Looking for deeper formation? Want to spend a weekend with the Lord in Community with others? Check out this year's "**Living in the Dust of the Master**" High School Discipleship weekend November 15-17, 2024. Students of their Faith can expect:

- Formation
- Personal Prayer Time
- Outdoor Adventures
- Sacraments
- Fellowship



Please reach out to Virginia Kovaleski at 952.300.1671 or vrkovy@gmail.com to volunteer and/or register by September 30, 2024!

Extreme Faith Camp

Plans for the 2025 summer are already underway for next year's EFC week. Our cluster will go the week of

June 15 - 20, 2025. Registration is due January 1, 2025 and spaces fill quickly!

What we need...

- Male and female chaperones
- Parent(s) to help organize fundraisers. We are planning 3 fundraisers this coming year.
- Parent(s) to assume responsibilities for organizing EFC for future summers. **I will shadow this year as my final year.**

Please reach out to Virginia Kovaleski at 952.300.1671 or vrkovy@gmail.com to register & volunteer for EFC!

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS

Blue Mass Wednesday, September 25th, at 8:30 am. Cathedral School and our local Knights of Columbus will be hosting our Blue Mass to honor Law Enforcement Officers, Public Safety Personnel, Fire Fighters, EMS, and Military Veterans. After the Mass, there will be a blessing of the rigs outside. Our honorees are invited to have donuts with the school students after the blessing of the rigs.

Blessing of the Pets ~ We welcome pets of all shapes and sizes to our Blessings of the Pets, on Wednesday, October 2nd. Pets and their owners should gather on the Cathedral Steps at 8:05am for a special blessing. OR if raining it will be held in the gym. Our School Mass will follow.

Cathedral School has the following staff positions available for the 2024/2025 school year:

Hot Lunch School Aides Extended Card Aides
To apply, please send your resume to mrs.samarziya@superiorcs.org, or contact us at 715-392-2976.

PASTORAL CARE

Homebound Ministers Needed

One of the most rewarding ministries in the Catholic faith is that of serving those who are no longer able to leave their home or the facility in which they now reside. For most, this is a time of struggle – failing health, loss of independence and control, loneliness, and so often, a new, unfamiliar environment. The Church needs to stay connected with these people. Can you see yourself in this role?

Volunteers are being sought from all parishes. This includes those who would like to commit to a regular schedule *and those who would be willing to fill in as needed*. Training and ongoing guidance will be provided. Curious? Questions? Would you like to know more?

An information session will be held on Sunday, October 13 at noon in Kress Hall at Cathedral of Christ the King.

Join us to learn more about this heartfelt and essential ministry. Please let us know that you be attending by calling the Cathedral office at 715 392 8511 or Kathy Drinkwine at 715 718 1334.

RCIA

Follow Me

Two very simple words, yet so powerful that they formed the foundation of Christian discipleship. We know that Jesus spoke these words to his twelve chosen apostles. . . and he continues to speak these words to us.



Those two words can be heard in many ways. It can be a sense of being pulled somewhere or an emptiness longing to be filled. It can be wanting something greater - a need to find a true home. It can be a desire to know and embrace more.

RCIA is the process to bring adults to full communion with the Catholic Church. Locally, RCIA is available to those who have a desire to learn about Catholicism. This process serves those with no faith affiliation, those from other faith denominations, Catholics seeking to receive Eucharist and Confirmation, and fully initiated Catholics who desire to learn more about their faith. Those who choose to become fully initiated Catholics are welcomed in the glorious liturgy of Easter Vigil.

RCIA begins Thursday, November 14. It includes prayer, Gospel/Scripture study & discussion, many theological topics, how the Church is organized, many opportunities to "learn the language", and ALWAYS time for questions. And of course, it wouldn't be Catholic if it didn't include refreshments and treats.

'Superior Catholics RCIA meets on Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30, in Cathedral Kress Hall. Though sessions are planned as in-person events, they can be switched to virtual to work around inclement winter weather.

For more information, contact Kathy Drinkwine at kathyd@superiorcatholics.org or 715 718 1334.

NOTE: Interested individuals are strongly encouraged to participate in the ALPHA course as a lead-in to RCIA.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

See the Face of Christ, Be the Face of Christ
AN INVITATION TO SERVE

"If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all". Mk 9:37



We invite you to serve our neighbors in need by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Is it time for you to live out your faith and give something back for all you have received? Together we grow in spirituality and in friendship. Together we extend the love of Christ and needed assistance to our brothers and sisters. Is Christ calling you to serve?

Come join us this Tuesday September 24th in Kress Hall at the Cathedral of Christ the King from 6 to 7pm to find out more about what we do and how you might become involved.

Voicemail: 715-398-4039 Mailing Address:
SVDP P.O. Box 98, Superior, WI 54880

CLUSTER NEWS

MASSES AT ST. MARY HOSPITAL-SUPERIOR

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

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR CLUSTER:

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



PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY RALLY

You are invited to join in a Public Square Rosary Rally on October 12th at 12:00 noon on the steps of Cathedral of Christ the King Church (if raining it will be inside the Cathedral). This Public Square Rosary, sponsored by America Needs Fatima, will be one of over 22,500 rallies that will take place all across the United States on that day. Please join us in offering reparation for the sins and offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary and to fervently pray for the conversion of the United States. Will you join us and other Catholics on that very important day?

KISA LASAGNA DINNER



Saturday, October 12th ~ 4:30-7:00 pm
Holy Assumption Church



5601 Tower Ave. Superior, WI

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

HARVEST HOME ROAST BEEF DINNER



United Presbyterian Church,
229 N 28th Street E, Superior, WI



Wednesday, October 2nd ~ 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM.

Menu: Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Rutabagas, Coleslaw, Green Beans,

Bread & Butter, Pickles, Dessert, Beverage.

ADULTS-\$15; CHILDREN 5-10-\$10; (Under 5 free)

Take-outs available ~ Tickets available at the door

Franciscan Transitus Service

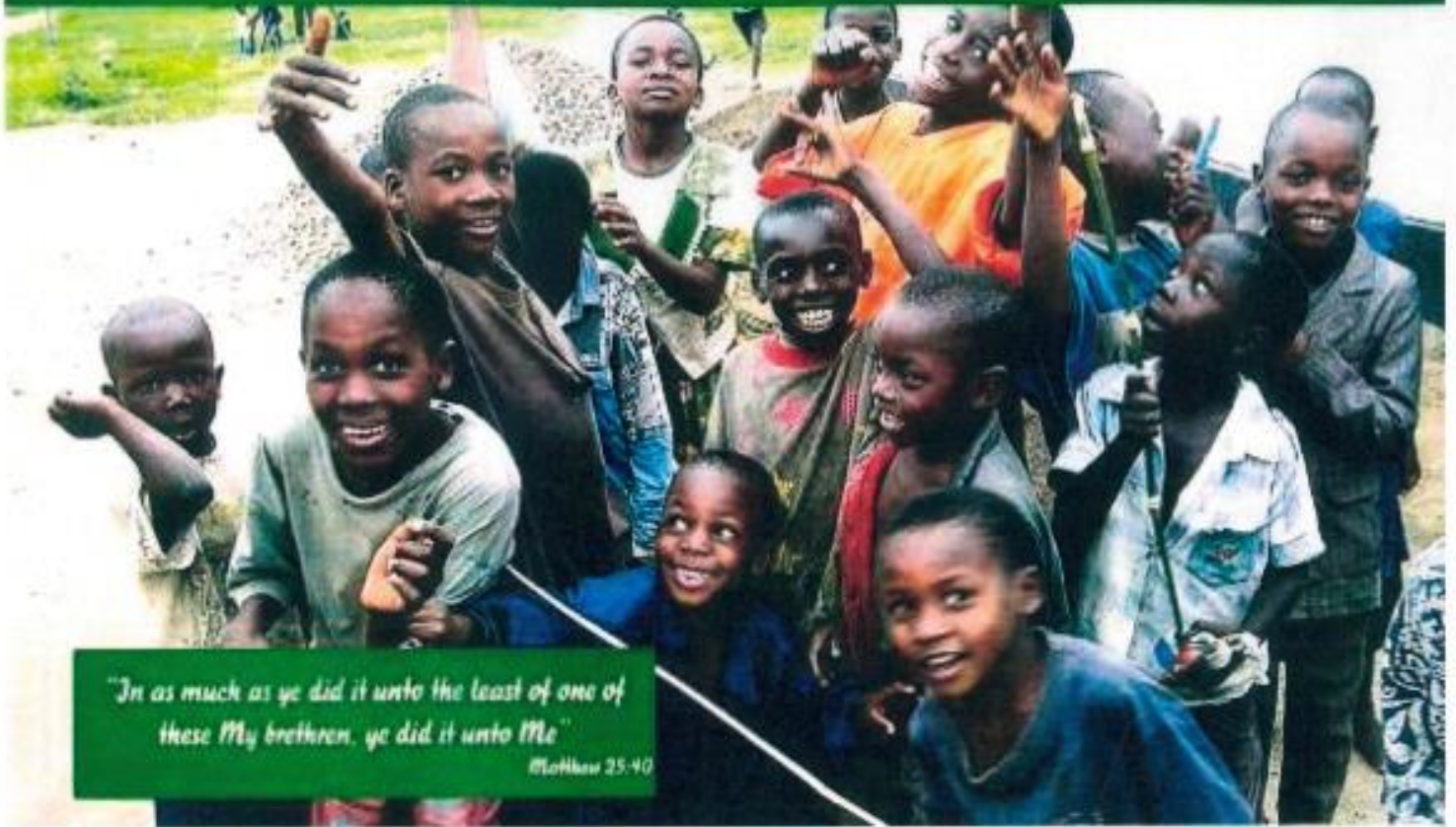
All parishioners are invited to commemorate the life and death of St. Francis of Assisi through a brief prayer service called Transitus **Thursday October 3 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Duluth Heights.** Refreshments and fellowship will follow the service. For more information contact Franz at 218-341-0049.

SENIOR MEALS AT HOLY ASSUMPTION \$5

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| Sloppy Joe Bun / Tater Tots Coleslaw 7 Layer Bar Milk & Coffee | Tue Sep 24 | Meatballs Mashed Pot / Gravy Veggie / Bread Strawberry Shortcake Milk & Coffee | Wed Sep 25 |
| Breaded Chicken Breast Mashed Pots / Gravy Veggie / Dinner Roll Pudding Cup Milk & Coffee | Thur Sep 26 | Shredded Beef Mashed Pot / Gravy Veggie / Bread Pineapple Upside Down Cake Milk & Coffee | Mon Sep 30 |



"One World - One Planet"



"In as much as ye did it unto the least of one of these My brethren, ye did it unto Me"
Matthew 25:40

Lasagna Dinner

Variety of Lasagnas

Saturday, October 12th from 4:30 - 7:00 pm

Holy Assumption Church

5601 Tower Avenue Superior, WI

Free will offering for the people of Kisa and the Diocese of Mbeya in Tanzania.

The Diocese of Superior is building relationships with Mbeya Diocese in Tanzania, East Africa.

For more information call Deacon Robert Chammings, 715-919-0042

All money donated will be used ONLY for the people of Kisa and the Diocese of Mbeya.