# St. William

**September 29, 2024** 



Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup> +Paula Hughes by Mike and Fern Gomulak



Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup> Wine

6:00 pm

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Reader

Lucy Nielsen Eric Stuart **Becky Stuart** 

### HAM DINNER FOLLOW-UP MEETING

There will be a follow-up Ham and Meatloaf Dinner meeting on Saturday October 12<sup>th</sup> after Mass. We will be discussing next years dinner and how to make it more efficient. Please let us know of any comments/suggestions you may have ahead of time if you are unable to attend the meeting. Thank you.

ST. WILLIAM'S HAM AND MEATLOAF RESULTS 2024		
SERVED:		
ADULTS	316	
TAKE OUTS	348	
CHILDREN	<u>    16    </u>	
TOTAL:	680	
INCOME:	\$ 16,474.89	
DISBURESMENTS:	4,434.72	
NET INCOME:	\$ 12,040.17	

Thank you to all those who helped make the Ham and Meatloaf Dinner a huge success. Without your help, none of this would have been possible.

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	Weekly Contributions September 28, 2024	-
En	velopes\$	355.00
	ose\$	47.00
On	lline Giving\$	171.00

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

### **Pray for Their Health and Welfare**

Fr. Ron Olson Mary Kunz Krista Hudacek Lambert Carl Schultz Carolyn Ward Erma Harty Chris Litchke

Maryann Grymala Wendy Johnson Julia Dalbec



Pray for Those in the Armed Services Nathaniel Grymala Nathan Blair

Joe Austin **Brandon Anderson** 



**Twenty-**Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus replied, "Do not prevent him. For whoever is not against us is for us. Anyone who gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ, amen, I say to you, will surely not lose his reward." - Mk 9:39a, 40-41

#### 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

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

# WEEKLY MEDITATION

Here are some of the themes that appear in the Mass readings for the 26th Sunday of the Year.

#### 1st Reading - Numbers 11:25-29

- The Lord bestows the spirit of Moses on seventy elders who become prophets.
- Moses chastises Joshua after he tries to stop two others who (while away from the seventy) were also filled with the spirit of God.

#### Psalm - 19:8,10,12-14

- "The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart."
- The decrees and laws of the Lord are perfect, and they give wisdom and guidance.

#### 2nd Reading - James 5:1-6

- James offers a stern warning for the rich to weep and wail over their impending miseries.
- He lists their offenses against the poor and righteous.

#### Gospel - Mark 9:38-43,45,47-48

- The Lord chastises John who tries to stop someone (not from their group) who is driving out demons in the name of Jesus.
- Jesus then offers a stern warning to avoid sin so as to avoid Gehenna.

#### Fr. Andrew

Question for Children: In what specific ways do you share with the poor, from what you have been given?

Question for Youth: Who are the people you have met who are against you? Are there people who persecute you because of your faith? How do you treat these people?

Question for Adults: In today's worldwide community, who are the rich and what does God want of them?

Readings for the week of September 29, 2024			
Sunday:	Nm 11:25-29/Ps 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14 (9a)		
	Jas 5:1-6/Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48		
Monday:	Jb 1:6-22/Ps 17:1bcd, 2-3, 6-7/Lk 9:46-50		
Tuesday:	Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23/Ps 88:2-3, 4-5, 6,		
	7-8/Lk 9:51-56		
Wednesday:	Jb 9:1-12, 14-16/Ps 88:10bc-11, 12-13,		
	14-15/Mt 18:1-5, 10		
Thursday:	Jb 19:21-27/Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14		
	Lk 10:1-12		
Friday:	Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5/Ps 139:1-3, 7-8, 9-		
	10, 13-14ab/Lk 10:13-16		
Saturday:	Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17/Ps 119:66, 71, 75,		
	91, 125, 130/Lk 10:17-24		
Next Sunday:	Gn 2:18-24/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 (see 5)		
	Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12		



### FOLK CHOIR COUNTRY/BLUEGRASS MASS AT HOLY ASSUMPTION

On Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup> the Holy Assumption Folk Choir will be celebrating the start of their 54<sup>th</sup> year by singing



the annual Country/Bluegrass Mass at 9:00 am.



# SAVE THE DATE!!!

The Kisa Lasaana 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.



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.



# **CATHEDRAL NEWS**

#### PRAYER GROUP MEETING



Monday, October 7th



All are welcome! Any questions please call Anna Marie ~ 715-392-1673

6:30 PM Cathedral Kress Hall

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.

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

#### CATHOLIC MEN'S GROUP MEETING

The Catholic Men's Group will meet on Monday, October 28th 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.



MUSIC CONCERT – SANCTUS SERIES Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup> 7:00PM Cathedral of Christ the King



Percussionist Dr. Brett Jones, percussion and Stas Venglevski, accordion perform a concert called, "Poetry and Prayer." They will be performing works by

LaRocca, Hoppé, Vasks, and original works by the performers. Freewill offering.

## **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 <u>Google Form</u> to register found on the SuperiorCatholics.org website.

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 from 7-8pm in Kress Hall.

If you have any questions, please reach out to Virginia Kovaleski at 952.300.1671 or <u>vrkovy@gmail.com</u>. 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 <u>vrkovy@gmail.com</u> 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. <u>I will</u> shadow this year as my final year.

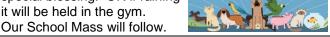
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CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS



September 30th- No School – Staff Development Day

**Blessing of the Pets** ~ We welcome pets of all shapes and sizes to our Blessings of the Pets, on Wednesday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>. 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.



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 <u>mrs.samarziya@superiorcs.org</u>, 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 will 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.



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

## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

#### YOU ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US!

Are you looking for a volunteer opportunity to make an impact on the lives of those in need in our community? It is never too late to join us!

If you wish to explore ways you might serve our neighbors, you can call us for more information or come to our meeting on Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup> at 6pm in Kress Hall at the Cathedral.

Thank you to everyone who donated food and other items to our Third Sunday Food Collections at the Cathedral and St. Anthony this past weekend. A big thank you to everyone who donated school supplies. We were able to provide backpacks with an average of \$35 of school supplies to 28 children whose parents were struggling to have the funds to buy supplies before the first day of school. The children were thrilled!

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.

#### EUCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR CLUSTER:

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



#### PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY RALLY

You are invited to join in a Public Square Rosary Rally on October 12<sup>th</sup> 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 be able to join us and other Catholics on that very important day?

#### KISA LASAGNA DINNER

Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup> ~ 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* 

# **COMMUNITY NEWS**

🏄 🛛 <u>HARVEST HOME ROAST BEEF DINNER</u> 🕉

► United Presbyterian Church 229 N 28<sup>th</sup> Street E, Superior Wednesday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> ~ 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.

> Superior Optimist Meatball Dinner Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup> 4pm-7pm at Cathedral - Kress Hall Dine In, Drive Up or Take Out Adults \$10; Youth \$5 (up to age 10)

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Life in the Spirit

Invite the Holy Spirit to work more actively in your life.

> Friday, October 18<sup>th</sup> 6:30 – 9:00 pm

Saturday, October 19th 8:00 am – 3:45 pm (optional 4:00 p.m. Mass)

Cathedral of Christ the King Kress Hall

Donation: \$25 payable at the door (covers snacks, lunch and materials)

Speakers: Father Andrew Ricci, Deacon Kevin Feind, and Deacon Timothy Thom

Topics Include: Salvation history, God's love for us, receiving God's gifts, release of the Spirit, small group discussions, and prayer.

Register by calling the Cathedral Parish Office 715-392-8511.

Space limited to 40. Must sign-up in advance by Sunday, October 13th

Knights of Columbus



# PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Holy Assumption 5601 Tower Ave. Superior, WI

Sunday October 27<sup>th</sup> November 3<sup>rd</sup>

8:00 - 11:00 am

Menu: Pancakes with Bacon or Sausage

Adults: \$10.00 Children 5 & Under: \$5.00