

DECEMBER 22, 2024 FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT



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 In the event of an **Emergency after Business Hours**
 Call Fr. Andrew at 715-392-8511

LITURGICAL ROLES for DEC. 24 & 25 CHRISTMAS

READERS:

4:00 Vickie Owens & Irene Peterson
 Midnight Jim Paine
 10:30 David Dusek

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

4:00 Vickie & Greg Owens
 Midnight James Johnson
 10:30 David Dusek



SERVERS:

4:00 Tom Markee & Diane Markee O'Brien
 Midnight The Fouts Family
 10:30 Amy Flessert & Mary Davis

USHERS:

4:00PM Need 4
 Midnight Need 4
 10:30AM Need 4

CHRISTMAS MASS INTENTIONS

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2024

4:00 P.M. – David & Dale Piggott-M
 Pat Piggott & Family



MIDNIGHT MASS - The Spiritual & Temporal Welfare
 of Cathedral Parishioners

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2024

10:30 A.M. – Ronald & Bibiana Roubal & Susan Wesley-M
 Their Family

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 2024

8:30 A.M. – Ben Johnson-M
 Dale & Grace Wilson

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2024

8:30 A.M. – Paul Joseph LaPorte-M
 Joe & Sherry Mackiewicz



2:00 P.M. ~ Wedding: *Isaac Hopke & Gianna Jones*

WEEKEND INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2024

4:00 P.M. – Fr. Dean Buttrick-M
 Knights of Columbus Council 499

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2024

7:30 A.M. – The Spiritual & Temporal Welfare
 of Cathedral Parishioners

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

3:00 P.M. – Jubilee Mass



THE SANCTUARY CANDLE for the week of December 22

Will burn in Loving Memory of Judy Ross
 By: Marlys Barthen



WEDDING BANNES:

III *Isaac Hopke & Gianna Jones*



VOCATIONS... Mary set out in haste, carrying the good
 news of God's great love. Wherever you go today, take
 God with you. (Luke 1:39-45)

Cathedral Church Calendar

Tues. Dec. 24 – Parish Office Closed
 Wed. Dec. 25 – Parish Office Closed
 Thur. Dec. 26 – **No Adoration**



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.



LITURGICAL ROLES for Dec. 28 & 29

Notice: MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION, READERS, SERVERS, USHERS and GREETERS... We will be scheduling for the months of **February, March and April**. If you know of dates you cannot volunteer please call the parish office (715-392-8511) no later than Monday, January 6th. Thank you!

READERS:

4:00 Ryan Bayless
 7:30 Roy Hamlin
 10:30 Larry French & Sean Tenerelli



EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

4:00 Dean Hansen (F) & Anna Marie Olsen (B)
Need 2 Ministers for Communion Cup
 7:30 Susan Collins (F) & Joe Perfetti (B)
Need 2 Ministers for Communion Cup
 10:30 Kent Phillips (F) & Christine Polkinghorne (B)
Cup: Bonnie Thom & Need 1



SERVERS:

4:00
 7:30 Tom Tracy
 10:30 Stella & Tommy Tenerelli



USHERS:

4:00 Eric Williams (Lead)
 Irene Peterson
 Need 2
 7:30 Bob Ahlborg (Lead)
 Jim Crawford
 Steve DeVinck
 Rose Kidd
 10:30 Walt Tafelski (Lead)
 Sandy & Tom Henning
 Need 1



GREETERS:

4:00
 7:30 Rose Kidd
 10:30 Larry French



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

The Gospel today tells of the Virgin Mary, pregnant herself, hurrying off to help her cousin Elizabeth. The model of good stewardship, she who had given herself to bear the Savior gave her time and love to others as well.

	<u>Dec. 14/15</u>	<u>Last Year</u>
Envelopes:	104	110
Collection:	\$7,149.00	\$5,519.00
On-Line Giving (45)	\$2,627.00	\$2,786.00
Loose:	\$ 487.00	\$ 672.00



Thank you for your generosity!

FROM THE RECTOR'S DESK

Carrying the Large Crucifix in procession for Mass at 3:00pm on Sunday, December 29—need strong volunteers—rehearsal that day at 2:15 p.m.

~ Will you be present at the Solemn Opening of the Jubilee Year Mass on **December 29th at 3:00 p.m.** at the Cathedral?
~ Do you have a strong back?

Similar to Good Friday--we are looking for at least 10 to 12 men who would be able to carry the large crucifix in procession at this special Mass for the Opening of the Jubilee Year.

It is very heavy, but the effort is worth it. **If you've volunteered for this before and would be able to help again, that would be great.**

We would need to rehearse the particulars of this movement prior to the beginning of the liturgy, **hopefully no later than 2:15 p.m. that day.**

Contact Paul Birch with offers of availability.
715-394-0233 or pbirch@catholicdos.org

WEEKLY MEDITATION

Let's examine some of the themes that we discover in the Mass readings for the 4th Sunday of Advent.

1st Reading - Micah 5:1-4a

- Bethlehem is foretold to be the birthplace of the ruler of Israel.
- This ruler will stand firm and shepherd the people with peace.

Psalm - 80:2-3,15-16,18-19

- "Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved."
- We call upon the Lord from heaven to come and save us so that we may have new life.

2nd Reading - Hebrews 10:5-10

- Citing Psalm 40:6-8 and 1st Samuel 15:22, we see how the sacrifices of the old covenant are now replaced with a new covenant by the once-for-all offering of the body of Jesus Christ.

Gospel - Luke 1:39-45

- This is the account of the Visitation: the meeting and exchange between Mary and Elizabeth.
- At the same time, the infant John the Baptist (while still in his mother's womb) recognizes that the Lord is near.

Fr. Andrew

ADVENT

Question for Children: How does the Blessed Virgin Mary help you to follow Jesus?

Question for Youth: When have you experienced the presence of the Holy Spirit?

Question for Adults: What role does Mary play in your own spirituality? If you were Elizabeth, how would you greet her at your doorway, if she were to arrive there?

Readings for the week of December 22, 2024

Sunday:	Mi 5:1-4a/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 (4) Heb 10:5-10/Lk 1:39-45
Monday:	Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14/Lk 1:57-66
Tuesday:	<i>Morning:</i> 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16 Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Lk 1:67-79
Wednesday:	<i>Vigil:</i> Is 62:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 16-17,27,29 (2a) Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25 <i>Night:</i> Is 9:1-6/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13 (Lk 2:11)/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14 <i>Dawn:</i> Is 62:11-12/Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12 Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15-20 <i>Day:</i> Is 52:7-10/Heb 1:1-6/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6 (3c)/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14
Thursday:	Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 8ab, 16bc and 17/Mt 10:17-22
Friday:	1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97: 1-2, 5-6, 11-12 Jn 20:1a, 2-8
Saturday:	1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8 Mt 2:13-18
Next Sunday:	1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28/Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10 (see 5a)/1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24/Lk 2:41-52



CATHEDRAL NEWS



PRAYER GROUP MEETING

Monday, January 6th
6:30 PM Cathedral Kress Hall

All are welcome!

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

CATHOLIC MEN'S GROUP MEETING

The Catholic Men's Group will NOT meet in December but will meet again on the fourth Monday in January.

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 6:30pm in the large meeting room at Cathedral Parish Office.

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



NO RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Wednesday, December 25th & January 1st

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS



Christmas Break
December 23rd - January 1st
(January 2nd - Classes Resume)

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

A Christmas Prayer



Beneath the light of a star,
In a manger filled with hay,
Behold the Lord of the Universe!

You come to us not leading an army,
But humble and small.
You come to us not wielding power,
But helpless and cold.
You come to us not wealthy and famous,
But poor and obscure.

Help us, Lord Jesus, to see You on this, and every day.
In the street, and in our neighborhoods.
In the hungry and the poor,
In the lonely and the deprived,
In the infants and the elderly,
And in each other.

Like the shepherds led by the star,
May we seek You daily,
And serve You fully,
For love alone. Amen.

Contact us: 715-398-4039

Mailing Address: SVDP P.O. Box 98 Superior,
WI 54880

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CLUSTER NEWS

CLUSTER CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve Masses

Tuesday, December 24th

4:00pm – Cathedral

6:00pm – St. William

Midnight Mass – Cathedral



Christmas Day Masses

Wednesday, December 25th

9:00am – Holy Assumption

9:00am – St. Anthony, Superior

10:30am – Cathedral

11:00am – St. Anthony, Lake Nebagamon

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

(No Adoration on December 26)

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



PASTY SALE

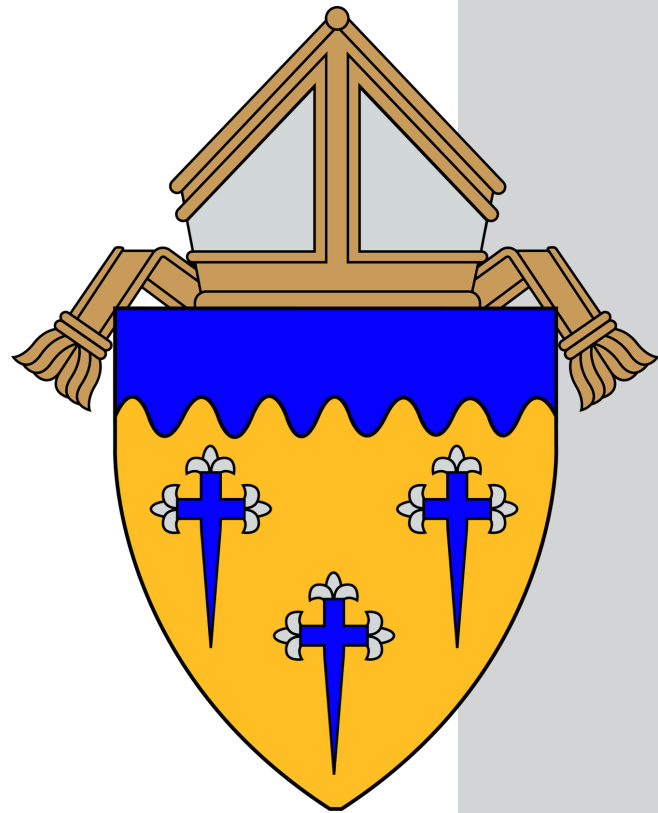
The Knights of Columbus, Superior Council 499 will hold a
Pasty Sale on Friday & Saturday, January 10 & 11. The
cost is \$5.00 for a 12 oz. pasty (filling: beef, potatoes,
carrots, onions & rutabagas). Pasties will be available for
pick-up between 12:00 Noon & 4:00 PM on Friday & 12:00
Noon & 4:00 PM on Saturday at St. Anthony Church in
Superior. Pre-ordered pasties not picked up by 2:00 PM
will be sold on a first come/first serve basis until 4:00
PM. On-line orders can be made by using the address
below or by calling as follows: Darryl at 218-349-9165,
Tom at 715-392-2061, or Al at 715-364-2664. Leave a
message if you get no answer.

<https://superiorcatholics.org/knights-of-columbus-pasty-order/>



Opening Mass Jubilee 2025

Bishop James Powers invites you to join him in celebrating the Solemn Opening of the Jubilee Year on December 29, 2024 at Cathedral of Christ the King in Superior. Mass will begin at 3:00 PM, with a social and refreshments to follow in Kress Hall. All are welcome.





Christmas Flowers 2024

In Memory of Ed & Sophie Ahlborg

By Robert & Mary Beth Ahlborg

In Memory of Bill Ahlborg

By Robert & Mary Beth Ahlborg

In Memory of Ward & Ruthann Polzin

By Robert & Mary Beth Ahlborg

In Memory of Ben Jankowski

By Robert & Mary Beth Ahlborg

In Memory of Helen Schaefer

By Carrie Bachand

In Memory of Anne Koszarek

By Carrie Bachand

In Memory of Family & Friends

By Sandra & Michael Bailey

In Memory of the Deceased Members of the Darst Family

By John & Kathleen Berchild

In Memory of the Deceased Members of the Berchild Family

By John & Kathleen Berchild

In Memory of Phillip Birch

By Rosemarie Birch

In Memory of the Ruthgeerts Family

By Rosemarie Birch

In Memory of Ted & Helen Birch

By Michael & Christine Birch Sabyan

In Memory of Gerald & Norma Sabyan

By Michael & Christine Birch Sabyan

In Memory of Mable & Daniel Gunski

By Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Blomfelt

In Memory of Michael Gunski

By Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Blomfelt

In Honor of the Buelteman Family

By Robert Buelteman

In Memory of Family & Friends

By Michael & Judy Caruso

In Memory of Family & Friends

By Anthony Certano

In Memory of Daniel Kaluza

By Georgie Charbonneau

In Memory of Jack Charbonneau

By Georgie Charbonneau

In Memory of Mabel & George Chi

By Diana Chi

In Memory of James Coda

By Janice Coda

In Memory of Robert Minter

By Janice Coda

In Memory of Dorothy & Anthony

Coda

By Janice Coda

In Memory of Family & Friends

By Claudia & Stanley Dahlberg

In Memory of Ann & Andy Sablatura

By Mark & Debra Dalbec

In Honor of The Sablatura Family

By Mark & Debra Dalbec

In Memory of The Polaski Family

By Mark & Debra Dalbec

In Memory of Ernie Dalbec

By Eleanor Dalbec & Family

In Memory of the Darst & Keaough Families

By Joyce Darst

In Memory of Family & Friends

By John & Patrice Davy

In Memory of Family & Friends

By Renee DeMoure

In Memory of Mom & Dad

Pedziwiatr

By Lenora DePyper

In Memory of Mom & Dad DePyper

By Lenora DePyper

In Memory of Andrew Joseph Pluta

By Lenora DePyper

In Memory of Joseph & Donna DeVinck

By Steven & Britt DeVinck

In Memory of George & Kay Benlick

By Steven & Britt DeVinck

In Memory of Jean Sullivan

By Steven & Britt DeVinck

In Memory of Mark DeVinck

By Steven & Britt DeVinck

In Memory of Andy Lisak

By Sara Dorfman

In Memory of Bob & Dorothy

Dorfman

By Sara Dorfman



Christmas Flowers 2024

In Memory of Phil LaVenture

By Bill & Donna Durand

In Memory of Andrew Lisak

By Bill & Donna Durand

In Memory of John & Luella Archambault

By Bill & Donna Durand

In Memory of Les & Bev Schumacher

By Bill & Donna Durand

In Memory of Phillip Birch ~ UWS 1957

Classmate

By Bill & Donna Durand

In Memory of Dwayne Lee "Dewey"

Ashbach

By Bill & Donna Durand

In Memory of Kathy Dusek & Loved Ones

By David Dusek

In Memory of Dennis & Betty Jo Edwards

By Deana Edwards

In Memory of Steven Christensen

By Deana Edwards

In Memory of Brian Coone

By Deana Edwards

In Memory of Jean Ann Frank

By David Frank

In Memory of Ann Geitner

By Sandy Frazier & Family

In Memory of Kathleen Johnson

By Sandy Frazier & Family

In Memory of Everett Geitner

By Sandy Frazier & Family

In Memory of Rosemary Zowin

By Sandy Frazier & Family

In Memory of John Freeman

By Muriel Freeman

In Memory of Rose Sullivan

By Muriel Freeman

In Memory of Diane Sullivan-Koch

By Muriel Freeman

In Memory of Dolores Peterson

By Muriel Freeman

In Memory of Jane Charbonneau

By Muriel Freeman

In Memory of Family & Friends

By Patrick & Mary Greene

In Memory of Peter & Regina Gronski

By Cynthia Gronski

*In Memory of Ronald & Elizabeth
Gronski*

By Cynthia Gronski

*In Memory of George & Lynne
Gronski*

By Cynthia Gronski

In Memory of Tim & Doreen Gronski

By Cynthia Gronski

*In Memory of the Deceased Members
of the Guenard & Biver Families*

By Gregory & Barbara Guenard

In Memory of Pudge Sutherland

By Bruce & Mary Haraldson

In Memory of Betty Sutherland

By Bruce & Mary Haraldson

In Memory of Scott Sutherland

By Bruce & Mary Haraldson

In Memory of Laurie Sutherland

By Bruce & Mary Haraldson

In Memory of Clarence Haraldson

By Bruce & Mary Haraldson

*In Memory of Eli Suson & Veronica
Wheeler*

By Tom & Sandy Henning

In Memory of Leo & Joanne Blatt

By Bob, Jan & Rob Herrick

*In Memory of Walter & Josephine
Herrick*

By Bob, Jan & Rob Herrick

In Memory of George Peterson

By Patrick & Renee Heytens & Family

In Memory of Donny Peterson

By Patrick & Renee Heytens & Family

In Memory of the Geitner Family

By Richard & Sharon Hoch

In Memory of the Hoch Family

By Richard & Sharon Hoch

*In Honor of Living & Deceased
members of the Braman & Hoffman
Families*

By Michael & Joanie Hoffman

In Memory of Family & Friends

By Mary Jane Jacobus

Christmas Flowers 2024

*In Memory of Rita & Warren
Johnson & deceased children*

By Mark & Julianne Johnson

In Memory of Family & Friends

By Joan Juno

In Memory of Chester & Pauline Kalinoski

By Christine Kalinoski

In Memory of Bruce Kalinoski

By Christine Kalinoski

In Memory of Maxine Kelley

By Christine Kalinoski

In Memory of James LeDoux

By Mrs. Rose Kidd

In Memory of Nick Kienzle

By John & Patty Kienzle

In Memory of Judy Kienzle

By John & Patty Kienzle

In Memory of Laura Carlson

By John & Patty Kienzle

In Memory of Lyman Carlson

By John & Patty Kienzle

*In Memory of Bob LaPorte (husband) and
Paul LaPorte (son)*

By Cecilia LaPorte

In Memory of Alice I. Larson

By James Larson

In Memory of Clarence & Anna Larson

By James Larson

In Memory of Eino and Signer Salmi

By James Larson

In Memory of Margaret M. Larson

By Mr. John Larson

*In Memory of the Deceased Members of the
Albert & Margie Higgins Family*

By Rita LaVenture

In Memory of Albert & Margie Higgins

By Rita LaVenture

In Memory of Lloyd Jarchow

By Rita LaVenture

In Memory of Bill Jarchow

By Rita LaVenture

*In Memory of the Deceased Members of the
George & Edwigh Jarchow Family*

By Rita LaVenture

*In Memory of Fr. Peter Mary Rookey,
OSM*

By Rita LaVenture

In Memory of Fr. Christopher O'Toole

By Rita LaVenture

In Memory of Fr. Jim Dlugie

By Rita LaVenture

In Memory of the Lisak Family

By Margie Lisak

In Memory of the Stariha Family

By Margie Lisak

In Memory of the Kubos Family

By Margie Lisak

In Memory of the Felten Family

By Margie Lisak

In Memory of the Buck Family

By Margie Lisak

In Memory of Helen & Bill Kaluza

By Doris Mace

*In Memory of the Deceased Members
of the Collins Family*

By Joseph & Sherry Mackiewicz

*In Memory of the Deceased Members
of the Mackiewicz Family*

By Joseph & Sherry Mackiewicz

In Memory of Family & Friends

By Thomas Markee

*In Memory of Bernice, Chester &
Dennis Olenski*

By Mary & Peggy McCarthy

In Memory of Donald Williams

By Mary & Peggy McCarthy

*In Memory of Bob & Jeanne
McCarthy*

By Mary & Peggy McCarthy

In Memory of Peggy & Paul Werth

By Mary & Peggy McCarthy

*In Memory of Olenski & Bachand
Families*

By Mary & Peggy McCarthy

In Memory of James K. Olson

By Patricia & Kirk Olson

In Memory of Melanie J. Rodenbo

By Patricia & Kirk Olson

Christmas Flowers 2024

*In Memory of Alex & Catherine
Snarski*

By Emil & Mary Osacho, Jr.

*In Memory of Laura & Emil Osacho,
Sr.*

By Emil & Mary Osacho, Jr.

In Memory of Elise Herrera

By Emil & Mary Osacho, Jr.

In Memory of Elaine & Charles Ostenberg

By Daniel & Leslie Parkinson

*In Memory of Phylliss Annoni & Daniel B.
Parkinson*

By Daniel & Leslie Parkinson

In Memory of Family & Friends

By Joseph & Jessica Pearson

In Memory of Greg Peterson

By Greg & Diane Peterson

In Memory of Leona Jonhson

By Greg & Diane Peterson

In Memory of George Kulus

By Greg & Diane Peterson

In Memory of Father Lee Flaherty

By Stephen Peterson

In Memory of Father Ed Meulemans

By Irene Peterson

In Memory of Family & Friends

By Robert Pfister

In Memory of Robert Maloney Jr

By Kent & Mary Phillips

In Memory of Millie Maloney

By Kent & Mary Phillips

In Memory of Kaye Tenerelli

By Kent & Mary Phillips

In Memory of Darren Milliken

By Kent & Mary Phillips

In Memory of Jack Phillips

By Kent & Mary Phillips

In Memory of Dale & David Piggot

By Pat Piggot

In Memory of Edmund & Marie Whitacre

By Pat Piggot

In Memory of the Reger Family

By Bernard & Mary Lou Reger

In Memory of Family & Friends

By Diane Rolson

In Memory of Virginia M. Rouse

By Leonard Rouse

*In Memory of Lorraine H. Rouse &
Leonard L. Rouse*

By Leonard Rouse

In Memory of John & Luella Archamie

By Leonard Rouse

In Memory of Lorie Kauti

By Leonard Rouse

*In Memory of Aube/Bertrand
families*

By Steven & Barbara Schuyler

*In Memory of Kulzeck/Schuyler
families*

By Steven & Barbara Schuyler

In Memory of Genevieve Sheahan

By Lawrence Sheahan

*In Memory of Felix & Patricia
Bouvine*

By Lawrence Sheahan

In Memory of David Gidley

By Lawrence Sheahan

*In Memory of Edward & Carroll
Smith*

By Craig & Carol Smith

In Honor of Martha Stank

By Randy Stank

In Memory of Tom Tafelski

By Walt & Pam Tafelski

*In Memory of David & Mary Tafelski
& family*

By Walt & Pam Tafelski

*In Memory of Alfred & Iona Peterson
& family*

By Walt & Pam Tafelski

*In Memory of the Deceased Members
of the Unterberger Family*

By Thomas & Jill Unterberger

In Memory of JoAnn Blatt

By Thomas & Jill Unterberger

In Memory of Mary Anderson

By Thomas & Jill Unterberger

*In Memory of Harter & Lillian
Kenville*

By Gloria West



Christmas Flowers 2024

In Memory of David West

By Gloria West

In Memory of Elsie West

By Gloria West

In Honor of Norm and Lucille

Wildenberg

By Bill & Pat Wildenberg

In Memory of Bob and Jane

Baumann

By Bill & Pat Wildenberg

In Memory of Frances (Lozon)

Henning

By Grace & Dale Wilson

In Memory of Paul & Jenny Lozon

By Grace & Dale Wilson

In Memory of Paul Henning, Jr.

By Grace & Dale Wilson

In Memory of Dick Wacholtz

By Grace & Dale Wilson

In Memory of Ben Johnson

By Grace & Dale Wilson

In Memory of Bob Wacholtz

By Grace & Dale Wilson

In Memory of Reeta Huber

By Grace & Dale Wilson

In Memory of Ted Wacholtz

By Grace & Dale Wilson



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



12 Cans of Christmas 2024

In this season of Advent and Christmas, our Christ the King Council 16691 of the Knights of Columbus is helping the St. Vincent de Paul food shelf with a 12 Cans of Christmas program. Can you help us? As much as you are able, please consider 12 (or more) cans or boxes or packages of food items for Christmas. Below is a list of items requested by our St. Vincent de Paul food shelf for this Cathedral Christmas collection.

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. Thank you!

Donations can be brought to the Narthex Entry Area at the Cathedral between the First Sunday in Advent and Christmas Day. The food will be placed on the stage in Kress Hall above the stage steps while it is being collected. **THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS DONATION! A Blessed Christmas to you! VIVAT JESUS!**

Beverages

- Coffee
- Hot Cocoa Packages
- Powdered milk

Breakfast Foods

- Cereal

Carbohydrates

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

Fruit and Vegetables

- Canned fruit
- Canned pasta sauce
- Canned tomatoes

Meals Easy-to-Eat in a Box or a Can and Protein

- Canned meats:
 - Beef
 - Chicken
 - Ground beef
 - Turkey
- Hearty soups
- Peanut butter

Ready-to-Eat Foods

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



ADVENT

PRAY25

Prepare your heart for Jesus this Advent with daily prayer on **Hallow**

"My morning meditation and prayer time have increased substantially since I heard about and joined Hallow during Advent. My faith has deepened in ways that words just cannot describe. I am blessed and so grateful!"

"This Advent challenge pierced my heart. My heart wasn't open enough to Christ before, but now it's like a spark of light came into it."

"I am so much more aware of God's presence in my everyday life because of Hallow's Advent Challenge."



Your parish has partnered with Hallow. Join us in prayer this Advent!

Scan the QR code to sign up
hallow.com/parish

DAILY PRAYERS

Start your day with the Daily Gospel, Rosary, imaginative prayer or one of over 10,000 sessions, including daily meditations, homilies, reflections, and Bible studies.

FAMILY CONTENT & KIDS CHALLENGE

Pray as a family with weekly Mass Prep, Saints Alive, Kids Holy Hour and guide your little ones through the season with our Advent challenge for children.

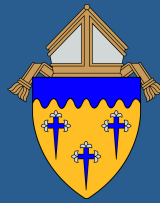
BIBLE STORIES & SLEEP CONTENT

Close your day with Christ with Night Prayer, an Examen, or a Rosary with guests like Bishop Barron, Mark Wahlberg, and Jonathan Roumie.

Get it on
Google Play

Download on the
App Store

2025 Diocese of Superior MEN'S RETREAT



January 11 - 12

8:00am Saturday | 12:00pm Sunday
Trinity Woods Catholic Retreat Center | Trego



Pete Burds
Speaker

Pete Burds serves as the Chief Mission Officer for NET Ministries. Ever since encountering Jesus Christ through a high school youth ministry program, he has used his five loaves and two fish for the sake of building the kingdom. Through storytelling, leading retreats, and 15+ years of experience in ministry, he has proclaimed the freedom found in Christ to thousands. He and his family live in St. Paul, Minnesota.



UNSHAKEN

Growing in the Freedom of the Sons of God

Registration

Registration will be online. When it is ready it can be found at the link below.



Scan or Click!

Lodging

You will be able to stay in a hotel room with either two queen beds (limited) or a queen bed with two sets of bunk beds. You have the option of staying one or two nights. (Please note: Food or programming will not be provided Friday night.)

Cost

The registration, food and lodging costs will be bundled into one this year. The total price will vary (\$160-\$225) depending on length of stay and accommodations.



Bishop James Powers

We are pleased to welcome Bishop who will be present throughout the weekend!



Connor Flanagan

Minneapolis-based musician Connor Flanagan will lead us in worship during the retreat.



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WOMEN'S RETREATS

1st Offering

February 1 - 2

“Divine Intimacy”

2nd Offering

February 8 - 9

Saturday 8:00am - Sunday 12:00pm | Trinity Woods Catholic Retreat Center | Trego



Registration

Registration will be online. When it is ready it can be found at the link below.



Scan or click!

Cost

The registration, food & lodging costs will be bundled into one this year. The total price will vary (\$160-\$225) depending on length of stay and accommodations.

Lodging

There are many lodging options at the retreat center. You may choose to spend one night or two, have a single room (rooms limited), or share. (Please note: Food or programming will not be provided Friday night)



We welcome **Mallory Smyth** as our speaker this year! She is the content manager at Walking with Purpose. She previously worked for ENDOW as well as FOCUS. Smyth earned a bachelor's degree in marketing from Louisiana State University. She has spoken at multiple conferences, including SEEK. She lives in Littleton, Colorado, with her family. She is the author of the book: "Rekindled: How Jesus Called me Back to the Catholic Church and Set my Heart on Fire."



Aly Aleigha joins us once again as our musician! Aly is a native of Rice Lake and is currently based in Eagle River. Her adventures and personal, heartfelt stories have served as inspirations for her songwriting. She boasts years of experience in both performance and leading worship.



Bishop James Powers will be present throughout the retreat to celebrate Mass, hear confessions, and meet the wonderful women of our diocese.

HIGH SCHOOL DISCIPLESHIP

Weekend

"Living in the Dust of the Master"

Looking for deeper formation? Want to spend a weekend with the Lord in community with others? Check out High School Discipleship Weekend!

What to Expect:

Formation

Personal Prayer Time

Outdoor Adventure

Sacraments

Fellowship

Fall Date

@ **CrossWoods**

Nov 15 - 17, 2024

Parish Registration
Form & \$125
per person due
October 31, 2024

Spring Date

@ **Crescent Lake**

Apr 4 - 6, 2025

Parish Registration
Form & \$125
per person due
February 25, 2025



Questions?
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Info & Registration
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DATES

📍 CrossWoods Camp

Sunday, June 8 - 13, 2025

Sunday, June 15 - 20, 2025

📍 Crescent Lake Camp

Sunday, June 15 - 20, 2025

Sunday, June 22 - 27, 2025

High Schooler / Adult Meetings

Sunday, May 4, 2025 (virtual)

Sunday, June 8 (CW1)

Sunday, June 15 (CW2/CL1)

Sunday, June 22 (CL2)

COST

\$450 / person + transportation. Includes camp activities, lodging & food. \$100 deposit by January 10 secures spot. Space fills quickly! Final payment due April 1. Deposits are non-refundable.

REGISTRATION

All individuals must register through their parish. Please contact your parish to receive information on how to register online.

Contact Virginia Kovaleski
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DAILY SCHEDULE

07am Polar Plunge
08am Breakfast
Mass
09am Prayer/Theme Intro
10am Morning Adventure
12pm Lunch
01pm Afternoon Adventure
03pm Free Time
05pm Supper
06pm Evening Session
08pm Night Game



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EXTREME FAITH CAMP

Summer 2025

ABOUT

Extreme Faith Camp is a Catholic week-long summer camp for middle school students. It is open to those who have completed 6th - 8th grade by the summer of 2025. The camp is led by an Extreme Team of youth ministers, adults & senior high youth from participating parishes. First time high school leaders serve on the Prayer Team.

Extreme Faith Camp is full of exciting adventures like rock climbing, ropes courses, kayaking, canoeing, swimming, mountain biking, and camp-wide games. All that fun is intertwined with powerful and engaging talks, music, and a wide variety of prayer experiences including Mass, adoration, confession, the liturgy of the hours, and more.

LOCATION

CrossWoods Adventure Camp:

15010 Black Bear Rd.
Mason, WI 54856

Crescent Lake Bible Camp:

2750 Bible Camp Rd.
Rhineland, WI 54501



TESTIMONIALS

“Most enjoyable and faith-filling place I’ve ever been. I wish it was longer.”

Lucas, age 13

“Camp was the greatest thing I ever went to. Adoration was the most mind blowing and touching and an experience I won’t forget.”

Dayne, age 11

“I really felt that I got closer to God a lot!! It opened my heart.”

Marissa, age 12

“Only can be explained in one word... FUN!”

Julia, age 13



“EXTREME?”

Christ doesn't call his disciples to mediocrity or to lukewarmness. Rather, He calls us to be radically transformed. Extreme Faith Camp provides a jumpstart for young Catholics to rev their faith up and help them realize that God wants an intimate, life-changing relationship with them. The mission of Extreme Faith Camp is to light a fire in young people that they can take back to their families, parishes and schools, helping to ignite youth ministry around the diocese.