St. William

March 9, 2025

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Saturday, March 8th

6:00 pm

+Bernadette Radzak by Joannie and Chrissie Thompson

Saturday, March 15th

6:00 pm

+Richard Jakubek by John and Kristy Strom



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Reader Kristy Strom Wine Tim Gallagher

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Thanks to all the people who came and supported our recent pasta dinner. Thanks to all the volunteers for the donations of food and all your hard work, the dinner would not be possible, without you.

Thanks to Fr. Andy for taking time out of his busy schedule to make the awesome pasta dinner. And last but not least thanks to Julie and Chris Litchke for donating the pork for the sausage. The dinner was a success and lots of fun.

ST. WILLIAM'S FAMILY BINGO Tuesday, April 1st

Concessions will be available at 5:30

Bingo starts at 6:30

Come for a fun evening of

Come for a fun evening of Bingo, Food and Prizes



\$200 in prizes to be given away and a 50/50 raffle.
Bring your family and friends. Bingo is free.

KC SUNDAY BREAKFAST

The Holy Assumption KC's are having Sunday Breakfast, March 9th from 8:00 – 11:00 am. Choose from Omelets, Eggs, Bacon or Sausage, French Toast, Toast, Pancakes, Toast, Hash Browns and Beverage. Adults: \$10 Under 5: \$5



ST. WILLIAM CSA February 3, 2025

 2025 Goal
 5,948.18

 Payments and Pledges
 2,860.00

 Remaining to Raise
 3,088.18







Weekly Contributions March 1, 2025



Envelopes	\$ 577.00
Loose	126.00
Online Giving	\$ 355.25
Pasta Dinner	1116.00
Raffle	115.00

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 Maryann Grymala Krista Hudacek Lambert Wendy Johnson Carolyn Ward Carl Schultz Julia Dalbec Erma Harty Chris Litchke

Pray for Those in the Armed Services



Nathaniel Grymala Joe Austin Nathan Blair Brandon Anderson



First Sunday of Lent

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus returned from the

Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days, to be tempted by the devil. He ate nothing during those days, and when they were over he was hungry. The devil said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become bread." - Lk 4:1-3

Fr. Anthoni is available to hear confessions before Mass each Saturday he is at St. William.





Please join us for Stations of the Cross each Saturday at 5:30 pm during Lent.

WEEKLY MEDITATION

Let's examine some of the main themes that we find in the Mass readings for the 1st Sunday of Lent.

1st Reading - Deuteronomy 26:4-10

- Moses recalls God's mighty works that freed the people from slavery in Egypt.
- Inspired by this memory they now bring forth t he first fruits of their produce to honor the Lord in the Promised Land.

Psalm - 91:1-2.10-15

- "Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble."
- We place our trust in God, who sustains us when we are in distress.

2nd Reading - Romans 10:8-13

- If we confess with the mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in our heart that God raised him, we will be saved.
- This salvation in Christ is available to all, there is no distinction between Jew and Greek.

Gospel - Luke 4:1-13

- Jesus, filled with the Holy Spirit, is led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days to be tempted by the devil.
- The Lord responds to the devil's temptations, quoting Scripture until the devil departs for a time.

Fr. Andrew

Question for Children: When you feel tempted to do wrong, how do you remain strong in your faith?

Question for Youth: What is one thing you will do during Lent to become more open to God in your life?

Question for Adults: As you come to understand the temptation of Jesus in the desert, which one of the devil's offerings is hardest for you to resist?

Readings for the week of March 9, 2025

Sunday: Dt 26:4-10/Ps 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15

(see 5b)/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13

Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 Mt 25:31-46

Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19

Mt 6:7-15

Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19 Lk 11:29-32

Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps 138:1-2ab,

2cde-3, 7c-8/Mt 7:7-12

Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8

Mt 5:20-26

Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8 Mt 5:43-48 Next Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8,8-9,13-14

Phil 3:17-4:1 or 3:20-4:1/Lk 9:28b-36

CHRISM MASS INVITATION

All Holy Assumption and St. William parishion are invited to the Mass of the Chrism and lunche following the service on Tuesday, April 8th at noon, at Cathedral of Christ the King. If you plan on attending and staying for the luncheon, please call the office at 715-394-7919 by Monday, March 24th so we can have a luncheon ticket ready for you.

CATHEDRAL NEWS

LENTEN HOLY HOUR with Fr. Andrew Ricci

5:00pm ~ Thursdays during Lent at Cathedral Stations of the Cross & a six-part series entitled "Carry Your Cross"

Soup Supper to follow provided by the Knights of Columbus Christ the King Council #16691

TOURS OF THE CATHEDRAL

Tours are being offered at the Cathedral after all of the Masses on the weekend of March 22nd & 23rd. Tour guides will be available in the back of the church after each of the Masses.

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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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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No Classes Wednesday, March 12th Spring Break

YOUTH'S CORNER

Extreme Faith Camp: Bagging for Groceries is taking place again this year as we fundraise to send our kids to Extreme Faith Camp. Our campers, high school leaders and chaperones will attend the week of June 15-20th this summer for a week of fellowship, challenges, sacraments, and time with our Lord.

Volunteers will be stationed at the East End SuperOne on Harbor Drive in Superior on Friday, March 21st from 4-7pm and again Saturday, March 22nd from 10am - 4pm. Please consider shopping at SuperOne during these times and visit with our EFC patrons. They are excited to explain what EFC means to them and all donations received helps to send the 15 going.

Speaking of volunteers, if you are attending EFC this summer please RSVP to Virginia (952.300.1671) or vrkovy@gmail.com) for at least 1 of the following time slots:

- Friday March 21st from 4pm 7pm
- Saturday March 22nd from 10am 1pm
- Saturday March 22nd from 1pm 4pm

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS

Spring Break - March 10th - 14th

P reschool Registration Information

Cathedral School continues our tradition of 3 year-old and 4 year-old Preschool, enrollment has begun for the 2025-2026 school year. 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. For more information, please contact us at 715.392.2976.

PK-8th grade Information

K-8th grade registration for the 2025-2026 school year has begun for the 2025-2026 school year. For more information, please contact us at 715.392.2976.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

ANNIVERSARY BREAKFAST THANK YOU

We were thrilled to have served 330 people at our free community breakfast to celebrate our 24th year in serving those in need in our community. Not only did our cooks create a delicious breakfast with our fully sponsored food - but we had fun with door prizes, an 80-item silent auction and an opportunity to socialize! Adding to the spirit of the event, we enjoyed the musical entertainment of Sam Dotterwick.

Thanks to all of our sponsoring businesses and individuals who covered the cost of the event and with proceeds, provided additional funds to serve our brothers and sisters. We are particularly grateful to those who volunteered their time to organize this event and to help on Sunday.

We look forward to celebrating our 25th Anniversary next year!

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

CLUSTER NEWS

EUCHARISTIC 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

MASSES AT ST. MARY HOSPITAL-SUPERIOR

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

PURIFIED AND GENDER AND THE THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

Have you noticed that we live in a culture where relationships have become more confusing than ever? If you're looking for straight answers to tough questions about love according to God's designs, then don't miss the upcoming event at Our Lady of the Lake in Ashland, Wednesday, March 26th, 6-9:15pm: Purified + Gender and the Theology of the Body, with Jason Evert, with music by Aly Aleigha. This life-changing night featuring renowned speaker Jason Evert is for all ages, 13 and up (or younger at parents' discretion). So, bring the family and please consider inviting a friend, especially someone who doesn't usually come to events at Church. You'll be amazed at the impact this event will have on them! Don't wait! Tickets are

https://chastity.com/events/jason-evert-double-feature-49/

selling fast! Get your ticket by going to

FISH FRY

St. Anthony Church, 4315 E. 3rd. St. in

will be serving our Annual Lenten Fish Dinner each Friday during Lent starting March 7th and continuing through April 18th 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 - \$15.00, Students (12 and under) - \$7.00 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.

Upcoming Catholic Daughters (CDA) meeting:

Monday, March 10, 2025 - 5:30 pm at Cathedral of Christ the King Church [1111 Belknap St.-elevator available] - Dessert will be served.

Topic: Lenten reflection - Speaker: Deacon Tim Thom

ANYONE INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC DAUGHTER IS WELCOME TO ATTEND THE **MEETINGS**

THE MASS OF CHRISM Tuesday, April 8, 2025-12:00 Noon



You are invited to join in the celebration of the Mass of Chrism here at the Cathedral on Tuesday, April 8th 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 the Cathedral are privileged to act as hosts. 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 your 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 Tuesday, March 25th, 2025.

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SENIOR MEALS AT HOLY ASSUMPTION SENIOR MEALS AT THE TOTAL MONITOR MONI

Senior Connections Nutrition Program provides a nutritionally balanced meal and place to get together at Holy Assumption. It is open to persons 60 and older and their spouse, regardless of age. Please reserve your meal at least 24 hours in advance at Senior Connections at 715-394-3611. Donation \$5.00