AUGUST 10, 2025 19th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Superior Diocese Web Site - www.catholicdos.org
In the event of an Emergency after Business Hours
Call Fr. Andrew at 715-392-8511

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS



TUESDAY, AUGUST 12, 2025 8:30 A.M. – Stanley Dahlberg-M
Faye Glonek

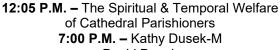
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13, 2025

8:30 A.M. – Living & Deceased Members of the Cathedral Class of 1965

THURSDAY, AUGUST 14, 2025 8:30 A.M. – Dolly Cosgrove-M Her Family

THE ASSUMPTION OF MARY FRIDAY, AUGUST 15, 2025

8:30 A.M. – Dom & Pat Moselle-M Mike & Susan Collins



David Dusek

WEEKEND INTENTIONS



4:00 P.M. – Fr. Dan Dahlberg-M Tom & Colleen Heintz

SUNDAY, AUGUST 17, 2025

7:30 A.M. - Jo Anne Wicklund-M

Rita LaVenture

10:30 A.M. – The Spiritual & Temporal Welfare of Cathedral Parishioners

WEDDING BANNS:

Lucas Ciciora & Kristi Burton



<u>VOCATIONS</u>...The Lord will come when we least expect him. Is he knocking now, asking us to serve as priests and religious? (Luke 12:35-40)

Cathedral Church Calendar

Mon. Aug. 11 – 6:00pm KC 16691 Meeting Tues. Aug. 12 – 6:00pm SVdP Meeting KH

Thur. Aug. 14 – 1-3pm Adoration

Fri. Aug. 15 – Assumption of Mary-8:30am; 12:05pm &

7:00pm Masses

- Parish Office Closed

Sat/Sun. Aug. 16/17 - Food Collection Weekend

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 August 15

READERS:

8:30 am Vickie Owens
12:05 pm Irene Peterson
7:00 pm Pam Tafelski

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

8:30am Vickie Owens 12:05pm Need Volunteers 7:00pm Need Volunteers

USHERS:

8:30 Need 4 12:05 Need 4 7:00 Need 4



LITURGICAL ROLES for August 16/17

READERS:

4:00 Ryan Bayless7:30 Greg Leszcynski

10:30 Tom Henning & Sean Tenerelli



EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

4:00 Dean Hansen (F) & Catherine Anderson (B)

Need 2 Ministers for Communion Cup

7:30 Susan Collins (F) & Joe Perfetti (B)

Need 2 Ministers for Communion Cup

10:30 Dcn. Tim Thom (F) & Sean Tenerelli (B)

Cup: Sandy & Tom Henning



4:00 Emi & Penelope Canfield

7:30 Tom Tracy

10:30 Stella & Tommy Tenerelli



USHERS:

4:00 Irene Peterson

Need 3

7:30 Bob Ahlborg (Lead)
Jim Crawford
Bruce Haraldson

Kevin Peterson

10:30 Walt Tafelski (Lead) John Berchild Bonnie Thom

Need 1



GREETERS:

4:00

7:30 Robyn Deshayes

10:30 Bonnie Thom



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Am I waiting for the "right" time to become a good steward? Do I plan to share my time and talents "later"? Today's Gospel warns those who are procrastinating about stewardship to be prepared – "at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come."

	<u>Aug. 2/3</u>	<u>Last Year</u>
Envelopes:	108	123
Collection:	\$5,867.00	\$6,303.00
On-Line Giving (54)	\$3,792.00	\$3,347.00
Loose:	\$1,000.00	\$ 698.00



FROM THE RECTOR'S DESK

Perpetual Light Society Mass & Dinner

A bequest to Cathedral parish, Calvary Cemetery, or Cathedral School through your estate plan is a powerful expression of your commitment to your Catholic faith. We recognize this generosity on our Perpetual Light Wall and through the Perpetual Light Mass & Dinner. We invite all those who are members, or those who are interested in learning more, to the Mass & Dinner on August 28, at 5:00pm. Please RSVP for the dinner to: Jessica Poskozim, 715-392-8511.



SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

June - August Monday – Thursday 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM Friday – Parish Office is closed



WEEKLY MEDITATION

Here are some of the themes that we discern in Mass readings for the 19th Sunday of the Year.

1st Reading - Wisdom 18:6-9

- On the night of the Passover the children of Israel put their faith in God, offering sacrifice.
- The Lord punished their adversaries and destroyed their foes.

Psalm - 33:1,12,18-22

- "Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own."
- "We wait for the Lord, who is our help and our shield."

2nd Reading - Hebrews 11:1-2,8-19

- "Faith is the realization of what is hoped for and evidence of things unseen."
- Abraham is an example of faith, trusting in God when put to the test.

Gospel - Luke 12:32-48

- Jesus instructs his disciples, telling them that where their treasure is, there also will their hearts be.
- The Lord offers a parable about servants awaiting their master's return, saying that "much will be required of the person entrusted with much."

Fr. Andrew

Question for Children: Jesus tells us to always be ready to hear him. What are some ways that he speaks to us?

Question for Youth: If Jesus were to knock on your door today and give you a report card on your life as His disciple, what grade would you get? Where would be your areas for improvement?

Question for Adults: On a daily basis, what are some ways to keep yourself "ready for God to act?" How do you pay attention to God's often-less-than-obvious actions?

Readings for the week of August 10, 2025

Sunday: Wis 18:6-9/Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19,20-22 (12b)

Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12

Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

Monday: Dt 10:12-22/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14

Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: Dt 31:1-8/Dt 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12

Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: Dt 34:1-12/Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17

Mt 18:15-20

Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Ps 114:1-2,3-4, 5-6

Mt 18:21—19:1

Friday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10,

13-14/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28

Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10,11,12,16

1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

Saturday: Jos 24:14-29/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11

Mt 19:13-15

Next Sunday: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10/Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18 (14b)

Heb 12:1-4/Lk 12:49-53

CATHEDRAL NEWS



PRAYER GROUP MEETING

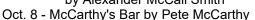
Monday, August 18th 6:30 PM Cathedral – Kress Hall All are welcome!

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

The Cathedral Book Club 2025-2026

We meet in the Cathedral Parish Office at 6:30 pm. All are welcome to join us.

Sept. 10 - The No. 1 Ladies Detective Agency by Alexander McCall Smith



Nov. 5 - A Song for Nagasaki by Paul Glynn

Dec. 3 - Movie Night, The Nun Story

Jan. 14 - Ghost Soldiers by Hampton Sides

Feb. 4 - Acts of the Apostles

March 11 - Hope: The Autobiography by Pope Francis

May 6 - Golden Doves by Martha Hall Kelly

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLIES

If you know any families who are in need of school supplies because of financial hardship, please have them leave a message for our Society, and we will reach out to them. We will continue to accept items again this weekend. Please place them in the cart at the Cathedral. Check out last weekend's bulletin for a list of items that are needed. Thank you to those who donated supplies.!

Voicemail: 715-398-4039

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

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS



SCHOOL OFFICE SUMMER HOURS:

The summer hours for the school will be Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday 10:00am to 1:00pm. Please call (715-392-2976) ahead to make sure someone is in the office.

Cathedral School Registration

Cathedral School Registration for the 2025-2026 School Year is available for Preschool through 8th grade. Cathedral School continues its 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. For more information, please contact us at 715-392-2976.

Employment Opportunities

Cathedral School is currently accepting applications for the 2025–2026 school year. Employment opportunities are available in the following areas:

- Preschool
- Physical Education
- Extended Care
- School Aides
- Hot Lunch Program



CLUSTER NEWS

CLUSTER MASS SCHEDULE



Friday, AUGUST 15TH
8:00am – Holy Assumption
8:30am – Cathedral
10:00am – St. Anthony, Superior
12:05pm – Cathedral
6:00pm – St. Anthony, Lake Nebagamon
7:00pm – Cathedral

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 – 1st Saturday from 5:30-6pm Holy Assumption – 1st Friday from 7:30-8:00am St. Anthony, Sup. – 1st Tuesday from 8-8:30am



ST. ANDREW DINNER

The vocations team of the Diocese of Superior would like to invite any young men in middle school, high school, and young adults who are open to a discussion on God's will for you to join us on August 13, 2025, from 5:00pm – 8:00pm at Holy Rosary Parish in Medford, WI for our St. Andrew Dinner. We also encourage parents to join their sons for this event. The night will include socializing and discussion with priests and seminarians of the diocese, vocations team members, and parents of priests and seminarians as well as a delicious meal, breakout sessions, and a panel discussion. Contact your pastor or Fr. Patrick McConnell at frpatrick@hrmedford.org or 715-218-9812 with any questions or to sign up. Know of our prayers for all discerners for an openness to the will of God. Look forward to seeing you there.

FREE POP-UP BIKE REPAIR CLINIC

(Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council #499)
Saturday, August 16, 2025 (Rain Date-August 23)
St. Anthony Catholic Church, 4315 E 3rd St, Superior, WI
Services Offered: Minor Adjustments,
Cable Replacement, Wheel Truing, Tire Repair,
Basic Maintenance

ROAST PORK DINNER

August 17, 2025 - Lake Nebagamon

St. Anthony, Lake Nebagamon will be having a Roast Pork Dinner from 12 noon to 2pm in the Parish Hall. Roast pork, mashed potatoes and gravy, sweet corn, coleslaw, applesauce, relish, rolls & butter, homemade desserts, coffee, lemonade and water - \$15 a ticket. Special Kid's Menu for Children 10 & Under - \$5 for hotdog, chips, cookie, and drink. Tickets will be available at the door. For more information call 715-374-3570.

SUPERIOR CATHOLIC WOMEN'S GROUP Friday, August 22nd

<u>Topic:</u> The Power of Forgiveness <u>Location:</u> Millennium Trail Parking Lot

28th St/Wyoming Ave

Notes: 2 Mile Hike, Snacks Provided

Time: 6-8:30pm

Contact: Rita - 218-428-5741

ST. WILLIAM PASTY SALE

St. William Church has pre-baked, frozen pasties for sale \$5 each. They can be picked up after the 6:00 pm Mass on Saturdays or call Joannie at 715-399-2743 or Amy at 218-580-7354 to place your order.

ST. WILLIAM HAM & MEATLOAF DINNER

St. William Parish, Pattison Park, will hold its annual Ham & Meatloaf dinner on Sunday, September 7th, from 11:30 am to 4:00 pm. The menu includes ham, meatloaf, potatoes & gravy, buttered carrots, coleslaw, pickled beets, rolls, coffee and dessert. Price \$15 for adults, \$5 for children under 12 yrs., pre-schoolers free. Take-out dinners are available. There will be a Bake Sale, Pasties, Country Garden, and Silent Auction. The church is located one mile west of WI Hwy 35 (Pattison Park) on County Rd. B. and is wheelchair accessible. All are welcome.

SAVE THE DATE - KISA LASAGNA DINNER

The annual Lasagna Dinner to benefit our Kisa mission projects will be held on Saturday, September 27th from 4:30-7:00 at Holy Assumption. A wide variety of homemade lasagna will be served along with salad, bread, desserts and beverages. Free will offering.

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Impact this month

Stop

Take a few moments each day to pause and talk with God about your life.

Look

Look around yourself. Are you attentive to the people in your life? To those who are in need? Do you need to change some aspect of your life in order to more fully focus on the things that are important?

Listen

Listen to God's voice through the readings at Mass and in daily prayer; listen to the people you love; listen to the voice of the Holy Spirit within you. How may God be calling you to gain perspective in life by growing in humble faith?

See clearly

Life gets out of control at times. Faith brings focus and perspective.

Anyone who uses glasses or contact lenses to correct vision knows what a difference it makes when things are in focus. Do you sometimes wish there was a corrective lens for life? At times, overcommitment creates a blur of activity; a personal or family crisis makes it difficult to focus on the tasks at hand; the constant desire for or acquisition of things distracts us from what is at the heart of authentic, meaningful life.

If we listen carefully to the readings at Mass this month, we will begin to gain insight into the path for bringing focus to our life: *humble faith*. Such faith recognizes that through it all, God is with us.

"What great need there is to promote an encounter with God, whose tender love values and loves the story of every person!...this requires a readiness to be open, when necessary, to new ways of seeing things and different ways of acting, for each generation is different and has its own challenges, dreams and questions." Pope Leo XIV, May 28, 2025

Faith brings needed perspective to everything. Secure in God's love, we are free to seek God and God's ways and embrace our call to be with and for others.



In humble faith, we take the "narrow gate" which at the same time expands our view toward eternal life with God. Through the lens of humble faith, we treasure on things that last and see clearly the path that the Lord sets before us.

With humble faith, our lives come into sharp focus: the blur of activity recedes as we see what is most important; we know that Jesus walks with us, and find peace and consolation through every trial; we learn to separate wants from needs, and focus instead on what is important – faith, family, friends, and especially those who need to know God's love and mercy through us.

Impact

What do you treasure?

When we think of "treasure" in relationship to stewardship, our thoughts often first, and perhaps only, go to money. Yet, when we hear how Jesus refers to treasure in the Gospel of Luke he speaks of much more than money: our "treasure" is all that is precious to us. What we "treasure" is a sign of what is important in our lives.

What do you treasure? Family? Security? Money? A sense of purpose or meaning in life? Each of these has the potential for good in our lives and the lives of others; with each we can also lose perspective, placing the person/thing/desire above God, making it an idol. It is this about which Jesus warns us.



Jesus said to his disciples:
"Do not be afraid any longer, little flock, for your Father is pleased to give you the kingdom. Sell your belongings and give alms. Provide money bags for yourselves that do not wear out, an inexhaustible treasure in heaven that no thief can

reach nor moth destroy. For where your treasure

is, there also will your heart be.

above all things and building treasure in heaven may initially cause us anxiety or fear — doing so requires us to let go of false perceptions of control and calls us to place our trust instead in God who gives us everything that is good, including mercy, forgiveness, love, and hope. "Do not be afraid" to grow as a steward of hope!

This month, make a renewed commitment to steward hope in God through all you say and do. What action would help you make a "purse" that does not wear out, placing God and the needs of others before your own?

Being a steward of hope means treasuring the gifts of God by treasuring the presence and preciousness of the people around us,

especially those most in need. Treasure those who are hungry, thirsty, in need of clothing or shelter, the sick, imprisoned, dying... the doubtful, ignorant, sinners, afflicted, those who offend and hurt us, all who are in need of our prayers. Give them hope as a steward of the grace and goodness of the Lord.

Do we "treasure" the hope of Christ,

stewarding it well by sharing it lavishly, sacrificially, abundantly as it has been given to us? Re-read the passage from Luke with this in mind (substitute "hope" for kingdom, recognizing that we have hope in the kingdom of God): "Do not be afraid, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you hope..." Jesus understands that placing God

What does it mean to have faith?



Do you ever think about what it means to have faith? Faith is a gift, the grace of God who has created us with an inborn hunger to know him. When we respond to this grace, we come to believe in God and place our trust in him.

Faith is not something we possess, nor is it to be taken for granted. In the letter to the Hebrews, we hear, "Faith is the realization of what is hoped for and the evidence of things not seen." Many people see faith as a denial of reason.

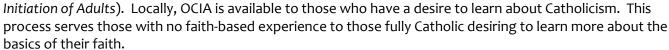
Faith and reason stand together, as it is God who created everything that exists, God who is revealed through scientific exploration, and in the beauty of the world around us, and is present the mystery of Christ's love, poured out in sacramental signs.

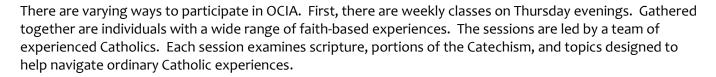
Through the help of the Holy Spirit, we open our minds to the truth of God's infinite love for each of us. Through the gift of faith, our hearts respond by embracing this love as the center of our lives.

Becoming Catholic

There is something beautiful happening these days. More and more adults are seeking information about the Holy Catholic Church. The excitement and energy is very real.

The process of bringing adults into full communion with the Catholic Church is called the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (formerly the Rite of Christian





Second, recognizing that life does not always allow for a weekly on-site commitment, arrangements can be made for individuals to independently study the materials with monthly visits with an OCIA team member.

Participation in OCIA is beneficial for people in many situations:

- Those with no faith-based experience.
- Those from other denominations who feel that they are being called to the Catholic Church.
- Baptized Catholics who would like to complete their Sacraments of Initiation.
- Non-Catholics who are married to a Catholic and would like to learn more about their spouses' faith.
- Fully initiated Catholics who feel that their understanding of the basics of the Catholic Church is dated and/or incomplete.

Does this sound like the experience for you or someone you know?

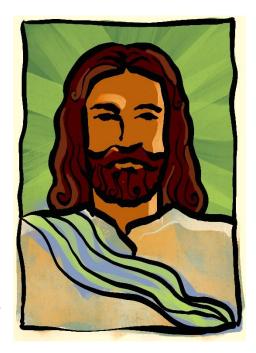
For more information, contact OCIA Coordinator Kathy Drinkwine at kathyd@superiorcatholics.org or leave a message at the Cathedral office 715 392 8511.



To Know, Love, and Serve Him: Adult Formation Programming

"To Know, Love and Serve Him" are words that were published in 1885 in the first edition of the Baltimore Catechism in response to the question, "Why did God make you?" Even though this question and response has been part of Catholic culture for 140 years – and things have changed so much – it is still very relevant today.

How do we know, love and serve God in this complicated world of ours? It's not always easy. But consider the progression of these three words: KNOW – LOVE – SERVE. The collective wisdom of the bishops* who created this text put these words in this order on purpose. They knew that to love and serve God, we first need to know Him.



Superior Catholics is pleased to share some opportunities to deepen your knowledge and relationship with God. All sessions are held in Kress Hall of the Cathedral.

Thursdays, 6:30 to 8:00 pm September 4 – October 16

The Search

This seven-session course is presented as a video & discussion series. Each session addresses a pointed question:

- 1. Who Are You?
- 2. Why a God?
- 3. What's Our Story?
- 4. Who is Jesus?

- 5. Am I Saved?
- 6. Why a Church?
- 7. What Do You Seek?

Thursdays, 6:30 to 8:00 pm October 23 – December 18

Note: One session will view two videos to allow for the Thanksgiving holiday.

The Case for Jesus

This course is presented as a video & discussion series. Each session draws evidence from both early Christian and non-Christian writings attesting to the authenticity, authorship, and dating of the Gospels, and gives an in-depth look at the Gospel accounts of Jesus's Crucifixion, Resurrection, and the proclamation of Christ's divinity.

- 1. Were the Gospels Anonymous?
- 2. The Early Church Fathers
- 3. Are the Gospels Biographies?
- 4. When were the Gospels Written?
- 5. The Kingdom of God and the Messiah
- 6. Did Jesus Claim to be God?
- 7. The Crucifixion of Jesus
- 8. The Resurrection of Jesus
- 9. Questions & Answers

^{*}The Baltimore Catechism was developed by the Catholic bishops of the United States in response to the tremendous influx of European immigrants in the mid-1800s. The simple question and answer format helped with the diversity of languages and educational levels.



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Guest Speaker

DANIELLE THIENEL



9:00 AM - 3:00 PM RETREAT
3:00 PM-3:50 PM CONFESSION
4:00 PM MASS
\$20 SUGGESTED DONATION TO COVER LUNCH
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Danielle Thienel is a certified life coach and Catholic wife and mother who helps bring peace to busy lives, including in the area of finances. She is also the host of The Peaceful Mind Podcast for Busy Moms, author of The Cyclone Mom MethodTM and author of The Peaceful Mind Bible. At this retreat, learn from Danielle how to harmonize your financial practices with your spiritual values for greater prosperity.

Ham and Meatloaf Dinner St. William Catholic Church

1 mile west of Hwy 35 (Pattison Park) on County Rd B ~ south of Superior, WI







Sunday, September 7, 2025

Dinner served from 11:30 AM - 4:00 PM

Take Outs Available



Mass Saturday 6:00 PM and Sunday 10:30 AM



ALL ARE WELCOME



Bake Sale ~ Pasties ~ Country Garden
Silent Auction

Adults: \$15.00

Children under 12 yrs: \$5.00

Preschoolers free

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