

St. William

Sunday November 16, 2025

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Saturday, November 15th 6:00 pm

People of the Parish

Saturday, November 22nd 7:00 pm

Hunter's Mass

Safety and Success of All Hunters



Saturday, November 22nd 7:00 pm

Reader Diane O'Connell

Wine Zakk Holmquist



**ST. WILLIAM'S ANNUAL HUNTER'S MASS
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22nd at 7:00 pm**

Soup Supper Served after Mass with soup, bread, coffee, desserts. Please bring non-perishable food items for the food shelves. Any donations for door prizes are appreciated. We need and appreciate your participation to make this event a success.

The Hunter's Mass Food Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board adjacent to the parish hall. If you would like to bring either soup or a dessert, please sign up what you are going to bring so that we get some idea of what would be served after the Mass. Also if you have an item you would like to donate for prizes to be given away, please bring them to the parish hall. Bring a non-perishable item in order to get in on the drawing for the prizes.



ST. WILLIAM WREATH SALE

32" decorated balsa evergreen wreaths
Greens are freshly cut and are made by parishioners. **\$30.00**

Available to purchase November 16th, after Mass or call Joannie Thompson at 715-399-2743.



ST. WILLIAM'S PIES FOR SALE

Dutch Apple Pie - Take and Bake (raw frozen)
Pecan Pie - Frozen and Baked (thaw and enjoy)
\$20 each

Call Amy at 218-590-7354. Pick up after Mass or make arrangements to pick up.



ST. WILLIAM'S FAMILY BINGO Tuesday, December 2nd

Concessions will be available at 5:30
Bingo starts at 6:30. Bingo is free.



Weekly Contributions

November 8, 2025



Envelopes.....\$ 555.00

Loose.....\$ 15.00

Online Giving.....\$ 471.75

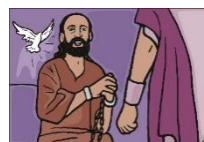
Thank you to all of our parishioners who continue to support our parish at Mass, on Line, or by Mail.

Pray for Their Health and Welfare

Fr. Ron Olson	Fr. Jim Tobolski	Mary Kunz
Maryann Grymala	Krista Hudacek Lambert	
Wendy Johnson	Carolyn Ward	Carl Schultz
Julia Dalbec	Chris Litchke	Marreddy Yannam
Scott Hockenbrock		

Pray for Those in the Armed Services

Nathaniel Grymala	Joe Austin
Nathan Blair	Brandon Anderson



Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

"It will lead to your giving testimony. Remember, you are not to prepare your defense beforehand, for I myself shall give you a wisdom in speaking that all your adversaries will be powerless to resist or refute." - Lk 21:13-15

LUTEFISK SWEDISH MEATBALL TICKETS

The tickets are here for St William's Lutfisk Swedish Meatball Dinner on Friday, December 5th serving from 4 to 7 pm. FYI after some research we found that William's is the only Catholic Church in the USA that has served Lutfisk. So get your tickets soon, and try it, you won't be disappointed! Lots of extras will be served. Please help support us. No tickets will be sold at the door. You can buy your tickets by calling Joannie @ 715-399-2743. Thanks for your support!



St. William pasties for sale
\$5. Pick up after Mass or call
Joannie at 715-399-2743 or
Amy at 218-580-7354 to
place your order.

Please pick up your
Advent Devotional
in the back of the
church to save on
postage.

WEEKLY MEDITATION

Let's explore some of the themes that we discover in the Mass readings for the 33rd Sunday of the Year.

1st Reading - Malachi 3:19-20a

- The day is coming when all the proud and evildoers will be stubble that is set on fire.
- For those who fear the Lord, there will arise a sun of justice with its healing rays.

Psalms - 98:5-9

- "The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice."
- The world and all living things will rejoice in the presence of the Lord.

2nd Reading - 2nd Thessalonians 3:7-12

- Paul recalls the example he set for the people, reminding them that if anyone was unwilling to work, neither should that one eat.
- The people are exhorted to work quietly and eat their own food.

Gospel - Luke 21:5-19

- While people are talking about the votive offerings and costly stones of the temple, Jesus tells them that the days will come when not a stone will be left upon another.
- The Lord then tells them that wars and insurrections will happen, but do not be terrified; his followers will be persecuted, but they will be given wisdom to speak before their adversaries.

Fr. Andrew

Question for Children: Jesus teaches us that work is good for us. What kind of work do you do during the week? How does it help you?

Question for Youth: Jesus tells us that even though bad things will happen, we are safe in God. When have you felt the safety of God's life in your own life?

Question for Adults: Paul's words to the Thessalonians are tough: if you want to eat, you must work! How does this translate into our society today? How do you reconcile this with Jesus' command to love and feed the poor?

Readings for the week of November 16, 2025

Sunday:	Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9 (see 9) 2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19
Monday:	1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63 Ps 119:53,61,134,150,155,158/Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday:	2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday:	2 Mc 7:1,20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6,8b and 15 Lk 19:11-28
Thursday:	1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15 Lk 19:41-44
Friday:	1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd/Lk 19:45-48
Saturday:	1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19 Lk 20:27-40
Next Sunday:	2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5 (see 1) Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS

- November 26th- 28th- No School- Thanksgiving Break

Cathedral School is posting a position for an afternoon Janitor

- ~ Job description and application forms are available at the Cathedral Parish Office.
- ~ Include cover letter & resume to Colleen and return to the Cathedral Parish Office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Ed. Classes

Wednesday, November 19th in Cathedral Kress Hall.

PreK – 6th grade classes from 5:30-6:30pm.

7th grade - Confirmation class from 7-8pm.

(No Confirmation Class on November 19th)

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

THANK YOU FOR RESPONDING TO OUR ANNUAL APPEAL

We are grateful to everyone who responded generously to the second collection this weekend for our Society at area parishes. It is not too late to consider a year-end gift.

A tax-deductible donation can be mailed to:
SVDP P.O. Box 98 Superior, WI 54880

Your support allows us to prevent homelessness and to help those who are homeless in our community. You help to provide direct assistance to those in need and hope in God's providence.



Voicemail: 715-398-4039

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



PRAYER GROUP MEETING

Monday, November 17th

6:00 PM Cathedral – Kress Hall

All are welcome!

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

PLEASE VISIT OUR SUPERIOR CLUSTER WEBSITE AT: <https://superiorcatholics.org>

PARISH SECRETARY

Holy Assumption is hiring a part time secretary. Those interested in applying can pick up a job description in the parish office along with a parish application form. The application and a cover letter need to be returned to Fr. Andrew at the Holy Assumption office by Monday, December 1st.

PARISH CUSTODIAN

Holy Assumption is hiring a part time custodian. Those interested in applying can pick up a job description in the parish office along with a parish application form. The application and a cover letter need to be returned to Fr. Andrew at the Holy Assumption office by Monday, December 1st.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #499 TURKEY BINGO

The Knights of Columbus, Council 499 will be holding a Turkey Bingo on Tuesday, November 18th, in St. Anthony, Parish Hall at 6:30 p.m. Cards are 25 cents each. Prizes include Five Free SuperOne gift cards and lots of half pot games. Snacks and beverages will be provided. All are welcome, you don't have to be a knight to attend. All proceeds donated go to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

OCIA/ADULT FORMATION

Thursday, November 20th ~ 6:30-8:30pm in Kress Hall
The Case for Jesus – This series is presented by well-known author, Dr. Brant Pitre. 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.
Session Topic ~ The Kingdom of God and the Messiah?

CRAFT FAIR

St. Anthony Lake Nebagamon- Parish Hall
(11648 E County Rd B, Lake Nebagamon)
November 22 ~ 9:00am-2:00pm



*Many vendors selling large variety of items:
cards, fabric goods, knit and crochet items, jewelry,
woodworking, photography, soaps, candles and
much more!*

CATHOLIC MEN'S GROUP

Catholic Men's Group will meet on Monday's at 7:00 p.m. once a month in Kress Hall. Men of all ages are invited for Catholic fellowship and discussion.

Catholic Men's Group 2025-2026: Into the Breach

Nov. 24 – Brendan Fouts presents on Leadership
Dec. 22 – Aidan Jones presents on Evangelization
Jan. 26 – Isaac Hopke presents on Brotherhood
Feb. 23 – Bill Kovaleski presents on Suffering
Mar. 30 – Brad Montgomery presents on Masculinity
Apr. 27 – Tom Tracy presents on Prayer

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The Cathedral Book Club 2025-2026

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

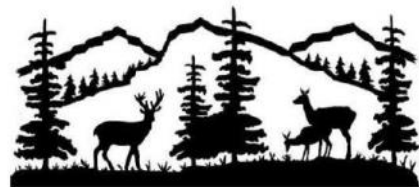


Dec. 3 - Movie Night, The Nun Story
Jan. 14 - Ghost Soldiers by Hampton Sides
Feb. 4 - Acts of the Apostles
March 11 - Hope: The Autobiography by Pope Francis
May 6 – Golden Doves by Martha Hall Kelly

Faith in Action Serving Others: Benefits Coordinator Opening

~ The Diocese of Superior is seeking a full-time Coordinator of Employee Benefits and Insurance to join our team at the Chancery in Superior. This is a unique opportunity for a practicing Catholic with expertise in benefits administration to directly support the mission of the Church. The role involves overseeing the administration of crucial employee benefits (health, dental, life, disability), managing open enrollment, ensuring ACA compliance, and assisting with various insurance plans (property, liability, workers' compensation). We seek candidates with a 2- or 4-year degree in Business, Finance, or HR (or equivalent experience), proficiency in QuickBooks and MS Office, and a strong foundation in benefits administration. If you are looking for a professional career aligned with your faith and values, please submit a letter of interest, resume, and references to Cindy Gronski at cgronski@catholicdos.org.

HUNTERS MASS



1 mile west of Hwy 35 (Pattison Park) on E. County Rd B
~ South of Superior ~

St. William Church

Saturday - November 22, 2025

Mass at 7:00 p.m.

**Soup Supper Served
with soup, bread, coffee, desserts**

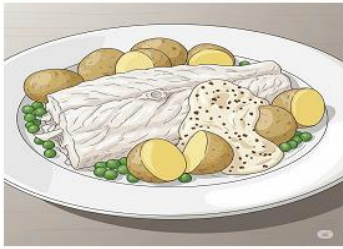
**Bring a non-perishable food item to donate to the
food basket for needy families and have your name
placed in a drawing for door prizes to be
given away during the soup supper.**

WE WISH YOU A SAFE & SUCCESSFUL HUNT!

Lutefisk & Meatball Dinner

St. William Catholic Church

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



Friday, December 5, 2025

Menu includes: Lutefisk with white sauce or melted butter, boiled potatoes, Swedish meatballs, lefse, coleslaw, peas, pickled beets, beverage, and dessert

Dinner is served 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM

 **ALL ARE WELCOME** 

Tickets \$25

Only 100 dinners are being served

Call Joannie at 715-399-2743 to reserve tickets

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Tuesday, December 2nd

Concessions will be available at 5:30

Bingo starts at 6:30



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.

St. William Church Wreath Sale



32" decorated balsam evergreen wreaths
greens are freshly cut and wreaths
are made by parishioners

\$30.00

Wreath Sale begins November 16, 2025

Pick up or delivery can be arranged

Wreaths can be purchased after the
St. William Church (7:00 pm) Hunter Mass, Sat. Nov. 22
or Sat. November 29 after the 6:00 p.m. Mass
Call Joannie Thompson 715-399-2743 to order

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Take and Bake (raw frozen)

Dutch Apple Pie

Frozen and Baked

Pecan Pie

(Take, thaw and enjoy)

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COMMUNITY NEWS

ORGAN RECITAL

First United Methodist Church (aka "The Coppertop Church") is hosting an organ recital on Sunday, November 16 at 3:00pm with organists Velda Graham Bell, Karen Hanson Sande and Rachael Kresha. The concert, "Music She Wrote," shines a spotlight on the incredible talents of women composers for the pipe organ. Organ repertoire dating from the 17th century up until recent times will be featured. This recital continues to celebrate the recent renovation and expansion of the church's Austin pipe organ. Admission is free, with a freewill offering to be taken.

Cathedral of Christ the King
Holy Assumption * St. Anthony, Superior * St. William * St. Anthony, Lake Nebagamon

Fr. Andrew Ricci
1410 Baxter Ave – Superior, WI 54880
715-392-8511 * rector@superiorcathedral.org

Advent Retreat
St. William Catholic Church
December 6, 2025

“Welcoming the Light of Christ into our Lives”

Schedule

1:00pm	Doors Open/Registration
1:30pm	1 st Talk – Christ our Light
2:15pm	Break
2:30pm	2 nd Talk – Tending the flame of faith in our hearts
3:15pm	Break
3:30pm	3 rd Talk – What do we do in the face of darkness?
4:15pm	Break
4:30pm	4 th Talk – Sharing the light with others
5:15pm	Break for Eucharistic Adoration
6:00pm	Mass
7:00pm	Departure

Cost Suggested Donation of \$25/person, paid at the door

Hospitality Snacks and Coffee will be provided throughout the day

Speaker Fr. Andrew Ricci

To Register Call the Cathedral Parish office at 715-392-8511 by December 5th

Cenacle Prayer Group

Would you like to be part of a faith sharing small group? Are you looking for a weekly opportunity to pray and reflect on how God is working in your life, but in a way that respects your time and is both focused and positive? Our cluster is looking for people who want to grow together in faith through a Cenacle prayer group.

Cenacle – a faith sharing small group (it refers to the “Upper Room” where the disciples met.)

Cenacle Key Points

The group is ideally composed of 4-7 people.

Each week, a different person in the group leads the Cenacle.

The group meets weekly (with rare exceptions based on holidays and life situations).

The Cenacle lasts between 30-60 minutes; it never goes beyond an hour.

The group can meet in person or digitally

- If in person, do it at a regular time that suits everyone (after Mass, over coffee, at home, etc.)
- If online, use what works for your group (FaceTime, Google Meet, a Zoom call, etc.)

Cenacle Format – THIS IS WHAT YOU ACTUALLY DO

- Opening Prayer (1-2 minutes)
 - Led by whoever is leading the meeting that week; when in doubt, use the Our Father!
- Check in with each other (10-15 minutes)
 - Each person takes 2-4 minutes (never more than 5!) to share events from the past week
- Reflection (15-30 minutes)
 - Sunday Gospel Reading
 - The Gospel is read out loud
 - People share something (a word/phrase/image) that touched them from the reading
- Goals for the coming week (10-15 minutes)
 - Each person takes 2-3 minutes to share their goals and objectives for the coming week.
- Closing Prayer
 - Each person names any specific prayer intentions that they have.
 - The Leader offers a concluding prayer; if you're not sure what prayer to use, say the Hail Mary!

Hallmarks of a healthy Cenacle

- Positivity – the focus is always on personal growth when sharing struggles; “venting” is to be avoided.
- Vulnerability – requires participants to be real in their joys and burdens.
- Leadership – group is accountable: gossip, toxic behaviors, being present, not monopolizing time, etc.
- Investment – participants make the Cenacle a priority and are thoughtfully present and prepared.

Who can join?

- Anyone! What's required is someone who wants to make a weekly commitment to grow in faith.
- In fact, if you connect each week on a Zoom call, you can be anywhere in the world!
 - Note: the big thing is that people make this a priority in their lives.
 - Once a week, they come together to pray, reflect, and support each other.
 - It's not complicated, but over time we find ourselves growing closer to God and each other.

Choose a Group Leader and connect with Fr. Andrew to begin

- The Leader keeps the group organized and communicates with Fr. Andrew.
- This person emails Fr. Andrew at fatherandrew97@gmail.com to let him know the group has formed.