

The Catholic communities of

St. Ann

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Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator

If you or someone you know has been the victim of sexual misconduct on the part of a priest, deacon, or individual representing the Diocese of Crookston, its parishes, or its schools, please contact Cindy Hulst, LSW, the diocesan Victim's Assistance Coordinator at 218-281-7895 (24-hour confidential number).



Marriage: Please make an appointment to see the pastor twelve months prior than the intended date of celebration.

Baptisms: Baptisms are scheduled as we have candidates. Please call the parish office to register yourself or your child.

Reconciliation: Before Mass or anytime by appointment with a priest.

Prayer Chain: To be a member or place an intention, contact Rose Mary Simon, 218-473-2147

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time July 6-7, 2024



A prophet is not without honor except in his native place. (Mark 6:4)

“A prophet is not one who looks into the future, but one who has insight into the present. The biblical prophets were always members of the community who were called by God to speak to that community. It was not difficult to accept them when their message was affirming. But when they criticized the community and challenged it to repentance and reform, the messenger was often rejected along with the message. This was the case with both Ezekiel and Jesus. The prophetic mantle was, and continues to be, a heavy one to bear.”

 Dianne Bergant, C.S.A.
*professor of biblical studies at
Catholic Theological Union in Chicago*

☞ Mass Intentions this Week ☞

July 6	Sat	5 PM (W) 7:30 PM (BEL)	Richard & Genny Kersting† Del Rose Karels†
July 7	Sun	9 AM (NTW) 11:00 AM (W)	Jeff Roy† People of the Parishes
July 8	Mon	No Mass	
July 9	Tue	8 AM (W)	Missionary Oblates†
July 10	Wed	8 AM (W)	Sam Holl†
July 11	Thu	8 AM (W)	Special Intention
July 12	Fri	8 AM (W)	Henry & Bernice Horack†
July 13	Sat	5 PM (W) 7:30 PM (BEL)	People of the Parishes Mary Paulson†
July 14	Sun	9 AM (NTW) 11:00 AM (W)	Don Weber† Alby & Marlene Scherping†

Gospel Reflection: *Read Mark 6:1-6a*



“Who does he think he is?” and “She’s just too much!” are common complaints used to belittle others. When Jesus first returned to Nazareth and preached in the local synagogue, his audience was amazed. They could not believe that one who had

grown up in their midst could be such an outstanding teacher and healer. Perhaps they envied and feared the power they sensed in him.

Because of their refusal to believe, Jesus could work few miracles among them. He understood that a prophet is not honored in his own hometown. So he moved on to other villages where the people welcomed him.

How does his experience help you to act when you are misunderstood or criticized for doing the right thing?



We remember in our prayers...

Germaine Riegert, Linda Schumann, Butch and Joyce Klinkhammer, Owen Bendickson, Jeannie Williams, Ron Bastryr, Robert Blaeser, Diane Mattsen, Tim Staffenhagen, Lucas Peterson, Gary Williams, Rita Carlson, Janine Madison, Charlotte Borseth, Henry Rivers, Katie Lombardo, Brian Smith, David Farm, Dawn Necas, Richard Brudevold, Stanley Heisler, Ginny Sahli, Corey Hoseth, Joyce (Toczek) Santjer, Paul & Barbara Brehm, Jeffrey Gieseke, Rachel Secrist, Laura Foss Linder, Richard LaFriniere, Katelyn Lorsung, George Bauer, Paul Bisek, Ted Holl, Jeff Larson, Lois Bement, Sandy Pavek, Colleen Borgrud, Mike Fosness, Gary & Vaun Borgrud, Kerry Ann Kenney, Betty Schoenborn, Jacques Rolland, Yvonne Bregel, David Riegert, Tayvis Zima, Gabe Brisbois, and Peg Braaten.

Stewardship

Thank you for your financial support of our parish ministry. Last weekend the offering totals were:

St. Ann (W) Adult \$820; Plate \$449; Catholic Community Foundation \$120.94; Total \$1389.94.

St. Frances Cabrini (BEL): Adult \$150; Plate \$102; Catholic Community Foundation \$25.11; Total \$277.11.

St. Anne (NTW): Adult \$620; Plate \$376; Catholic Community Foundation \$42.94; Donation \$25; Total \$1063.94.



Second Collection: Next week we will take up the **Peter’s Pence Collection** to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous.



Diocesan Annual Appeal – If you have made your commitment, thank you! If not, please make your pledge or gift this weekend. Use the pledge envelope sent to your home, or one available here in the church, or visit www.crookston.org/DAA to make a gift online. This is where we stand:

Parish	Goal	Pledged	Remaining	Donors
W	\$5191	\$7290	Over goal!	18
BEL	\$1349	\$1500	Over goal!	4
NTW	\$2768	\$1460	\$1308	8

Please help us maintain our cemeteries.

We need your help to meet our perpetual care expenses. Checks payable to St. Ann Church (W) or St. Anne Church (NTW), earmarked “Cemetery”, are appreciated. You may mail your check to the parish office or place it in the collection basket. Thank you. Note: St. Anne (NTW) is responsible for St. Agnes Cemetery in Lengby.

Religious Education

Classes are held on Wednesdays at St. Ann, Waubun, September to the beginning of May. For information about our program or to register your child for the 2024-25 school year, contact **Janet Lhotka** at **218-473-2101**.

A request from our office...

Please remember to update your contact information with the parish office when you have a change in address, phone number, or email.

Visitors are welcome to be added to our email group to receive the weekly bulletin. Contact the parish office with your email address, 1112sta@arvig.net.

St. Anne – NayTahWaush – Parish News



Jason and Tina Starkey celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary on Tuesday, July 2nd. Congratulations! Blessings in year 31!



We have coffee and fellowship every Sunday after Mass downstairs. All are welcome.



Monthly Rosary Service

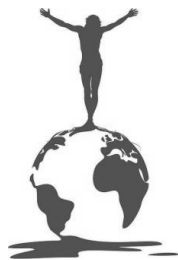
Our next monthly rosary service will be on **Monday, July 8th, at 3pm** at St. Ann Catholic Church in Waubun. All are welcome.

Ministry to the Sick and Homebound

We desire to serve you “in sickness and in health.” Please call Fr. John at the parish office or at 218-473-2005 x106 (residence) or 305-753-2087 (cell), if you or a loved one would like a visit at home or in the hospital.

Our list of home-bound members has grown quite long. We are looking for members to be a part of this wonderful ministry to them. If you are interested in joining, or if you would like more information, *please contact the Parish Office at (218) 473-2101 or see Fr. John.*

July – Precious Blood of Christ



The month of July is traditionally dedicated to the Precious Blood, and Catholics are encouraged to meditate on the profound sacrifice of Jesus and the pouring out of his blood for humanity.

O God, creator and sustainer of life, you sent Jesus into our world as a sign of unconditional love. As Jesus poured out his life for the sake of all, grant us the strength to do the same. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

St. Frances Cabrini News – Big Elbow

With great sadness we share that long-time member, **Roger Houglum** passed away on Tuesday, July 2. We extend our love and prayers to Donna and family. Services have been entrusted to the Donehower Funeral Home in Detroit Lakes. Check the website for details.

“May we think of freedom not as the right to do as we please, but as the opportunity to do what is right.”

Peter Marshall, former chaplain of the U.S. Senate

Happy Independence Day weekend! Reflect on opportunities God gives you to do what is right.

Tekakwitha, walk with us.

St. Kateri Tekakwitha, the only Native American saint, died at the age of 24. Her feast day is July 14.

St. Kateri Tekakwitha is a true witness and model of one who followed in Jesus' footsteps during her life on Mother Earth. St. Kateri's prayerful life exemplifies her close relationship with her Creator God.



This young Mohawk–Algonquin girl, named Sunshine by her father, was orphaned at the age of four after losing both parents and her younger brother to the smallpox epidemic that swept through the Mohawk village which today is called the Mohawk Valley, along the Mohawk River, in central New York State.

Even as a very young girl, she was quite different from the others her age—some of it due to the exterior scars on her face from the smallpox, but interiorly, she seemed to have different values from those girls her age and older. Already deep within her being, she seemed to be searching for more. Tekakwitha was definitely not a follower just to “fit in” with the other members in the village. She faithfully performed her household duties and all other chores that were expected of her by her aunt and uncle's request. She seemed to appreciate any free time to be alone, to walk outdoors and enjoy nature. There was an inner call to something more.

The Universal Church raised this young 24-year-old of the mid-seventeenth century to the altars of the Church in October 2012. She is teaching us today, as a true native elder, that we, too, can follow an inner call leading us to the unknown. With faith, trust and love, Christ Jesus will lead us to fulfill dreams and achieve goals that will make us more human and Christ-like, like himself.

St. Kateri Tekakwitha, inspire and walk with us.

St. Kateri Tekakwitha, walk with us, is an excerpt of a reflection originally published on The United States. Conference of Catholic Bishops' To Go Forth Blog, written by Sr. Kateri Mitchell, SSA, Mohawk Nation Turtle Clan. Used with permission.

Feast of St. Kateri Tekakwitha

Sunday, July 14, Mass at 9:00 AM

St. Anne Catholic Church, Naytahwaush

Each day this week, please pray the St. Kateri Novena Prayer for your intentions, for all the people of our reservation community, and for our ministry on the reservation. *Prayer cards are available in the church entrances.*

Masstimes.org

You can attend Mass while you travel this summer. Go to www.masstimes.org for a listing of churches in your vacation destination.

Jesus Is Rejected in Nazareth, Mark 6:1-6

Jesus said to them, “Only in his hometown, among his relatives and in his own house is a prophet without honor.” (Mark 6:4)

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 J E E P O R H D A D U I C U O
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SYNAGOGUE	SABBATH	JOSEPH	JUDAS
HOMETOWN	PROPHET	HEARD	JAMES
CARPENTER	AMAZED	HONOR	FAITH
MIRACLES	WISDOM	TEACH	MARY
DISCIPLES	SISTERS	SIMON	JESUS

How Jesus is the hidden celebrant of every Mass *Philip Kosloski (July 2, 2024)*



Sometimes it can be easy to forget that Jesus is fully present at each Mass and that the priest or bishop is only an instrument for his miraculous power.

The priest cannot bring about anything without the supernatural help of God working through him.

In the person of Christ

The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* explains that Jesus is the primary agent of the Eucharist:

Christians come together in one place for the Eucharistic assembly. At its head is Christ himself, the principal agent of the Eucharist. He is high priest of the New Covenant; it is he himself who presides invisibly over every Eucharistic celebration. It is in representing him that the bishop or priest acting *in the person of Christ* the head (in persona Christi capitis) presides over the assembly, speaks after the readings, receives the offerings, and says the Eucharistic Prayer. (CCC 1348)

St. John Paul II highlights this phrase in his encyclical, *Ecclesia de Eucharistia*, and recalls its significance:

“The expression repeatedly employed by the Second Vatican Council, according to which ‘the ministerial priest, acting in the person of Christ, brings about the Eucharistic Sacrifice,’ was already firmly rooted in papal teaching. As I have pointed out on other occasions, the phrase *in persona Christi* means more than ‘offering in the name of or in the place of Christ.’ *In persona* means in specific sacramental identification with the eternal High Priest who is the author and principal subject of this sacrifice of his, a sacrifice in which, in truth, nobody can take his place.”

This teaching is one of the reasons why the priest says in the first person, “This is my body.”

The priest is not referring to his own body, but to Jesus’ body, speaking the words as if Jesus were speaking them.

In fact, Jesus *is* speaking those words through the priest in a mystical way, becoming present in the bread and wine through the words of the priest.

The priest is simply God’s instrument. While he may visibly appear to be the main celebrant of the Mass, it is Christ himself who is the one working behind the scenes through every action of the priest.

Philip Kosloski is a staff writer for *Aleteia*, the on-line Catholic news and information publication. Visit www.aleteia.org.

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WAUBUN DAYS

FREE

ENTRY

JULY 12th - Volleyball Under The Lights
at Sundown Saloon

- SATURDAY - JULY 13th

PARADE at 12pm

Cash Prizes for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd

- * Softball Tourney (All Day)
- * Pickle Ball Tourney (after parade)
- * Lions are serving a meal

FREE Cornhole Tourney for Kids & Adults

(Adults Tourney Winners Receive FREE Cornhole Boards Courtesy of Cedar-Sease)

Plus Music, Bingo, and kids games! - Let's Have Some Fun!!!