

# Sacred Heart Catholic Church

202 West Maple, Frazee MN 56544

My dear friends in Christ,

We are all so happy that the weather is changing and there is true hope of some early spring. Whatever we say about our winters, it is always good to have some warm days that warm up our hearts and minds. As we have begun Lent this week, I would love to reflect with you on the purpose of Lent for our Christian life and spiritual journey.

"Everything turns to ashes, everything whatever. This house I live in, these clothes I am wearing, my household stuff, my money, my fields, meadows, woods, the dog that follows me, the clock in the hall, this hand I am writing with, these eyes that read what I write, all the rest of my body, people I have loved, people I have hated, or been afraid of, whatever was great in my eyes upon earth, whatever small and contemptible, all without exception will fall back into dust (Fr. Romano Guardini)."

When I read those words of Fr. Romano Guardini, I paused for a minute. Even as our life looks so green and beautiful at this particular moment, don't you think that all these colorful aspects of our life are going to turn into dust? If so, then what do we gain out of this life? Whether we live up to 70, 80 or 90 years, if we are not living our lives in a particular way as the Lord invites us to live, then all we achieve on this earth has no unique significance.

We are all called to reach out in love to those who are in need. We will all be judged by the true acts of love that we extend to those who are in real need around us. It is a call to see Jesus in the suffering brothers and sisters. Only by serving and loving such people, will we become strong in our faith. Sometimes we wonder about the weakening of our faith. Do you know why? It is because we are not sufficiently extending our hearts to those who are in need. The more you love the people in need, the stronger your faith in the Lord grows. When we do more moral acts of love and sacrifice, we become better friends of Jesus. Let us take this Lent as a great opportunity to become true friends of Jesus. May God bless your Lenten journey that you will grow holier and closer to our Lord!

Your friend in Christ,  
Fr. Xavier Ilango

### Weekday Mass Schedule Mar 10-16

Mon. 5:30 p.m. +Chad Jutz  
Tues. 9:00 a.m. Becky Korzendorfer and Peter Korzendorfer  
Wed: 9:00 a.m. +Nathan Lindsley  
Thurs: 9:00 a.m. +Carol Lormis  
Fri. 7:30 a.m. +Virginia Quiggle  
5:30 p.m. +Kathy Dunn Medcalf  
Sat: 5:30 p.m. +Barney Furey  
Sun. 8:30 a.m. Pro Popolo

### PASTOR

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### Mass Times

Monday 5:30 p m  
Tuesday-Thursday  
9:00 am  
Friday 7:30 AM  
(Care Center)  
Saturday 5:30 pm  
Sun ay 8:30AM

### CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 4:30PM

### ADORATION:

Tuesdays: 9:30AM-6 PM

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We will pray the Rosary during Lent starting 25 minutes before each of the weekend Masses.



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Applications for the John Arouni Catholic Education Scholarships are now available in the vestibule and on the parish website.

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Application deadline is April 1, 2014.

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*The Little Black Books* for Lenten devotions are on the counter in the vestibule. Take one while the supply lasts.

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In February, our donations toward the Building Fund totaled \$918.00; our monthly loan payment to the Diocese is \$1,659.314.

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Father Ilango's ARISE group will begin on Sunday, March 23.

### Parishioners' Prayer Requests

Parish families have asked us to keep in our prayers their loved ones who are ill. Please pray for:

-Barbara Hanson -Emily Martin  
-Luella Baumgart -Sue Turnbull  
-Casey Courneya -Ron Jensen  
-Dave Goebel -Diane Quiram  
-Tammy Soyring -Henry Schreiner  
-Cecil Cook -Debbie Ehler  
-Norman Buseth -Kylee Jean Miller  
-Tom Trieglaff -Dan Hodgson  
-Becky Korzendorfer

### Collections Mar 2, 2014

**Collection Basket**  
Adult \$3,339.00  
Loose 238.00  
Children 8.00  
**Total: \$3,745.00**

Attendance:  
Saturday  
284

**Needed per Week to Reach Budget:**

\$4,202.29—This figure includes all sources of parish income (i.e., funerals, flower collections, fall dinner, etc), not just the Sunday collections.

### This week's Total:

\$ 3,745.00  
\$ 6,960.15  
\$10,705.15

### Other Budgeted Income

Vigil Lights \$ 42.66  
Window Fund (Bette Daggett Mem.) 5,370.00  
Crookston Diocese 629.49  
Building Fund 918.00  
**Total \$6,960.15**

**Other Parish Fund Raisers: Scholarship Fund—\$75.00**

**Non-Parish Collections: Home Missions—\$20**

### UPCOMING:

**Mar 14: 5:30 pm Mass, followed by KC Fish Fry; Stations of the Cross @ 6:45**

**Mar 16: RCIA class at 7:00 pm**

**Mar 17: KC Officers' Meeting 7:00 at Church**

**Mar 21: Mass at 5:30 pm; Soup and Sandwich Supper after Mass, Stations of the Cross at 6:45**

**Mar 26: Mass & Healing Service 7:00 pm**

**Mar 28: 5:30 pm Mass, followed by KC Fish Fry; Stations of the Cross @ 6:45**

### Ministry Schedule for Mar 16, 2014

|                  | 5:30 PM                            | 8:30 PM          |
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| FCC—             | Christine Daggett and Kristi Roers |                  |
| <b>Ministers</b> | Jeanie Wothe                       | Cheryl Stegmaier |
| <b>Of Holy</b>   | Kristi Roers                       | Sharon Guck      |
| <b>Communion</b> | Jill Mickelson                     | Paul Guck        |
|                  |                                    | Jerilyn Beckman  |
|                  |                                    | Tracy Roforth    |
| <b>Lectors</b>   | Vince Roers                        | Fred Daggett     |
| <b>Ushers</b>    | Ross Kasowski                      | Chris Stenger    |
|                  | Don Ulschmid                       | Tim Stenger      |
| <b>Servers</b>   | Catheringe Jaroszewski             | Charlton Wake    |
|                  | Grace Jaroszewski                  | Kaitlyn Wake     |
|                  | Brett Alger                        | Ricky Roforth    |

*\*Note to ministers: This schedule does not reflect any recent changes or substitutions you may have made.*

Circle 2 is in charge of donuts in March  
Circle 3 will be in charge of donuts in April

March 2nd Collections: 9th—Black & Indian Missions; 16th—FACC; 30th—Catholic Relief Services

Parish Directories are here. If you have your picture in the directory, check the table in the back of the Church for your copy

### \*\*\*Youth\*\*\*

**March RE schedule, All Grades: 12, 19, 26**

*Penance Service: April 9*

**Steubenville North Conference—University of St. Thomas, July 25th - 28th, 2014**  
**Cost: \$ 300 (\$75 non-refundable payment due April 1.**

Want to ignite your faith? Want to experience the church like never before? If so, then Steubenville is right for you. This conference is filled with dynamic speakers, charismatic music, Eucharistic Adoration, and the Holy Mass. Open to all youth in grades 9 and up.

Contact: Cheryl 218-847-4599

The Diego House has one couples retreat left called "Marital Mystery – Paschal Mystery" which will be April 11-13 and then our last retreat for the season will be the women's retreat "No Greater Love" May 16-18 which space is still available for both. For more information including registration, visit the diocesan website at [www.crookston.org/diego\\_house](http://www.crookston.org/diego_house). Please pray for the 4 couples who will be on retreat March 7-9. One of the retreatants said a personal invitation goes a long way to encourage one to go on retreat. Thank you for helping to spread the word.

**The Most Reverend Michael J. Hoeppner, Bishop of Crookston will celebrate a Mass of Healing for Victims of Child Abuse.**  
The Mass of Healing will be celebrated Sunday, March 16th, 2014 at 9:00 AM at St. Philip Catholic Church, Bemidji, MN.