

Here is a thought from last week's homily: *For those who have been caught up in sin for a long time, imagine this: It is a thousand times easier to come back to God than to come home to the bleak criticism of self-righteous people.*

Joseph Lawrence Anthony Hollcraft was 22 years old when a drunk driver smashed into his car some hours before his death on August 30, 2016. From his obituary, "Joseph was a humble, simple, selfless young man, who left an impression on everyone he met; he sought people with the Lord and was a calming presence to those around him; by his example he inspired people to be their best and had a way of making everyone feel special and loved; he had a pure radiating joy that spilled over, filling those he loved - family, neighbors and strangers."

Another family needs to somehow find peace with the tragic loss of one of its loved ones. Please pray for his parents Monica and Ray, and for his siblings Maria, Aaron, Rachel, Hannah and Gianna. Pray for all families who have lost loved ones too early in life. This is a grief that is persistent and enduring. We cannot run from it. We must let it mold our hearts with a longing for the Kingdom of Heaven and the great reunion that is the Communion of Saints.

Special Collection, October 9, 2016

A Statement from Archbishop Joseph E. Kurtz of Louisville, President of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops: *The recent storms in Louisiana may not have a name, but the names of those suffering in the wake of the worst flooding since Hurricane Katrina are our sisters and brothers. As a people of God, let us come to their aid. I encourage Catholics across the United States to respond generously. Our prayer and material support is urgently needed to help rebuild lives...Long-term recovery needs place a tremendous burden...a burden we can help carry as the body of Christ. Faced with the loss of their worldly possessions and, in some cases, economic livelihood, the flood waters left thousands of families feeling isolated and fearful. Let us draw near to them. As President of USCCB, I have called for an emergency collection...to support the humanitarian efforts of Catholic Charities USA and to provide pastoral and rebuilding support to impacted Catholic dioceses...Whether your donation is large or small, let us also be sure those suffering feel the power of our prayer to sustain them in the difficult days ahead.*

Here at Assumption of Mary, we will hold a Special Collection for impacted Catholic dioceses in Louisiana on October 9, 2016. Please be generous in both prayer and financial support.

Mass Schedule for Sacred Heart Church in Frazee

Saturdays – 9:00 am and 5:30 pm
Sundays – 8:30 am
Weekdays: Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays 9:00 am
Wednesdays – Frazee Care Center 10:00 am

Assumption Catholic Church

206 Dakota Street, PO Box 67, Callaway, MN **September 18, 2016**

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Mass Times
Thursday @ 7:00 pm
Sunday 10:30 am

CONFESSIONS:
Thursday @ 6:15 pm
Sunday after Mass

ADORATION:
Thursdays: 5:00-7:00 pm

Diocesan Celebration of Marriage Mass: Married couples, widows and widowers are invited to join Bishop Michael J. Hoeppner for the 21st Annual Marriage Celebration Day on Sunday, October, 2016, at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Crookston. Mass will begin at 2:30 followed by a reception and meal. Married couples will receive a special blessing from Bishop Hoeppner and all will join in celebrating the vocation of marriage and in praying for marriage and family life. You are requested to RSVP by September 19 by either calling 218.281.4533 or by visiting <http://www.crookston.org/offices/marriagefamily/home> for on-line registration.

Both a men's and a women's Cursillo through the Diocese of Crookston are available this fall. The men's Cursillo will be Sept. 29-Oct. 2. The women's cursillo will be October 27-29. Both will be at the Sand Hill Lake Bible Camp near Fosston, MN.. Applications are available in the church vestibule.

RE classes will begin on October 2nd with Kristi Foltz and Kristi Stalberger as teachers.

Confirmation Class will begin on Wednesday Oct. 5 @ 6:00 pm with Kristi Foltz as teacher.

A huge THANK YOU to all who worked in any way for the very successful Assumption Fall Festival last Sunday. For our dinner, we served 305 Adults, 25 kids ages 6-12, and at least 9 children age 5 and under.

The Cemetery Board will meet Thursday, Sept. 22nd at 7:30 p.m. after Mass.

Question of the Week: How can I prove myself to be trustworthy in seemingly "small" but important matters this week?

PRAYER REQUESTS: A PRAYER TO PRAY FOR THE PEOPLE BELOW:
Lord, we pray for your loving support for the people listed below and their families as they deal with their illnesses. Guide the doctors who are seeking answers and making decisions about care/ treatments. We pray that their illness is at a stage favorable for effective treatment. Enable their bodies to respond well to care/treatment and their soul to experience comfort and peace in you. Make this an experience that draws them and their loved ones closer to you as well as to one another. We commit them to your mercy. Amen

Sharon Winter, Ken Blattenbauer, LaMae Blattenbauer, Wendy Berg (Ginny Warren's sister), Rosella Olson (Ginny Warren's mother), Danny Nelson, Ray Lundberg, Stella Hazelton, Alice Bellefeuille, Dan Rousu, Mark Stalberger, Milo & Lucille Winter, Shelly Scheler, Gabriel Fain, Sherry Steffl, Ernie Clark, Lowell Baker, Martha Donley, Connie Olgaard, Jeff Wirth, Rita Pearson, Walt Welle, Shawna Donner, Brian Hazelton, Irene Hazelton, Steve Strawsell, David Strawsell, Jerry Braaten, Deb Clark, Jamie Weigel, Albert Schouviller, Rick Flottesch, Lori Stalberger, Jim Hazelton, Cleo Baker, Brent Pearson, Jerry Flottesch, Phil Bellefeuille, Allen Gulseth, Peter Pearson.

"No servant can serve two masters. He will hate one and love the other, or be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and Mammon (wealth)."
(Luke 16:13)

Is money a "god" that you put before God? Giving money to support the Church and other charity is a pillar of our Faith, just like attending Mass every Sunday and participating in parish ministry. Giving money frees us from being a slave to money and increases our dependence on God and to trust that He will provide all that we need.

Total of all Collections for September 11, 2016
\$1045

UPCOMING:

- Sept. 22:** Cemetery meeting 7:30 pm after Mass
- Sept. 29-Oct 2:** Diocese of Crookston Men's Cursillo
- Oct. 2:** RE classes begin
- Oct. 5:** Confirmation class begins at 6:00 pm
- Oct. 9:** Special Collection for Louisiana Flood Victims
- Oct. 16:** St. Theresa's Circle meeting after Mass

Mass Intentions
Thursday, Sept 22: +Marvin Fairbanks
Sunday, Sept 25: Mark & Kristi Stalberger, Annivers.

Ministry Schedule for September 25, 2016

Ministers of Holy Communion

Roger Foltz, Max Klarer & Mark Stalberger

Lector

Ken Pearson

Ushers

Daniel Steffl & Bill Steffl

Presentation of Gifts

Doug & Deb Olk

Altar Servers

Lori Stalberger

Money Counters

Kristi Stalberger & MaryAnn Jorgenson