

# Assumption Catholic Church

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Fr. David's Homilies—[frazeesacredheart.org.Homilies](http://frazeesacredheart.org/Homilies)

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*Sometimes the truth that is said with love and concern hurts us. However, this same truth will help us, will liberate us, and it will set us free.*

*"Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, it is not pompous..." (1 CORINTHIANS 13:4)*

Do you get jealous? Do you focus more on the things that other people have than on the gifts that God has given to you? Are you pompous? Do you acquire more possessions to impress others? At times we are all guilty of these things. Pray for more humility. Humility helps us become less "self-centered" and become more "God-centered" for the sake of others.

Here is a thought from last week's homily: *We all are to do something. We may not be able to go to Washington DC to participate in a march for life or go to Fargo to protest. All of us can pray.*

Since Christmas a focus of attention has been on helping my mother prepare for her move. The big day was January 24. This was the scene at 10 am... My brother Jim was operating the loader that was removing snow from the driveway of the "old" fourplex. As he was moving the last bucket of snow, Mom backed her car out of the garage for the last time and proceeded to Kelleher Manor, her new home. Even before her car was out of the driveway the moving van was backing up for a perfect alignment of the ramp. The two men hoisted the first of the furnishings on to the truck at 10:15 and by 12:15 they had unloaded the last of it in her new home. Amazing! It was as if an orchestral conductor was calling for each instrument in perfect timing.

Mom and I directed the placement of furniture. My brother Bob tended to pictures, lamps and other fragile items. My brother Mark cleaned the vacated apartment. Members of mom's card club provided lunch and supper on the move day. There are leftovers for a month of meals! As I was leaving the following day, a lady was bringing a plate of cupcakes and begged me to take one for the road. On Wednesday my sister Ann spent the day tweaking the arrangement of all things and serving wine and cheese to celebrate the new chapter.

The mood of this move was one of gratitude and joyful anticipation. What a blessing!

We are the Body of Christ. As members of his body, we are to assist one another, especially in times of need. Sometimes the body is attentive to the needs others and responds with perfect timing. At other times, one of the members is in need and is suffering and alone, and there is no conductor or orchestra.

*You are still able to join the current session of our grief support group, Seasons of Hope at Sacred Heart in Frazee. We will meet again on Monday this week. Groups meet at 10:00 am or 7:00 pm*

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, your first call should be to law enforcement. In addition, the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator is available at 218-281-7895 (24-hour confidential number).

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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

## Announcements

There is a meeting for the St. Theresa Circle on February 6<sup>th</sup> after Mass in the Religious Ed room in the Fellowship Hall.

February 13<sup>th</sup> the Callaway Lions will be having a free-will-donation pancake breakfast at the Callaway Community Center. Everyone is welcome.

February 27<sup>th</sup>, the Parish & Finance Councils will be having a Mardi Gras luncheon in the Fellowship Hall.

Church cleaning will be Wednesday, February 19<sup>th</sup> at 11 am, with a potluck lunch

## 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

Sherry Steffl, Ernie Clark, Martha Donley, Connie Olgaard, Deb Clark, Rick Flottesmesch, Brent Pearson, Peter Pearson, Jeanine Kivi, Peg Braaten, Connie Collman Bergren, Brian Hazelton, Hali Thomas, Chris Fairbanks, Jim Foltz, Pat Hilber (Coleen Tietz's brother-in-law), Ken & Rita Pearson, Judy Dwinell, Marlene Scherping, Jerome Jirava, Jr., Josh Janousek, Cleo Baker, Don Tietz, Violet Fairbanks, Irene Hazelton, Scott Pulse (son-in-law of Rick and Virginia McDougall), Betty Matter, Rachel Secrist (granddaughter of Roger & Sharon Winter), Nick Steffl, Fr. Adam Hamness Linda Scheler and Elizabeth Zurn.

**Sunday, January 23--\$593.05**  
**Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa--\$20**  
**OND--\$15**

## Upcoming

Sun., Jan. 30: Confirmation @ 10:30 am Mass  
 Sun., Feb. 6: St. Theresa Circle meeting after Mass  
 Sun., Feb. 13: Callaway Lions Pancake Breakfast at the Callaway Community Center  
 Wed., Feb. 19 Church cleaning at 11 am; potluck lunch  
 Sun., Feb. 27 Mardi Gras Luncheon in the Fellowship Hall

**Question of the Week: Who have I chosen to treat as an outsider, unworthy of my mercy and compassion? How can I change this?**

## Mass Intentions

**Thurs, Feb 3: +Lowell Baker**  
**Sun., Feb 6: Anne Brown**

## Ministry Schedule for February 6

### Altar Servers

Nathan Loreth

### Eucharistic Minister

Virginia McDougall

### Lector

Karen Klarer

### Presentation of the Gifts

Joseph Lorsung Family

### Ushers

Jerry Spry & Danny Steffl