This Week's Scripture Readings

18th Sunday in				
Ordinary Time	Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23	Ps 90:3-6,12-13	Colossians 3:1-5,9-11	Luke 12:13-21
Week 18 Mon	Numbers 11:4b-15	Ps 81:12-17		Matthew 14:13-21
Week 18 Tues	Number 12: 1-13	Ps 51:3-7,12-13		Matthew 14:22-35
Week 18 Wed	Daniel 7:9-10	Ps 97: 1-2,5-6,9	2Peter 1:16-19	Luke 9:28b-36
Week 18 Thurs	Numbers 20:1-13	Ps 95:1-2,6-9		Matthew 16:13-23
Week 18 Fri	Deuteronomy 4:32-40	Ps 77:12-16,21		Matthew 16:24-28
Week 18 Sat	Deuteronomy 6:4-13	Ps 18:2-4, 47,51		Matthew 17:14-20
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th Sunday in	Wisdom 18:6-9	Ps 33: 1, 12, 18-22	Hebrewes 11:12,8-19	Luke 12:32-48

Holy Fathers Prayer Intentions for August: For mutual coexistence

Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious, or ideological reasons.

Praying for Our Clergy: Sunday, Aug 3rd Fr. James Khembo, OMI, Monday, Aug 4th Fr. John Kleinwachter Tuesday, August 5th Fr. Bryan Kujawa, Wednesday, Aug 6th Fr. Rick Lambert, Thursday, Aug 7th Fr Gary LaMoine, Friday, Aug. 8th Fr. Bob LaPlante, Saturday, Aug. 9th Fr. Maschio Mascarenghas



Renew Your Safe Environment Training

The beginning of July brought the start of a new certification year for Safe Environment. Safe Environment is a yearly required training for every adult, age 18 and over, that volunteers or has potential contact with children or vulnerable adults.

Learn more about what the Diocese of Crookston is doing to maintain safe environments.

Here is the link https://crookston.cmgconnect.org/ for the safe environment training.



18TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY

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From the Desk of Fr. Hamness:

Last Monday was the 40th anniversary of my baptism. It is possible to obtain a Plenary Indulgence by visiting the Church of your baptism on the anniversary of that day. I was fortunate enough to be visiting my mother on that day, so I drove into Greenbush to visit Blessed Sacrament Church where I was baptized. I prayed there for a while in thanksgiving for the gift of baptism which makes one a beloved child of God. I even dug out the old family photo albums to see if I could find a picture of the event. I was baptized by Fr. Ray Palcisko. He is 95 years old now and living in retirement in Crookston. On Tuesday, I was in Crookston, and I saw Fr. Palcisko practicing his golf game on the lawn outside of the Cathedral, so I walked over to him, showed him the photo, and thanked him for baptizing me.

This is a good task for you too. Find out where and when you were baptized, visit the Church, and say a prayer for the priest or deacon who brought you into the family of God through the waters of new life.



LITURGICAL DAY	WEEK-	DATE	TIME	SERVICE/INTENTION	CONFES-
18th Sunday in Ordi- nary Time	Sunday	August 3rd	10:30am	Mass: + Mary Kay Gietzen	10:10am
The Dedication of the Basilica of St Mary Major	Tuesday	August 5th	5:00pm	Adoration & Benediction	
The Dedication of the Basilica of St Mary Major	Tuesday	August 5th	7:00pm	Darin Zurn	6:30 pm
19th Sunday in Ordi- nary Time	Sunday	August 10th	10:30am	Mass: David McDougall	10:10am

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 schools, your first call should be to law enforcement. In addition, the diocesan Victims Assistance Coordinator is available at 218-281-7895 (24 hour confidential number) Diocesan Abuse Victim Assistance Coordinator: Cindy Hulst // Confidential Line - 218.281.7895 // chulst@crookston.org

August 3, 2025

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions." **LUKE 12:15**

The Gospel message is contrary to modern culture that continually tries to convince us that our joy comes from the material things we possess. That the more we acquire, the happier we will be. Jesus shows us that our true joy comes from our "invisible" gifts like love, mercy, and forgiveness. True joy comes from "emptying" ourselves, giving of ourselves rather than always taking. We are called not to hoard but to share. True joy comes from living a grateful and generous lifestyle; become more "God-centered" and less "self-centered."

Question of the week?

What or Whom have I thought of when I recieved an unexpected bounty? How can I be a more generous person?

Liturgy of the Hours: Week II of the Psalter Reflection on the Gospel

The gospel today shows us in parable from what the "greed that is idolatry " looks like. The rich man's self-centered plan for stockpiling and spending for his own enjoyment is interrupted by a startling apparition by God. "You fool" comes the accusation, everything belongs to God; even life itself is given to us on loan. To those who are blessed with abundance; the parable poses hard questions about legitimate use, greediness, and just distribution of resources for the common good.

Living Liturgytm, 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time 2025

1st Sunday of the Month Chaplet of Divine Mercy is Sung at 10:05 am

Website: formed.org Parish Access Code 38HAZ8V

Prayer Requests:

The following people or their family has asked us to pray for them:

Cleo Baker, Rick Bakken, Randi Bernard, LaMae & Ken Blattenbauer, Colleen Borgrud, LaVaun Borgrud, Jerry Braaten, Peggy Braaten, Charlie Crommett, Shane Donley, Jodi Eidenschink, Sharon Greminger, Marty Hanson, Michael Harvala, Patty Haverkamp, Irene Hazelton, Cindy Hilber, Pat Hilber, Rose Mary Gunelson, Delores Manning, Kate Matter, Margaret McDougall, Barb Muff, Chris Murray, Leslie (Flottemesch) Murray, Ken & Rita Pearson, Jonell Richards, Greg Ronning, Carol Scherzer, George Scherzer, Renee Solmon, Shirley Spry, Doreen Olson Tollefson, Jeff VanHecke, Erv & Lois Wiebolt, Karolyn Zurn

Bold are new this week, or need extra prayers!

Lord, we pray for your loving support for the people listed below and their families as they deal with their illness. Guide the doctors who are seeking answers and making decisions about care/treatment. We pray that their illness is at a stage favorable for effective treatment. Enable their bodies to respond well to care treatment and their souls 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.

Birthdays This Week August 4th Phil Bellefeuille August 4th Sarah Helm August 7th Brett Schmit August 7th Barb Muff



Please keep all of our Students in your prayers for a safe and Blessed Summer: Julia Steffl, Megan Stalberger, Ellie Steffl, Grace Helm, Luke Helm, Freddie Steffl, Caleb Rodewald, Nathan Loreth, Kaitlyn Loreth, Molly Rodewald, Jake Helm, Colby Rodewald, Maria Foltz, Savannah Rodewald and Odessa Schmit



Sunday, July 27, 2025 Adult Envelopes \$640.00 Loose Plate \$335.00

Ministry Schedule for Sunday, August 10, 2025

Altar Server: Jake Helm

Lector: Al Foltz

Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Ann Jorgenson & Max Klarer

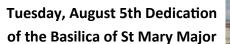
Presentation of Gifts: Lina & Wally Loreth

Ushers: Gary Helm & Luke Helm

Music: Tonia Clark

Saints & Feast Days of the Week

Monday, Aug 4th St John Vianney, Priest (1786-1859)





Wednesday, Aug 6th The Transfiguration of the Lord





Upcoming

- Friday, August 15th The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Mass AT 7:15 pm followed by supper.
- Tuesday, August 19th, KC Meeting at Holy Rosary
- Wednesday, August 20th 11am Church cleaning followed by potluck lunch.
- Tuesday, August 26th, 3:30 pm St Rachels Circle meeting in St Josephs Fellowship Hall. Lina is our Hostess



Aug 3rd Barb & Judy

Aug 10th Anna Brown

August 15th Rick & Ginny McDougall Supper **Assumption of Mary**

August 17th St Rachel Circle

Pie & Ice Cream Fundraiser

August 24th OPEN

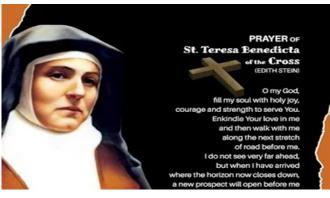
All of September is OPEN

We need volunteers for Fall!

Saints Continued...



Saturday, August 9th St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein) Virgin & Martyr (1891-1942)





Friday, August 8th St. Dominic, Priest (1170-1221)