

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 21, 2024



# ALL SAINTS

## AREA FAITH COMMUNITY



ST. ANDREW'S  
FAIRFAX, MN



ST. WILLIBRORD'S  
GIBBON, MN



ST. FRANCIS DE SALES  
WINTHROP, MN

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**National Child Abuse Hotline: 1-800-422-4453**

#### **MARRIAGE PREPARATION:**

Please contact Fr. Brendan at least six months ahead of time to plan and prepare for your wedding. No wedding date is final until approved by Fr. Brendan.

**BAPTISMS:** Please make arrangements for attending a baptism session with Father Brendan anywhere from one to two months prior to the date of the baptism of a child.

#### **Catholic Charities of the Diocese of New Ulm:**

1-866-670-5163  
(Confidential Counseling Services and Referral Information)

**LITURGY SCHEDULE:** In case of a funeral a regular scheduled morning Mass will be canceled that day.

Monday, Jan 22	NO MASS		
Tuesday, Jan 23	NO MASS		
Wednesday, Jan 24	8:30 AM	<b>Winthrop (Time Change)</b>	+Steve Lauwagie
Thursday, Jan 25	8:30 AM	Fairfax	+Darlene Mauer
Friday, Jan 26	9:30 AM	<b>Gibbon (Time Change)</b>	+Eddie Wendinger
Saturday, Jan 27	4:30 PM	<i>Reconciliation prior to Mass</i>	
	5:00 PM	Winthrop	+Michael Harder
Sunday, Jan 28	8:00 AM	Fairfax	People of the All Saints Area Faith Community
	10:00 AM	Gibbon	+Bernice Holm

#### **Reflection Question for Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

How do I go about inviting others to journey to the kingdom with me?



#### **Readings for the Week of January 21, 2024**

**Sunday:** Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (4a)/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20  
**Monday:** 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 25-26/Mk 3:22-30  
**Tuesday:** 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Mk 3:31-35  
**Wednesday:** 2 Sm 7:4-17/Ps 89:4-5, 27-28, 29-30/Mk 4:1-20  
**Thursday:** Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Mk 16:15-18  
**Friday:** 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10/Mk 4:26-34  
**Saturday:** 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Mk 4:35-41  
**Next Sunday:** Dt 18:15-20/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9 (8)/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28

### Reflection meditation

In Mark 1:14-20 we see Jesus “proclaiming the Gospel.” By telling stories Jesus invited people into faith. We should each have our personal story of how we came to know and follow Christ in our back-pocket for everyday use. Driving back the day after the New Year’s Eve Vikings game some friends stopped to say a quick hello. During the conversation the opportunity to share my conversion story opened up. As I shared how I encountered Jesus Christ in a personal way during my college years at the 1993 World Youth Day in Denver, Colorado, with Pope John Paul II, I realized how rusty I was. I’m brushing up. Your personal testimony should have three parts: Life before Christ. Your encounter with Christ. Your life after Christ. Those three parts should form a story that takes between 3-5 minutes to tell. The story should never glorify the sins of your past or give dirty details. It should focus on how Jesus made a difference in your life. Never push your story, but if the opportunity opens up, go for it. Have you thought about your story? Have you practiced telling your story? If your Christian testimony is in your back-pocket and ready to go, watch what Jesus will do. Others may follow Christ because they listened to you.

Blessings, Fr. Rolling

**WINTHROP MASS INTENTIONS ARE GETTING LOW.** Mass Intentions can be offered for a variety of reasons: thanksgiving, birthday or anniversaries of the living and most commonly for the repose of the soul of a deceased loved one. If you have been thinking you would like to have a Mass intention offered, you can put the request in the collection basket with the name of the person/persons to be prayed for and make a note of whether the person is deceased or living. If you have a specific date in mind, please make note of that as well. Include your financial gift (typically \$10 per Mass) or call the All Saints AFC office or email the office and get the intention scheduled and send in your donation. Thank you!

### AREA CALENDAR

#### AREA PARISH BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

- Jan 21** Elaine Palmer, Zocorro Rico, Caleb Radloff  
**Jan 22** Wanda Fahey, Jennifer Dummer  
**Jan 23** Janet Nachreiner, Steve Liebl, Gregory Stadtherr  
**Jan 24** Nathaniel Volz  
**Jan 25** Tim O'Brien  
**Jan 26** Melissa Marin, Jake Isaacson, Serena Mielke  
**Jan 27** Marlene Herschman, Brianna Holmquist, Debbie Halverson, Eric Platz

*Please remember in your prayers . . .*

**Pete Machaiek** who passed away on Thursday, January 11<sup>th</sup>. His mass of Christian Burial was on Thursday, January 18<sup>th</sup> at St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church.

**Wesley “Wes” Prax** who passed away on Wednesday, January 10<sup>th</sup>. His mass of Christian Burial will be Saturday, January 20<sup>th</sup> at St. Andrew’s Catholic Church in Fairfax with burial in the church cemetery. Visitation will be Friday, January 19<sup>th</sup>, from 4:00 to 7:00 pm at the church and one hour prior to the service.

**Jada Schwarzrock** who passed away on Monday, January 8<sup>th</sup>. Her memorial service was held on Wednesday, January 17<sup>th</sup> at Minnesota Valley Funeral Home.

**We offer our sympathy to the families . . .**



*Please Remember in Prayer*

**Casey O’Brien**  
St. Francis de Sales  
**Arvina Schweiss**  
St. Andrew’s  
**Elsie Linsmeier**  
St. Andrew  
**Mary Schweiss**  
St. Andrew’s  
**Millie Forst**  
St. Willibrord’s  
**Adeline Roiger**  
St. Andrew  
**Pat Fahey**  
St. Andrew’s  
**Lyle Muth**  
St. Francis de Sales  
**George Schweiss**  
St. Willibrord’s  
**Michelle Lindenfelser**  
(Schwecke)  
St. Francis de Sales  
**Claire Van Epp**  
St. Andrew’s  
**Ray Berg**  
St. Willibrord’s  
**RoseMarie Garrahy**  
St. Andrew’s  
**Mary Liebl**  
St. Andrew’s  
**Marianne Machaiek**  
St Francis de Sales

**JOIN US EACH WEEK ON WEDNESDAY AT 9:00 PM** as we pray the Rosary live on Facebook on the All Saints Area Faith Community page!

**Topic for THAT MAN IS YOU men’s program** – There will be a break until February 8<sup>th</sup>.

**GETTING MARRIED.** Please note the dates for the 2024 Pre-Marriage program are now posted on the Family Life page of the Diocese of New Ulm, DNU, website. New Pre-Marriage booklets are at the entrance to all churches.

**NATIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK** is the week of January 28 through February 3. In conjunction with that significant event, Bishop Chad Zielinski announced that a second collection will be taken up at all Masses in the diocese to benefit Catholic Schools in the Diocese of New Ulm the weekend of January 27-28. In those Area Faith Communities that have Catholic schools, 75 percent of the proceeds will go directly to that Catholic school. The other 25 percent will be deposited equally in two endowment funds already set up to benefit Catholic schools. Where there are no schools, 100 percent of the funds will go into the endowment funds. Please be generous in supporting this collection

## FR. BRUNO TO VISIT OUR AREA FAITH COMMUNITY!

Fr. Bruno will be back in the states in February and will be spending some time with us! He is excited to share updates about the India Well Water Filtration System, the project he over- sees and which our AFC has had a part in supporting. Fr. Bruno and the people of India are very grateful for our past support! Continued support is needed to bring the project to completion and supply healthy and clean drinking water to the people. Please watch the bulletin and social media for information on parish events taking place for opportunities to visit with Fr. Bruno, hear more about the water project and enjoy warm fellowship. We look forward to welcoming Fr. Bruno!

**Cogley Sisters Youth Benefit Concert** - Sunday afternoon, February 11<sup>th</sup>, at 2 p.m. at St. Willibrord's, followed by desserts/beverages, and a bake sale. This is a benefit for our youth and chaperones attending the Steubenville Youth conference in July. Advance Sale, Reduced Price Tickets (\$15 or adults/students, \$10 – 8 yrs and younger) are available from youth after Masses, or call Tina Nachreiner (507) 829-8906 or Berny Berger (320) 583-7975. If you like to bake, we can really use DONATIONS OF BAKED GOODS from the parishes- bring them to the concert or contact Berny to make arrangements to pick them up. Concert is sponsored by a Grants4Good from the Catholic United Financial Parish Volunteer Team.

**Fr. Stu Movie** - There will be a showing of the popular "Fr Stu" movie, with Mark Wahlberg, on Sunday evening, 6:30 p.m., February 4<sup>th</sup> in the St. Willibrord's church social hall. The movie is based on a true story of Stuart Long, a former amateur boxer, who survives a terrible motorcycle accident which leads him to seek a second chance to help others. There is no charge, and popcorn and juice will be provided!

These events are made possible by St. Willibrord's Catholic United Financial Parish Volunteer Team. Catholic United Financial is a member-owned, not-for-profit financial services company, connecting people of faith, protecting their future and generously impacting parishes, schools and communities. Local Representative is Dave Schonhardt, (763) 670-9058, e-mail: [dschonhardt@catholicunited.org](mailto:dschonhardt@catholicunited.org)



**MESSAGE FROM SISTER MARY ANN:** Life has changed and all of us Sisters have found a new home, either in Shakopee or in Mankato. I could have a degree in "moving people" with all that we have done this past 1 ½ year but I will not apply for that job. No doubt it has been challenging but also filled with many blessings. We're so grateful for all the ways so many people supported us in this endeavor! Thank you for your prayer and thoughts. Please remember the 27 sisters who have gone to God during these months. As you know we are an aging community and have many sisters in their upper years. Currently we have 32 sisters in their 90s, including Sister Emma. So keep them all in your prayer! By the way, S. Emma is GREAT!

I'm also writing again to ask for your support for "Pedal Past Poverty". We as sisters want to participate in happenings that benefit people in need. So we know we can do that in some way for people in need of shelter. This event will take place on Saturday, February 24 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Mankato YMC. Your support, whether in the form of prayers or a financial contribution, will make a difference. Please make checks payable to: Partners for Housing. If you would like to sponsor me I would be most grateful! All donations, small or large, help lessen others' needs. My NEW address is: Sister Mary Ann Kuhn, 1130 Woodland Ave, Mankato, MN 56001. Deadline date: Feb. 15! Know that all of you are making a big difference through your prayer for and support of this event. Thanks for your goodness and love! Know I remember you often! S. Mary Ann

**LOOKING FOR A GREAT LENTEN EXPERIENCE?** Riverbend TEC is offering a 3-day retreat centered on the Paschal Mystery of Christ. The retreat is scheduled for February 17-19, 2024 at Holy Redeemer School in Marshall, and all those aged 16 and over are invited and encouraged to attend. Due to a generous donor, the cost for the February weekend is just \$15. To register, visit [riverbendtec.org](http://riverbendtec.org) and download a registration form.

**FEELING DISCONNECTED?** Every married couple deserves the gift of a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend! The next weekends in this area will be held Feb 16-18, 2024 in WINDOM, MN and Apr 27-28, 2024 in Owatonna, MN. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: [southmnwwme.org](http://southmnwwme.org) or contact Miki at [applications@southmnwwme.org](mailto:applications@southmnwwme.org) or 507-227-8229

**BRIANA VALDEZ, A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL GUARD** and friend of parishioner, Briana Roche, was physically attacked and is recovering from multiple stab wounds. Your donations can assist her financially while she recovers and is unable to work. Every donation is greatly appreciated through this Go Fund Me link, <https://www.gofundme.com/f/help-our-br>.

**ANOTHER MALE CHAPERONE** may be needed for our Steubenville Conference trip next July 12-14 in Rochester. We have 10 boys who plan on attending, and need one male chaperone for every 8 boys. This is a great experience, and one that you would never regret volunteering for! Please contact Berny Berger (320) 583-7975, or Brent Lang (612) 418-2768 for answers to any questions you may have about this opportunity.

**DONATE A BIBLE.** Would you consider making a gift for our 20 students for their Sacrament of Confirmation? My hope is that parishioners will celebrate their Confirmation with a gift of the Great Adventure Bible from Ascension Press. We are able to get a 10% discount so each Bible costs \$58.45. Kellie Sloat describes it as a “beautiful book! Feels nice, pages are nice weight paper, it lays open flat. And yes, the study notes and etc. are awesome!” We need funds of about \$1,200 to include shipping. You can help send these young people off to college and jobs with a Bible they will want on their shelf. Thank you for considering this gift to our future adult parishioners.

**INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY** This is a winter weather reminder that if law enforcement announces a no travel advisory, or if school is cancelled or has a late start in your school district, there will be NO mass in your town that day. Also, if school is let out early due to weather, there will be no parish activity or Religious Education Class that evening. Please be sure to sign up for “Flocknote” by texting allsaints4 to 84576 to get text updates from parish staff and listen to the following station for weather related announcements: KNUJ (860 AM) in New Ulm

**WEEKLY OFFERING**

	St. Andrew’s	St. Francis’s	St. Willibrord’s
Adult	3,318.00	NO MASS	540.85
Loose/Youth Plate	253.46		55.00
Building/Maint/Furnace	1,000.00		
DUF	5.00		
Gifts & Memorials	500.00		
Rental Income	50.00		
Solemnity of Mary	100.00		
Christmas	50.00		
Votive Lights			33.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$5,276.46</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$628.85</b>

**PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY:** Please continue to pray for the following military personnel who are members of our parish families and are serving full time or active duty in the military: MSG William R. Schmidt, SSG Jeff Ziegler, Ryan E Lawrenz, SGT, Sgt. Chris Levinske, Amber Lindberg, SFC Timothy R. Green, Spc Adam Nosbush, Lt. Col. Steven Weber, Jackie Rieke and SGT Colin Jackson, CSM Rebecca (Zitzmann) Booker

“One in Christ” DMA Appeal Funds Summary as of January 16, 2024. Parish Goals: St. Andrew **\$14,978.10**, total cash received **\$11,230.00**. St. Willibrord **\$8,665.02**, total cash received **\$5,250.00**. St Francis de Sales **\$6,932.00**, total cash received **\$6,585.00**.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

- Saturday, Jan 20, 2024:** Confirmation Retreat & ROI Mass
- Wednesday, Jan 24, 2024:** Class – Confirmation Interviews
- Wednesday, Jan 31, 2024:** Class – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Firs Reconciliation 6:30 pm Gibbon
- Sunday Feb 4, 2024:** Fr. Stu Movie 6:30pm Gb
- Wednesday Feb 7, 2024:** Class & Confirmation Practice Fx
- Sunday Feb 11, 2024:** Cogley Sisters Youth Benefit 2pm Gb
- Wednesday Feb 14, 2024:** Class & Ash Wed Mass 7pm Fx
- Saturday Feb 17, 2024:** Confirmation 4pm Fx
- Wednesday Feb 21, 2024:** Class
- Wednesday Feb 28, 2024:** Class

**STEBENVILLE CONFERENCE** – If anyone decides they would like to attend the Steubenville Youth Conference next July 12-14, in Rochester, MN, please contact Berny Berger ([jbberger1972@gmail.com](mailto:jbberger1972@gmail.com) or 320-583-7975). Registration is still possible, though the cost is slightly higher. Fundraisers are available for this great experience for our youth, and additional chaperons are still needed!

**ALL SAINTS YOUTH GROUP 9-12TH** Every 1st Sunday of each month we will meet with unique activities listed monthly! Come to the Gibbon Parsonage next to the church from noon to 1:00 for pizza and fun in Christ. Bring your own pop or juice.

**Please note:** Religious Education classes will be held from 6:30-7:30pm beginning Wednesday January 3rd. Pizza for the confirmation students and snacks for 9th grade and under will be available beginning at 6pm. An e-mail with details was sent to all families by Flocknote. Contact Kellie Sloat if you have questions.

## ST. WILLIBRORD'S – GIBBON

Sunday, **January 28th**-10:00 AM

**Lector:** Chuck & Ann Southworth **Dist:** Jerome Petersen **Servers:** Jennifer Guzman, Melody Exum **Ushers:** Greg Hartmann, Tom Lindmeyer, Nick Stadtherr **Gifts:** Melissa Rettig, Sharon Briese **Sacristan:** Connie Tautges

Sunday, **February 4th**-10:00 AM

**Lector:** Amy Weber/Imani Prigge **Dist:** Connie Tautges **Servers:** Kelly & Abby Willegal **Ushers:** Jesse Forstner, James Theis, Greg Stadtherr **Gifts:** Jason & Sara Rubischko **Sacristan:** Kathy Bruns

Sunday, **February 11th**-10:00 AM

**Lector:** Alan Neyers **Dist:** Mavis Lindmeyer **Servers:** Mandy & Imani Prigge **Ushers:** Jesse Forstner, James Theis, Greg Stadtherr **Gifts:** Dean & Betty Schreiner **Sacristan:** Jeannine Grosam

St. Willibrord's Catholic United Financial "Calendar Raffle Winner" for Week #1 of \$200 goes **Chuck Marlow** of Fairfax. Congratulations, and thank you for your support!

## **STEWARDSHIP OF GIVING – ST. WILLIBRORD'S CHURCH**

**Fiscal Year July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024**

Giving July 1st, 2023-January 18th, 2024

Income \$ 94,304.68

Expenses \$ 58,933.90

**Net Gain/Loss \$ 35,370.78**

## ST. FRANCIS DE SALES – WINTHROP

Saturday, **January 27th** 5:00 PM

**Lectors:** Bob & Laurie Kaukola **Eucharistic Ministers:** Kevin & Sue Lauwagie **Servers:** Lincoln McCue, Emilee Krueger, Blaise Krueger **Gifts:** Dennis & Joan Dording **Ushers:** Dave & Lorie Schauer, Leon Lang, Phil Dummer **Money Counters** Phil Dummer, Tom Witucki **Sacristan:** Dave & Lorie Schauer

Saturday, **February 3rd** 5:00 PM

**Lectors:** Barb Pagel **Eucharistic Ministers:** Che May **Servers:** Riley Hacker, Megan Hacker, Volunteer **Gifts:** Gary & Vicki Neid **Ushers:** Dennis & Joan Dording, Andrew Schmidt, Nick Krueger **Money Counters** Sue Lauwagie, Celeste Witucki **Sacristan:** Sue Lauwagie

Saturday, **February 10th** 5:00 PM

**Lectors:** Dave Schauer **Eucharistic Ministers:** Mary Renner **Servers:** Jose Farias, Jossue Farias, Alan Banda **Gifts:** Donovan & Susie Steele Family **Ushers:** Dennis & Joan Dording, Andrew Schmidt, Nick Krueger **Money Counters** Sue Lauwagie, Celeste Witucki **Sacristan:** Sue Lauwagie

**PLEASE PICK UP YOUR 2024** envelopes from the table in the entry to the church-it saves us the cost of mailing them out.

**HOT CHOCOLATE AND COOKIES!** We'd like to recognize the confirmation students and their families on Saturday, Jan 20th, after the 5pm Mass, with a hot chocolate and cookies social. All are welcome!

**THIS JANUARY 24TH WE CELEBRATE A PARISH PATRON SAINT, ST. FRANCIS DE SALES.** He lived between 1567-1622 and wrote, "it is not those who commit the least faults who are the most holy, but those who have the greatest courage, the greatest generosity, the greatest love, who make the boldest efforts to overcome themselves, and are not immediately apprehensive about tripping." He shines "like the sun in the kingdom" of the Father (Matthew 13:24-43). **Bishop of beautiful Geneva, Switzerland,** he is buried in the Basilica of the Visitation in Annecy, France (Google and explore this beautiful church.). Patron saint of journalists and all parishioners in Winthrop. St. Francis de Sales, pray for us!

**ST. FRANCIS WILL BE HAVING A LIGHT SUPPER** after the Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup>, mass. Proceeds will be going to the kids Stuebenville Trip.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** (Winthrop/Gaylord #7051) Annual Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm at St. Francis's Catholic Church in Winthrop.

**BINGO IS BACK!** Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup>, 1:00 pm. St Francis Social Hall. All ages are welcome to spend the afternoon and play the 40 games. Bingo cards are \$5.00 each for the 40 games. There will be water available, grocery box raffle, door prizes and a free will offering lunch after the bingo. Proceeds will go toward air conditioning of the social hall. **Wanted:** help, donations of prizes, cash and lunch items. Contact Michelle Oswald: 507-766-9943



## ST. ANDREW'S – FAIRFAX

Sunday, **January 28th**-8:00 AM

**Lector:** Jody Busch **Dist:** Agnes Wendinger **Servers:** Luke & William Bastian, Kaden Weir **Ushers:** John Rieke, Brian Marquardt, LeRoy Schweiss, John Case **Gifts:** Mike & Maribeth Vait **Sacristan:** Agnes Wendinger

Sunday, **February 4th**-8:00 AM

**Lector:** Jan Simonsen **Dist:** Paul Simonsen **Servers:** Zach Sandgren, Nico Nosbush, Bernardo Davila **Ushers:** Dave Nosbush, Mike Vait, Dennis Weinzetl, Jason Weinzetl **Gifts:** Joseph & Rebecca Vos **Sacristan:** Chuck Marlowe/Carol Gregory

Sunday, **February 11th**-8:00 AM

**Lector:** Pat Buboltz **Dist:** George Wendinger **Servers:** Keyden Buboltz, Micahl Nachreiner, Ely Hellendrung, Hailey Weinzetl **Ushers:** Pat Schreiner, George Wendinger, Jim Prax, Tom Nachreiner **Gifts:** Dennis & Jean Weinzetl **Sacristan:** Brenda Runck/Brenda Frank

**ST. ANN'S FUNERAL GROUP 1:** Kim VanDeest, Kristi Marquardt

**JOIN US FOR A CARIBBEAN KNIGHT PARTY** Saturday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024, 5:30 pm until midnight at St. Mary's School, Sleepy Eye. A can't miss tropical night with games, pull tabs, raffles, friends and tropical food & drinks. Live Band, Live and Silent Auction! Win a Caribbean Vacation for two or \$4,000 Cash! Tickets are available through Brad Nosbush. Proceeds used for increasing enrollment and maintaining affordable tuition.

### STEWARDSHIP OF GIVING – ST ANDREW'S CHURCH

**Fiscal Year July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024**

Giving July 1st, 2023 – January 18, 2024

Income	\$ 125,211.88
Expenses	<u>\$ 98,526.21</u>
<b>Net Gain/Loss</b>	<b>\$ 26,685.67</b>

## HISPANIC COMMUNITY

### ENGLISH:

Dear Brothers and Sisters: This Saturday, January 27, we will celebrate our first music workshop. We extend the invitation to all choir members and those who wish to join the choir service. Please register with Jeovana by calling 507-233-5302. The readings for this week inspire us to trust in the God who has chosen us for something great. The prayer I propose focuses on strengthening our trust in God and responding to His call. Blessed week to all.

“Beloved God and Savior, in You, we place our hope, for You are just and kind. You guide sinners on the right path, lead the humble along the straight path, and reveal to the poor their ways. We pray that You reveal Your ways to us, Lord, and guide us with the truth of Your doctrine. Remember, Lord, that Your love and tenderness are eternal. In accordance with that love and tenderness, have mercy on us. Grant us the grace of repentance and faith in the Gospel. Call us and make us fishers of men, grant us the grace to leave behind what hinders us from following You. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord .Amen.”

### SPANISH:

Queridos Hermanos: Este sábado 27 de enero celebraremos nuestro primer taller de música. Extendemos la invitación a todos los miembros del coro y a aquellos que deseen unirse al servicio del coro. Les pedimos que se registren con Jeovana llamando al 507-233-5302. Las lecturas de esta semana nos inspiran a confiar en el Dios que nos ha elegido para algo grandioso. La oración que les propongo se centra en fortalecer nuestra confianza en Dios y en responder a Su llamado. Bendecida semana para todos.

“Amado Dios y Salvador, en Ti depositamos nuestra esperanza, pues eres recto y bondadoso. Guías a los pecadores por el sendero correcto, diriges a los humildes por la senda recta y revelas a los pobres sus caminos. Te rogamos que nos descubras, Señor, tus caminos, y nos guíes con la verdad de tu doctrina. Recuerda, Señor, que tu amor y ternura son eternos. Conforme a ese amor y ternura, ten misericordia de nosotros. Concédenos la gracia del arrepentimiento y la fe en el Evangelio. Llámanos y haznos pescadores de hombres, otórganos la gracia de dejar atrás lo que nos impide seguirte. Te lo pedimos por Jesucristo, nuestro Señor. Amén.”

**Anisabel Palma**

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Taller de Música



Music Workshop

