

ST. ANDREW'S FAIRFAX, MN

ST. WILLIBRORD'S GIBBON, MN ST. FRANCIS DE SALES WINTHROP, MN

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MARRIAGE PREPARATION:

Please contact Fr. Bruno at least six months ahead of time to plan and prepare for your wedding. No wedding date is final until approved by Fr. Bruno. **BAPTISMS:** Please make arrangements for attending a baptism session with Father Bruno 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.

NO MASS	Private	+Dolores Nelson
NO MASS	Private	+Curtis Frank
8:30 AM	Gibbon	+Myra Bushard
8:30 AM	Fairfax	+Rosemary Cuff
9:30 AM	Winthrop	Spec. IntMarge Nelson
4:30 PM	Reconciliation prior to Mass	
5:00 AM	Fairfax	People of the All Saints Area Faith Community
8:00 AM	Gibbon	+Mike Hartmann
10:00 AM	Winthrop	+Verna Ludewig
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Reflection Question for Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

How do I see myself dependent upon God? Do I pray humbly, recognizing my dependence on God?



Readings for the Week of October 23, 2022

Sunday: Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23 [7a]/ 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14 **Monday:** Eph 4:32—5:8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 13:10-17 **Tuesday:** Eph 5:21-33/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Lk 13:18-21 **Wednesday:** Eph 6:1-9/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14/ Lk 13:22-30 **Thursday:** Eph 6:10-20/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Lk 13:31-35 **Friday:** Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Lk 6:12-16 **Saturday:** Phil 1:18b-26/Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef/Lk 14:1, 7-11 **Next Sunday:** Wis 11:22—12:2/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14/2 Thes 1:11—2:2/Lk 19:1-10 Pride brings no true reward but only projects an "image." In humility true values are seen. **Every Sunday Christians around the world head to church to pray.** Their experience is not that different from the two men in today's Gospel parable who also go to the Temple to pray. And like them it is the attitude of our prayer that opens us to God's mercy and love. Our prayer is not about self- exaggeration-for who could do that before God who is almighty and all-knowing? Rather, **our prayer is simple and humble acknowledging our own dependence on the One who is Lord of all.** It is that witness to God's love that we can share with those who do not yet believe.

"The Rosary is a magnificent and universal prayer for the needs of the Church, the nations and the entire world." ~Pope St. John XXIII

When Our Lady appeared at Fatima, Portugal, she asked that the Rosary be prayed for peace. As **an immensely powerful prayer**, the Rosary also has benefits for our minds, hearts and souls.

MARY'S BLESSING Nobody sees the life of a child the way that child's mother does. Our Lady has a mother's perspective of Jesus' life. Learning and sharing that perspective helps us ponder the life of Jesus through the eyes of his Mother. This is a powerful experience if we enter into it fully.

Fr. Bruno OSB

STARTING NOVEMBER 5TH & 6TH MASS SCHEDULE TIMES WILL CHANGE. Gibbon will have mass on Saturday at 5:00 pm, Winthrop will be on Sunday at 8:00 am, followed by Fairfax at 10:00 am.

I WILL BE OUT OF THE OFFICE on Thursday, October 27th, for a business manager meeting in Willmar. All bulletin items will need to be in by Tuesday, October 25th, at the end of the day. Thanks.

AREA CALENDAR

AREA PARISH BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Oct 23 Sara Nosbush, Bob & Shirley Tretbar, Lyle Forst, Bev Stadtherr, Sue Lauwagie

Oct 24 Deb Evenson-Huiras, Rafael Herrera, Lucinda Winch

Oct 25 Thomas Lindmeyer

Oct 26 Sheila Schroeder, Jim & Barb Borth Anniv., Bernardo Davila Jr, Hailey Weinzetl, Linda Lavrenz, Tom Prax

Oct 27 Tim & Theresa Grunke Anniv., Jacarlo "JC" Munoz, Tim & Angela Sandgren Anniv., Vincent Ewers, Tom Ochs, Jean Groehler

Oct 28 Judy Farrell, Manuel & Maria Munoz Anniv., Tim Joehnck, Mike Reding, Jason Rubischko Oct 29 Cleo Grosam, Kevin & Vickie Dreier Anniv.

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 – Week 5 – Four Great Truths about Mary. All men 18 and older are welcome. We meet on Thursdays at 5:45 am at CODE3 Bowling in Gibbon.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE: Please look for the "Book of the Deceased" and take time to write names of your deceased loved ones in it. They will be remembered in a special way during the month of November.

REMEMBRANCE OF THE DECEASED On the weekend of October 29th & October 30th we will remember all deceased loved ones who died this past year in our AFC. They will be named in each parish during Mass that weekend.

ALL SAINTS DAY will be held on Tuesday, November 1st, at 8:30 am at St. Andrew's in Fairfax and 5:30 pm at St. Francis in Winthrop. **All Soul's Day** will be held on Wednesday, November 2nd, at 8:30 am at St. Willibrord's in Gibbon.

TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY. We celebrate this day by remembering our baptismal call to bring the Gospel to all! The collection today for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith supports the work and witness of the Mission Church, as it provides for priests, religious and lay leaders who offer the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the most vulnerable communities in the Pope's missions. Thank you for your generosity.

T-BIRD COMMUNITY ARTS ARE LOOKING FOR SINGERS FOR THE CHRISTMAS CANTATA. Rehearsals are Sundays at 6 p.m. alternating between Winthrop and Fairfax starting Sunday, October 16th at Peace Lutheran Church, Winthrop. Performances are December 3rd in Fairfax, December 4th in Winthrop. The cantata is a mix of traditional and contemporary music! "Let there be Christmas" by Joseph Martin. More details provided if interested. Please contact Lynnae Grack at (507) 276-5567 if you have any questions.

ST. LUKE'S WELCA HARVEST DINNER Saturday, October 29th, 11:00 am -1:00 pm in Franklin. (Menu: Roast Beef Commercial, coleslaw, dessert & beverage)



Frank Ziegler St. Andrew's Casev O'Brien St. Francis de Sales Arvina Schweiss St. Andrew's Judy Farrell St. Andrew's Elsie Linsmeier St. Andrew Mary Schweiss St. Andrew's Millie Forst St. Willibrord's Lorraine Ravnaas St. Francis de Sales Adeline Roiger St. Andrew Pat Fahev St. Andrew's Dory Schreiner St. Andrew's

WEEKLY OFFERING

	St. Andrew's	St. Francis's	St. Willibrord's
Adult	1,123.00	793.00	1,190.70
Loose/Youth Plate	139.00	128.00	64.00
Religious Education		93.80	
Maintenance/Building	2,500.00		
Water Project		122.00	
DMA (4 th Qtr 2021)			21.00
Lunch Donation			46.25
TOTAL	\$3,762.00	\$1,136.80	\$1,321.95

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, Sgt Kenneth Coleman, SFC Timothy R. Green, Spc Adam Nosbush, Lt. Col. Steven Weber, Jackie Rieke and Pvt Jordan Lindmeyer, SGT Colin Jackson, CSM Rebecca (Zitzmann) Booker

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Wednesday, Oct 26, 2022: Class Wednesday, Nov 9, 2022: Class Wednesday, Nov 23, 2022: No Class Wednesday, Nov 2, 2022: Class Wednesday, Nov 16, 2022: Class Wednesday, Nov 30, 2022: Class

<u>ST. WILLIBRORD'S – GIBBON</u>

Sunday, October 30th-8:00 AM

Lector: Gail Herschman Dist: Connie Tautges Servers: Imani & Mandy Prigge Ushers: Ron Klement, Roger Holm, Fred Jutz Gifts: Greg & Tammy Stadtherr Sacristan: Rose Forst

Saturday, November 5th-5:00 PM (TIME CHANGE)

Lector: Melvin Neyers Dist: Mavis Lindmeyer Servers: Jennifer Guzman, Melody Exum, Taylor Haas Ushers: Bruce Bastian, Davis Biebl, Steve Herschman Gifts: Connie Tautges, Carol Haas Sacristan: Connie Tautges

Saturday, November 12th-5:00 PM

Lector: Jerome Petersen Dist: Genny Neyers Servers: Sofia & Ella Nachreiner Ushers: Bruce Bastian, Davis Biebl, Steve Herschman Gifts: William & Chris Unger Sacristan: Kathy Bruns

St. Willibrord's Catholic United Financial "Calendar Raffle Winner" of **\$100** for Week #30, goes to **Rachel Offedahl**, of Rice Lake, WI. Congratulations, and thank you for your support!

THANK YOU to Linda Grosam for providing the beautiful bouquets of roses for St. Willibrord's in honor of her deceased mother - Adeline Grosam's birthday!

CHOIR will sing for the 8 a.m. Mass on Sunday morning, October 30th, meeting to practice at 7:40 a.m. in the church social hall. All are invited to join us!

NATIONAL CCW CONVENTION - Three of our local CCW members will be attending the National CCW Convention in Minneapolis on November 2nd through the 5th. At the convention, Cross Catholic Outreach will be collecting new and used rosaries, and the convention charity, 'Sharing and Caring Hands" will be collecting full size toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, soap, hand sanitizer, combs, hairbrushes, razors, hand lotion, and shampoo. There are collection boxes in the entryway of the church by the large table. Please leave any of these items you wish to donate by Monday, October 31st. Thank you!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! CCW ANNUAL FALL BAZAAR is Saturday, November 12, 2022 from 9:00 a.m.- 1:00p.m. All women please pick up your information and worksheets with your Quilt Raffle Tickets attached on the back table in the entrance of the church. We hope all ladies of the parish will support this annual event with your attendance, donations and help.

Raffle: Donation for the Raffle is needed. Keep in mind that the Raffle Prizes need to be new or homemade. Boy and Girl Raffle items are also needed. To donate an item, please call Raffle Chairpersons. Jennifer Werner (507) 276-3153 or Carol Haas (507) 834-6224. Thank you!!

Grandma's Attic: Please check the church's kitchen shelf for any bowls, cake pans, etc which you may have left. Any items remaining on the shelf will be put on the CCW'S Fall Bazaar Grandma's Attic.

Gently used items (please no clothing or stuffed animals) are now being collected for Grandma's Attic and may be left in the church basement. Drop items off in the church basement by noon on Thursday, November 7th. If you have any questions on the donated items, please call Grandma's Attic Chairpersons: Ann Southworth (507) 276-1586 or Charlene Forst (507) 276-8678. No early sales in Grandma's Attic.

Bake Sale: All ladies of the parish are asked to donate 10.00 of baked items for the Bake Sale. Please deliver your items to the church basement on Friday, November 8th or prior to 8:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 9th. If you have questions call Bake Sale Chairpersons: Mona Forst (507) 514-0399 or Sandy Howe (507) 276-5867

TEACHERS NEEDED If anyone is interested in teaching 1st Grade Religion class at 3:00 pm on Wednesdays or 8th Grade religion class at 7:00 pm on Wednesdays, please get in touch with Genny Neyers at (507) 834-6659 or (507) 766-0577.

SIBLEY COUNTY FOODSHELF DONATION Any fresh produce from your garden, squash, pumpkins, tomatoes, peppers, apples, etc. you wish to donate, give a call to Tom or Mavis Lindmeyer at 507-834-6537 or 507-829-4416 and we will get it to them as soon as possible. It is always much appreciated.

STEWARDSHIP OF GIVING – ST. WILLIBRORD'S CHURCH

Fiscal Year July 1, 2022-June 30, 2023

 Giving July 1st, 2022-October 19th, 2022

 Income
 \$29,353.75

 Expenses
 \$19,657.08

 Net Gain/Loss
 \$ 9,696.67

<u>ST. FRANCIS DE SALES – WINTHROP</u>

Sunday, October 30th-10:00 AM

Lector: Bob & Laurie Kaukola Eucharistic Ministers: Jason & Carly Tupy Servers: Lincoln McCue, Emilee Krueger, Blaise Krueger Gifts: Joe Wersal, Mary Nelson Ushers: Tom & Sam Langhoff, Andrew Schmidt, Nick Krueger Money Counters: Karen Weitzenkamp, Brent Lang Sacristan: Pete & Marianne Machaiek

Sunday, November 6th-8:00 AM (TIME CHANGE)

Lector: Barb Pagel Eucharistic Ministers: Connie Portner Servers: Will Lang, Quinn Schmidt, Brynn Busse Gifts: Leon Lang, Ron Hillesheim Ushers: Joel & Lynn Majeski, Harry & Kellie Sloot Money Counters: Lynn Majeski, Harry Sloot Sacristan: Dave & Lorie Schauer

Sunday, November 13th-8:00 AM

Lector: Dave Schauer Eucharistic Ministers: Dave & Lorie Schauer Servers: Riley Hacker, Megan Hacker, Volunteer Gifts: Tom & Celeste Witucki Ushers: Joel & Lynn Majeski, Harry & Kellie Sloot Money Counters: Lynn Majeski, Harry Sloot Sacristan: Dave & Lorie Schauer

THANK YOU! THE FAMILY OF DENNIS WEITZENKAMP wants to thank everyone for their support in helping us get through this most difficult time in our lives. A word of thanks goes to those who gave memorials, flowers, gifts and brought food to the house. A special thank you to Father Bruno for his visits, prayers and concerns as well as to my church family. Your prayers, kindness and support will always be remembered. Karen Weitzenkamp and family.

SUNDAY MORNING TREATS FOR NOVEMBER/DECEMBER: The signup sheet is in the church kitchen. If you weren't able to sign up for Sep/Oct, now is your chance to sign up for Nov/Dec! Gathering together is such a blessing! Thank you one and all for sharing your talents, conversation, and working hands.

ARE YOU LOOKING TO GET MORE INVOLVED AT ST. FRANCIS? We are looking for those interested to join the Liturgy Committee. It involves 3 to 4 meetings during the year, help with decorating and enhancing our worship space, and being involved behind the scenes with the liturgy. Please contact Sue Lauwagie (507-276-0341) or Fr. Bruno if you could help in any way.

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<u>ST. ANDREW'S – FAIRFAX</u>

Saturday, October 29th-5:00 PM

Lector: Jody Busch Dist: Eloina/Rodrigo Carillo Servers: Luke & William Bastian, Kaden Weir Ushers: Charles Lehar, David Runck, Leander Nachreiner, Gilbert Borth Gifts: LeRoy & Colleen Schweiss Sacristan: Brenda Runck/Brenda Frank

Sunday, November 6th-10:00 AM (TIME CHANGE)

Lector: Pat Buboltz Dist: LeRoy Schweiss Servers: Ashley, Isabelle, Isaac & Alex Vos Ushers: Ron Marlowe, Tom Palmer, Paul Simonsen, Gerald Jandl Gifts: Victor & Connie Serbus Sacristan: Chuck Marlowe/Carol Gregory

Sunday, November 13th-10:00 AM

Lector: Anita Weir Dist: Manuel & Maria Munoz Servers: Keyden & Kobe Buboltz, Annika Nosbush Ushers: Myron Schweiss, Jerry Pelzel, Tom P Borth, Joe Nachreiner Gifts: Paul & Jan Simonsen Sacristan: Mary Ann Dummer/Kathy Schroeder

ROOF PROJECT Please consider donating for this project. You can either use the maintenance envelope in your contribution box or just put in an envelope and state it is to be used for the roof fund. We need everybody's help. Thank you.

FREE 3 TV'S ON TALL METAL STANDS (one with VCR) that were used for religious ed. If anyone is interested in taking one, please call Karen Guggisberg at (507) 426-7348.

FALL BAZAAR The St. Andrew's Fall Bazaar will be held Saturday, November 5th. This will be held in the church basement from 10:30 am to 1:00 pm. A committee chairperson will be contacting each CCW member for work groups and donations. A \$30 donation is suggested for those who cannot donate their time, bake goods or craft.

Contributions of new crafts, country store items or baked goods are needed and will be sold. These items can be dropped off in the church basement starting Thursday, November 3rd.

Wanted for Fall Bazaar: Haralson apples for apple dumplings and red potatoes, onions and carrots for soup.

Country Store: Whatever garden produce you are able to share is appreciated as well as pickles, jams and such.

Baked Goods

Raffle: Donations of kids and adult prizes.

2022 Chairmen: Theresa Grunke, Desiree Ziegler, Maria Munoz, Alissa Buboltz, Janet Nachreiner, Rose Case

ST. ANN'S FUNERAL GROUP 5: Denine Hellendrung, Desiree Ziegler

STEWARDSHIP OF GIVING – ST ANDREW'S CHURCH

Fiscal Year July 1, 2022-June 30, 2023

Giving July 1st, 2022 – October 19th, 2022				
Income	\$	54,595.72		
Expenses	\$	48,221.94		
Net Gain/Loss	\$	6,373.78		

Maintenance-Roof Income/Expenses

\$14,900.00/(\$93,578.75) = (\$78,678.75)

<u>October is "DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH".</u> Awareness is key! Violence is so common, not just physical but emotional and sexual. I encourage you to look at this following resource, you don't know what you don't know! <u>http://www.uscch.org/issues-and-action/marriage-and-familymarriage/domestic-violence/when-i-call-for-help.cfm</u> Pamphlets are also available to pick up at the entrance of church

What You Can Do to Help

We offer the following practical suggestions for several audiences.

For Abused Women

- Begin to believe that you are not alone and that help is available for you and your children.
- Talk in confidence to someone you trust: a relative, friend, parish priest, deacon, religious sister or brother, or lay minister.
- If you choose to stay in the situation, at least for now, set up a plan of action to ensure your safety. This includes hiding a car key, personal documents, and some money in a safe place and locating somewhere to go in an emergency.
- Find out about resources in your area that offer help to battered women and their children. The phone book lists numbers to call in your local area. Your diocesan Catholic Charities office or family life office can help. Catholic Charities often has qualified counselors on staff and can provide emergency assistance and other kinds of help.
- The National Domestic Violence Hotline provides crisis intervention and referrals to local service providers. Call 800-799-SAFE (7233) or 800-787-3224 (TTY). For more information, go to www.thehotline.org. Hotline Advocates are available to chat online, Monday to Friday, 9AM-7PM CST. In some communities, cell phones programmed to 911 are made available to abused women.

For Men Who Abuse

- Admit that the abuse is your problem, not your partner's, and have the manly courage to seek help. Begin to believe that you can change your behavior if you choose to do so.
- Be willing to reach out for help. Talk to someone you trust who can help you evaluate the situation. Contact Catholic Charities or other church or community agencies for the name of a program for abusers.
- Keep in mind that the Church is available to help you. Part of the mission Jesus entrusted to us is to offer healing when it is needed. Contact your parish.
- Find alternative ways to act when you become frustrated or angry. Talk to other men who have overcome abusive behavior. Find out what they did and how they did it.

Fall Bazaar Work List

Thursday, November 3rd

Turkey Supreme Brenda Johnson Jackie Anderson

Apple Dumplings 9AM

Pat Buboltz Brenda Frank Agnes Kiecker Gayle Clobes Pat Clobes Steve Clobes Sandy Hellendrung Chuck Marlowe Connie Serbus Sandy Schaefer Shirl Huiras Julie Weldy Ferrell 1:00PM Brenda Frank Brenda Runck Cindy Schweiss Gayle Clobes Sandy Schaefer **Colleen Schweiss**

Friday, November 4th 8:30 AM prep Soups Peggy Lehar Sandy Hellendrung Dorothy Prax Elaine Palmer Marge Schmidt Mary Ann Dummer Carol Gregory

<u>Friday, November 4th 4pm</u> **Mark items** Jean Bode Mary Peichel

Caramel & Cinnamon Rolls Barb Freitag & Sheila Schroeder

Decorating Jan Simonsen & Mary Eckstein Advertising Cindy Rieke

Saturday, November 5th 10:15AM

7AM Apple Dumplings Pat Buboltz Karen Guggisberg Mary Kay Nachreiner Dining Room Shirl Huiras Mary Eckstein Mary Weldy

Kitchen 10:15-clean-up

Desiree Ziegler, Jill Pelzel, Karen Guggisberg, Mary Nachreiner, Anita Weir, Lucinda Winch, Sue Prax, Jose Salvatierra (dishes)

Cashiers - Rita Domeier & Kristi Marquardt

Country Store/Bake Sale/Crafts – Rose Case, Theresa Grunke, Agnes Wendinger, Karen Bastian, Kelly Weinzetl, Jeanie Weinzetl

Desserts – Cheryl Keicker & Mary Volz

Raffle - Alissa Buboltz, Margaret Liebl, Trinity Buboltz