



ALL SAINTS



AREA FAITH COMMUNITY

ST. ANDREW'S
FAIRFAX, MN



ST. WILLIBRORD'S
GIBBON, MN



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WINTHROP, MN

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COORDINATORS

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St. Willibrord - Genny Neyers 507-834-6659

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

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.

Monday, November 8	NO MASS		
Tuesday, November 9	NO MASS		
Wednesday, November 10	NO MASS		
Thursday, November 11	NO MASS		
Friday, November 12	NO MASS		
Saturday, November 13	4:30 PM	<i>Reconciliation prior to Mass</i>	
	5:00 PM	Fairfax (Time Change)	+/Spec. Int - John Weldy & Mary Weldy
Sunday, November 14	8:00 AM	Gibbon (Time Change)	People of the All Saints Area Faith Community
	10:00 AM	Winthrop (Time Change)	+Jim Essler

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

What can I give that demonstrates my acceptance of Jesus' challenge to his disciples, to give without reservation?



Readings for the Week of November 7, 2021

Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 [1b]/
Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

Monday: Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10 [24b]/
Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 [5]/
1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11/Ps 82:3-4, 6-7 [8a]/Lk 17:11-19

Thursday: Wis 7:22b—8:1/Ps 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135,
175 [89a]/Lk 17:20-25

Friday: Wis 13:1-9/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5ab [2a]/Lk 17:26-37

Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Ps 105:2-3, 36-37,
42-43 [5a]/Lk 18:1-8

Next Sunday: Dn 12:1-3/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 [1]/
Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32

Jesus explains that the widow's tiny sum was generous in a way that the larger amounts people gave were not. The poor widow **"contributed all she had, her whole livelihood."** She was truly generous, giving what cost her dearly. Her contribution was made out of love, not just out of obligation or for the sake of show. God has given us all different "livelihoods." Some of us have more money, more talents, more resources. Some of us have less. But of course, we know that God's love for us is not based on this external data. He loves the rich and the poor alike. The question is whether this external data affects our love for God? Jesus' message challenges us all today to gratefully give back to God in thanks for whatever he has given us, be it big or small. **We are called to give not from our surplus but to share from our very livelihood.** That is to say, we are called to acknowledge that our livelihood itself, no matter the details, is a gift from God.

**"For it is in giving that we receive."
~ St. Francis of Assisi**

The **Book of Remembrance will be available during the month of November** for you to include the names of deceased loved ones from any time and place. *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen*

Fr. Bruno OSB

AREA PARISH

AREA CALENDAR

AFC LITURGY MEETING Tuesday, November 16th, at 5:00 pm in Gibbon at the church.

AREA PARISH BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Nov 8 Anita Weir, Roberto Gonzales Jr, Adrian Herrera, Katie Fox
Nov 9 Jared Madsen, Jada Schwarzock
Nov 10 Wayne Fournier, John & Rose Case Anniv., Patti Scharfencamp, Patrick (Hunter) Kretsch, Maria Forstner
Nov 11 Theresa Grunke, Jaedan Nachreiner, Jameson Scharfencamp
Nov 12 Lesllie Davila
Nov 13 Keyden Buboltz, Rodrigo Carrillo Jr, Mike Willegal
Nov 14 Mary Weldy



Please remember in your prayers . . .

Delores Bullemer who passed away on Monday, October 25th. Funeral services will be for family members only.

Orren Rathke who passed away on Saturday, October 30th. His mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, November 13th, at 11:00 am at St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church with burial in the Winthrop cemetery.

We offer our sympathies to the families.



Please Remember in Prayer

Frank Ziegler
St. Andrew's
Pat O'Brien
St. Francis de Sales
Casey O'Brien
St. Francis de Sales
Deloris Fink
St. Andrew's
Ben Tragner
St. Andrew's
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
Cathy Willegal
St. Willibrord's
Gerald Peichel
St. Andrew's
Arline Kiecker
St. Andrew's
Marian Zollner
St. Andrew's

JOIN US EACH WEEK ON WEDNESDAY AT 8:30 PM as we pray the Rosary live on Facebook on the All Saints Area Faith Community page!

HOLY HOUR & EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

You are invited to come and spend some time in quiet prayer with our Eucharistic Lord. Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place in our AFC as follows:

St. Andrew's: 2nd Thursday of each month following 8:30 am Mass
St. Willibrord's: 1st Sunday of each month (7-8 pm Spring/Summer) (4-5pm Fall/Winter)
 3rd Wednesday of each month following 8:30 am Mass
St. Francis de Sales: 1st Friday of each month 7-8 pm

Topic for THAT MAN IS YOU men's program – Week 7 – A Bank of Brothers. All men 18 and older are welcome. We meet on Thursday 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.

EUCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR—Sunday, November 7th, at St. Willibrord's, from **4:00 to 5:00 p.m.** (Note time change for winter months). Holy Hour will also include the rosary, scripture readings, prayer, and time for silent meditation before the Blessed Sacrament. Everyone welcome!

FAIRFAX K OF C STEAK FRY WILL BE HELD on Saturday, November 6th, from 5:00 – 7:30 pm at Squirrels Bar & Grill in Fairfax. On the menu are Ribeye steak, hamburgers or pork chops, salad bar, baked potato, garlic toast and dessert.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WILL SPONSOR TURKEY BINGO at Squirrels Bar & Grill on November 14th from 2:00 to 4:00 pm. A light lunch will be available. Come and support this fundraiser and maybe win a turkey or ham for your Thanksgiving table.

THIS PAST WEEK THE 2021 DIOCESAN MINISTRIES APPEAL letter was mailed to all homes in the diocese. This year's theme is, "One Faith, One Family, One Mission." The DMA offers us an opportunity to do our part to support the ministries that help to build the Church right here in the Diocese of New Ulm – ministries and services that no single parish could provide. Each one of us has been blessed by God's generosity and we have a spiritual need to return some of that blessing to God.

WEEKLY OFFERING

	St. Andrew's	St. Francis's	St. Willibrord's
Adult	1,228.00	1,307.00	1,275.00
Loose/Youth Plate	201.00	104.00	67.00
Weldy Memorial	200.00		
Energy/Fuel			10.00
Fall Collection	780.00		
Building		20.00	
World Mission	476.00	268.25	272.00
All Saints	25.00	10.00	10.00
Maintenance			10.00
Cemetery			10.00
TOTAL	\$2,910.00	\$1,709.25	\$1,654.00

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

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

- Wednesday November 10, 2021:** Class
- Saturday & Sunday November 13-14, 2021:** Confirmation Rite of Enrollment
- Wednesday November 17, 2021:** Class
- Wednesday November 24, 2021:** No Class – Thanksgiving break
- Wednesday December 1, 2021:** Class
- Wednesday December 8, 2021:** Class
- Saturday December 11, 2021:** St. Andrew's Christmas Program
- Sunday December 12, 2021:** St. Francis Christmas Program

PARENTS, PLEASE WATCH FOR COMMUNICATION ABOUT CLASSES AND ACTIVITIES. Stay connected through The Devout, All Saints Area Faith Community Facebook page, All Saints AFC: Saints in the Making! Facebook page and our AFC website at allsaintsafc.org. Communication will be key for a successful year! :) Thank you and God Bless! :)

ST. WILLIBRORD'S – GIBBON

Sunday, November 14th -8:00 AM Lector: Alan Neyers Dist: Grace Rubischko Servers: Kyler & Mirra Sjogren Ushers: Jay Howe, Jerry Howe, Don Forst Gifts: Geneva Klover, Fran Meyer Sacristan: Connie Tautges
Sunday, November 21st -8:00 AM Lector: Gail Herschman Dist: Geneva Klover Servers: Taylor Haas, Jessica Willegal Ushers: Jay Howe, Jerry Howe, Don Forst Gifts: Dave & Dolores Kokesch Sacristan: Jeannine Grosam
Sunday, November 28th -8:00 AM Lector: Jessica Willegal Dist: Dawn Hoffmann Servers: Brooklyn & Lincoln Werner Ushers: Jay Howe, Jerry Howe, Don Forst Gifts: Brian & Jennifer Kretsch Sacristan: Rose Forst

MATCHING GRANT DONUT SUNDAY, NOV. 7th, 2021, FOLLOWING 8:00 AM MASS sponsored by St. Willibrord's Catholic United Financial Council. Please join us for good fellowship, great laughter & some of the greatest homemade treats. Also, anyone wishing to bring baked goods is most welcomed. All CUF members are asked to stay for the meeting to follow. Thanks!

FOOD SHARE MONTH: November is the time of year our local County Food Share program needs our help with donations of non-perishable food items, papers supplies, toiletries and monetary donations. A box is provided in the back of church. Monetary donations can be put in an envelope marked "Food Share" {checks can be made out to Sibley County Food share}. The county food share gives families and individuals in need an opportunity to shop once a month as well as access to other support services. Thank you for your support and prayers helping neighbors.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! CCW ANNUAL FALL BAZAAR is Saturday, November 13, 2021, from 9:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.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. **Please note this year's bazaar will include a Walk-Through Bake Sale, Raffle, Quilt Raffle and Take Out Only Meal. Grandma's Attic will not be held this year.**

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. Grace Rubischko (507) 766-7262 or Sharon Briesse (507)276-7469. Thank you!!

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 13th or prior to 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 13th. If you have questions call Bake Sale Chairpersons: Karen (Brad) Spaude(507)834-6305 or Karen (Kevin) Spaude (507)834-6196

STEWARDSHIP OF GIVING – ST. WILLIBRORD’S CHURCH

Fiscal Year July 1, 2021-June 30, 2022

Giving July 1st, 2021-November 3rd, 2021	
Income	\$25,716.48
Expenses	<u>\$20,096.41</u>
Net Gain/Loss	\$ 5,620.07

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES – WINTHROP

Sunday, **November 14th**-10:00 AM

Lector: Yvonne O’Brien **Eucharistic Ministers:** Sue Lauwagie **Servers:** Madyson Steele, Logan Steele, Alan Banda **Gifts:** Tom & Celeste Witucki **Ushers:** Joel & Lynn Majeski, Harry & Kellie Slood **Money Counters:** Lynn Majeski, Harry Slood **Sacristan:** Che May

Sunday, **November 21st**-10:00 AM

Lector: Ron Hillesheim **Eucharistic Ministers:** Che May **Servers:** Will Lang, Emilee Krueger, Quinn Schmidt **Gifts:** Lois Simmons, Barb Pagel **Ushers:** Joel & Lynn Majeski, Harry & Kellie Slood **Money Counters:** Lynn Majeski, Harry Slood **Sacristan:** Che May

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

Lector: Jason & Carly Tupa **Eucharistic Ministers:** Mary Renner **Servers:** Brynn Busse, Lincoln McCue, Alan Banda **Gifts:** Harry & Kellie Slood **Ushers:** Joel & Lynn Majeski, Harry & Kellie Slood **Money Counters:** Lynn Majeski, Harry Slood **Sacristan:** Che May

THERE WILL BE SWEETS AND COFFEE served after the 10:00 am masses during the months of November and December. All are welcome!

SYMPATHY TO PAT & YVONNE O’BRIEN AND THEIR FAMILY on the death of their daughter-in-law, Sylvie O’Brien, wife of Mike O’Brien, who passed away on October 27th. Her mass of Christian Burial was Friday, November 5th, at St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church here in Winthrop.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7th, IS THE WINTHROP LIONS OMELETTE BREAKFAST 9:00-1:00 at St Francis de Sales church. Cost is \$8.00.

WE ARE WELCOMING DONATIONS DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER for MN Food Share, Sibley County Food Drive. Ideas: Cereal, Pasta & Pasta Sauce, Soup, Dry Legumes, Macaroni & Cheese, Boxed Main Dishes, Coffee, Tea, Condiments, Juice, Personal Care Items, Diapers & Wipes (Larger sizes and pull ups). We cannot accept home canned foods. Please place your items in the drop box at church. **THANK YOU** for your donation!

ST. ANDREW'S – FAIRFAX

Saturday, **November 13th**-5:00 PM

Lector: Jody Busch **Dist:** LeRoy Schweiss **Servers:** Nathan Sandgren, Zach Sandgren, Bernardo Davila **Ushers:** Paul Simonsen, Gerald Jandl, Myron Schweiss, Jerry Pelzel **Gifts:** Brian & Kristi Marquardt **Sacristan:** Colleen Schweiss

Saturday, **November 20th**-5:00 PM

Lector: Pat Buboltz **Dist:** Manuel/Maria Munoz **Servers:** Micahl Nachreiner, Kayln Hellendrung, Elyiana Hellendrung **Ushers:** Tom P Borth, Joe Nachreiner, Brian Wortz, John Rieke **Gifts:** Chuck & Denine Hellendrung **Sacristan:** Chuck Marlowe

Saturday, **November 27th**-5:00 PM

Lector: Anita Weir **Commentator:** **Dist:** Jolene Palmer **Servers:** William Bastian, Luke Bastian, Nico Nosbush **Ushers:** Brian Marquardt, Leroy Schweiss, John Case, Leroy Nosbush **Gifts:** Joe & Mary Nachreiner **Sacristan:** Brenda Runck

NOVEMBER FOOD DRIVE – We again will have food drive starting November 1, 2021 thru November 30, 2021. We will be taking non-perishable food donations or cash donations for the Renville County Food Shelf. The donation boxes will be at both entries of church. Thank you to all for generous donations for all the people that need our help during this time. If any questions, call Sandy Hellendrung @ 426-7480 or Agnes Wendinger 2 42-7675.

ST. ANN'S FUNERAL GROUP 6: LuAnn Kockelman and Chris Wortz

STEWARDSHIP OF GIVING – ST ANDREW'S CHURCH

Fiscal Year July 1, 2021-June 30, 2022

Giving July 1st, 2021 – November 3rd, 2021

Income	\$ 52,245.87
Expenses	\$ <u>51,311.07</u>
Net Gain/Loss	\$ 934.80