

## Contact Information

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## Safe Environment

Parish Safe environment  
 Coordinator Judy Noel  
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 218-849-8478

Local Law  
 Enforcement 218-843-3535

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).

### ST. PATRICK'S MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION REPORT

2023 Charitable Contributions:

	OCTOBER	SEPTEMBER
In-Church Contributions:	\$7,870.05	\$7,760.12
On-Line Contributions:	\$2,181.24	\$2,355.16

### HOLY ROSARY MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION REPORT

	OCTOBER	SEPTEMBER
In-Church Contributions:	\$2,456.80	\$2,114.95

## PASTOR'S PEN

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of Christ the King. The final Sunday of the church year, the Feast of Christ the King, is the day when we are invited to commemorate His sovereignty over all men, women and children. Jesus Christ has come. Jesus Christ is coming. Jesus Christ will come again. Jesus Christ is Lord of All. The celebration of the last Sunday of the Year, the feast of Christ the King, takes us to the celebration of the First Sunday of Advent, and begin the time of preparation for the great Feast of the Nativity of Our Savior.

A few years ago, I was traveling in Bhutan. While our group was there, we met the Bhutan king. A living, modern King. The King we are celebrating today, however, does not have many characteristics in common with the King we met. We met with him in his court for about two hours. He did not speak; only his officers spoke, on his behalf. After a while I was getting frustrated. I thought, we came all the way here to visit him and we would not even hear the sound of his voice.

Perhaps the king does not talk in public with his guests, I am not sure. Jesus, on the other hand, spoke in public all the time. Jesus as a smart teacher always told a parable. The disciples did not get the message Jesus was trying to convey through the many parables he told. They did not understand the type of King he was. So, Jesus told the parable of the ten pounds to establish the difference between his kingship and the kingship of the world.

Jesus' kingdom is in the world and over the world but does not derive from the world's possibilities. Instead, his kingship is built on the sovereignty of truth and love. This king offers peace and forgiveness and governs only by the law of love. Jesus, as King, comes to us with great humility; no palace, no security, no attendants, no judgment – just walking among the people whether they understood him or not.

The Bhutan king I mentioned above finally spoke with us after lunch. So, I had an opportunity to hear his voice after all. But Jesus, the King we celebrate today is talking to us all the time and everywhere. It is up to us to find time and to open our hearts to listen to him, so that he can guide us in the proper use of the gifts he has given us.

United in prayer,

Fr. Joshy Mathew, Kulangara

## MASS INTENTIONS

**SATURDAY** November 25<sup>th</sup> St. Catherine of Alexandria  
 5:00 PM Hallock Madison Muir & Jake Larson

**SUNDAY** November 26<sup>th</sup> Our Lord Jesus Christ,  
 9:00 AM Hallock Lincoln Reiter King of the Universe  
 11:00 AM Lancaster Pro Populo

**MONDAY** November 27<sup>th</sup>  
 NO MASS

**TUESDAY** November 28<sup>th</sup>  
 8:00 AM Hallock Carson Giroux

**WEDNESDAY** November 29<sup>th</sup>  
 5:30 PM Hallock For those mourning children lost during pregnancy, infancy, or childhood.

**THURSDAY** November 30<sup>th</sup> St. Andrew  
 8:00 AM Hallock Jim Kraska

**FIRST FRIDAY** December 1<sup>st</sup>  
 8:00 AM Hallock Charles Anderson

**SATURDAY** December 2<sup>nd</sup>  
 5:00 PM Lancaster Pro Populo

**SUNDAY** December 3<sup>rd</sup> First Sunday of Advent  
 9:00 AM Hallock Ryan Olsonawski

Masses can be requested from the parish at anytime, for the living or the dead, or for any good intention. A \$10 offering is customary for each request.

### PRAYER LIST

Those who are Sick, Struggling, Recovering

Sophie Olsonawski  
 Cathy Cleem  
 Iver Cleem  
 Janet Olsonawski  
 Jeanette Forfang  
 LeRoy Vonasek  
 Renee Stewart  
 Ruth Hennen  
 Gloria Dziengel  
 Kayla (Sjostrand) Thompson  
 James Sorenson  
 Scott Flatland Jr.  
 Father Rick Lambert  
 Father Pat Sullivan  
 Kenny Hunter  
 Ivy Klegstad  
 Kenny Neuschwander  
 Mekalia Lyberg  
 Gary Melin  
 Martha Olson  
 David Olson  
 Patricia Hartwig  
 Jan Krueger  
 Laurie Pietruszewski  
 Kathy Hunter  
 Terry Sinner  
 Ron Anderson  
 Donnie Staskivige

### Deceased Loved Ones

Tina Marie Seng  
 Willa Mae Masloski  
 Bruce Sandahl  
 Myron Peterson  
 Arnold Geroux  
 Edwin Carlson  
 Eleanor Kraska  
 Amanda Woodard  
 Vicky Hallauer  
 Jim Kraska  
 Barb Pantzer  
 Kathryn Asfeld  
 Dave Fertig  
 Sandy Olsonawski

*Email the parish office with those you would like listed above for prayer each month.*

## LITURGICAL MINISTRY LIST

**Saturday** December 2<sup>nd</sup> 5:00 PM Holy Rosary  
 Commentator: Kathy Nelson  
 Lector: Chelsi Langehaug  
 EMHC: Ann Potrament & Irene Wallenberg  
 Usher: Rodney Potrament & Jean Lyberg  
 Money Counters: Debbie Olsonoski & Chelsi Langehaug

**Sunday** December 3<sup>rd</sup> 9:00 AM St. Patrick  
 Sacristan: Jerry Olsonawski  
 Servers: Wesley Sugden, Olivia Kuzel, & Paisley Olsonawski  
 Commentator: Pam Hunt  
 Lector: Gloria Cedergren  
 EMHC: Jerry & Carol Olsonawski  
 Usher: Joel Muir & Phil Muir  
 Gifts: Joni & Jay Friedt Family  
 Money Counters: Hugh Hunt & Volunteer  
 Coffee Hosts: Dziengels

## PARISH NEWS

### ADVENT WREATH LIGHTING

There is an Advent Wreath lighting sign up sheet on the back table. Please consider signing up to light our parish Advent Wreath.

### KAPAUN'S MEN VIRTUE SERIES

Attention men of the parish: Here's your opportunity during Advent to get inspired by one of America's future saints! Servant of God Father Emil Kapaun was an ordinary man who became an extraordinary priest and Army chaplain, inspiring the men he served on the battlefield and in an enemy prison camp. Join us as we journey with other men to explore the virtues that made Father Kapaun such an inspiration. St. Patrick's parish and Deacon Jeff will be hosting a short 4-week "Kapaun's Men Virtue Series" starting on November 27<sup>th</sup>. The sessions will be only 1 hour each. We will meet on 4 Monday evenings starting November 27, 2023, in the St. Patrick's church basement starting at 6pm. The last session will be December 18. Come for fellowship with other great men of the parish and to become the men God made you to be! Contact Deacon Jeff for more information.

### PARISH & FINANCIAL COUNCIL MEETINGS

Tuesday, November 28<sup>th</sup>, St. Patrick's Parish Council meeting will be at 6 PM. St Patrick's Financial Council meeting will be at 7 PM.  
 Thursday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, Holy Rosary Parish & Financial Council meeting will be at 6:30 PM.

## PARISH & DIOCESE ANNOUNCEMENTS

### HOLIDAY HELPERS

Gift tags are available to take from the Angel Tree in the entry of church. Please remember to bring your gift back by the date listed on the tag, unwrapped, with the tag attached. This year there are only tags for children, but Holiday Helpers are still accepting donations for adults. Some of the most commonly requested adult items are: Socks, hats, gloves, robes, slippers, pajamas, shirts, and coats all in various sizes can also be left, unwrapped, in the basket beneath the tree. All donations, including monetary donations, are greatly appreciated.

### ST. MARY'S MISSION APPEAL

This weekend is our collection for the support of the school at St. Mary's Mission in Red Lake MN. Your generosity has allowed this life-changing school and the 66 children enrolled to prepare for a future full of hope. Thank you for giving generously once again, to St. Mary's Mission Appeal. Watch the SMMA video and donate online at [www.crookston.org/smma](http://www.crookston.org/smma).

### COUNCIL & COMMITTEE MEMBERS for St. Patrick's

#### Pastoral Council

Rock Bakken - Chairperson  
Courtney Olsonawski - Secretary  
Amelia Ganyo  
Allan Dostal  
Pam Hunt  
VeAnn Green

#### Finance Council

Jay Friedt  
Jeff Reese  
Hank Noel - Secretary  
Cindy Urbaniak  
Phil Muir

#### Building & Grounds Committee

Roger Dziengel  
Jerry Olsonawski  
Mike Klegstad  
Mike Green  
Joel Muir  
Matt Kuzel

#### Beautification Committee

Mike Green  
Cindy Urbaniak  
Hugh Hunt  
Jerry Olsonawski  
Chuck Dziengel

### Weekend & Holy Day Mass times in December

<u>Date</u>	<u>Mass time</u>	<u>Place</u>
Sat, Dec 2	5:00 PM	Holy Rosary
Sun, Dec 3	9:00 AM	St. Patrick's

\*Presentation on Eucharist by Bob Noel following Mass at both parishes

<u>Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception</u>		
Fri, Dec 8	7:15 AM	St. Patrick's
	5:30 PM	Holy Rosary

\*Holy Day of Obligation

Sat, Dec 9	5:00 PM	St. Patrick's
Sun, Dec 10	9:00 AM	St. Patrick's
	11:00 AM	Holy Rosary

Sun, Dec 17	9:00 AM	St. Patrick's
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\*Children's Christmas Program at St. Patrick's & breakfast

Sat, Dec 23	5:00 PM	Holy Rosary
Sun, Dec 24	9:00 AM	St. Patrick's

#### Christmas Masses

Sun, Dec 24	5:00 PM	St. Patrick's
Mon, Dec 25	9:00 AM	St. Patrick's
	11:00 AM	Holy Rosary

\*Holy Day of Obligation

Sat, Dec 30	5:00 PM	St. Patrick's
Sun, Dec 31	9:00 AM	St. Patrick's
	11:00 AM	Holy Rosary

<u>Solemnity of Mary Mother of God</u>		
Mon, Jan 1	8:00 AM	St. Patrick's

\*Not a Holy Day of Obligation in US this year



Our Lord Jesus Christ,  
King of the Universe



November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2023

## St. Patrick's & Holy Rosary Catholic Churches



### Weekend Schedule

#### Saint Patrick's Parish - Hallock

<u>Mass Times</u>	<u>Confessions</u>
Sat: 5:00 PM	4:30 PM
Sun: 9:00 AM*	8:30 AM

\*Rosary said prior to Mass

#### Holy Rosary Parish - Lancaster

<u>Mass Times</u>	<u>Confessions</u>
Sun: 11:00 AM	10:30 AM

Adoration on the fourth Sunday of the month at 10 AM

SACRAMENTS OF MARRIAGE, BAPTISM, ANNOINTING OF THE SICK:  
Please contact parish office.

### Weekday Schedule

#### Daily Mass and Adoration Schedule St. Patrick's Parish - Hallock

	<u>Mass Times</u>	<u>Adoration Times</u>
Monday	No Mass	No Adoration
Tuesday	8:00 AM	7:15-7:45 AM
Wednesday	5:30 PM	3:00-5:15 PM
Thursday	8:00 AM	7:15-7:45 AM
Friday	8:00 AM	7:15-7:45 AM
First Saturday	8:00 AM	7:15-7:45 AM

#### Confession

30 Minutes before all Masses

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