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ST. PATRICK'S MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION REPORT
 2022 Charitable Contributions:

	<u>FEBRUARY</u>	<u>JANUARY</u>
In-Church Contributions:	\$4,501.75	\$7,657.85
On-Line Contributions:	\$2,160.09	\$2,776.13

HOLY ROSARY MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION REPORT

	<u>FEBRUARY</u>	<u>JANUARY</u>
In-Church Contributions:	\$ 895.00	

PASTOR'S PEN

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

We are now in the third week of Lent. We are about to cross the halfway mark through Lent. I hope you are working seriously on spiritual repairs needed to renew your relationship with the Lord. In today's first reading, the Israelites in the desert are thirsty and ask Moses for water. So, God tell him to strike a big rock with his staff and water comes out. In the Gospel reading, Jesus tells the Samaritan woman that He can give her living water so that she will never be thirsty.

Water is a symbol of life. In the first story the people in the desert would have died if they didn't get water. Now Jesus gives us His life, which is grace. We receive it especially in Holy Communion. This is the living water he is speaking about. Our souls need grace to stay alive. When you have a drink of water, think about how your body needs water to stay alive, and how your soul needs God's grace. Saying a prayer is kind of like giving your soul a little drink.

Like the Israelites, we worry constantly about physical needs, but are often unmindful of God who supplies them. Today, Jesus offers us the refreshing water of eternal life, a power of faith and union-with-God which is our deepest need, and can satisfy the thirst of our soul.

Jesus invited the Samaritan woman to partake of the water which will always quench her thirst, to quench her needs in life. The waters he speaks of symbolize the waters of Baptism, and the invitation from Christ to all of us to seek that which gives us life, our faith through Baptism.

The Samaritan women longed for the water by which she would never thirst again. Can we say that we long for the waters of our Baptism which quenches the thirst of the question in our lives of how I live in this world each and every day?

United in prayer,

Fr. Joshy Mathew

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY March 11th
 5:00 PM Hallock Ivy Klegstad

SUNDAY March 12th 3rd Sunday of Lent
 9:00 AM Hallock Pro Populo
 11:00 AM Lancaster Brian Weleski

MONDAY March 13th
 NO MASS

TUESDAY March 14th
 8:00 AM Hallock Christopher Lenhart

WEDNESDAY March 15th
 5:00 PM Hallock Natividad Macaraeg

THURSDAY March 16th
 8:00 AM Hallock Floyd Neuschwander

FRIDAY March 17th St. Patrick (Abstinence)
 8:00 AM Hallock Emilie Blazejewski
 10:00 AM Nursing Home Pro Populo

SATURDAY March 18th St. Cyril of Jerusalem
 NO MASS

SUNDAY March 19th 4th Sunday of Lent
 10:00 AM Hallock Pro Populo

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
 Eleanor Kraska
 Cathy Cleem
 Iver Cleem
 Janet Olsonawski
 Jeanette Forfang
 LeRoy Vonasek
 Renee Stewart
 Ruth Hennen
 Gloria Dziengel
 Kayla (Sjostrand) Thompson
 James Sorenson
 Scott Flatland Jr.
 Conrad Olsonoski
 Amanda Woodard
 Father Rick Lambert
 Father Pat Sullivan
 Kenny Hunter
 Ivy Klegstad
 Kenny Neuschwander
 Mekalia Lyberg
 Gary Melin

Deceased Loved Ones

Dave Fertig
 Sandy Olsonawski
 Father Jerry Rogers
 Laura Schrankler
 Virginia Coffield
 Jerome Turgeon
 Dorothy Barber
 Vi Bakken
 Dorothy Kalka
 Dustin Kukowski
 Daniel Ingeman
 Kathryn Earnest
 Helen Gillie

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

LITURGICAL MINISTRY LIST

Sunday March 19th 10:00 AM St. Patrick
 Sacristan: Earl Karboviak
 Greeters: Langehaug Family
 Servers: Asher Olsonawski,
 Aidan Wiese, & Earl Karboviak
 Commentator: Olivia Kuzel
 Lector: Kathy Nelson & Avery Wiese
 EMHC: Teresa Weleski
 Usher: Alexander & Evan Kuzel
 Gifts: Friedt Family
 Money Counters: Keith Urbaniak & Volunteer
 Coffee Hosts: Ladies' Guild

COFFEE HOSTS LIST

Please check the coffee host list as it has changed with the upcoming parish feast celebration.

MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE

There will only be one Mass for St. Patrick's and Holy Rosary churches on Sunday, March 19th, at 10 AM at St. Patrick's for the Feast Day Celebration of St. Patrick. Bishop Cozzens will be presiding over the Mass. There will be a brunch afterwards to celebrate fellowship with the Bishop.

MARCH 19TH CELEBRATION

The choir is asking for members of both churches to join in the singing for the Mass being celebrated by the Bishop. Contact Chuck Dziengel or Sharlene Klegstad to let them know if you are able to join.

PASTORAL COUNCIL NEED

Laura Reese, a member of the Pastoral Council, resigned because she recently begun master's degree classes and does not have time for additional responsibilities. The parish wishes her the best and thank her for her service. The parish is looking for a replacement. Anyone interested in serving on the parish council, contact Fr. Joshy.

MASSES ADDED

Monday, March 20th at 6 PM at St. Patrick's there will be a Mass for St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
 Saturday, March 25th at 8 AM at St. Patrick's there will be a Mass for the Annunciation of the Lord.

STATIONS/MASS SCHEDULE

During Lent there will be Stations of the Cross Wednesdays at 5 PM followed by Mass with soup and sandwich supper after. ALL ARE WELCOME! There is a schedule in the back of church to sign up to lead Stations each Wednesday.
 Stations at Holy Rosary are **BEFORE** Mass beginning at 10:30 AM each Sunday during Lent.

LENTEN SOUP AND SANDWICH

There is a sign-up sheet in the entry of the church for soup and sandwich after Lenten services each Wednesday. This fellowship is so appreciated by members of the parish. Thank you for offering up your service and food.

PARISH & DIOCESE ANNOUNCEMENTS



3rd Sunday
of Lent

March 12th, 2023

St. Patrick's & Holy Rosary Catholic Churches



Weekend Schedule

Weekday Schedule

Saint Patrick's Parish - Hallock

Mass Times	Confessions
Sat: 5:00 PM	4:30 PM
Sun: 9:00 AM*	8:30 AM

*Rosary said prior to Mass

Holy Rosary Parish - Lancaster

Mass Times	Confessions
Sun: 11:00 AM	10:30 AM

Adoration on the third Sunday of the month at 10:30 AM

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

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

	Mass Times	Adoration Times
Monday	No Mass	No Adoration
Tuesday	8:00 AM	7:15-7:45 AM
Wednesday	5:00 PM	8:00AM-12:00PM
Thursday	8:00 AM	7:15-7:45 AM
Friday	8:00 AM	7:15-7:45 AM
Nursing Home	10:00 AM	
First Saturday	8:00 AM	7:15-7:45 AM
		First Saturday Confessions 7:15-7:45 AM

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DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL

Thank you for your generosity to the Diocesan Annual Appeal. The ministries you support are touching thousands of Catholics in the Diocese of Crookston! If you have not had the opportunity to make your commitment, please make your pledge or gift this weekend. You can donate online at www.crookston.org/DAA. For questions about automatic sustaining gifts, which is a highly recommended method for supporting the appeal, contact Renee Tate at rtate@crookston.org or call 218-281-4533-ext 432. YOUR GIFTS BUILD THE CHURCH AND MAKE IT STRONGER! St. Patrick's goal is \$7,816 Holy Rosary's goal is \$1,767

TRANSFORMATIVE ENCOUNTER WITH THE LIVING JESUS

Draw closer to God this lent by attending "The Transformative Encounter with the Living Jesus" - a two-part Lenten mission in the Diocese of Crookston. The first part took place on Sunday, March 12 at St. Lawrence Catholic Church in Mentor, MN. The second part of the mission takes place on Sunday, March 26 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Red Lake Falls, MN. The day begins with 10:00 AM Mass, followed by lunch (free-will offering) and a presentation by Father Craig Vasek discussing the ways to live out this encounter with the Living Jesus. You can still attend the second one even if you did not attend the first. To help us with food planning, please register at www.crookston.org/revival. If you have any questions, please email Bob Noel at bnoel@crookston.org

SAVE THE DATES!- Registration is now open

Saint Teresa of Calcutta Camp (for students entering grades 9 & 10)
Location: Oak Hills Christian College
1600 Oak Hills Rd SW, Bemidji, MN
Dates: June 25 - 29, 2023
Registration Link: www.crookston.org/tocamp

Saint John Paul 2 Camp

(for students entering grades 7 & 8)
Location: Oak Hills Christian College
1600 Oak Hills Rd SW, Bemidji, MN
Dates: Sunday, July 23 - Thursday, July 27
Cost: \$350.00 per camper OR \$325.00 per camper for two or more members of the same family. (A confirmation email will be sent to the e-mail address provided during registration. Spots are not held for registrants until the deposit payment has been received).
Registration Link: www.crookston.org/jp2camp

NATIONAL CATHOLIC YOUTH CONFERENCE 2023 - FULLY ALIVE! NOVEMBER 16-18, 2023

God created mankind in His image; in the image of God, He created. GENESIS 1:23-27
If you are interested in having your youth attend the National Catholic Youth Conference in Indianapolis, please reach out to Misty Mehrkens at mmehrkens@crookston.org or Cassie Johnson at cjohnson@crookston.org. The 2023 convention features For King and Country, and is hosted by Sister Josephine Garrett and Mari Pablo, and like all conventions, will include a host of excellent Catholic speakers and ministries. Estimated cost per participant is \$900 - \$1,000; this includes admission to NCYC, transportation and hotel, but does not include food.

WASHING OF THE FEET

Father is looking for 12 volunteers from both Holy Rosary and St. Patrick's for the washing of the feet on Maundy Thursday Mass at 7 PM. If interested please sign up on the sheet in the back of church.

KITCHEN CLEAN OUT

The Kitchen is Clean! Thank you so much to the women who helped clean and organize our kitchen: Dee Dee Bakken, Judy Dziengel, Judy Noel, Carol Olsonawski, and Cindy Urbaniak.

SECOND COLLECTION

There is a second collection for the Catholic Relief Fund March 19th. Please use the provided envelopes for your donation.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

With the addition of Stations during Lent, from March 1st-April 5th we will be running religious education class from 6:30-7:30 PM. Father would like the RE kids to get involved with Stations. Please have your child consider leading the stations for one of the weeks.

EASTER FLOWERS

There are pink envelopes on the table in the entry of the church for donations to the Easter flowers. Please be sure to note if your donation is in honor or in memory of someone and write that on the envelope. Checks should be made to "St. Patrick's Guild"! Envelopes can be placed in the offertory basket or left in the church office. Thank you for your generosity! The Christmas flowers were beautiful!

REVIVAL TEAM WORKSHOP

All members of Parish Eucharistic Revival Missionary Teams will be invited to a day of reflection with Julianne Stanz on either Saturday, April 22nd (Northern part of the Diocese) or Sunday, April 23rd (Southern Part of the Diocese). Julianne Stanz is the Director of Parish Life and Evangelization Mission Team for the Diocese of Green Bay. She is a consultant to the Evangelization and Catechesis Committee of the USCCB and is nationally recognized for her leadership in the formation of the laity as missionary disciples of Jesus Christ. Beyond her work in the Diocese of Green Bay, she is a national speaker who has given presentations to dioceses across the United States. This session will focus on how the Eucharistic Revival relates to forming Catholics to be ready to go "on mission" which is the focus of the Revival's third year.

There is a treasure of free audio and video resources about the Eucharist (on the parish website). Register for free for access to a plethora of excellent video and audio resources to help you learn more about the Eucharist.

THE NEWMAN CONNECTION

The Diocese of Crookston is partnering with Newman Ministries to identify current seniors in high school in the Diocese of Crookston who will transition to college next year. The Newman Connection is dedicated to connecting high school graduates to Catholic campus ministries across the country. Currently, 80% of Catholics stop practicing their faith in college. The Newman Connection is committed to changing this statistic, but they need our assistance. Our hope and goal are to connect every college-bound high school graduate in the Diocese of Crookston to their Catholic Campus ministry. In January, all parishes received an email from Newman Connection, describing ways that parishes can help connect our seniors as they transition to college. The Newman Connection has a collection of easy to download materials to help reach our seniors. These materials can be accessed here. Thank you for your assistance promoting the Newman Connection. Connecting to a Catholic Campus Ministry will likely be a game-changer for our young adults who are navigating the transition from high school to college. Let's keep them anchored in their Catholic faith!