

April 20, 2025



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ST. MICHAEL'S & ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCHES MAHNOMEN, MINNESOTA

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Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

On this day of days, we offer a joyful sacrifice of praise to the Father who raised His son from the dead. Let us be intent upon the life Christ offers us, Christ our Passover who has been sacrificed.



Praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet

"On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy."

We will be praying the Divine Mercy Novena at St. Joseph's Church. A novena is a prayer prayed 9 days consecutively. These are the following dates of times we will be praying at St. Joseph's Church:

April 18 (Day 1): 3:00 pm (prior to Good Friday Mass)

April 19 (Day 2): 8:00 am

April 20 (Day 3): 8:00 am (Prior to Sunday morning Mass)

April 21 – 25: (Days 4-8): 7:00 pm (Monday through Friday:)

April 26 (Day 9): 8:00 am

Please come for one day or every day. Copies of the Novena will be available so that if you cannot make it every day but would like to pray it, you may do so at your convenience.

April 27: Divine Mercy Sunday: "This is the hour of great mercy...In this hour, I will refuse nothing to the soul that makes a request of Me." in virtue of My Passion.

Divine Mercy Sunday:

At 1:15 pm, we will watch a movie about Saint Faustina.

We will pray the Chaplet at 3:00 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 4:00 pm



<p>Holy Saturday 4/19/25</p> <p>Alleluia Party to follow Mass</p>	<p>8:00 am Divine Mercy Novena at St. Joseph's 8:30 pm Easter Vigil Mass at St. Michael's: For the Parishioners Sacristan: Tim Spaeth Servers: Askelson Brothers Commentator: Char Spaeth Lectors: Dave Zimmerman, Mark Jirik, Cletus Geray, Juanita Zimmerman, Joe Dewey, Rita Wolbeck Eucharistic Ministers: Marlys Johnson, Tim and Char Spaeth, Mark Jirik, HELP NEEDED Ushers: Don Eveslage, Don Kaiser, Roger Francis, Bryan Klinkhammer Cantor: Choir Pianist: Brenda Sorensen</p>
<p>Easter Sunday 4/20/25</p>	<p>8:00 am Divine Mercy Novena at St. Joseph's 8:30 am Mass at St. Joseph's: † Sister Ann Marie Geray by Marlys Johnson Server: Bailey Halvorson Lector: Rita Wolbeck Commentator: Joe Buresh Gifts: John and PauliAnn Neisen Eucharistic Ministers: Jeff Crandall, Doug Kersting, Jerome and Ann Schoenborn, JoAnn Kersting 10:30 am Mass at St. Michael's: † Virgie Neisen by Elmer and Bev Schoenborn Sacristan: Joe Dewey Servers: Graham and Kara Stone and Ava Leu Lector: Mark Jirik Commentator: HELP NEEDED Eucharistic Ministers: Joe Dewey, Mark Jirik, Grace Sather, HELP NEEDED Ushers: Dan Schoenborn, Dylan Sather, Mark Jirik, HELP NEEDED Cantor: Choir Pianist: Gina Worms</p>
<p>Monday 4/21/25</p>	<p>No Mass at St. Michael's - No School 5:15 pm Catholic Daughters Rosary and Meeting 7:00 pm Divine Mercy Novena at St. Joseph's</p>
<p>Tuesday 4/22/25</p>	<p>8:30 am Mass at St. Michael's: Eveslage Families by Marina Bruggeman 9:30 am Collection Counters: Fred Houdek and Peggy Darco 10:00 am Catholic Daughters Rosary at Mahnomen Senior Living: Peggy Noll 5:30 pm School Advisory Committee 7:00 pm St. Michael's Parish Council Meeting 7:00 pm Divine Mercy Novena at St. Joseph's</p>
<p>Wednesday 4/23/25</p>	<p>10:00 am Mass at Mahnomen Senior Living: † Virgie Neisen by Elmer and Bev Schoenborn 5:30 pm St. Michael's School PTC Meeting and Family Fun Night 6:00 pm Mass w/FF grades 7-11 followed by Last Class: For the Parishioners 7:00 pm Divine Mercy Novena at St. Joseph's</p>
<p>Thursday 4/24/25</p>	<p>7:00 am St. Michael's Finance Council Meeting 2:00 Bulletin Folder: Marlys Johnson 5:30 pm Mass at St. Michael's: † Sister Anne Marie Geray by Marlys Johnson 6:00 pm Reconciliation 7:00 pm St. Michael's Cemetery Meeting 7:00 pm Divine Mercy Novena at St. Joseph's</p>
<p>Friday 4/25/25</p>	<p>8:30 am Mass at St. Michael's: † Walter Mason by Mark Jirik 7:00 pm Divine Mercy Novena at St. Joseph's</p>
<p>Catholic Home Missions Appeal</p> <p>Saturday 4/26/25</p> <p>Team 4</p>	<p>8:00 am Divine Mercy Novena at St. Joseph's 4:30 pm Reconciliation 5:00 pm Mass at St. Michael's: For the Parishioners Sacristan: Bev Schoenborn Servers: Tate and Morgan Houdek Lector: HELP NEEDED Commentator: Tom Houdek Eucharistic Ministers: Tom and Amy Houdek, Bill and Denise Nelson, Doris Eiynek Ushers: Tom Houdek, Gary Klinkhammer, Elmer Schoenborn, HELP NEEDED Cantors: Dave Kochmann, Evan Bruggeman, Choir Pianist: Brenda Sorensen</p>
<p>Catholic Home Missions Appeal</p> <p>St. Joseph's CCG Meeting after Mass</p> <p>Divine Mercy Sunday</p> <p>4/27/25</p> <p>Team 4</p>	<p>8:30 am Mass at St. Joseph's w/St. Michael's Students: † Darlene Krajsa by Evelyn Crandall Server: Wyatt Geray Lector: Joe Buresh Commentator: Rita Wolbeck Gifts: Ted and JoAnn Kersting Eucharistic Ministers: Cletus Geray, Rita Wolbeck, PauliAnn Neisen, Joe Buresh, Dan McNamee 10:30 am Mass at St. Michael's: † Laura Andring by Dick and Doodie Andring Sacristan: Kevin Gieseke Servers: Vanessa and Brock DeLong and Hannah LaFrinere Lector: Darlene Spaeth Commentator: Melissa Netland Eucharistic Ministers: Melissa Netland, Samantha DeLong, Ray Bisek, Misty Amberg Ushers: Steve Worms, Kevin Gieseke, Mark Amberg, HELP NEEDED Cantor: Jill Bisek Pianist: Gina Worms 3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet at St. Joseph's (with a movie about Saint Faustina at 1:15 pm)</p>



Stewardship of Treasure
For The Week of April 13, 2025

*Thank you to all who are using envelopes or mailing your stewardship offering to the parish office.
Your Gifts Are Greatly Appreciated!*

	<u>St. Michael's</u>	<u>St. Joseph's</u>
Adult	\$ 12,502.00	\$ 1712.00
Youth		
Plate	\$ 361.00	\$ 300.00
TOTAL	\$ 12,863.00	\$ 2012.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 85.00	
Holy Land Collection		\$ 25.00
Catholic Home Mission		\$ 25.00
Retired Religious	\$ 100.00	

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

"...He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him." (ACTS 10:38)

We can't give what we don't have. Open your heart to receive God's love, mercy and forgiveness. Then, show the same to others. As God's adopted sons and daughters, we are made in His image and likeness. As Pope Benedict XVI says, "we are made for greatness." Let our lives reflect His light to others. Pray to live a grateful and generous life. Strive for greatness! We are made for more! We are made for God!

**St. Joseph's CCG will meet
following the 8:30 Mass
on Sunday, April 27th.**



**New Life: "Through the Tender
Compassion of Our God"
Video Series**

Next month, the Liturgy Committee of St. Michael's and St. Joseph's, will host a 4-session study on the foundations of our Diocesan Pastoral Vision. The series is comprised of four video sessions running about 80 minutes with prayer, inspiration, testimony and time for sharing faith. In these video series, Bishop Andrew Cozzens will address various elements of the New Life pastoral letter. Hosts will guide viewers through each session and Catholics from the Diocese of Crookston will also provide brief personal testimonies. This resource is completely produced from our Diocese.

The video series will be held at St. Michael's Parish's Hall at 6:00 pm on **May 12th, May 14th, May 19th and 27th**. There will be snacks and refreshments served during the video presentations. All parishioners and friends are welcome.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE NEEDED - Please pray for those in need for their healing & peace.

We Especially Remember:

Dick Bjerck, Al Beach, Carol Liebl, April Jirik, Marina Bruggeman, Keith Francis, Vicky Oberkramer, Lucy Johnson, Jeri Lynn Jaeger, Julia Madoll, Norene Kersting, Nan Christopherson, Ernie Stock, Jade (Liebl) Fritz, Maggie Lerud, Brittany Hinks, Joe Thompson, Mary Jirik, Joyce Sponskowski, Alan Beach, Nick Buck, Cole Houska

And all recipients of the Catholic Daughter Prayer Blankets.

To add or remove someone from our Parish Prayer Chain, please call the Parish Office (218-935-2503)

**Happy Birthday to
Rena Bruggeman.**

We wish Rena a Happy and Blessed 99th Birthday. Rena turned 99 years young this past Holy Week.

We hold Rena in our prayers and celebrated with her and her Family!
May the risen Lord bless
you most abundantly!





St. Michael's School News

"Faith. Family. Future."

To contact the school office

Please call: 218-935-5222

Website: www.stmichaelschool.org

Congratulations To Calendar Winner of \$50.00

Anne Nalewaja of Twin Valley



Congratulations to our St. Michael's School Students who were honored at the Academic Breakfast on Tuesday this past week for maintaining an A or B grade average.

Keep up the good work. We are proud of you!

Firearms Safety Class - 2025

Starting April 28th at 6:00 pm
St. Michael's Church Basement

Must be 11 years old on or before April 28th
Class is limited to first 25 students

Any questions, please call
Gary Klinkhammer at 218-766-6291



Vacation Bible School

When: May 27th - May 30th

Time: 8:30 am to 3:30 pm

Where: St. Joseph's Church, Beaulieu

Who: K-6 grade: (2024-25 school year)

Need to have a minimum of 12 students
Registration due by May 15th

Call Parish Office Tuesday-Thursday
to register - 218-935-5222

Any questions, call
Vickie Anderson at 218-280-9099
Or Deb McNamee at 218-850-8073

Gifts & Memorials Given



St. Joseph's Church

† Earl Schlick by Sharon Litzau

† Earl Schlick by Chris Odden

† Earl Schlick by Peter and Colleen Kappes

St. Joseph's Cemetery

† Darlene Krajsa by Peggy Noll

† Earl Schlick by Peggy Noll

† Earl Schlick by Sharon Litzau

† Earl Schlick by Eunice Bellanger

† Earl Schlick by Steve and Kathy Haider

† Earl Schlick by Elaine Swiers

† Earl Schlick by Ron and Jane Kemper

† Earl Schlick by George and Delores Miller

† Earl Schlick by Ray Bisek

† Darlene Krajsa by Doug and Joan Kramer

† Earl Schlick by Doug and Joan Kramer

† Darlene Krajsa by Keith and Rita LaVoi

† Darlene Krajsa by Richard & Darleen Andring

† Barry Marthaler by Steve and Kathy Haider

St. Michael's School

† Al Colligan by Kevin Gieseke

† Laura Andring by Richard & Darleen Andring

† Earl Schlick by Eunice Bellanger

† Earl Schlick by Jerry & Lori Handyside

† Earl Schlick by Richard & Darleen Andring

† Earl Schlick by Keith & Rita LaVoi

† Earl Schlick by Janet Dewey

Honor of Deb McNamee by Chuck McNamee

Honor of Pat Collison by Peggy Noll

Faith, Family, Future Capital Campaign

† Earl Schlick by Bob and Diane Spaeth

The "Sunday Mass Devotional"

on KRJM "Gold 101.5 FM" Radio

Can be heard from 1:00-1:30pm every Sunday

This Week's "Sunday Mass Devotional"

*In Memory of
Our Parents,
And Byron and Vicky*

Sponsored By Richard and Valeria Pavlish

We have immediate dates open if you can
help sponsor our Sunday Devotional
on the radio - Cost: \$42.00

*What a great way to remember
or honor a loved one!!*

Thank you for your support of this ministry!

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MONDAY, APRIL 28
11:15AM - 5:30PM
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JANE KEMPER @ 218-935-2511 OR SCAN THE QR CODE

51
DONORS
NEEDED



DAA Status Report as of April 14, 2025

Thank you for your generosity with the Diocesan Annual Appeal. **The Diocesan Goal** is \$975,00.00. To date, **\$759,399.67** has been pledged and received, that is 77.69% of the diocesan goal.

Our St. Michael's Goal is \$17,123.00. To date, **\$19,325.00** has been paid and pledged (\$17,750.00 paid and \$1,575.00 pledged), that is **112.86%** of our parish goal from 38 parishioners. Wow! We have already met and exceeded our goal this year. Congratulations and thank you for your generosity. May the Risen Lord bless you abundantly.

Our St. Joseph's Goal is \$7,240.00. To date, **\$4,100.00** has been paid, that is **56.63%** of our goal from 12 donors. We are still \$3,140.00 away from our goal. Thank you to all who have contributed and to all those who are going to help us reach our goal. May the Risen Lord bless you abundantly.

April 27, 2025 – 2nd Sunday of Easter (or Sunday of Divine Mercy)

Acts of the Apostles 5:12-16
Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24
Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19
John 20:19-31



THE JELLY BEAN PRAYER

RED is for the blood

He gave.

GREEN is for the grass

He made.

YELLOW is for the sun
so bright.

ORANGE is for the edge
of night.

BLUE is for the sins
we made.

WHITE is for the grace
He gave.

PURPLE is for His hour
of sorrow.

PINK is for our
new tomorrow.

A bag full of jelly beans
colorful and sweet,
Is a prayer, is a promise,
is a special treat.

HAPPY EASTER!



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).

Sacraments

Baptisms: Please call the parish office for baptismal preparation, and to set a date for baptism.

Reconciliation: 4:30pm Saturdays at St. Michael's – 8:00am Sundays at St. Joseph's or anytime by appt. with the Pastor

Marriages: Congratulations! Please contact the parish office as soon as possible (ideally, at least six months in advance) so that we can work with you to prepare for your marriage.

Pastoral Visitation: If you desire a home visit, communion for the homebound, or the Sacrament of the sick, please call the office at 935-5115.

We want to be part of your life.

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