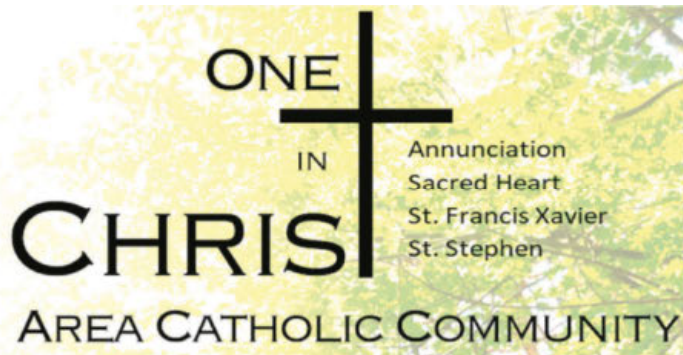


March 13, 2022  
2nd Sunday in Lent



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### Annunciation

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### Sacred Heart

2875 10th Avenue NE • Sauk Rapids, MN 56379  
320-251-8115 • sacredheartsaukrapids.org

### St. Francis Xavier

219 2nd Street N, PO Box 150 • Sartell, MN 56377  
320-252-1363 • sfrancissartell.org

### St. Stephen

103 Central Avenue S • St. Stephen, MN 56375  
320-251-1520 • churchofststephen.org

### MASS TIMES

<b>Monday</b> March 14	8:00 am	St. Francis Xavier	Word & Communion
Weekday	8:30 am	Annunciation	† Jerry Molitor
<b>Tuesday</b> March 15	8:00 am	St. Francis Xavier	† Eric Woznick
Weekday	5:30 pm	St. Stephen	† Jerry Pantzke
	5:30 pm	Sacred Heart	† Bernie Raymond
<b>Wednesday</b> March 16	8:00 am	Sacred Heart	† Joyce Loidolt
Weekday	8:00 am	St. Francis Xavier	Int. Monica Swanson
<b>Thursday</b> March 17	8:00 am	St. Stephen	† Carol Cropper
St. Patrick's Day	8:00 am	St. Francis Xavier	† Luella Menke
	8:30 am	Annunciation	† Ed & Jeff Rajkowski
<b>Friday</b> March 18	8:00 am	Sacred Heart	† John Determan
St. Cyril of Jerusalem	8:30 am	St. Francis Xavier	For the People of the Parishes
<b>Saturday</b> March 19	5:00 pm	St. Francis Xavier	† Ren Pearson
3rd Sunday of Lent	5:00 pm	Sacred Heart	† Lawrence & Minnie Lampert
St. Joseph, spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary	7:00 pm	St. Stephen	For the People of the Parishes
<b>Sunday</b> March 20	8:15 am	Annunciation	For the People of the Parishes
3rd Sunday of Lent	9:00 am	*Sacred Heart	† Linda Neu
	9:30 am	*St. Francis Xavier	† Gene Bidingier
	10:00 am	St. Stephen	† Stephen Hlebain

\*Livestreamed Mass

### PASTORAL SERVICES

#### Reconciliation

**Saturdays** 3:30 pm Sacred Heart  
4:00 pm St. Francis Xavier  
7:50 pm St. Stephen  
**Sunday** 7:40 am Annunciation

#### Anointing of the Sick

**Home Bound Communion**  
Pastoral Visitation, Prayer Requests,  
Marriage and Baptism Preparation

If you have any of the above pastoral needs, please contact your Parish Office.

Bulletin announcements are due in the parish office by 8:00 am on Mondays. Thank you! Please contact your Parish Office for more information.

### DAILY READINGS

**Monday:** Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 /Lk 6:36-38

**Tuesday:** Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 23:1-12

**Wednesday:** Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 /Mt 20:17-28

**Thursday:** Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 /Lk 16:19-31

**Friday:** Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a /Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

**Saturday:** 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

**Sunday:** Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 [8a]/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9

## MINISTRY & LIFE PERSPECTIVES



### From Safari.....

Almost twenty years ago I had the opportunity to take part in a three-day camping experience in the Australian Outback. I was in south central Australia near to Uluru or Ayers Rock, a geological formation that is often pictured in tourism guides. The Outback is a semi-arid place. We were limited to a small pack for personal items and were provided the swag (sleeping bag). We slept under the heavens, free from the lights of cities, the night sky was magnificent, stars and planets as far as you could see. It was hard to drift off to sleep. I could imagine Abram gazing upon the night sky and hear God saying to him, "Count the stars if you can, your descendants will be more numerous than stars of the sky." Abram had to be spell bound.

This weekend we again hear the story of God promising Abram descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky. I can hear Abram saying, "With all due respect, dear Lord, I've lived a long and wonderful life, and I am so very grateful to have everything I could want — except, as you are aware, I have no children." As we know from Genesis, that problem, so obvious and definitive to Abram, was but a minor detail for God.

Despite his old age and being childless, Abram put his faith in God, and God counted it as an act of righteousness. To further assure this promise that Abram would be a father of a nation, God enters into a covenant with Abram. The ancient ritual described for this covenant requires animals that are cut in half. The parties entering into the covenant would declare their loyalty while passing between the halved animals. The parties agreed to accept a similar fate if they proved unfaithful to the covenant. Then, God put Abram into a trance and only God passed through, meaning that God's commitment was total; breaking this covenant would mean that God would cease to be God. God knows that humans will struggle to be faithful.

Centuries later we are part of the covenant. A covenant further sealed with Jesus' death on a cross and his resurrection. Jesus' action is not bound by time, as it reaches back in time, to the present, and into future. Jesus, because of our unfaithfulness becomes

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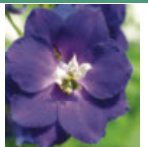
like the halved animals. Except this action establish an everlasting covenant in which we receive forgiveness and salvation.

For his faith in God, God credited Abram with righteousness. That is another way of saying that Abram was on the path of openness to receiving all God wants to offer humankind. May our Lenten Journey continue our openness to receiving all God wants to offer us, even if what is being offered seems impossible.

Fr. Ron



## LEADERSHIP



### ACC Pastoral Leadership

<b>Pastor</b>	<b>Fr. Tom Knoblach</b> 320-251-8115, Ext. 112 pastor@sacredheartsaukrapids.org
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<b>Pastoral Associate</b>	<b>Sandee Kremers</b> 320-252-1363, Ext. 1103 skremers@stfrancissartell.org



## STEWARDSHIP

God expects us to cultivate and develop the Gifts He has given us and return them increased.

Not for His sake, but rather for our sake.  
Using our talents for the sake of His Kingdom makes us better people.  
This is stewardship.

## ADVANCED CARE PLANNING

Light the Legacy will provide trained Advance Care Planning Facilitators to walk you through the Honoring Choices Health Care Directive, answer any questions and assist you in properly filling out this important documentation.



### Educational Sessions

Whitney Senior Center  
In Person Meetings  
1st & 3rd Tuesdays of the month 11 –12 pm  
1527 Northway Drive  
St. Cloud, MN 56303

Sartell Community Center  
In Person Meetings  
4th Mondays of the month 10-11 am  
850 19th Street South  
Sartell, MN 56377

CentraCare's Vitality Wellness Center  
3rd Tuesday of the month 1-2 pm  
50 Centracare Drive  
Long Prairie, MN 56347

Virtual Sessions  
2nd Monday of the Month 1-2 pm  
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SAINT ANTHONY PARISH  
*sunday breakfast*  
Hosted by our Family Breakfast Group  
March 20 2022 8:00 AM - Noon

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Please come and join us for a great breakfast and great company!



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## 3G, GIRLS, GOD & GOOD TIMES

Girls, God and Good Times, 3G, is a Benedictine summer camp, offered by the Sisters at Saint Benedict's Monastery. It will be offered June 20-22 for girls currently in 4<sup>th</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> grade and July 25-27<sup>th</sup> for girls currently in grades 6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>. It's an opportunity to grow in faith, make new friends, spend time with Sisters and have fun! For more information and to register visit:

<https://sbm.osb.org/ministries/3g-camp/>

## RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

### Celebrating the Mercy of God

The Lord Is Kind and Merciful, Slow to Anger and Rich in Compassion. Come and experience God's forgiveness this Lent.

### Communal Reconciliation Services (several priests)

Tues, Mar 22, 6pm, Newman Center  
Wed, Mar 23, 10:00am, St. Francis Xavier, with students  
Wed, Mar 23, 1:00pm, St. Francis Xavier, with students  
Wed, Mar 23, 6:40pm, St. Stephen, with students  
Thurs, Mar 24, 6:30pm, Sacred Heart  
Thurs, Mar 24, 6:30pm, St. Augustine  
Tues, Mar 29, 6:30pm, St. Paul  
Tues, Mar 29, 6:30pm, St. Stephen  
Wed, Mar 30, 6:40pm, St. Stephen, with students  
Thurs, Mar 31, 6:30pm, St. Francis Xavier  
Sat, Apr 2, 6:1:00pm, 30pm, St. Peter  
Sun, Apr 3, 1:00pm, Holy Spirit  
Tues, Apr 5, 6:30pm, St. John Cantius  
Tues, Apr 5, 6:30pm, St. Joseph, Waite Park  
Mon, Apr 11, 6:30pm, St. Anthony  
Tues, Apr 12, 6:30pm, St. Mary's Cathedral

Communal Reconciliation (no additional priests)  
Sat, Apr 9, noon, St. Francis Xavier

### Additional individual reconciliation at St. Stephen and St. Francis Xavier

Mar 29, Tues, St. Stephen, 4:00pm, 5:00pm  
Mar 31, Thurs, St. Francis Xavier, 4:00pm, 5:00pm  
Apr 2, Sat, St. Francis Xavier 3:30pm to 4:30pm  
Apr 6, Wed, St. Francis Xavier, 7am  
Apr 7, Thurs, St. Stephen, 7am  
Apr 7, Thurs, St. Stephen, noon  
Apr 8, Fri, St. Francis Xavier, Noon  
There will be individual reconciliation at St. Francis Xavier and St. Stephen, on Saturdays, Apr 9 and 16.

## ALL ACC PARISHIONERS



The St. Monica Christian Women of Saint Francis Xavier parish will be hosting a speaker from the Central Minnesota Sexual Assault Center on Tuesday, March 15 at 6:30 PM in the Saint Francis Xavier Gathering Place. All parishioners from the ACC

parishes, men, women, and young people age 16 and older, are invited to attend.

Cassie Bauman from the CMSAC will give a general overview of their organization, what they do and what is happening right now as far as sex trafficking/sexual exploitation within the surrounding areas along with facts and statistics. Years ago, we heard of this type of activity happening in the BIG cities. Now it is happening right around us. Please mark your calendar and make plans to attend. There will be a Q & A session as well.



May this season of Lent provide you added time for prayer and reflection. We ask you to please take a moment pray for the Bishop's Annual Appeal and the vital ministries it supports.

## FF LENTEN PROJECT



This year for Lent, Sacred Heart Faith Formation participants will be doing a project to help people in need all around the world through **Heifer International**. We will be collecting donations beginning March 9, 2022, and ending April 6, 2022 and you can help by donating online at <https://fundraise.heifer.org/fundraiser/3724839>, by dropping off a check (written to Sacred Heart Church with a notation for "Heifer International," or by dropping cash in our giant piggy bank in the Parish Hall during our Faith Formation meal. We will track the amount we collect on a chart in the Parish Hall. Sacred Heart Social Concerns Committee will also match the amount we collect dollar for dollar up to \$1000! Whatever you choose to give is welcome and important in helping out – no matter how small. Together our small contributions will make a big difference!

## BAPTISMS

We welcome the following children baptized into our parish family and the Christian community:

**Hendrix Jordan Andreen**, son of Jeff & Melissa, and

**Myles Joseph Smoley**, son of Brad & Vickie, both baptized at St. Francis Xavier.



## FISH FRY TIME

It's that time of year again...Fish Fry Time!!

St. Katharine Drexel will be holding their Annual Fish Fry.

It will be drive thru **ONLY!**

The dates are Friday, March 18 and Friday, April 1 from 4-7. Tickets (valid for both dates) are available at the Sacred Heart Parish Office.



## TEC RETREAT FOR LENT



You Are Invited to Attend a TEC Retreat this Lent

Sign up to participate in the March 12-14 or April 9-11 Central Minnesota Together Encountering Christ (TEC) retreat and pay just \$30. The regular price is \$95 – so this is quite the deal. Sign up today at [cmtec.org](http://cmtec.org) and pay the \$30 deposit. We will take care of the rest. TEC is a three-day retreat for youth (age 16+) and adults. Described as one of the most relevant and life-changing retreats around, TEC promises to inspire and surprise. This encounter retreat is perfect for those searching, those needing direction and a little peace, and those looking to deepen their relationship with God. Come find out what 41,000 others have already experienced. [www.cmtec.org](http://www.cmtec.org) today!

## DIOCESAN TV MASS

Viewers in the St. Cloud Diocese can watch the Mass on KSTC-45 at 11am each Sunday via cable, satellite or antenna (check your cable provider for channel number). Charter Communication airs the Mass on Channel 17.

## DUELM KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Duelm Knights of Columbus Breakfast to benefit the CROSS Center, Sunday March 20th at the St Lawrence Parish Hall, Duelm. Serving pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs, caramel rolls, fruit & beverage from 8:30 AM - 12PM.

## ST. STEPHEN

**Contact:** Carol Hellmann 320-251-1520

Fr. Ron Weyrens, Pastor

**Office Hours: M-F 2:00 - 6:00 pm**

ststephenchurchoffice@gmail.com

**Faith Formation:** Danna Gasperlin 320-251-5066

### Financial Offerings - March 5 & 6 & Ash Wednesday

Adult.....	\$ 1,644.00
Plate.....	249.25
Children.....	2.00
Ash Wednesday (Adult & Plate).....	878.00
Online Giving: Feb 26-Mar 4.....	455.00
TOTAL \$ 3,228.25	

Weekly Adult/Online needed for budget: 2,500.00

### Faith Formation Meals:

March 16 & 23 - Cold cuts on Hoagie bun & chips

March 30 - Tacos

**Stations of the Cross:** Join us every Friday evening at 6:30 pm during Lent.

**Parish Council** will meet on Tuesday, March 15 at 7:00 PM. The agendas will be emailed to Council members.

**Holy Thursday Feet Washing** - We are looking for parishioners to volunteer to have their feet washed on Holy Thursday. There is a sign-up sheet at the entrances of the church, or call the office.



**Spring Bingo is Back!!** Mark your calendar. Sunday, March 20, at 1:00 PM in Parish Hall. Along with Bingo, we will be having a Book and Bake Sale. \*\*\*If you would like to donate to the Bake Sale, please bring donations to the Hall on Saturday, March 19, from 10 - 12 noon, or prior to the sale on Sunday. If these times do not work - please contact Danna at 251-5066 to make other arrangements.

### Upcoming Events:

Mar 27 - Blood pressure checks after Sunday mass

Mar 29 - Penance Service 6:30 pm

Apr 12 - Vibrancy meeting 6:15 pm

**Prayer Line:** If you or someone you know needs our prayers, please call the office to have your prayer request added to the Prayer Line.

**Well n Fit exercise classes** with Lorene Deford will be held on Wednesday & Friday mornings from 9:30-10:30 in the Parish Hall.

### Helping Hands Outreach

**Senior Dining** - Every Wednesday at **Trobec's** at noon followed by cards. Cost is \$6.00 per meal.  
**Monthly Lunch & Learn** - will be March 17 starting with 11:30 social, followed by meal, speaker & entertainment.

**Feet First Clinic** - Call Helping Hands to set up an appointment. 320-746-9960

## ANNUNCIATION PARISH

**Contact:** Cindy Gans 320-252-1729

annunciation@cloudnet.com

Fr. Tom Knoblach, Pastor

**Faith Formation:** Shirley Scapanski 320-259-4941

thekids@cloudnet.com

### FINANCIAL OFFERINGS

#### Income for Sunday, March 6th, 2022

Adult Sunday .....	\$4,033.60
Visitor .....	\$89.00
Youth .....	\$10.00
St. Cloud Visitor.....	\$40.00
Votive Candle .....	\$1.40
Initial Offering.....	\$20.00
Building Fun .....	\$105.00
Church in Central/Eastern Europe.....	\$45.00
Total Income .....	\$4,344.00

*Weekly Income needed to meet yearly budget 3,037.00\**

### Mass Schedule

#### Sun March 20th, 2022, 8:15am Mass

**Lector:** JoAnn Marshall

**Eucharist:** Deacon

**Servers:** Ava & Halle Krajsa

**Greeters:** Don & Karol Weyer

**Ushers:** Randy & Julie Miller, Dan Bemboom and Dan Brenny.



**Happy Birthday:** Eugene Brown, Jr., Margie Cariveau, Sarah Haus, Marjorie Kahl, Zachary Burczyk, Kirby Krajsa, Dale Symanietz, Denise Zwick, Jennifer Bemboom, Emery Popp, Thomas Lubbesmeier, Owen Reich, Linda Puhalla.

#### Religious Education:

Wed. March 16th, 23rd, 30th at 6:30pm

March 16th: Reconciliation grades 3-11.

March 30th: Stations of the Cross

#### "Worldwide Marriage Encounter.

Bring back the honeymoon in your marriage. The next available **Weekends** are Mar 18-20, 2022 in Casselton, ND and May 6-8, 2022 in Buffalo, MN. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: [northmnwwme.org](http://northmnwwme.org) or contact Brent & Tracy at [applications@twincitieswwme.org](mailto:applications@twincitieswwme.org) or 612-756-8720.



**Stations of the Cross and Soup Suppers** a meatless Soup Supper will be served at 6pm with Stations of the Cross afterwards at 7pm. \*Soup will be served on March 25th and April 8th.



**Taking Bids for 2022 Lawn Care:** Bid forms and written requirements are available in the Parish Office for anyone wishing to make a bid for the 2022 Lawn mowing Season for Annunciation Church, Cemetery and ball field. Call 320-252-1729 or stop by for a form. All signed bids are due Thursday, March 24th by 4pm in the parish office.

## SACRED HEART PARISH

Contact: Jill Lieser — 320-251-8115, X114  
parish@sacredheartsaukrapids.org  
Fr. Tom Knoblach, Pastor

**Office Hours:** Monday – Closed  
Tuesday-Friday 8:30am-4pm

## FINANCIAL OFFERINGS

### Income for the Week of Feb 27, 2022

Adult Collection.....\$13,918.30  
Children's Collection.....\$40.00  
Friends In Need..... \$109.00  
Central MN Catholic.....\$165.00  
Ash Wednesday.....\$576.00  
Weekly adult collection needed to meet yearly budget \$18,500

## FINANCIAL UPDATE

We are 35 weeks into the fiscal year (67.3%). Regular adult giving is at \$585,478 which is 72.18% of our budgeted \$825,000. To cover our deficit, we should be at \$647,500, representing a shortfall of \$52,022. Your continued support is deeply appreciated. We receive IRA distribution checks on a fairly regular basis. Sometimes these checks arrive with a name on them, sometimes they don't. If you are planning on sending your IRA distribution to Sacred Heart, let Dana or Jill L. know. We can keep an eye out for it and let you know when it arrives. Thank you for your generous gifts to Sacred Heart.

## PARISH POTLUCK

We will have our new member slideshow and parish potluck following mass on **March 19th & 20th**. Please join us for community building, conversation and great food!

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 14; 6:30pm—St. Arnold's Group
- March 15; 6:15pm—Choir Rehearsal  
7pm—Sacred Heart Men's Club  
7pm—Parish Council
- March 16; 9am—Wednesday Morning Bible Study  
5pm—Faith Formation  
5:30pm—Kid's Choir Rehearsal  
7:15pm—WNL
- March 17; 1pm—Card Making  
6pm—Youth Ministry Team Meeting
- March 18; 4pm—SKD Fish Fry  
6:30pm—Stations of the Cross-Rich Wolter
- March 19; 3:30pm—Reconciliation  
6pm—Parish Potluck
- March 20; 10pm—Parish Potluck  
1pm—Castaway Leader Training

## PRAYER REQUESTS

If you know of anyone who needs our prayers and wants to be put on the following prayer list, please call 320-251-8115: Joyce Benoit & Emma Walker.

**Sacred Heart also has a prayer chain.** Please call 320-492-9361, 320-252-3401 or the Parish Office at 320-251-8115 if you have a prayer request.

## WNL

WNL is back! Grades 5 - 12 join us for fellowship, activities, and discussions this Wednesday until 9:00 PM. Bring your friends!

## CASTAWAY

We are looking for some young adults and adults to serve on Work Crew for our Castaway weekend (March 25 - 27). No cost, please contact Jason Prigge ASAP.

## BUTTER BRAIDS

Have you ordered your Butter Braids yet? Butter Braids make for the perfect Easter Treat. Proceeds help our young people going on summer trips, orders are open until **Wed. March 23rd**. Scan the QR code to order online:



## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations of the Cross are at 6:30 pm.

**March 18th:** Rich Wolter (Traditional Way of the Cross) with Benediction

**March 25th:** Catholic United Financial (Traditional Way of the Cross) with Benediction

**April 1st:** Social Concerns Committee

**April 8th:** Sacred Heart Youth

## HOMEBOUND MINISTERS



Seeking individuals who desires to serve the homebound and residents of Good Shepherd through your caring presence and the Holy Communion. You will meet amazing people and touch the lives of others more than you can imagine. Contact Deacon Joe Kresky for various option depending on your availability.

## HOLY WEEK CHOIRS

Choir has a busy Spring season. If you plan to sing for any of the Holy Week liturgies please start coming to rehearsals as often as possible. If you are new to our choir please contact Sarah at sarahwoeste@sacredheartsaukrapids.org or 251-8115.

## COLLECTION FOR THE HOMELESS

St. Monica's is sponsoring a collection in honor of St. Joseph. During the month of March, they will be collecting items for Lincoln Center, a homeless shelter in St. Cloud. Lists of needs are located by the collection bins. Please bring donated items and leave in the food donation bins or bring items to the office. Donations will be accepted through March 31st.

## CATHOLIC UNITED FINANCIAL

Catholic United Financial will meet at 6pm on Tuesday, March 22 in the Room D.

## ST. FRANCIS XAVIER

### FINANCIAL OFFERINGS

Weekly Collection Budget ..... \$19,230.77  
 Collected 03/06/2022.....\$25,262.39  
**Excess (Deficit) ..... \$6,031.62**

YTD Collection Budget ..... \$692,312.72  
 YTD Collected ..... \$743,017.07  
**Excess (Deficit) ..... \$50,704.35**

### ADORATION

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be on Monday's March 14 & 28 from 4-7pm. Thank you for spending time with Jesus.



### FRIENDS IN FAITH



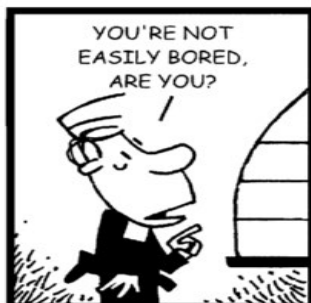
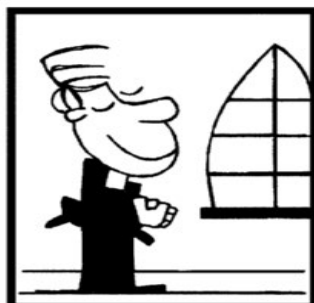
**Friends in Faith Meeting**  
**Monday, March 14**  
**5:30 pm Xavier Hall**  
**Kathy Stang will be here to speak to us about Ministering to those experiencing loss of a loved one.**

### HEALTH & WELLNESS

**Health & Wellness Meeting**  
**Tuesday, March 15**  
**5:30 pm Gather Place**



2ND SUNDAY OF LENT



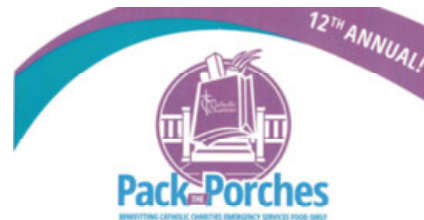
*The Spring Bling Sale is Back, it will be from 4:00 -7:00 Friday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> and after the weekend Masses April 23 & 24<sup>th</sup>. We will be collecting new, vintage & repurposed Jewelry, Scarves and Handbags starting on March 7<sup>th</sup> until April 10<sup>th</sup>, Palm Sunday. Donations may be dropped off in the collection boxes marked for the sale, by the parish office. Thanking you in advance for your donations, proceeds will be used for enhancements of the Gathering Place and church.*

*The Gathering in the Arts Committee*

### FOOD SHARE MONTH

#### March is Minnesota Food Share Month

Please consider making donations to the food shelf during the month of March. Through food and dollar matches, this next month is the best time to help with getting food to those in need. We still push for food collection the first week of every month when people come to church, but we can accept food at any time and we see donations coming in very regularly. Thank you for your generosity. Catholic Charities also promotes food donations through it's "Pack the Porches" program.



**FRIDAY, MARCH 18 | 7AM - 1PM**

Help us end hunger, create food security and improve nutrition in the St. Cloud area.

Support Catholic Charities Emergency Services Food Shelf and join our 12<sup>th</sup> annual Pack the Porches food and fund drive.

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations of the Cross will take place at St. Francis Xavier on the following Fridays at 5:30 p.m. – March 18, March 25, April 1 and April 8.



Sign up and donate blood on Thursday, March 24 from 1:00 – 7:00 pm in the Gathering Place at St. Francis Xavier Church. The Red Cross follows the highest standards of safety and infection control. In accordance with CDC guidelines, all donors are required to wear a face covering or mask. Appt/Info: Call or email Greg at 320-250-9137 or [schlossergregory@gmail.com](mailto:schlossergregory@gmail.com)

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