

LITURGICAL DAY	WEEKDAY	DATE	TIME	SERVICE/INTENTION	CONFESSIONS
20th Sunday of Ordi-	Sunday	August 16,	10:30am	Mass: +Mark Stalberger	10:10 am
Weekday	Tuesday	August 18, 2026	5:00pm	NO Adoration & Benedic- tion	
Weekday	Tuesday	August 18, 2026	7:00 pm	NO Mass	
21st Sunday of Ordi- nary Time	Sunday	August 23, 2026	10:30am	Mass: +Lydia Rodewald	10:10am

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 schools, your first call should be to law enforcement. In addition, the diocesan Victims Assistance Coordinator is available at 218-281-7895 (24 hour confidential number) Diocesan Abuse Victim Assistance Coordinator: Cindy Hulst // Confidential Line - 218.281.7895 // chulst@crookston.org

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time (August 16, 2026)
“Observe what is right, do what is just; for my salvation is about to come, my justice, about to be revealed.” Isaiah 56: 1

A steward is keenly aware of the need for justice. It is the Lord’s justice practiced by a steward that delivers the poor.

“Question of the week

When have I felt justified in crossing boundaries and how persistent did I need to be to do so?

Liturgy of the Hours: Week IV of the Psalter

Reflection of the Gospel

In the Course of today’s gospel, we see something shift in Jesus. The Canaanite woman stretches him to see her not as “other” or as “enemy”, but as one with whom he shares a common humanity, a common faith in God, a common desire for the well-being of children. He recognizes her great faith. She secures her daughter’s healing, but she also seems to spark in Jesus the idea that his mission is for all people, a notion that will be fanned into flame by those who carry it on after his resurrection.

-Living Liturgytm, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2026

Birthdays/Anniversary on file this Week

8/16 Deacon Trevor Christina Pikula

8/16 Nathan Foltz

8/21 Irene Hazelton



Website: formed.org

Our Sympathy to Roger & Al Foltz on the death of their nephew Paul Walz son of Donna Foltz Martin who passed away last week. Paul's Visitation will be from 11-12 with the funeral at 12pm, here at Assumption Parish on August 22,2026. Eternal Rest Grant onto him O Lord and let perpetual light shine on him.

Prayer Requests:

The following people or their family has asked us to pray for them:

Lord, we pray for your loving support for the people listed below and their families as they deal with their illness. Guide the doctors who are seeking answers and making decisions about care/treatment. We pray that their illness is at a stage favorable for effective treatment. Enable their bodies to respond well to care treatment and their souls to experience comfort and peace in you. Make this an experience that draws them and their loved ones closer to you as well as to one another. We commit them to your mercy.

Carol Bertram Aarness, Rick Bakken, Marilyn Bellefeuille, Randi Bernard, LaMae & Ken Blattenbauer, Colleen Borgrud, LaVaun Borgrud, Jerry Braaten, Peggy Braaten, Arlene Buitendyk, Shane Donley, Jodi Eidschink, Rick Flottesmesch, John Gerulli, Sharon Greminger, Cindi Hilber, Pat Hilber, **Marlys Jacobson**, Nancy Johnson, Jeanine Kivi, Jamie Langevin, Betty, Barb Muff, Kelly Olson, Earl Paulson, Ken Pearson, **Marie Raun**, Jonell Richards, Greg Ronning, Carol Scherzer, George Scherzer, Bev Snyder, Shirley Spry, Hope Tietz, AT, Jeff VanHecke

Bold are new this week, or need extra prayers!

Please Pray for our Students for a safe summer!

Madeline Abbott, Julia Steffl, Megan Stalberger, Ellie Steffl, Maria Foltz, Luke Helm, Freddie Steffl, Caleb Rodewald, Nathan Loreth, Kaitlyn Loreth, Molly Rodewald, Jake Helm, Colby Rodewald, Savannah Rodewald, Odessa Schmit, Barisa Foltz, Colton Arnoldy, Ava Rodewald & Lilly Dillon



Sunday, August 9, 2026

Adult Envelopes \$1,115.00

Loose Plate \$ 177.00

Ministry Schedule for Sunday, August 23, 2026

Altar Server: Johnny Loegering

Lector: Bill Steffl

Presentation of Gifts: David & Gina Steffl Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Roger Foltz & Max Klarer

Ushers: Roger & Nate Foltz

Music: Rachel Bakken



A Prayer of Solidarity and Hope in Suffering

Lord Jesus, from your pierced heart on the Cross we have received the gift of your Body and Blood poured out to wash away our sins and to give us eternal life. We pray for our brothers and sisters in the Diocese of Crookston whose hearts are also pierced because they will no longer have weekend Mass in their parish church.

We ask you to be close to them, to let them experience your tender love. Be with them as they join new communities in our diocese. May we lovingly embrace these new parishioners, and together may we work to strengthen our parishes and become your witnesses for generations to come.

We also pray for more vocations to the priesthood in the Diocese of Crookston; help the young men of our parish to hear your call to serve you with their whole lives.

Through the intercession of Our Lady of Sorrows, may this experience of the Cross become a source of new spiritual life in our diocese.

St. Mary, Badger, St. Mary, Euclid, St. Philip, Falun, St. Francis, Fisher, St. Ann, Goodridge, St. Francis Xavier, Oklee, St. Joseph, Oslo are the parishes affected.

- Tuesday, August 18th KC General Meeting Holy Rosary
- Tuesday, August 18th, St Rachel Circle Meeting 3:30 pm St Joseph Hall
- Wednesday, August19th 11am, Church cleaning followed by potluck lunch
- Saturday, August 22nd Paul Walz Visitation 11-12 Funeral at 12pm
- Sunday, September 6th KC Pancake Breakfast Holy Rosary
- Sunday, September 13th Second Collection for Latin America
- Tuesday, September 15th KC General Meeting Holy Rosary
- Sunday, September 20th Christian Mothers Meeting after Mass

Upcoming Fellowship



August 16th St Rachels Circle Pie & Ice Cream Fundraiser
August 23rd Jeanine & Sharon Kivi
August 30th **OPEN**

September 6th St Theresa’s Circle Fellowship
September 13th OPEN
September 20th OPEN
September 27th OPEN
October 4th St Theresa’s Circle Bake Sale
October 11th OPEN
October 18th Mary & Becca German Pancakes
October 25th OPEN
November 1st St Rachel’s Circle Fellowship
November 8th OPEN
November 15th OPEN
November 22nd OPEN
November 29th OPEN
December 6th OPEN
December 13th OPEN
December 20th Rick & Ginny