



**YOU SHALL LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD  
WITH ALL YOUR HEART,  
WITH ALL YOUR SOUL, WITH ALL YOUR MIND,  
AND WITH ALL YOUR STRENGTH.**

Mark 12:30

**As we observe the Solemnity of All Saints  
and The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed,  
we remember the Faithful Departed**

**St. Anastasia**

<i>Myron Seifert 10-21-2020</i>	<i>Dorothy Rynes 02-02-2021</i>	<i>Gerrit Stone 08-06-2021</i>
<i>James Tupa 08-23-2020</i>	<i>Virgil Vacek 02-90-2021</i>	<i>Wayne Scott 08-02-2021</i>
<i>Luke Mulenburg 10-28-2020</i>	<i>Leonard Blazinski 04-14-2021</i>	<i>Alberta Lehn 08-19-2021</i>
<i>Lawrence Walz 11-22-2020</i>	<i>Cody Thode 03-08-2021</i>	<i>Dennis Drazkowski 08-24-2021</i>
<i>Robert Schmid 12-02-2020</i>	<i>Norbert Mohs 05-01-2021</i>	<i>Marie Langholz 08-24-2021</i>
<i>Otto Levno 12-09-2020</i>	<i>Steven Lagergen 05-10-2021</i>	<i>Irene Carlson 10-26-2020</i>
<i>Jim Knutson 12-18-2020</i>	<i>Stephen Tauer 04-18-2021</i>	<i>Lois Reiner 09-07-2021</i>
<i>Nadeen Forbers 01-04-2021</i>	<i>Ricky Roskammer 07-20-2021</i>	<i>MarianMcGee 05-03-2021</i>
<i>Shirley Radtke 01-18-2021</i>	<i>Raymond Urban 07-25-2021</i>	<i>Elaine Schultz 09-29-2201</i>
<i>Neil Posusta 01-28-2021</i>	<i>Colleen Mix 07-04-2021</i>	<i>Levi Gonzales 10-07-2021</i>
<i>Jeanette Horesji 01-29-2021</i>	<i>Cesario Gonzalez 07-20-2021</i>	<i>Gerald Beeler 10-18-2021</i>
<i>Joyce Conn 02-02-2021</i>	<i>David Troska 08-10-2021</i>	<i>Lucinda Nelson 10-20-2021</i>



**St. Boniface**

*Jerome Ewert 11-28-2020*  
*Flora Schaufler 12-05-2020*  
*Carsten Homan 02-27-2021*  
*Melvin Klinkner 07-10-2021*  
*Robert Ludowese 10-01-2021*  
*Marjorie Navara 10-22-2021*

*Into your loving hands, O Lord,  
we humbly offer our brothers and sisters.  
In this life you covered them with your tender  
love;  
save them now from every evil  
and grant them eternal rest.*

*The old order has faded away:  
welcome them into paradise,  
where there will be no sorrow, no weeping or  
pain,  
but fullness of peace and joy  
with your Son and the Holy Spirit  
forever and ever. Amen.*

**Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**October 31, 2021**



## The Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

You shall love the LORD, your God, with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength.  
— Deuteronomy 6:5

### Readings for the Week

**Mon:** Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a

**Tue:** Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40,

**Wed:** Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33

**Thu:** Rom 14:7-12; Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14; Lk 15:1-10

**Fri:** Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 16:1-8

**Sat:** Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Ps 145:2-5, 10-11; Lk 16:9-15

**Sun:** 1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7-10; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44 [41-44]



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## This Week's Area Worship Schedule

DATE/TIME	LOCATION	INTENTION
<i>Eucharistic Adoration: 5am on Monday until 5pm on Friday.</i>		
<b>MONDAY, November 1</b>	<b>All Saints Day</b>	
7am, Mass	St. Anastasia	
9am, Mass	St. Anastasia	
5pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	+Ralph Nasset
7pm, Mass	St. Boniface	
<b>TUESDAY, November 2</b>	<b>All Souls Day</b>	
7am, Mass	St. Anastasia	Marie Dadle
<b>WEDNESDAY, November 3</b>		
5pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	+Bruce Karl
<b>THURSDAY, November 4</b>		
7am, Mass	St. Anastasia	+Mary Ludowese
<b>FRIDAY, November 5</b>		
7am, Mass	St. Anastasia	+Bernie Libor
<b>SATURDAY, November 6</b>		
3pm, Confessions	St. Anastasia	
4:30pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	+Don Cady (brother of Bob Cady)
<b>SUNDAY, November 7</b>		
7:30am, Mass	St. Anastasia	For the hearts & minds of expectant mothers & fathers
9:00am, Mass	St. Boniface	++Jerome Sr. & Evelyn Ewert
10:30am, Mass	St. Anastasia	+Ken Schons
7:30pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	For Our Area Faith Community

## Calendar of Events

<b>MONDAY, November 1</b>	<b>All Saints Day</b>
6:30pm, GriefShare	St. Anastasia hospitality area
<b>TUESDAY, November 2</b>	St. Anastasia
6:30pm, Education Advisory Committee	St. Anastasia hospitality area
<b>WEDNESDAY, November 3</b>	St. Anastasia
6:30pm, RE grades 6-11	St. Anastasia day chapel
6:30pm, Adult Ed "Sanctuary"	St. Anastasia cafeteria
7pm, K of C	
<b>MONDAY, November 8</b>	St. Anastasia
6:30pm, GriefShare	St. Anastasia hospitality area
<b>WEDNESDAY, November 10</b>	<b>2 hour late start at school</b>
6:30pm, RE grades 6-11	St. Anastasia
6:30pm, Adult Ed "Sanctuary"	St. Anastasia day chapel
<b>THURSDAY, November 11</b>	St. Anastasia
Noon, St A's Finance council	St. Anastasia parish office
<b>SUNDAY, November 14</b>	St. Anastasia
9am, RE grades 1-5	St. Anastasia
10am, Atrium	
<b>MONDAY, November 15</b>	St. Anastasia
6:30pm, GriefShare	St. Anastasia hospitality area

## The Roman Catholic Area Faith Community of St. Anastasia & St. Boniface

## Community News



### Community Thanksgiving Dinner

St Anastasia parish will again be hosting the Community Thanksgiving Dinner. We will need volunteers to help with setup, cooking, serving, clean up, etc. Questions? Contact Jen Eckstein, [religioused@stanastasia.net](mailto:religioused@stanastasia.net)

### Powerful Tools for Caregivers

Powerful Tools for Caregivers is an educational program designed to provide you with the tools you need to take care of yourself. Whether you provide care for your family member or friend in your home or at a distance this class can help you! Classes begin Monday, Nov 8, 1:30-3pm, at Christ the King Hutch. For more information call Barb Alsleben at 320-221-3747.



### Box of Joy!

Last year (2020) Box of Joy delivered packages to 61,422 children! For most of these children it was

their only Christmas present last year. Boxes, packing directions, lists of most needed/wanted items, etc. in the main entryway of St A's. All filled boxes can be returned to the same area.

Thank you in advance for your support of this important ministry.

### Thank You!

Thank you to everyone who helped us complete another successful Trick or Treat for the Food Shelf event. Your generosity will help many McLeod county families!

### CCW Rummage Sale Update

Thank you to everyone who helped with set up/ take down, clean up, organizing, selling, carrying and tidying up. Special thanks to Larry and Kevin for their help. Thanks to St. A's School and Kids Depot for turning the gym over to us for the week! Thank you to everyone who donated and to everyone who shopped! We made \$4,199.00! Thank you!! Thank you!!

Left overs were donated to the DAV, Shoes for Souls, the Lions club, the Hospital Auxiliary Thrift Store and Goodwill. If you still need a donation slip for taxes, let me know. Also, one of you ladies left your black jacket hanging on a chair—and we didn't sell it! Let me know and I will get it back to you. Thank you to all who brought us treats—You kept us going!

Lori Dahlberg 583-3422 or [dahlberg@hutchtel.net](mailto:dahlberg@hutchtel.net)

### Cemetery Committee

The Cemetery Committee would like to thank the following people for their contributions to the cemetery in 2021.

Thanks to our volunteer mowers: Stan Bebo, Dave Buechele, Bruce Block and Rube Schutz. Thanks also to Karen & Dan Dooley for tending the flowers in the planters. Thanks goes to Bruce & Teri Fenske for spraying weeds this fall.

We appreciate all the volunteer help to keep the Cemetery looking nice!

**TO: EVERYONE @ ST. ANASTASIA'S & ST. BONIFACE . . . . .**

*A message from Pope Francis*

*“Let us make time for Adoration. Let us allow Jesus, the Living Bread, to heal us of our self-absorption, open our hearts to self-giving, liberate us from our rigidity and self-concern, free us from the paralyzing slavery of defending our image, and inspire us to follow him wherever he would lead us, **not where I want.**”*

**FROM: THE ADORATION COMMITTEE:**

**PARISH OFFICE: 587-6507 or KATHLEEN McGRAW: 587-3298**

**P.S. – A very REWARDING experience.**



# Faith Formation

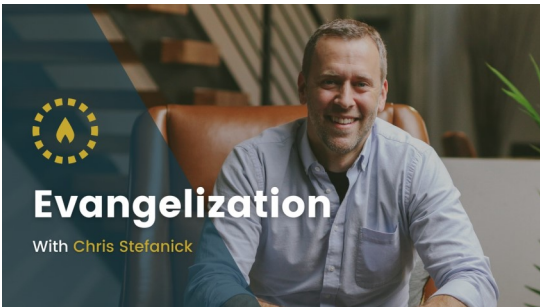
## ADULT FORMATION

### GriefShare.

Mondays at 6:30 PM in the Hospitality Area of the Church. All are welcome.



**That Man Is You.** Fridays 6 AM in the Hospitality Area of the Church. All are welcome.



**Evangelization with Chris Stefanick.** We are all on a mission. Pope Paul VI famously said, "the Church exists to evangelize" - that is, to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ and make disciples. Let renowned speaker, writer, and expert Chris Stefanick teach you his tried and true methods of spreading the Gospel, that is, evangelization. We will email you (if we have your email) the session to be watched and invite you to a Facebook round table of discussion.

### FEAST OF FAITH Prayer after Communion

The rites following the reception of Communion are very short. It is as if the Church is saying to us that the only way to respond to this great gift is to go forth and live it! But there are some significant rites yet before we are sent forth from the Mass. After Communion, we pray together in silence or sing a hymn; both are ways to thank God for the gift of the Son. Then the priest prays another collect, the Prayer after Communion. This prayer, usually very short, gathers our prayers into one. It reminds us of what we have already experienced: in receiving the Eucharist, we have received a foretaste of the heavenly banquet; we have eaten the bread of angels. This reality, this knowledge, should transform us, so that we may journey through this life with our hearts set on eternal life, and find in the Eucharist—which is food from heaven and daily bread—the strength and hope we need to

work toward God's kingdom of justice here and now.

### Love God

As we near the end of the liturgical year we listen to Gospel readings from the final stage of Jesus' ministry—his teaching in Jerusalem. This Sunday Jesus is in conversation with one of the scribes of the temple. In a rare occurrence Jesus and the scribe agree on the two greatest commandments—to love God with all your being and to love your neighbor as yourself.

In today's selection from Deuteronomy Moses gives this teaching to the Israelites as the core of their life of faith and prayer, and Psalm 18 echoes this prayer with the words, "I love you, O LORD, my strength" (Psalm 18:2). Jews and Christians agree that our greatest responsibility is to love the one and only God, and that we cannot claim to love God without loving our neighbor as ourselves.

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**The Sanctuary Course for Catholics.** One in four people will be affected by a mental health problem at



some point in their lives, yet the stigma surrounding mental illness silences many and prevents faith communities from responding compassionately and effectively. This eight-session course - beginning November 3rd at 6:30 PM in the Hospitality Area - designed for use in small groups - explores the realities of mental health and illness, as well as the vital need for faith-based community conversations about these topics. The sessions are accompanied by compelling films that feature the stories of Catholics living with mental health challenges, along with the insights of archbishops, theologians, and psychologists. All are welcome, drop your children off and join with us for insight, prayer, and discussion.

## SCRIP

Just a reminder: SCRIP is available for sale after weekend masses and during regular business hours at the St A's parish office.

SCRIP allows you to purchase gift cards for hundreds of local/national merchants. You always receive a card for the full value of your purchase. In addition the parish receives a small rebate from each of the vendors. The proceeds go to support the educational programs of St A's, including all Religious Education classes. The profit you generate can be applied directly to the tuition of any student you choose or to the Education Fund.

Gift cards are now available for Marshall's in \$25 and \$100 denominations. We have Visa gift cards, good anywhere their credit card is accepted. We have Cenex cards—keep it in mind when filling your tanks!

Gift cards are particularly useful for on line ordering. None of your personal information is required to use them.

They are also great presents for the holidays, hostess gifts, as a treat for those students away at college and as an easy to mail gift to those away from home.

## School News



We are excited to announce that St. Anastasia School and Kids' Depot have been offered a \$25,000 challenge matching grant from

the Schulze Family Foundation! Donors to the challenge grant must be a new donor or a previous donor whose donation exceeds their largest previous donation. Our deadline is December 30<sup>th</sup> and all donations must be collected by this date to meet the requirements for the match.

St. Anastasia/ Kids' Depot will use the grant money to improve our playground featuring play areas for the different age groups with new play equipment. These different areas and pieces of equipment will encourage social, emotional, language, cognitive, and physical skill development.



## THE CHALLENGE

The Richard M. Schulze Family Foundation has generously offered St. Anastasia School/Kids' Depot the opportunity for a \$25,000 challenge grant. This means we are tasked with raising \$25,000 in new or extended (giving more than their largest previous gift) donors, and then the Foundation will match it. The grant will be used in our school to improve our playground and grow enrollment to become an even more excellent school. Please visit our school website [stanastasia.net](http://stanastasia.net) to **HELP US MEET THIS CHALLENGE!**

Visit our school website for information:

[stanastasia.net](http://stanastasia.net)

or contact Betty Jodzio, Principal, for more information and to donate. Thank you!

## Please Keep In Your Prayers

Nicole Glesener Maureen Reiner Barb Olson Jenny Trettin Al Cotter Delores Beich Clinton Gruett Roger Steintl Delores Muetzel Gloria Pohlmann Betty Gunderson Darlene Artmann Terry Bisbee Sheryl Mose Marilyn Reinarts Janice Kay Bognerief Brenda Popp Heidi Jagne Cristy Wallstrom Roseanne Genz Logan Erpelding Veronica Jacobs *Special Intention*

Names will be listed for one month, if you would like to continue your pray request after that time please contact the office and ask for reinstating.



*The deceased: Jerry Beeler, Margie Navara*

*For all those in the military, serving our country at home and abroad. All those suffering with illness, loneliness, mental illness and those who are helping them. For a clear path in our troubled times.*

### Prayer For a New Bishop

Almighty God, who by the Holy Spirit moves the hearts of Your people, direct the councils of those who are appointed to choose a bishop for the Diocese of New Ulm, that we may be given a pastor who in faithfulness and wisdom shall lead Your people in the way of holiness.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.  
Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us.



As we enter the holiday season, our greatest wish for you is to experience the joy of giving. But we know sometimes all of the tasks that come at this time of year can pile up - making our gift wrapping and check writing less joyful and more arduous. Instead of waiting, consider tackling one to-do on your long holiday prep list early. Here are four facts about holiday giving:

1. **Nonprofits need your donations before year-end, but they don't necessarily need them at the end of the year.** A gift in late October is no less effective than one in late December. In fact, with the busyness of processing last-minute donations, an early gift might be the best gift.
2. **You get the same tax benefits for the year whether you make a gift in October or December.** Why not ease the burden your financial advisors and stockbrokers feel at the end of the year by giving before the rush? You'll be less stressed, too.
3. **The market doesn't perform according to calendar dates.** Why should your giving? For **ppreciated assets**, the best time to give them is when you believe they've appreciated and can maximize your charitable giving. Don't let December 31st make that decision.
4. **There's no need to wait until you receive your year-end bonus or sell appreciated stock to get the ball rolling on a donor advised fund.** You can start the paperwork to establish a fund now. Then, transfer your gift into the fund when you're ready, and start recommending grants!
5. **Thank you for your Gift. Please consider a Gift to St. Anastasia in your Estate.**

## Stewardship

### St. Anastasia

Oct 24 Contributions \$11,637.80

#### CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

Pledges Received \$1,505,332

Contributions Received \$802,723.00

Fund balance \$310,703.35

#### DIOCESAN MINISTRIES APPEAL

<u>St A's</u>	Parish	
Goal	Total rec'd	Portion
\$50,517	\$54,595	\$10,236

#### TRY ONLINE GIVING AT ST A'S!

Online Giving is a secure way to give to the parish. Manage your account and donations by computer, tablet, or smart phone. Go to [www.stanastasia.net](http://www.stanastasia.net), and click on the Online Giving icon to find out more. You can download the free App in the App Store, Google Play Store, or go to [OLGapp.com](http://OLGapp.com). Register by entering our church ID of 78.

### St. Boniface

Oct. 24 \$887.00

#### DIOCESAN MINISTRIES APPEAL

Goal	Total rec'd	Parish Portion
\$3,999	\$4,425	\$885



## General Information

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available at 3pm on Saturday at St. Anastasia or by appointment.

### Marriages

Contact the Area Faith Office at least 6 months in advance of the planned wedding date. Couples complete a premarital inventory and are required to attend an approved pre-marriage program.

### Baptisms

Contact Fr Paul Wolf, 320-587-6507, to schedule a baptism and the necessary preparation. The pre-Baptism program helps parents take an active role in their child's Baptism. It provides reflection and instructions for parents as they assume their new responsibility as the primary teachers of their child.

### Hospital Visitation

If you, or anyone you know, is hospitalized or ill at home, notify the Area Faith Office to arrange for visitation.

### Prayer Requests

You may list your prayer intentions in the Book of Communal Prayer in the Eucharistic Chapel.

### Prayer Chain

St. A's has a prayer chain that prays for any needs you have. Anyone can call with a prayer request, and anyone can be a part of the prayer chain. If you would like to participate or ask for prayer support, call Janet Hall at 320-455-7927 email 3furballmom@gmail.com.

### New Parishioners

Please register! Call or stop by the Area Faith Office.

### RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation)

Considering becoming fully Catholic? Call Fr Paul Wolf, 320-587-6507.

### Coffee Sales

Coffee from San Lucas, Guatemala is available in the Area Faith Office during business hours. Cost is \$10 per bag.

### Area Bulletin Deadline

Tuesdays, 12pm, at St. Anastasia.

### KC Picnic Shelter Rental at St. A's

Call Mark Lewandowski, 320-583-0357.

### Adoration Hotline

For the latest changes to the Adoration

## Area Faith Community Leadership

<b>STA Administrative Council</b> Chair: Jim Fahey	<i>usually meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month</i> Nov 16, 7pm	St Anastasia	parish office
<b>STB Administrative Council</b> Chair: Mark Maiers	Nov 8, 9am	St Boniface	church basement
<b>Cemetery Committee</b> Chair: Jeff Lehn	TBA, 3pm	St Anastasia	parish office
<b>School Advisory Committee</b> Chair: Jason Jennissen	<i>usually meets on the 1st Tuesday each month</i> Dec 7 7pm	St Anastasia	hospitality area
<b>Home &amp; School Association</b> Chair: Gina Jennissen	TBA, 6:30pm	St Anastasia	library
<b>Worship &amp; Outreach Committee</b>	TBA, 7pm	St Anastasia	parish office
<b>Maintenance Committee</b>	TBA 5pm	St Anastasia	parish office
<b>Social Concerns Committee</b>	TBA, 6pm	St Anastasia	parish office
<b>STA Council of Catholic Women</b>	Nov 11, 10am	St Anastasia	hosp. kitchen
<b>STB Council of Catholic Women</b>	TBA, 6pm	St Boniface	basement
<b>Knights of Columbus</b> Grand Knight: Mark Maiers	Dec 8, 8pm	St Anastasia	cafeteria
<b>Knights of Columbus Squires</b>	TBA, 5pm	St Anastasia	hosp. kitchen

## Area Faith Community Staff

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Kevin Scott, Facility Manager	320-583-0807 (cell)	
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Jake Burmis, YM Director	320-587-6507	youthmin@stanastasia.net
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<b>St. Boniface Cemetery</b>		
Richard Navara, Manager	1 mile south of Stewart on City Rd 7 320-562-2128	rnavara@embarqmail.com

**TO REPORT ABUSE:** If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a member of the clergy (priest, deacon or bishop), and you need to talk with someone about abuse, exploitation, or harassment, please contact the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator or the Bishop's Delegate in Matters Pertaining to Sexual Misconduct, 1421 6th Street North, New Ulm, MN 56073; phone: (507) 359-2966.