



Thirty-Third Sunday IN ORDINARY TIME

November
13
2022

Jesus' words in today's gospel could easily describe our lives today. Nations continue to rise against nations. Families continue to rise against families. Even our own church community often seems to be at odds. Fires, earthquakes, famines, floods, and plagues are such an everyday occurrence that we might even ignore them, imagining that they are not actually part of the current reality. Jesus tells his disciples and us that destruction is coming and those who follow him will be persecuted. Understandably worried, the disciples ask when it will happen and how they are will know it's happening. Jesus responds in an eschatological way, referencing the end of the world. Jesus maintains a clear-eyed view of the future and wants his disciples to know the weight of what he's asking of them. Even so, we can take comfort in Jesus' words. "By your perseverance you will secure your lives."

Perseverance takes a number of forms. Sometimes it looks like choosing to love your spouse and children every day, even when it seems impossible. Sometimes it looks like fighting injustice by condemning the racist or sexist comments we hear our friends make. Sometimes perseverance is simply taking time for prayer. In all of these cases and more, our relationship with God grounds us and gives us life.

The image in today's gospel are certainly apocalyptic, but they are also eschatological. This reading comes from what is often referred to as the "Lucan eschatological discourse," where we see not only what the end of time might look like, but more importantly, what it reveals about God and our relationship with God. Jesus' command is so significant because it offers an essential disposition to each of us: "Do not be terrified. Do not be afraid." *Living Liturgy, pp. 253-254*



Each of us has been entrusted by God with gifts, in the form of our time, talent, and treasure. Stewardship is the grateful response of a Christian disciple who recognizes and receives God's gifts and shares these gifts in love of God and neighbor.

As a stewardship parish, we proclaim and practice stewardship all year long. Each parish ministry offers many ways to give back to God through prayer, service, and volunteer opportunities. Stewardship of treasure takes the form of a commitment to share in the financial health of the parish and its ministries. Today, we invite you to make a commitment of financial support.



Thanksgiving Day Community Dinner, Thursday, November 24 at 12 n,
St. Anastasia Gym (take out available - no delivery)

“YOU WILL BE HATED BY ALL BECAUSE
OF MY NAME, BUT NOT A HAIR ON
YOUR HEAD WILL BE DESTROYED.”

Luke 21:17-18



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Sing praise to the LORD with the harp, with the harp and melodious song.

— Psalm 98:5

Readings for the Week

Mon: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 18:35-43

Tues: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 19:1-10

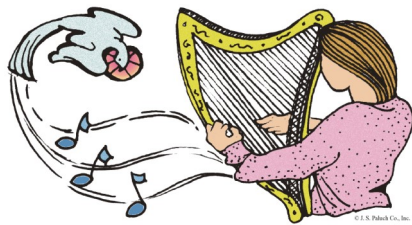
Wed: Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 19:11-28

Thu: Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 19:41-44

Fri: Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19:45-48 or (for the memorial of the Dedication) Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Ps 98:1-6; Mt 14:22-33

Sat: Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 20:27-40

Sun: 2 Sm 5:1-3; Ps 122:1-5; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43



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This Week's Area Worship Schedule

DATE/TIME	LOCATION	INTENTION
<i>Eucharistic Adoration: 6am on Mondays until Noon on Friday.</i>		
MONDAY, November 14 5pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	+ Steve Urban All Souls in Purgatory
TUESDAY, November 15 7am, Mass	St. Anastasia	+ Genny Lhotka
WEDNESDAY, November 16 5pm, Mass	St. Anastasia	+ Cindy Ziemer All Souls in Purgatory
THURSDAY, November 17 9am, Mass	St. Anastasia	+ Daniel Holy
FRIDAY, November 18 7am, Mass	St. Anastasia	++ Dick & Marie Richards +Issac Buboltz
SATURDAY, November 19 3pm, Confessions 4:30pm, Mass	St. Anastasia St. Anastasia	Day Chapel + Paul McRaith All Souls in Purgatory
SUNDAY, November 20 7:30am, Mass 9:00am, Mass 10:30am, Mass 7:30pm, Mass	St. Anastasia St. Boniface St. Anastasia St. Anastasia	++ Roger Lhotka, John Krebsbach + Ruth Wangen + Neal Braun All Souls in Purgatory For our Area Faith Community

Calendar of Events

MONDAY, November 14 12n, Common Cup 5:30pm, GriefShare	St. Anastasia St. Anastasia	Hospitality Area Youth Room
TUESDAY, November 15 7pm, Administrative Council	St. Anastasia	Hospitality Area
WEDNESDAY, November 16 6:30pm, Eucharist (Bible Study) 6:30pm, Faith Formation 6th-8th 7:30pm, Youth Group	St. Anastasia St. Anastasia St. Anastasia	Hospitality Area School Youth Room/Gym/Church
THURSDAY, November 17 9am, School Mass 2pm, Eucharist (Bible Study)	St. Anastasia St. Anastasia	Church Hospitality Area
FRIDAY, November 18 6am, That Man Is You (TMIY)	Veterans Day St. Anastasia	Hospitality Area
SATURDAY, November 19		
SUNDAY, November 20 8:45am, The Bible Timeline 9:00am, Faith Formation 1st-5th grade 10:30am, 3yo-2nd grade, Sunday School 11:30am, Baptism 5:30pm, RCIA 6pm, Discipleship Ministry	Solemnity Christ the King St. Anastasia St. Anastasia St. Anastasia St. Anastasia St. Anastasia St. Anastasia	Hospitality Area St. Anastasia St. Anastasia Church Hospitality Area Youth Room

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Community News

CHAP MINISTRIES ADOPT A SENIOR FOR CHRISTMAS

Adopt a Senior is a Program designed to bring Smiles & Joy to Residents of Long Term Care Facilities in McLeod County. Many of these Residents were placed “suddenly” in a position where they needed help instead of helping themselves, as they were accustomed to for so many years.

It is our Current Mission to purchase a Christmas gift for each of the dear Residents in McLeod County Nursing Homes.

We have asked over 200 of them what they would like for Christmas.

Common Gift Requests: Chocolate, Cookies, Treats, DVD Players, Western DVD's, Old TV Shows on DVD, CD Players, Older style County CD's, 60's CD's, Hymns, Cassette Players, Zip-Up Hoodies, Personal Care items, Pajamas, Robes, Socks,

GIFT CARDS: Walmart, Target, Walgreens, Dollar General, Dollar Tree

Place unwrapped gifts in a gift bag and bring it to church by Sunday, December 11th. We will pick them up from the church on December 12th. Merry Christmas & Thank You!

CHAP MINISTRIES 928-792-3100

INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALIST ANGELA KENNECKE Broadcasts her Own Daughter's Heartbreaking Overdose Death - Angela will talk about her own experiences of losing her daughter to an accidental opioid (fentanyl) overdose and her choice to make the story public. She will share the heartbreak and what she's learned, and her crusade to stop more overdoses of young people. This is an educational presentation on the opioid epidemic told through a mother's eyes.

Presentation at GFW High School Auditorium- November 14th - Afternoon at 2:15 p.m. for students and staff only. **Evening presentation** at 6:30 p.m. for parents, and members of the public

Common Cup

Coming Together in Song concert will be Nov 20 at 2:00 pm.

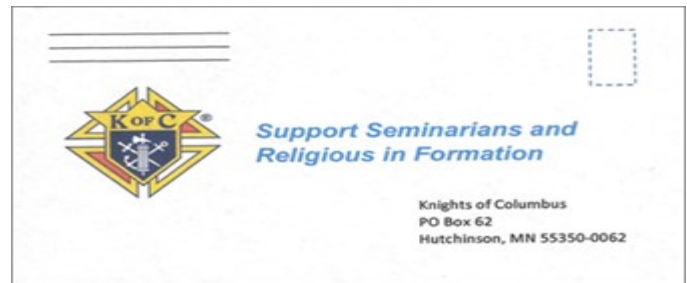
Collecting Ramen Noodles, Personal Care items, Laundry soap, dryer sheets and any kind of food all year long.



Faith in Action – Support Vocations Program

Our Knights of Columbus council would like to provide a \$1000 match to parish donations in support of the Vocations Program. We will provide some donation envelopes that can be found in the back of church for the congregation to send in their donation or place in the collection basket. A donation given in a plain envelope marked “Support Religious Vocations” and placed in the collection basket will also work.

Through this program, we will raise funds to support seminarians or religious in formation in our diocese.



We will collect through December. As of 11/8/22 we received **\$1,443.00. Thank you!**

Kids Depot

We are looking for more classroom workers. If you know of anyone or you yourself are interested please contact Michelle Nies at 320-587-4760 or email kidsdepot@stanastasia.net

Bulletin deadline for the November 27 bulletin

There is an early deadline for the November 27 bulletin so please have all your information turned in by Thursday, November 17 so it can be sent in on that Friday. Thanks for all your help!



9th Annual Christmas Market

Our annual LEAST fundraiser will be held Saturday, Dec 17, 9am-1pm, in the gym. (Parking in north lot) This year it features:

- † A delicious breakfast (eggs, sausage, pancakes, cinnamon rolls, fruit, beverages)
- † Bake sale
- † Quilt raffle
- † Gerald Kucera will be selling fudge and kolaches.

All proceeds go to the “LEAST” project to feed weekly 120 elderly in Guatemala for a year!

LEAST = Loving the Elderly And Satiating His Thirst

Faith Formation - ADULT FORMATION



St. Anastasia parish will again be hosting the Community Thanksgiving Dinner. We will need volunteers to help with setup, cooking, serving, clean up, etc. More hands make light work. Sign-up on our website. We are accepting monetary donations! Questions? Contact Fr. Paul, at 320-587-6507 or email pwolf@stanastasia.net

Diocesan Ministries Appeal

Next Sunday is Commitment Sunday for the 2022 Diocesan Ministries Appeal. Watching the video today, we are reminded of the good work the DMA is doing in ministries too big for parishes to do alone, ministries that are important to us. Remember, in supporting the DMA, we contribute to those important ministries in the diocese, but we also support the project we have identified for our parish **Capital Campaign**. As you reflect on what your pledge should be, prayerfully keep in mind God's generosity to you. The DMA offers a great opportunity to make a return to God of the blessings we have received. This year with the theme "Renewed in Hope," we are invited to recognize the ways that God not only calls us to be a community of hope, He also invites us into his mission— to share our gifts to bring hope to others. Be assured that contributions to the DMA will be used only for the benefit of the ministries designated in the brochure and no other purpose.

Box of Joy!



The drop off day is **November 13th**. **Please include the \$9.00 for shipping costs.** Make checks payable to: **Cross Catholic Outreach.**

Real Life Catholic host Chris Stefanick is a consultant to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops on Laity, Marriage, Family Life, and Youth. He is an internationally acclaimed author and speaker who has devoted his life to inspiring people to live a bold, contagious faith. *Real Life Catholic* takes the viewer on a soul stirring journey that shows how amazing Faith makes everyday life.

Nov. 15, 18	Holy Dirt #1
Nov. 22, 25	Freedom in Philadelphia #2
Nov. 29, Dec. 2	Christ in the City #3

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Grant us, we pray, O Lord our God, the constant gladness of being devoted to you, for it is full and lasting happiness to serve with constancy the author of all that is good. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:

How can I increase my devotion to serving God?

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Flower Memorials

If you would like to enhance the environment of St Boniface or St Anastasia by donating money for flowers, lights, candles, or other decorative materials, please put your contribution in an envelope marked "Flowers" and drop it in the collection basket at either church. Please include the name(s) of the loved ones you wish to have remembered at this special time and the church you want it to go to.



Jimmy's Pizza Fundraiser on November 29

Hello St. A's families!

Mark your calendars for Tuesday, November 29! The St. A's Home & School Association has partnered with Jimmy's Pizza of Hutchinson to raise funds for our school. A generous 10% of all purchases made on November 29 will go directly to St. Anastasia Catholic School! This includes their delicious lunch buffet as well as all dine-in, carry-out, and gift card purchases. This year, you can also pre-order your pizza by scheduling your pick-up or delivery online at <https://www.jimmyspizzahutch.com/>.

We need your help in making this fundraiser a success!

We encourage you to also spread the word to family and friends here in town.

~ The Home & School Association



School News

We are continuing to grow our volunteer network and want to share some of things people are doing.



Library

Mrs. Heining and Ms. Reed volunteer weekly in our school library. They help students select age appropriate books, read stories, and share ideas on books to check out.

Kindergarten/Grade 1

Mrs. Lehn volunteers weekly with our Kindergarten students. She works with them on their studies and plays learning games



Grade 6

Mrs. Knorr volunteers weekly with our sixth graders. She supports whatever they are learning at the time, whether it be math, social studies, or other topics.

Ask one of these volunteers about their experiences if you have questions about what it is like to be a volunteer here at school. We would love to have you join us in other ways as well. If you like to pop popcorn, read, play games, or practice math facts you will fit right in with us! We welcome you to inquire and sign up. Contact the school office for more information. Thank you!

Food Shelf Donations

Thank you to all who donated food for the food shelf. We took in 18 pounds of food this past week.



Letters from Heaven

Start with the letter in the shaded square. Draw a path from letter to letter to complete the Biblical statement. Move one square at a time, up, down, right, left and diagonally until all letters are used once. Ignore any black squares.

Jesus said, "You will be hated by all because of my name, but not a hair on your head ..."

T	S	E	W
R	D	B	I
O	E	L	L
Y	E	D	

W _ _ _ _ _ ."

Answer: *will be destroyed*

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ADORATION MOMENTS

God Is Patient with US

God is not impatient like us, who often want everything all at once, even in our dealings with other people. God is patient with us because he loves us, and those who love are able to understand, to hope, to inspire, confidence; they do not give up, they do not burn bridges, they are able to forgive. Let us remember this in our lives as Christians: God always waits for us, even when we have left him behind! He is never far from us, and if we return to him, he is ready to embrace us.

ADORATION OPEN TIMES AVAILABLE:

- Monday:** -----
- Tuesday:** -----
- Wednesday:** 1:00-2:00 A.M. /4:00P.M.
- Thursday:** 1:00 A.M & 5:00 P.M.
- Friday:** -----

PARISH OFFICE: 587-6507
 ADORATION HOTLINE: 320-484-7126
 ADORATION: Monday 6:00 A.M. to Friday NOON

Please Keep In Your Prayers

*Nicole Glesener Barb Olson Jenny Trettin
Clinton Gruett Roger Steintl Terry Bisbee
Delores & Martin Muetzel Cristy Wallstrom
Roseanne Genz Bruce Bjerkelund Tom Donohoo
Jen Schnichels Bev Wangerin Janelle Woller
Bonita Quast Brenda Popp Donna Conrad
Special Intention Robyn Chrast Lois Pollei Irene Beeler
DJ Kirking Cathy Plath Gerald Plath Margaret Seekon*



For peace in our world. For those serving our country.
Names will be listed for one month. If you would like to continue your prayer request after that time please contact the office and ask for reinstating.



The Capital Campaign is for the remodeling of the church. Please write out a separate check than your weekly offering check as they go into 2 separate accounts, but still write the check out to St. Anastasia not to Capital Campaign. Thanks for your assistance in this process.

Anyone who has suffered sexual abuse by a priest or another person involved in Church ministry is encouraged to immediately report such abuse to local law enforcement, regardless of when it occurred, if it has not yet been reported. A listing of all county law enforcement and child protection agencies within the 15 counties of the Diocese of New Ulm is posted on the diocesan Web site at <https://www.dnu.org/report-abuse>.

Victims and survivors of abuse by clergy are also encouraged to contact the diocesan victim assistance coordinator or the bishop's delegate in matters pertaining to sexual misconduct at 1421 6th Street North, New Ulm, MN 56073, or by phone at 507-233-5313, for counseling or other assistance in healing.

Stewardship

St. Anastasia

November 6 Contributions \$14,303.00

Capital Campaign

Pledges Received \$1,509,332.
Contributions Received \$1,299,437.79
CC Fund Balance \$ 243,769.12

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, and click on the Online Giving icon. You can download the free App in the App Store, Google Play Store, or go to OLGapp.com. Register by entering our church ID of 78.

St. Boniface

November 6 Contributions \$1,025.00



**Are you new to St. Anastasia? Want more information?
Please provide some contact information for us
to reach out to you!**

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

I would like more information on:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Education Classes | <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer Opportunities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> St. Anastasia School | <input type="checkbox"/> Eucharistic Adoration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Confession | <input type="checkbox"/> Masses |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I would like a call or visit from Father Paul | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> I'm Updating My Information |



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.

Area Bulletin Deadline

Tuesdays, 11am, 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 schedule call 320-484-7126.

*The Area Faith Office is open Mon-Fri, 7:30am-4:30pm
320-587-6507.*

Area Faith Community Leadership

STA Administrative Council Chair: Jim Fahey	<i>usually meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month</i> Nov15, 7pm	St Anastasia	parish office
STB Administrative Council Chair: Mark Maiers	TBA, 9am	St Boniface	church basement
Cemetery Committee Chair: Jeff Lehn	TBA, 3pm	St Anastasia	parish office
School Advisory Committee Chair: Berit Spors	<i>usually meets on the 1st Tuesday each month</i> Dec 6, 6:30pm	St Anastasia	hospitality area
Home & School Association Chair: Gina Jennissen	TBA, 6:30pm	St Anastasia	library
Worship & Outreach Committee	TBA, 7pm	St Anastasia	parish office
Maintenance Committee	TBA 5pm	St Anastasia	parish office
Social Concerns Committee	TBA, 6pm	St Anastasia	parish office
STA Council of Catholic Women	TBA, 10am	St Anastasia	hospitality area
STB Council of Catholic Women	TBA, 6pm	St Boniface	basement
Knights of Columbus Grand Knight: Paul Mraz	Dec 7:30pm	St Anastasia	cafeteria
Knights of Columbus Squires	Dec 7, 5:30pm	St Anastasia	cafeteria

Area Faith Community Staff

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Jon Skoog, Facilities Manager	320-552-1264	
St. Boniface Staff		
LaMae Maiers, Administration		
Merri Schaufler, Contributions/Admin.	320-562-2245	
St. Anastasia School		
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Marilyn Schreiner, Secretary	320-587-2490	secretary@stanastasia.net
Kids' Depot Daycare & Preschool		
Michelle Nies, Director	320-587-4760	depot@stanastasia.net
Religious Education & Youth Ministry		
RE Dir, St Anastasia	320-587-6507	religioused@stanastasia.net
Karen Maiers, RE Dir, St Boniface	320-833-6020	karenmaiers1@gmail.com
Jake Burmis, YM Director	320-587-6507	youthmin@stanastasia.net
St. Anastasia Cemetery		
Mike Schall, Manager	1 mile north of Hutchinson on Highway 15 320-583-7199	mgschall@mediacommb.net
St. Boniface Cemetery		
Terry Maiers, Co-Manager	1 mile south of Stewart on City Rd 7 320-894-8758	
Adam Tanata, Co-Manager	320-583-4345	

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) 233-5313.