

April 3, 2016

## ***DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY***

### **Fr. Steve's Quotes for Consideration:**

*"O my God, let me remember with gratitude and confess to Thee Thy mercies towards me."*

-St. Augustine (354-430 AD)

For today's quote, I wished to share with all of you, my parishioners, a sentiment of what I am feeling toward our God after reflection upon the beautiful Lenten Season and Easter Triduum celebration that we had last week. I wish to express to each of you how very grateful I am to you for your kindness to me since my arrival here in July. I have felt so very welcomed, and so kindly cared for, and so inspired by your goodness. It is not just a great joy for me to be back in parish ministry after three years of studies in Washington DC, it has been a great joy to be in THIS parish, serving all of you. I am thankful for your involvement at Mass, your kind financial support of the parish, your hospitality, and especially your feedback. As you well know, I am a rather young priest, and this being my first assignment as a Pastor, I have a lot to learn! And I consider myself blessed to be learning with you. Thank you!

I would especially like to thank those who have really helped this year's Lenten Season and Easter celebration to go so smoothly. I would first like to thank the parish staff- they put in a lot of behind the scenes work to make everything come together. I would also like to thank all of those who were involved in the parish Soup Suppers that we put on. I would like to thank the decorators who helped to make the parish so very beautiful for our Easter celebrations, as well as the musicians who helped to make the Easter liturgies beautiful with song. Thanks to the sacristans, the altar servers, the cantors, lectors, extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion, and all those who pitched in time and talent to help make our offerings of worship so beautiful.

Finally, I would like to make a request of all of you. As I mentioned above, I am still very new at this, and I am learning new things about being a Pastor everyday. I would like to ask you to please consider giving me feedback about how you think things are going in our parish, especially with me as Pastor since July. I would like to welcome feedback, positive or challenging, and also ideas for how we can make our parish a better and more effective witness to the Gospel of Christ. In order to do this, I ask you to consider either sending me an email at [slaflamme@dioceseduluth.org](mailto:slaflamme@dioceseduluth.org), giving me a call at 218-834-4313, or best of all, setting up a time to meet with me in person. I promise I will do my very best to receive any and all feedback with an open mind and a smile. :) Please help me to serve you better by letting me know what you feel that the parish needs. God bless you! ~Fr. Steve

To celebrate this **Year of Mercy** and **Divine Mercy Sunday on April 3**, confessions will be available 3-4 pm.

**Little Rock Bible Study group** will meet this Sunday, April 3 at 6:30 pm in the parish hall.

**Family Faith Formation & Adult Faith Formation** will meet this **Wednesday, April 6 at 6 pm**. The evening will start with dinner at 6 pm, followed by classes for everyone at 6:30 pm.

**Pancake Breakfast** -The Knights of Columbus will serve their famous pancake breakfast after Mass next **Sunday, April 10**. Please plan to join us for great fellowship & delicious pancakes. If you attend Mass on Saturday, please come back Sunday morning for the breakfast. Free will donation.

**Community Dinners:** Please join us for the next dinner on **April 21** before the William Kelley Variety Show. Dinner will be served **4:30-6:30 pm** in the **Kelley High School cafeteria**. Free will donations will be accepted, with proceeds supporting the Lake County Salvation Army. If you'd like to volunteer to help with this dinner, please contact Sue Bahar at 353-6008. These dinners are put on by the local churches to celebrate and support our community life. Everyone is invited!

**Dine at the Lemon Wolf Café in Beaver Bay** - When placing your order ask about the Catholic Church Benefit. A donation equal to 10% of your bill will be given to the Catholic parish you attend on the North Shore.

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**St. Mary's Catholic Church - 57 Horn Blvd; Silver Bay, MN 55614**

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**Parish Office** Located in Rectory 8 am - 2 pm Monday - Thursday **Office/Rectory** 226-3100 **Fax Machine** 226-3116

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**Eucharistic Adoration** Wednesdays 8:45 am - 3:00 pm **K of C Auxiliary Prayer Chain** 226-3639 or 226-3351

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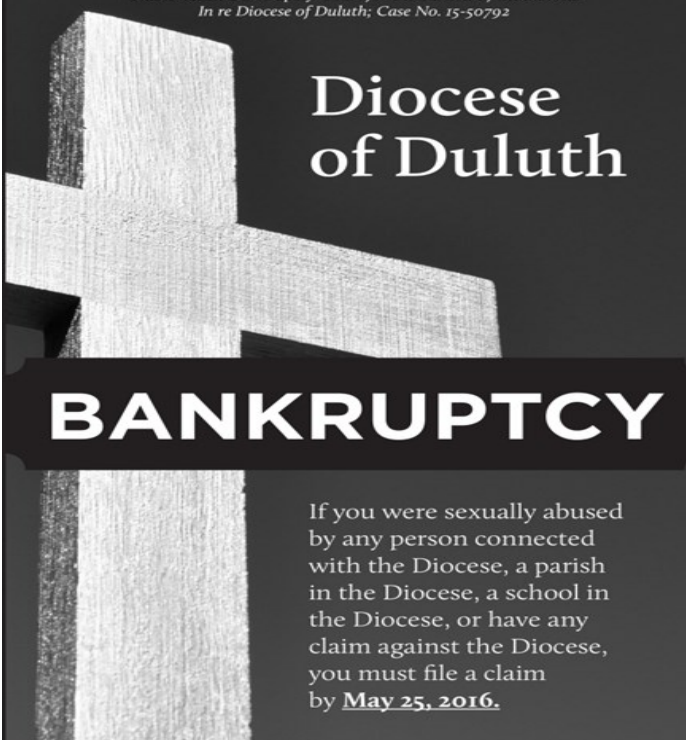
<b>Saturday</b>	<i>SATURDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER</i>	<b>04/02/16</b>
<b>8:00 p.m. Mass</b> — <i>Intention for Don Daniels</i> ☩	Reader.....Jody Majewsky Cantor.....Patty Armstrong Plate.....Deacon Fred Wright Chalices....Jeff Asmussen Chalices....Mary Wright Servers.....Zack Fredrickson & Jason Blood	
<b>Sunday</b>	<i>DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY</i>	<b>04/03/16</b>
<b>8:30 a.m. Mass</b> — <i>Intention for All Parishioners</i>	Reader.....Ed Hynes Cantor.....Kim Josephson Plate.....Deacon Fred Wright Chalices....Judy Zupancich Chalices....Marge Jorgenson Servers.....Giovanni & Corrina Marolt	
<b>Monday</b>	<i>ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD</i>	<b>04/04/16</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<i>ST. VINCENT FERRER</i>	<b>04/05/16</b>
7:50 a.m. <b>Rosary</b> 8:15 a.m. <b>Mass</b> — <i>Intention for Deanna Larson</i>		
<b>Wednesday</b>	<i>WEEKDAY IN EASTER</i>	<b>04/06/16</b>
7:50 a.m. <b>Rosary</b> 8:15 a.m. <b>Mass</b> — <i>Intention for Lavonne Bernardy</i> ☩ 8:50 a.m. <b>Adoration</b>		
<b>Thursday</b>	<i>ST. JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE</i>	<b>04/07/16</b>
7:50 a.m. <b>Rosary</b> 8:15 a.m. <b>Mass</b> — <i>Intention for Dick Fredrickson</i> ☩ 8:50 a.m. <b>Morning Prayer Group</b>		
<b>Friday</b>	<i>WEEKDAY IN EASTER</i>	<b>04/08/16</b>
7:50 a.m. <b>Rosary</b> 8:15 a.m. <b>Mass</b> — <i>Intention for Deanna Larson</i>		
<b>Saturday</b>	<i>WEEKDAY IN EASTER</i>	<b>04/09/16</b>
<b>8:00 p.m. Mass</b> — <i>Intention for Jerabek Family</i>	Reader.....Maria Riederer Cantor.....Terri Frericks-Blood Plate.....Ken Kruger Chalices....Michael Rowlee Chalices....Cindy Rowlee Servers.....Thomas Rowlee & Caleb Geissler	
<b>Sunday</b>	<i>THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER</i>	<b>04/10/16</b>
<b>8:30 a.m. Mass</b> — <i>Intention for All Parishioners</i>	Reader.....Greg Johnson Cantor.....Joanne Curry Plate.....Don Seipke Chalices....Bonnie Kruger Chalices....Lois Kaari Servers.....Lucas & Jake Stadler	

<b>LAST WEEK'S CONTRIBUTIONS</b>	
General Collection.....	\$3140.10
Good Friday .....	\$444.00

**PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

- † **Parishioners:** Susan Michels, Leona Carrier, Steve Elam, Lino Rauzi, Marj Von Schenk, Lois Hynes, Lillian Miller, Tom Bott, Gale Fredrickson, Susan Gelatic, Alma Ferris, Suzanne Seguin, Terry Scallen, Vicky Johnson, Marlene Petersen, Deanna Larson.
- † **Clergy:** Deacon Gene Biever, Deacon Fred Wright, Fr. Ben Hadrich, Fr. Francis Paquette.
- † **Relatives & Friends:** Jim Osterholm, Dawn Stefanich, Aria & Aedan Ament, Lincoln & Liam Traut, Rauri Byrnes, Ariana Marek, Stephanie (Clifford) Martin, Kerry Larson, Elizabeth Johnson, Diane Mayer, Don Hedin, Betty Westaby, Dick Kunz, Elsie McGuire, Johnny Jerabek, Amy Buckner, Mae Dehnhoff, Jim Morcomb, and Delaney, Cooper, Thomas & William Kutcha.
- † **Military:** Karen McGrane, Alex Seanger, Michael Seipke, Sam West, Chris Gensing, Sean Stebbins.

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In re Diocese of Duluth; Case No. 15-50792



# Diocese of Duluth

## BANKRUPTCY

If you were sexually abused by any person connected with the Diocese, a parish in the Diocese, a school in the Diocese, or have any claim against the Diocese, you must file a claim by **May 25, 2016.**

**CLAIMS MUST BE FILED BY MAY 25, 2016**

- For more information, visit [dioceseduluth.org](http://dioceseduluth.org)
- For U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the District of Minnesota information, visit [mnb.uscourts.gov](http://mnb.uscourts.gov)
- For the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors, call 612.335.1407
- For advice about your rights, contact an attorney

**Welcome to St. Mary's!** We're happy you're here. If you are new to our community, please call or stop by the Parish Office. We would love to meet you and answer any questions you may have.