



ST. ANTHONY – SUPERIOR

July 12, 2026
FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Mass Intentions

Sunday, July 12, 2026

9:00 a.m. Mass—+Gill Botten by Bruce and Delores Graden

Tuesday July 14, 2026

8:10 a.m.—Rosary

8:30 a.m. Mass—+Peggy Sislo by Lyman Sislo

Sunday, July 19, 2026

9:00 a.m. Mass—+Bruce and Anna Mae Routh by Family



Liturgical Ministers

Sunday, July 19, 2026 at 9:00 a.m.

Celebrant—Fr. Anthoni

Sacristan—Virginia

Reader—Neil Helenius

Musicians—Guitar Group

Ushers—Hank and Caleb

Gift Bearers—Aly and Katie Helenius

Communion—Deacon Kevin, Virginia and Gabe

RECENTLY DECEASED

*May their souls and all the souls
of the faithful departed, rest in peace...*

Josephine Hawley (5/24/26)

Michael Wallschlaeger (2/6/2026)

Cheryl Liebaert (12/14/2025)

Valerie Coder (12/3/25)

Ed Mickendrow (11/13/25)

Don Hapy (6/7/25)

Peggy Sislo (5/12/25)

Barb Fellbaum (3/11/25)

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL ASSESMENT



2026 – 2027 School Assessment

\$17,976.60

Monthly Payment: \$1,498.05

Balance Due: \$16,478.55

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL



2025 – 2026 CSA

\$15,735.00

\$9,576.40 Pledged

\$0.00 Remaining Balance

NEW TO OUR PARISH?



If you would like to register as a member of our parish and receive contribution envelopes and other mailings, please contact the parish office at 715-398-3261 or go to

<https://superiorcatholics.org> click on **Our**

parishes then **Become a Member & Parish Census** and fill out the form for **St. Anthony – Superior**.

MASS ATTENDANCE

7/5/26	53
6/28/26	65
6/21/26	71
6/14/26	69
6/7/26	58
5/31/26	71
5/24/26	65
5/17/26	66

SUNDAY ENVELOPES

July 5, 2026

Regular Envelopes—\$2,214.00

Youth—\$6.00

Special Donation—\$100.00

Loose—\$109.00

Cathedral School—\$70.00

Online Giving—\$369.60

Total—\$2,868.60

Thank you for your financial support to our Parish.

ONLINE GIVING

If you would like to sign up for Online Giving, go to our website <https://superiorcatholics.org> scroll down, click “Giving” and then click **St. Anthony – Superior**, then fill out the form for our parish.



*Please
pray for*

Fr. Ron Olson, Fr. Jim Tobolski, Liz Anderson, Jennifer Ross, Katie Jones, and Barb Van Holbeck.

WEEKLY MEDITATION

Here are some of the themes that we discover in the Mass readings for the 15th Sunday of the Year.

1st Reading – Isaiah 55:10-11

- God's word is like the rain and snow that water the earth and make it fertile.
- God's word will achieve the end for which it was sent and bring it to fulfillment.

Psalm – 65:10-14

- "The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest."
- God blesses the earth and prepares it to abound in a rich crop of food.

2nd Reading – Romans 8:18-23

- Paul counts his present suffering as nothing when compared to the glory of God.
- While all creation is groaning at this moment, we have the first fruits of the Spirit and await the redemption of our lives.

Gospel – Matthew 13:1-23

- Jesus offers the parable of the sower who sowed his seed.
- Some seed fell on the path, some on rocky ground, some among thorns, and some fell on good soil where it produced a fruit.

Fr. Andrew

Question for Children: Who helps you to grow deeper in your faith?

Question for Youth: When the sower, in this week's Gospel, sowed his seed, not all of it fell in "good soil." What can you do in the coming week to make sure that you are open to God in your life? What is getting in the way of your being "good soil?"

Question for Adults: Using the parable of Jesus in this reading, describe how faith has been planted in your life? How long did it take for that seed to land "on good soil?"

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 12, 2026

Sunday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14/Rom 8:18-23/
Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

Monday: Is 1:10-17/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/
Mt 10:34-11:1

Tuesday: Is 7:1-9/Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15/
Mt 11:25-27

Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18,
19-21/Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/Is 38:10, 12abcd, 16/Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Mi 2:1-5/Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14/Mt 12:14-21

Next Sunday: Wis 12:13, 16-19/Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16/
Rom 8:26-27/Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS

SCHOOL OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

The summer hours for the school will be Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday 10:00am to 1:00pm. Please call (715-392-2976) ahead to make sure someone is in the office.

Cathedral School Registration. Cathedral School Registration for the 2026-2027 School Year is available for Preschool through 8th grade. Cathedral School continues its tradition of 3-year-old and 4-year-old Preschool. Preschool classes are 5 days a week with half-day or full day options available. Before and after school care is available for Preschool through 8th grade for our students through our Extended Care program. For more information, please contact us at 715-392-2976.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY



Lord, make us sowers, who spread the good news, -with eyes to see the poor.

Lord, make us your seed in our words and example, -with ears to hear the cries of the poor.

Lord, make us your rich soil, -with hearts filled with love and mercy. Amen

Join us at our next meeting on Tuesday, July 15th at 6:00 p.m. in Kress Hall at the Cathedral.

If you or someone you know is in need of assistance, please leave a message for us.

Voicemail: 715-398-4039

Mailing Address: SVDP P.O. Box 98 Superior, WI 54880

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN



The Knights of Columbus Council 499 and the Catholic Daughters would like to thank everyone who donated to the annual Baby Bottle Campaign. The total amount raised for the Lake Superior Life Care Center by St. Anthony, Superior parishioners was \$992.39.

CLUSTER NEWS

MASSES AT ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL SUPERIOR

Masses are celebrated at St. Mary's Hospital, Superior, on Wednesdays at 11:15 a.m.

PRAYER GROUP MEETING

Monday, July 20, 2026
6:00 PM Cathedral – Kress Hall
All are welcome!

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR CLUSTER:

St. Anthony, Superior – 1st Tuesday from 8 – 8:30 a.m.
Cathedral – every Thursday from 1 – 3 p.m.
Holy Assumption – 1st Friday from 7:30 – 8:00 a.m.
St. Anthony, L.N – every Thursday from 8 – 9:00 a.m.
St. William – 1st Saturday from 5:30 – 6 p.m.



EMBER - Young Adults is a new community for adults ages 21–39 seeking authentic friendships, meaningful connections, and a place to belong. Our mission is to gather young adults in the Superior area and create opportunities to explore faith, community, and life together in a welcoming environment. Whether you're a practicing Catholic, returning to faith, curious about Christianity, or simply looking for wholesome community, you are welcome here. Ember focuses on building genuine relationships first, with faith naturally woven into the experience. Join us for our kickoff event, **Not Your Dad's BBQ**, on July 16th at Holy Assumption Catholic Church. Enjoy food, yard games, fellowship, and a relaxed evening with other young adults. Know someone who may enjoy this event? Invite a friend and help us spread the word!

Many thanks to all who gave **bud vases** for my cousin's special education project "Operation Giving Circle"
Thank you. Lucy Nielsen (St. William parish).

"The Catholic Church is working diligently to prevent sexual abuse by parish employees, volunteers, deacons, and priests. If you have been sexually abused by someone associated with the Church and would like to report or discuss the experience, we urge you to contact:

Bonnie Thom (715) 718-1110.

The Diocese of Superior welcomes your call and understands how difficult it may be to reach out in this situation. The phone number provided is confidential and dedicated solely to these calls. Know that your call will be treated with respect, dignity, and compassion. The Diocese of Superior is bound by civil and canon law to report sexual abuse of a minor to civil authorities. Anyone who believes that they have been sexually abused is strongly encouraged to report as well.

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Hallow QR



FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"The seed sown among thorns is the one who hears the word, but then worldly anxiety and the lure of riches choke the word and it bears no fruit. But the seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and yields a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold."

— Mt 13:22-23

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<https://superiorcatholics.org->



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St. Anthony, Superior Office Hours

Monday and Tuesday 8:00 a.m. to Noon.

Wednesday 8:00 to 11:30 a.m.

Phone: 715-398-3261

Email: sassecretary1@gmail.com

Cenacle Prayer Group

Would you like to be part of a faith sharing small group? Are you looking for a weekly opportunity to pray and reflect on how God is working in your life, but in a way that respects your time and is both focused and positive? Our cluster is looking for people who want to grow together in faith through a Cenacle prayer group.

Cenacle – a faith sharing small group (it refers to the “Upper Room” where the disciples met.)

Cenacle Key Points

The group is ideally composed of 4-7 people.

Each week, a different person in the group leads the Cenacle.

The group meets weekly (with rare exceptions based on holidays and life situations).

The Cenacle lasts between 30-60 minutes; it never goes beyond an hour.

The group can meet in person or digitally

- If in person, do it at a regular time that suits everyone (after Mass, over coffee, at home, etc.)
- If online, use what works for your group (FaceTime, Google Meet, a Zoom call, etc.)

Cenacle Format – THIS IS WHAT YOU ACTUALLY DO

- Opening Prayer (1-2 minutes)
 - Led by whoever is leading the meeting that week; when in doubt, use the Our Father!
- Check in with each other (10-15 minutes)
 - Each person takes 2-4 minutes (never more than 5!) to share events from the past week
- Reflection (15-30 minutes)
 - Sunday Gospel Reading
 - The Gospel is read out loud
 - People share something (a word/phrase/image) that touched them from the reading
- Goals for the coming week (10-15 minutes)
 - Each person takes 2-3 minutes to share their goals and objectives for the coming week.
- Closing Prayer
 - Each person names any specific prayer intentions that they have.
 - The Leader offers a concluding prayer; if you're not sure what prayer to use, say the Hail Mary!

Hallmarks of a healthy Cenacle

- Positivity – the focus is always on personal growth when sharing struggles; “venting” is to be avoided.
- Vulnerability – requires participants to be real in their joys and burdens.
- Leadership – group is accountable: gossip, toxic behaviors, being present, not monopolizing time, etc.
- Investment – participants make the Cenacle a priority and are thoughtfully present and prepared.

Who can join?

- Anyone! What's required is someone who wants to make a weekly commitment to grow in faith.
- In fact, if you connect each week on a Zoom call, you can be anywhere in the world!
 - Note: the big thing is that people make this a priority in their lives.
 - Once a week, they come together to pray, reflect, and support each other.
 - It's not complicated, but over time we find ourselves growing closer to God and each other.

Choose a Group Leader and connect with Fr. Andrew to begin

- The Leader keeps the group organized and communicates with Fr. Andrew.
- This person emails Fr. Andrew at fatherandrew97@gmail.com to let him know the group has formed.