

## Readings For Sunday, February 1, 2026

First Reading: *Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13*

*Psalm: 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10*

Second Reading: *1 Corinthians 1:26-31*

Gospel: *Matthew 5:1-12a*

## Mass Schedule & Offerings

### Monday, January 26

8:00 a.m. Adoration ~ 9:00 a.m. Mass

†Robert & Fanny Proulx (Corky)

### Tuesday, January 27

8:00 a.m. Adoration ~ 9:00 a.m. Mass

†Bert LaFleche (Rosemary Hunt)

### Wednesday, January 28

9:00 a.m. Mass ~ All Day Adoration

†Marvin McLaren (Knights of Columbus)

### Thursday, January 29

8:00 a.m. Adoration ~ 9:00 a.m. Mass

†Kathleen Achatz – Rose (Rebecca Achatz)

### Friday, January 30

8:00 a.m. Adoration ~ 9:00 a.m. Mass

†Phyllis Kenyon (Jerome & Jacquelyn Latuszek)

### Saturday, January 31

8:00 a.m. Adoration ~ 9:00 a.m. Mass

†Roger Frye (Gordon & Darlene Cordes)

## Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Saturday, January 31

3:30 p.m. Rosary ~ 4:00 p.m. Mass – Hillman

†Ellen Godi (Corky)

### Sunday, February 1

8:30 a.m. Rosary ~ 9:00 a.m. Mass – Hillman

The People

## Standing In Need of Prayer

Claudette Colombo, Kevin Struzik, Myles Richardson, Chris Mutz, Dominic Tillman, Eric Tillman, Bonnie Benac, Sam Vicari, Margaret Barton, Brenda Sabol, Jack Stevens, Mary Ann Ferasin, Diane Marchlewski, RaeLynn Burger, D.J. Normile, Justin Dahal, Patricia Plohocky, Caster Family, JanMarie, Jo Dusseau, Sandy Dubie, Emerick Dubie, Kendra Sherman, Jennifer Dubie, Christoffer Simpson, Jasmine Mouseau, Peggy Lange, Dennis Pietrykowski, Grace Franzoni, Dawn & Jagger Franzoni, Ben & Sandy Cassisi, Tammy (Nimf) Rygwelski, John Platevoet, Tina Montgomery, Pat Cronk, Geno Franzoni, John Schultz, Hailie Tondreau, Tammy Kelly, Scott VanPamel, Virginia Nash, Sophia Nash, Tyler Lockhart, Don Faulhaver, Judy Edmunds, David Lautner, Janet Demeulenaere, Kay Lumsden, Brittany Campbell, Ruth Rabeau, Jane Hardies, Gary Witkowski, Ann Neuman, Baby Case Phillips, Don Vlodyka, Baby Malia Grace Thomas, Jean Hayka, Julie Bruski, Delores Mann, Bob Sullivan, Dennis Villeneuve, Maureen Minaudo, Elaine Lehto, Beverly LaLonde

## Prayer Chain

Our prayer chain can be reached by calling or texting Judy Elkie ~ 989-590-8411.

## Prayers For Clergy & Religious

**Sun:** Rev. James Bearss  
**Mon:** Rev. Stanislaw Bereda  
**Tues:** Rev. Tyler Bischoff  
**Wed:** Rev. Joseph Blasko  
**Thurs:** Rev. Lawrence Boks  
**Fri:** Rev. Anthony Citro  
**Sat:** Rev. Michael Class

## Stewardship

### Weekend of January 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>

#### St. Augustine

Envelopes (59)	Online (6)	\$2,080.00
Loose		\$ 337.00
Building & Maintenance (3)	Online (1)	\$ 70.00
Mass Stipends		\$ 100.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$2,587.00</b>
Cemetery		
		\$ 10.00

## Faith Matters

What people call redemption and salvation is not a distant religious or judicial process by which a miserable sinner escapes divine condemnation, but God's gift of self to a person created for love and eternal life!

The acceptance of life and of self, the service of others, is the gift of a silent mystery seeking to fill the emptiness of people.

Wherever people live selfless lives, whenever they truly make the leap into mystery, into unearned love, into a final and radical truth, they are dealing with God and have received God's Spirit.

To help us prepare and fully participate in this intimacy to receive within us the actual Body and Blood, Soul, and Divinity of our merciful Savior in the Eucharist, our Lord left us another "miracle of mercy," the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Here, too, Jesus is present for us — for all of us, no matter how great our sins — as the merciful Savior, the fountain of mercy that cleanses, comforts, forgives, and restores to life.

From the Diary of St. Faustina Kowalska When you go to confession, to this fountain of mercy, the Blood and Water which came forth from My Heart always flows down upon your soul (1602).

[I]n the Tribunal of Mercy [the Sacrament of Reconciliation] ... the greatest miracles take place and are incessantly repeated (1448). Here the misery of the soul meets the God of mercy (1602).

Come with faith to the feet of My representative (1448). I Myself am waiting there for you. I am only hidden by the priest ... I Myself act in your soul (1602). Make your confession before Me. The

person of the priest is, for Me, only a screen. Never analyze what sort of a priest it is that I am making use of; open your soul in confession as you would to Me, and I will fill it with My light (1725).

Were a soul like a decaying corpse, so that from a human standpoint, there would be no hope of restoration and everything would already be lost, it is

not so with God. The miracle of Divine Mercy restores that soul in full. Oh, how miserable are those who do not take advantage of the miracle of God's mercy! (1448).

## CSA Progress Report

### Jesus the Good Shepherd

\$1,470 toward the goal of \$7,360 20%

### St. Augustine

\$14,707 toward the goal of \$27,198 58%

## New Council Members

St. Agustine is looking for new parishioners to join the parish Finance Council or Pastoral Council!

If you are interested or want more information, please call the office at 989-742-4542. Please prayerfully consider this opportunity!!

5:30 p.m. Free will donation dinner

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Faith Formation in classrooms

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Bible Study in parish hall

We will be studying the Book of Genesis.

## REBOOT

A LIFE-CHANGING EVENT

This high-energy, 2-hour event with internationally acclaimed speaker Chris Stefanick will awaken your faith, reignite your joy, and equip you with tools to live the life God created you for: A life of JOY!

It will help you rediscover the JOY you were created for, and is perfect for everyone... even friends, family, and children (12+) who may not be actively practicing their faith.

### Don't Miss Out!

[HTTPS://BUYTICKETS.AT/REALLIFECATHOLIC/1757694](https://buytickets.at/reallifecatholic/1757694)

Wednesday, April 29, 2026

7:00 - 9:00 PM  
 St. Mary Cathedral

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**All Saints Catholic School Presents**

# Winter Gala

February 7, 2026 Doors Open at 5:00 PM  
 All Saints Parish Center, 817 Sable St, Alpena

**Cost: \$50.00**  
 Includes Dinner & 2 Drink Tickets

**Live Music** **Raffles** **Live & Silent Auctions**  
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*Gala tickets on sale after Mass, in the All Saints Parish Office or at the School.*

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- Entrance: Prepare  
Daily She walks in His Footsteps.
- 4th Station: Reflect  
Jesus and His Mother meet.
- 7th Station: Reflect  
She watches Him Fall again.
- 12th Station: Reflect  
Her son, Jesus dies on the cross.
- Meditation Place: Consider the Mother  
of God, now our Mother and Mother of  
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Meetings  
2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the Month  
6:00 p.m. Fraternal  
7:00p.m. Business

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Third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
January 25, 2026

