

SHEPHERD OF SOULS AREA FAITH COMMUNITY



NOVEMBER 12, 2023

AFC MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

St. Philip, Litchfield 4:00pm

Sunday

St. Philip, Litchfield 8:00am

Our Lady, Manannah 8:00am

St. John, Darwin 10:00am

St. Anthony, Watkins 10:00am

St. Philip, Litchfield (Spanish) 12:00pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday

St. Philip 3:15pm-3:45pm

Thursday

St. John After 8:00am Mass

St. Anthony After 8:30am Mass
(3rd, 4th & 5th Thursday)

Friday

Our Lady After 8:00am Mass

Or Please call A Priest for an Appointment



32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Lord, Lord, open the door for us!” But he said in reply,
“Amen, I say to you, I do not know you.” - Mt 25:11-12

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NEW MEMBER REGISTRATION

To register as members of any of our four parishes go to www.shepherdofsouls.org and click on “I’m new”. If you prefer, you may call the office of the church you wish to register at.

AFC Mission Statement

Our Mission is to proclaim and celebrate Jesus Christ as the center of our lives and to make disciples for Jesus through building community, serving our Brothers and Sisters, sharing our faith and celebrating sacraments.

WATKINS CHURCH OF ST ANTHONY

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LITCHFIELD CHURCH OF ST. PHILIP

821 East 5th Street | Litchfield, MN 55355 | 320-693-3313

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106 N. 4th Street | Darwin, MN 55324
320-693-9496 | 320-275-2915

MANANNAH CHURCH OF OUR LADY

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PASTOR'S LETTER

This past week the 2023 Diocesan Ministries Appeal letter was mailed to all homes in the diocese. This year's theme is, "One in Christ." The DMA offers us an opportunity to do our part to support the ministries that help to build the Church right here in our Diocese of New Ulm—ministries and services that no single parish could provide.

Your contributions to the DMA reach individuals and families across the diocese, providing family and crisis counseling, emergency assistance, religious and spiritual formation, and supporting our seminarians. If you weren't able to be at mas this weekend, you can watch the DMA video or donate online at <https://www.dnu.org/dma>.

Next weekend is DMA Commitment Sunday. Be assured that your gift will only be used to support those ministries designated in the DMA brochure and no other.

As usual, 20% of every dollar given will come back to your parish for the project that has been identified by your Administrative Council. These are: St. Philip—Outdoor Youth Area; St. Anthony—Capital Campaign; St. John—Education Center new outside doors and new TV and mount in church; Our Lady—Tuition for Our Lady students attending the School of St. Philip.

We will be offering the Anointing of the Sick on Tuesday, November 14th at St. Anthony at a 6pm Mass. Anyone who is ill, going to have surgery, or who has grown infirm due to age can be anointed.

We are glad to have returned to Communion under both forms at St. John and Our Lady. Next weekend St. Philip will also return to Communion from the cup. Thanks to all who have said yes to this ministry recently. We still need more Eucharistic ministers at St. Anthony. Please contact Jessie in the office or one of us priests to offer your help.

The Catholic Campaign for Human Development collection is officially Nov. 19, but since that is Commitment Sunday for the DMA it is fine to delay that by a week. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face in bringing permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the CCHD at www.usccb.org/cchd.

With Thanksgiving approaching, we will be collecting food and money for our Food Shelf. Please remember that the Food Shelf can buy \$4 worth of food for every \$1 we donate.

Peace be with you,
Fr. Jeff Horejsi

Greetings from the
School of St. Philip!



I have delightful news this week.
We have met and exceeded our marathon goal for the year.
A big thank you to all that have supported our efforts.
We couldn't have made it without your generosity.
Know that you are in our daily prayers.

Blessing on your week,
Andrea Dietrich
School of St. Philip - Principal
320-593-4774/adietrich@schoolofstphilip.org

MASSES & INTENTIONS

St Anthony Church Cleaners:

Church Cleaners: November 5-18 Derreck Hennen and Kayla Asfeld, Robert & Robin Hennen and Greg & Candy Henfling.
Call Theresa at 764-7251 to unlock.

St Anthony Mass Ministries, Sun, 10 am

Mass Servers: Emily & Isaac Kramer
EMHC: Lori Dockendorf
Ushers: Nick Vossen, Ron Molitor, Laurie Molitor & Kenny Asfeld
Rosary: Sharon Simmons
Lectors: Michelle Kramer/Heidi Schoenecker
Children's Liturgy: Donna & Rose
Coffee & Rolls: Michelle & Norb Kramer
Hospitality: Rich & MaryAnn Hesse

PLEASE NOTE:

Early Bulletin deadline for the **Sunday, Nov. 26th**
Bulletin will be Wednesday, **November 15th at noon.**

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Monday, November 13

No Mass

Tuesday, November 14

St Philip, Litchfield 6:00 pm † Caroline Nathe
St Anthony, Watkins 6:00 pm Anointing Mass..... † Craig Faber

Wednesday, November 15

Hilltop Care Center, Watkins 10:30 am..... † George Kummet

Thursday, November 16

St. John, Darwin 8:00 am † Dorothy Hansen
St. Anthony, Watkins 8:30 am † Jeanne Pearson

Friday, November 17

Our Lady, Manannah 8:00 am More Vocation to the Priesthood
St. Philip, Litchfield 8:30 am Kyle & Katie

Saturday, November 18

St. Philip, Litchfield **4:00 pm** † Kathleen Housman (CCW)

Sunday, November 19

St. Philip, Litchfield 8:00 am † Christian Frank
Our Lady, Manannah 8:00 am † Dick Lindmark
St. John, Darwin 10:00 am † Jim Hansen
St. Anthony, Watkins 10:00 am † Allen Simmons
St. Philip, Litchfield 12:00 pm (Spanish) People of the Parish

Mass live streaming on our website using Facebook Live every Saturday at 5:00 pm St. Philip, Sunday at 8:00 am at St. Philip & Our Lady, Sunday 10:00 am at St. John. You can follow us at <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100069068800296> The video will remain on our website after the mass is over.

Please pray for those who are sick in the Parish especially...

St.P: Todd Wheeler, Isaac Buhr, Beckie Schaefer, Dan Curran, Jasper Kargas, Antonio Franco, Sylvia Johnson, Jon Laney, Jan Paulson, Jordan Munson, Robin, Caitlin Pitts, Karen Marsh, Shirley Buck, Mary Knutson, Tim Kapperman, Kay Grams, Philip Johnson, Dale Andersen, Darlene Putney, Addie Fairbairn, Carol Huhner, Peg Shaw, Roberta Meyer, Jeremy Munson, Carole Becker, Jim Knott, Virginia Ourada, Marge Hanson, Pat Aaker, Jodi Henricksen Winkles, Summer Franco, Florence Rezek, Cordelia Lewandoski, Julie Eck, Pat Munson, Larry Hoffman. Prayer Line phone number 593-8944.

OL: Prayer Line: Mary Kalkbrenner, George Pfeffer, Dolores Wiechmann, McKenzie Knisley Family, Mary Hansen, Josephine Valiant, Berkley Johnson, Rosie Boyer, Art Haag. Prayer line phone number 693-8900.

St.J: Ednel Diedrich, Alec McLean, Marlys Roehl, Luis Larios, Troy Kotila, Kim (Elke) Jack, Kathy Thissen, Patrick Ecklund, Jacob Schmitz, Kathy Eggert, Mary Jo Edwards, Janice Crowe, Lori Ficker, Judy Haverkamp, Wes Edwards, Jessee Steuck, Clarence Vorlicek, Mary Levinski, Phyllis Levno, Dale LaPlante, Reiden Cichoska, Tony & Lena Marelic, Betsy Wright, Helana Posusta, David & Margaret Backus, Jeff Peller. Prayer Line Phone Number 693-9496.

St.A: The Jackie Boulton Family, Ron Welle, the Ley Family, Ellen Libbesmeier, Carol Huberty, Tom Huberty and Patrice Canfield, Joyce Manske. Prayer Line phone number 764-2755.

And all those who have asked for our prayers of healing of their friends and relatives.

Stewardship

SUNDAY CONTRIBUTIONS and OFFERINGS FROM THE WEEKEND OF: November 5, 2023

OFFERINGS	St. John	Our Lady	St. Philip	St. Anthony
Youth & Children Envelope	\$0.00	\$40.00	\$0.00	\$6.00
Adult Envelope	\$3,925.00	\$1,745.00	\$7,276.56	\$3,087.00
ACH (Auto payment)	\$380.00	\$0.00	\$1,035.00	\$705.00
Loose Plate Collection	\$130.90	\$135.00	\$644.00	\$1,134.00
TOTAL SUNDAY OFFERING	\$4,435.90	\$1,920.00	\$8,955.56	\$4,932.00
Weekly Amount needed for budget	\$3,726.00	\$2,216.00	\$8,365.33	\$3,077.00
This Week's Difference	\$709.90	(\$296.00)	\$590.23	\$1,855.00
YEAR TO DATE SUNDAY OFFERING	\$55,537.95	\$36,551.00	\$150,657.16	\$69,917.00
Year to Date Budget Needs	\$70,794.00	\$42,104.00	\$158,941.27	\$58,463.00
YEAR TO DATE DIFFERENCE	(\$15,256.05)	(\$5,553.00)	(\$8,284.11)	\$11,454.00

Every Parishioner is a Gift to the Parish and the Church. Your Financial Contributions and the Gift of your time and talents in serving the needs of our Parish and Area Faith Community is a Blessing!

Any donations can be mailed or made online at <https://www.shepherdofsouls.org/donate> Please specify the name of the parish or fund you are donating to in the comments area.

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13

AFC 6:00 pm....Young Adult Group @ St. Philip

StP 6:00 pm....Pietra-Mat

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

StP 8:30 am....Rosary

StP 9:00 am....Mission Quilters

OL 6:40 pmRosary

StA 6:45 pm..... Youth Night @ St. Anthony

StP 6:45 pm.....KC Potluck Supper, Meeting to follow

OL 7:00 pm....CCW Meeting

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15

StJ 8:30 am....Quilting

StP 10:00 am... Pietra-Chair

StP 5:00 pm..... Faith Formation Class Gr 4-6

StA 5:45 pm.Faith Formation Class Gr K-6 w/parents

StJ 6:30 pmFaith Formation Class Gr K-11

OL 6:45 pm.... Faith Formation Class Gr 3-11

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16

StP 12:00 pmGaming Committee Meting

AFC 4:00 pm Social Concerns Committee Meeting

StP 6:30 pmParish Administrative Meeting

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17

AFC 9:30 am.....Rosary @ StP

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18

StA 7:30 am....Men's Group @EV

StP 9:30 am... Women at the Well

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19

StA 8:00 am..... Chicken Soup & Bouja Sale

OL 8:45 am OL Sunday School

StP 9:15 amStP Sunday School

StP 9:15 am..... KC Exemplification

StJ 10:00 am.... Childrens Liturgy

StP 11:20 am..... Spanish Rosary

StP 1:00 pm....Talk on Mary in Spanish

AFC 6:00 pm... Discovering Christ

StA 7:00 pm.... Bona fide @ St. Anthony



Eucharistic Adoration

He is waiting for you to come spend time praying. Eucharistic Adoration will be

St. Anthony, Every Thursday -Friday

Thursday 9:00 am to Friday 9:00 am

Tuesday, Nov 21 - St. Philip

9:00 am Adoration Begins, 5:45 pm Benediction

Everyone is welcome to come and pray!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK- NOVEMBER 12

Sunday: Wis 6:12-16/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (2b)/1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/Mt 25:1-13

Monday: Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10/Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday: Wis 2:23-3:9/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19/Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11/Ps 82:3-4, 6-7/Lk 17:11-19

Thursday: Wis 7:22b-8:1/Ps 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175/Lk 17:20-25

Friday: Wis 13:1-9/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5ab/Lk 17:26-37

Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43/Lk 18:1-8

Next Sunday: Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 (see 1a)/1 Thes 5:1-6/Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

FAITH FORMATION

Faith Formation Schedule for this week

St. Philip—Wed, Nov 15

5:00 pm Faith Formation Class Gr 4-6

6:00 pm Meal & Fellowship

6:30 pm Faith Formation Class Gr 7-11

Sunday School—for Preschool– Gr 3 meet every other Sunday 9:15-10:15

Our Lady - Wed, Nov 15

6:45 pm Faith Formation Class Gr 3-11

Sunday School—Preschool to Gr 2 after Communion until 9:45 am

St. John - Wed, Nov 15

6:30 pm Faith Formation Class Gr K-11

St. Anthony - Wed, Nov 15

Nov 15 - Family Faith Formation (K-6th Grade w/ parents) 5:45-7:45pm

Nov 22 - No Class - Thanksgiving

Nov 29 - Classes for 7th-10th graders 6:30-8pm
Class for 11th grade w/parent(s) hosted in Watkins 6:30-8pm

Dec 6 - Classes for 7th-10th graders 6:30-8pm

AFC Confirmation Class - Sunday, Nov 12

6:30 pm St. Philip Social Hall - This class is for AFC 11th grade Confirmation candidates and their sponsors.

For more information refer to the AFC Google Calendar at www.shepherdofsouls.org

AFC Confirmation Class - The next monthly Confirmation evening class will be held this Sunday, Nov. 12, 6:30 – 8:00 PM in the St. Philip Social Hall. This class is for 11th grade candidates and sponsors from St. Philip, St. John, and Our Lady parishes. If a sponsor is unavailable, a parent/guardian may attend in their place. Candidates should bring their Mass journals to class!

Catechist Needed - Our Lady is in need of a preschool Sunday school teacher? If interested please contact Deb McCann at (320) 444-2291

Shepherd of Souls Young Adult Group

All are welcome to join the Shepherd of Souls Young Adult Group for a campfire and an evening of socializing on Monday, November 13th at 6 PM at St. Philip. Contact Hayle Hurley with any questions at 763-600-2310.

NCYC Group - We have a group of youth and 2 dads going to NCYC. Please pray for them for safe travels and a great experience at NCYC. Which is held in Indianapolis on November 16-18. Here are the people going: Dennis Caron, Brooke Caron, Riley Joyer, Emma Knudsen, Ella Mahoney, Addison Zens, Tom Zens.

November Family Faith Formation Speaker

You are invited and welcome to join our Family Formation Program Night on **Wednesday, November 15th**. This month's Speaker is Becky Haag. She will be speaking on the topic "I Believe! (The Creed)". The speaker portion of the night begins at roughly 6:15pm and lasts roughly 30 minutes. After the speaker there may be time for Q&A or small group discussion which you are welcome to stay for as well. If you have any questions you may call the office at 453-5765

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

7th-12th grade
Youth Ministry Night
November 14th
St. Anthony, Watkins
6:45pm-8:15pm

Join us for an evening of:

- Dinner
- Games
- Speaker
- Adoration



St. Anthony Works of Mercy - We are called to "Feed the Hungry, Shelter the Homeless, Clothe the Naked". You are invited to join the St. Anthony Faith Formation Families in collecting money for those less fortunate than ourselves. Alejandro, a Mexican Orphan needs money for school supplies, Share the Spirit is an organization that distributes gifts to families in need, NHS Christmas for Kids supports families in the EVW school district, Hilltop - Sponsor a Resident supplies goodies to the residents from donations. If you like to donate to any of these specific causes, place your donation in a plain envelope marked with where you'd like the donation to go and place it in the collection basket. This is a great opportunity to come together, as a church community, to support those in need while giving thanks for the many Blessings in our own lives.

St. Anthony's Caramel Apple Fundraiser: Thank you for supporting the caramel apple fundraiser. Funds raised will be distributed to non-profit organizations. It was fun coming together to prepare the apples for this event.

National Eucharistic Congress Youth Trip -

This summer, July 16th-22nd, St. Anthony/Assumption along with the Diocese of New Ulm are taking a group of current 8th-12th grade students to Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis for an opportunity of a lifetime! The first Eucharistic Congress in 50 years is bringing Jesus in the Eucharist to thousands of people from around the world! The youth track will be very similar to Steubenville. There will be great music, speakers like Fr. Mike Schmitz, and so much more! The overall cost is estimated to be \$1,000 to \$1,500 before any fundraising is done. Jesus is waiting for you; come, see and let your life be changed! Spots are limited! Contact Sam evwyouthministry@gmail.com for any questions and to register.



NATIONAL
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"The Body of Christ" AMEN!

It is called: "Holy Mass (Missa) because the liturgy in which the mystery of salvation is accomplished concludes with the sending forth (missio) of the faithful, so that they may fulfill God's will in their daily lives." At the end of Mass, the priest or deacon invites us to: "Go in peace to love and serve the Lord." (Sent on mission.) or "The Mass is ended. Go in peace." (We're sent on mission.) or "Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life." (Sent on mission.) And we respond: "Thanks be to _____!".

Our Lady CCW Meeting - Please join us on **Tuesday, November 14 (Please note date change)** for Rosary in the Church at 6:40 pm followed at 7:00 pm with our bi-monthly CCW Meeting. Hope to see you there!



Additional names for remembrance:
Diane Rosenow (4/3/23)
Mike Rosenow (7/29/23)



Our Condolences to the Family Randy Anderson, son of Dale Anderson. May Randy rest in eternal peace.

Our Condolences to the family of Richard "Dick" Lindmark, brother of Diana McCarney. May Dick rest in eternal peace. The obituary can be found at Thurston-deshaw.com

Discipleship Quads: Quote of the Week:
"Soo....Where do I begin. The Quad has truly been an inspiration to myself and the 3 other ladies. We not only grew in a deeper love for Jesus and our Catholic faith, but into a deep friendship which we will cherish for the rest of our lives. One does not realize how a person's heart can be transformed by sharing our faith with one another, growing and learning. All the blessings you receive when the Holy Spirit is leading you through the process is something you can't imagine until you have done it yourself..." -Nettie Holtz. A discipleship quad is a group of 4 people of the same gender that meet weekly for about a year to learn about the faith, study scripture and to grow in prayer. See the display across from the office in the parish center at St. Anthony's for Nettie's entire quad testimony, sample books and more information about Discipleship Quads. You can also ask Jessie in the St. Anthony office for more information.



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REVIVAL STARTS IN YOUR OWN HEART

You are invited to spend some time with Jesus!
The 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month at St. Philip's
Next evening will be on November 21st, 2023
All are invited to "**Encounter Jesus**"
The day begins with the **Rosary** at 8:30 a.m.
Adoration from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. **Mass** at 6:00 p.m.
Supper, Film Clip and Discussion from 6:30-7:30 p.m.

You and your family are welcome to take part in any or all activities throughout the day! Children are welcome! Jesus is waiting to spend time with you!

Job Opportunities in Shepherd of Souls AFC

Job Opening: Maintenance and or Cleaner for the Church of St. Anthony. This could be a combined position or separated into two. Part-time. Apply on www.shepherdofsouls.org or contact Jessie at the church office 320-764-2755.



Ladies **Night Out**



Here's the details!

Thursday, December 7th 6:00-8:00 p.m.

At The Church of St. Phil

1. Host your own table of 8 Ladies
2. Buy tickets (8 seats per table \$20.00 per ticket) at the Church Office
3. Bring your own lovely dishes & décor' to decorate your table
4. Set up for your table is Wednesday evening in the Social Hall 5:00-7:00 p.m.

For tickets and any questions contact
Monica Schreiber @ mschreiber@shepherdofsouls.org
320-693-3313 x106

Litchfield Knights of Columbus Council 2029 Exemplification

Sunday, November 19th, immediately following the 8am Mass at St. Philip's Church.
New members will be joining the council and all are welcome for the ceremony, refreshments to follow.
Contact John Dufresne with questions: 320-224-7589

Annual Reports – The Annual Reports for 2022-2023 for St. Philip, St. John and Our Lady are available at the back of each Church. They are also available online on the website www.shepherfofsouls.org, click on Bulletins and look for your church report. If you would like one mailed to you please call the office and we will get one in the mail to you.

St. Anthony Food Drive Month – November is Food Drive Month. There will be baskets for you to bring in non perishable food items that will be collected and then donated to local food shelves. Thanksgiving reminds us of the many blessings God has given us. What a wonderful time of year to give to others less fortunate than ourselves.

St. Anthony CCW Pro-Works Christmas gifts: We will be collecting gifts for the Pro-Works clients from Litchfield. You can bring them to our Christmas party or place them in the box in the handicapped addition of church. They would like personal hygiene items, easy puzzles, games or word searches, notebooks and pens. They really appreciate gift cards so the clients can pick out what they like or need. (No clothing, food or blankets.) All gifts should be in a gift bag. Cash or gift cards can be placed in an envelope marked Pro-Works and put in the collection basket. Last day to donate is Sunday, December 10th. Thanks for your generosity. - St. Anthony CCW officers.

Homemade Bouja and Chicken Noodle Soup Sale

Next Sunday, November 19th, the St. Anthony's Catholic Order of Foresters will again be making their homemade chicken noodle soup and bouja. They will be selling from 8 a.m. to 12 noon and the proceeds will go to St. Anthony's Church Restoration/Capital Campaign.

Gambling Board members wanted! Our Gambling Board is looking for a couple volunteers to partake in our Great Gambling Board! Very light commitment with only 1 (45 –1 hour) meeting a month around the noon hour. Other opportunities are available to become more involved which are also light tasks. If you wish to be a part of this great group please contact Monica Schreiber, Gambling Manager at 320-693-3313 x106

**Zion's 2nd Annual Lutefisk & Meatball Dinner
Bake Sale and Quilt Raffle**

Sat, November 18, 4 pm—7:30 pm (or until fish is gone)
\$20 a plate
Zion Lutheran Church, 504 Gilman, Litchfield
Proceeds will benefit Kids of the Kingdom Childcare

Knights of Columbus PJ Casey Council 2029

Coats for Kids—The Boxes are available at St. Philip and Our Lady for slightly used coats of any size. The boxes will be up until Thanksgiving. So help some of our local neighbors stay warm by donating winter coats which will be distributed locally. Thank you!

Knights of Columbus James A Hansen Council

Coats for Kids – The Boxes are available at St. John Church and also at the Education Center for slightly used coats of any size. Please help our local communities by donating a winter coat. Thank you!

St. John/St. Philip CCW Diaper Drive—We will be collecting diapers during the month of November for Birthright. Most needed sizes are 3,4 & 5 and Pull-up size 4 & 5, but all sizes are welcomed. Other baby items are also welcomed. There will be drop off at St. John's & St. Philip's.

Early Bulletin Deadlines – With the Holidays coming up we will be having early bulletin deadlines. The deadline for the **November 26th** bulletin will be on Wednesday, Nov 15th.

Please have your bulletin announcements to Julie by these deadlines. We will have more for the month of December, so watch for those also. Thank you!



Happy Birthday to
Fr. Jeff on
November 17th!!!

Volunteers needed! We are looking for individuals, couples, or families that would like to be part of the lighting of the Advent Candle at the Masses during Advent. If you are interested please contact the Parish Offices.

Experience Pietra Fitness®, a retreat for mind, body & soul... Pietra Fitness is a stretching and strengthening workout class that incorporates Christian prayer in the Catholic Tradition. Please contact Marsha Gorackowski, a certified Pietra Fitness Instructor, at 320-221-1698 for information.

ON THE MAT: MONDAYS @ 6 pm,
CHAIR: T/W @ 10 am (see calendar)

