



HOLY CROSS, BUTLER
 SACRED HEART, DENT
 SAINT HENRY, PERHAM
 SAINT LAWRENCE, RUSH LAKE

August 20, 2023

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Sat, Aug 19, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Marion & † David Jaroszewski
 Sat, Aug 19, 5:00PM (St. Henry) † Chris Koplin
 Sat, Aug 19, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † Deacon Mark Stenger
 Sun, Aug 20, 8:00AM (St. Henry) For the People
 Sun, Aug 20, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Sharon Korzenowski
 Sun, Aug 20, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Don & Dorothy Weickert
 Sun, Aug 20, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Kathy Young
 Tue, Aug 22, 8:45AM (St. Henry) Hendrickx Family
 Tue, Aug 22, 7:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Deacon Mark Stenger
 Wed, Aug 23, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Adam Stewart
 Wed, Aug 23, 5:15PM (Holy Cross) Special Intention for Latrisha Robinson
 Thu, Aug 24, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Al & Cecilia Lommel
 Thu, Aug 24, 8:45AM (St. Henry) Special Intention for Brett & Elisa Kupferschmid's Children/Godchildren
 Fri, Aug 25, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Rita Yaggie
 Fri, Aug 25, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Marianne Leitner
 Fri, Aug 25, 10:00AM (Perham Living) Ken Thornberg Family
 Sat, Aug 26, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Bob Herges
 Sat, Aug 26, 5:00PM (St. Henry) † John & Ann Seifert
 Sat, Aug 26, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) For the People
 Sun, Aug 27, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † Carol Sazama
 Sun, Aug 27, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Clarence & Rose Winter
 Sun, Aug 27, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Ambie Doll
 Sun, Aug 27, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Steve & Irene Bucholz

Financial Blessing for August 12th

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|-------------------|--------|-----------------|--------|
| Adult..... | 660.00 | Plate..... | 44.00 |
| Children..... | 10.00 | Assumption..... | 237.00 |
| Total..... | | 951.00 | |

Thank you for remembering Holy Cross Church with your Stewardship throughout the year.

Financial Blessing for August 12th & 13th

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|-----------------|----------|----------------------|----------|
| Adult..... | 3,463.00 | Plate..... | 1,115.00 |
| Youth..... | 100.00 | Elec. Transfers..... | 430.00 |
| Assumption..... | 25.00 | Total..... | |
| | | 5,133.00 | |

Thank you for remembering Sacred Heart Church with your Stewardship throughout the year.

Financial Blessing for August 12th & 13th

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|-------------------------|----------|----------------------|----------|
| Adult..... | 6,201.00 | Plate..... | 2,213.00 |
| Children's Basket..... | 100.01 | Assumption..... | 1,506.00 |
| Votives..... | 48.00 | Rent Income..... | 75.00 |
| Holy Water Bottles..... | 2.00 | Elec. Transfers..... | 3,790.00 |
| | | Total..... | |
| | | 13,935.01 | |

Thank you for remembering St. Henry Church with your Stewardship throughout the year.

Financial Blessing for August 13th

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| Adult..... | 2,110.00 | Youth | 149.00 |
| Plate..... | 714.00 | Elec. Transfers..... | 290.00 |
| Parking Lot..... | 1,200.00 | Cemetery..... | 100.00 |
| Assumption..... | 50.00 | Total..... | |
| | | 4,613.00 | |

Thank you for remembering St. Lawrence Church with your Stewardship throughout the year.



BULLETIN DEADLINE: Wednesday Noon



ST. LAWRENCE UPCOMING EVENTS



St. Lawrence
End of Summer Bake Sale
 Sunday, September 3rd
 After the 10:30AM Mass



Groups 3 & 4 will provide baked goods



Lucille Schik
 was first diagnosed with a form of brain cancer in 2016 that she beat at the age of 3 1/2. When she turned 10, she was diagnosed with a different form of brain cancer that she is currently battling. Join us in raising money for their family.

Spaghetti Dinner

To Benefit The Lucille Schik Family

Free-Will Donation
 Wednesday, August 30th
 from 4-7:00PM
 at the New York Mills
 School Cafeteria



Questions? Contact Stephanie VonRuden.
 vonruden.27@gmail.com

NYM School Open House will be taking place during this event. This event is open to everyone in the community.



Please take time to sign up your children for the Faith Formation program, especially if you are new to the parish. Sign-up sheets are in the social hall, or you may contact Stephanie VonRuden at 218-298-1050 or vonruden.27@gmail.com.



Diocese of St. Cloud EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS EVENTS SEPT. 8-9

It is with great regret that, due to a serious medical issue in Dr. Timothy O'Malley's family, the Diocese of St. Cloud is postponing the "Becoming Eucharist" Congress events slated for Sept. 8-9. Plans are in the works to reschedule Dr. O'Malley's visit at a later time. Information will be shared as soon as it is available. Please continue to pray for all to experience renewed love of Jesus in the Eucharist. Visit stedio.org/eucharistic-revival for more Eucharistic Revival resources, events and information.

Beginning Experience, a non-profit Christian Support Group for Divorced, Widowed or Separated people, begins a 10 Week Session "COPING WITH LIFE ALONE" Monday, September 11, 2023, in Fergus Falls. All facilitators are volunteers who have experienced a divorce, been widowed, or are separated from their partner. Call 218-560-1686, if there's no answer leave your name and phone number and we will call you back.

Weekly Bulletin Email List

If you would like to have the bulletin emailed to you each week, please let us know by calling or by emailing your parish office.

Canonical Administrator: Fr. George Michael, E-mail: gmichaelvc@gmail.com, fathergeorge@ncacc.net
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Bishop's Annual Appeal: Have you attended a baptism, First Communion, confirmation, wedding, or ordination? All of these sacraments are supported through the ministries funded by the Bishop's Annual Appeal. Help continue to support these vital milestones of our faith through a gift at www.stedio.org/annualappeal.

Christ died for you...are you living for Him? Central Minnesota Koinonia is a weekend Catholic retreat program sponsored by the St. Cloud Diocese and is designed for adults to help you on your faith journey. Retreats are held at the TEC Center north of Little Falls, Minnesota. The next English weekend will be held September 22-24, 2023, cost of the weekend is \$70.00. Go to www.centralmnkoinonia.org for more information and to register for retreats.



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Wedding Banns I

Hilarion Byer
& Casey Kenyon

*"With the Lord there is mercy;
in Him is plentiful redemption."*

Psalms 130:7

SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS



SEEDS TO GROW BAKE SALE

Sat., Sept. 2nd & Sun., Sept. 3rd

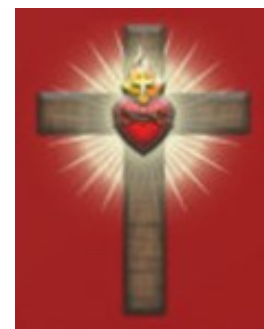
After the 4PM Sat. & 8:30AM Sun. Masses

Proceeds go to help others with burdensome medical expenses. Donated items can be brought to Sacred Heart Church gathering space by 10:00AM on Saturday, September 2nd.



OUR LORD'S TWELVE PROMISES To Those Who Honor His Sacred Heart

1. "I will give them all the graces necessary in their state of life."
2. "I will establish peace in their homes."
3. "I will comfort them in their afflictions."
4. "I will be their secure refuge during life, and above all in death."
5. "I will bestow a large blessing upon all their undertakings."
6. "Sinners shall find in my Heart the source and the infinite ocean of mercy."
7. "Tepid souls shall grow fervent."
8. "Fervent souls shall quickly mount to high perfection."
9. "I will bless every place where a picture of My Heart shall be set up and honored."
10. "I will give to priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts."
11. "Those who shall promote this devotion shall have their names written in My Heart, never to be blotted out."
12. "I promise thee in the excessive mercy of my Heart that my all-powerful love will grant to all those who communicate on the First Friday in nine consecutive months, the grace of final penitence; they shall not die in my disgrace nor without receiving the sacraments; my divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment."



SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Contact the Parish Offices

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: Diocesan Policy requires that the Pastor be contacted at least 6 months before the anticipated date of marriage to allow time for premarital inventory, instructions and planning.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: ½ Hour before Weekend Masses at Sacred Heart, St. Lawrence and Holy Cross; First Friday from 9:00AM-10:00AM at St. Lawrence; Second Thursday from 9:00AM-10:00AM at Sacred Heart; Third Saturday from 6:00PM– 7:00PM at Holy Cross. Tuesday, Thursday & Friday, 8:15AM-8:45AM; Wednesday, 9:00AM-10:00AM; Saturday, 4:00PM—4:45PM (Before 5:00PM Mass) at St. Henry

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick: Contact the Parish Offices

Trustees: Brenda Aschnewitz & Jan Januszewski (Sacred Heart); Jack Werner & Andy Klinnert (St. Lawrence); Mark Halbakken & Lisa Hemmelgarn (St. Henry); Michele Hofland & Clint Brandt (Holy Cross)

Northern Cross Area Catholic Community Pastoral Council Members: Dawn Swanz, Michele Hofland, Jason Schik (Holy Cross); Brenda Aschnewitz, John Kratzke, Kenny Moenkendick (Sacred Heart) Tim Graff, Lisa Hemmelgarn, Jason Smith (St. Henry); Sandi Carrlson, Jack Werner, Jerry Guck (St. Lawrence)



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Congratulations to our Calendar Raffle winners this week. 8-16-23-Joan Guck-\$50 and 8-18-23-Gail and Uwe Weygandt-\$100.

Welcome back to school open house will be on Wednesday, August 30 from 4-6 PM. School begins on Tuesday, September 5.

Jason Smith, Principal
218-346-6190 or sthenryschool@arvig.net

Teachers are needed for the Faith Formation Program in the following grades: Confirmation, 9th grade, 8th grade girls, 2nd grade, K/1st grade. Contact Caleb at 218-457-0987 or religiously@st-henrys.org if you are able to help pass on the faith to our youth.



St. Henry Upcoming Events



JOIN US TODAY FOR
The Church of St. Henry's
Annual Summer Festival
Sunday, August 20th
Beginning with 10:00 am Mass

St. Henry's Church Summer Festival is our annual fundraiser for our parish. Thanks to the time, work, and generosity of our parishioners, the Summer Festival has been very successful over the years.

We will have a Pulled Pork Picnic Dinner (free will donation), Cake Walk, Country Store, Cash, Deacon and Quilt Raffles, Inflatable, Kids Games, Bingo and Silent Auction.

Please remember to turn in your Summer Festival Cash Raffle Tickets. Extra tickets are available in the Parish Office.



We have a 4-quilt raffle this year. \$2.00/ticket. You have a chance to win one of four quilts with each purchased ticket! Tickets are available in the Narthex or Parish Office.

Don't forget about our Meat Raffle! Each purchased ticket gives you a chance to win a pre-cut half hog, 25# hamburger, 6 - 12-oz. ribeyes, 2 - 2# bags of raw shrimp, 4 - 12 oz. T-bones, 6 whole chickens or 8 - 8 oz top sirloin steaks! Tickets are \$20.00/each and are available in the Narthex or Parish Office.

Deacon Randy and Deacon Richard will be dueling again this year with their **50/50 Deacon Raffle!** You can purchase a ticket from either of them now or at the festival. \$5.00/ticket. Profits will be split between the parish and the winner.

The Northern Cross ACC Parishes wish to extend deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Paul Grismer who passed away recently.

May Paul know eternal peace and joy in heaven and may God grant comfort to his family and friends.



Please note: We will be inactivating the passcode system by the elevator on September 1st.



As part of the Eucharistic Revival's Year in the Parish, all present Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, as well as those considering this ministry, are invited to a free workshop offered by the diocesan Office of Worship. This 90-minute workshop will include formation and training essential to serving as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion. There are 10 opportunities across the diocese during September & October. Please see the website <https://stedio.org/eucharistic-revival/> for more information.

Congratulations to Bob Schzmp on receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation on August 14th. May you be filled with the Holy Spirit as you continue your journey of faith.



Wedding Banns III
Seth Johnson
& Jazzmin Branchaud

SAVE THE DATE!

St. Henry's Area School "Gala of Giving"
Saturday, October 14 - 5:30PM
Perham Lakeside Event Center



This event is open to anyone 21+ who would enjoy an evening out while supporting the school. Tickets will be available soon. We would love for you to join us!



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HOLY CROSS UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have not paid for your raffle prizes please pay for them in the next two weeks.

Items are needed for the Country Store. If you have them ready, they can be brought to the parish office.

Silent Auction items are needed for the fall bazaar. If you have any, please bring them to the parish office. Any questions, please call Christina at 218-230-3608.

Cards will be played every Thursday at 1:00 pm.



Stewardship Day 2023: Stewardship as a Eucharistic Way of Life will be an online offering from 6 – 8 p.m. on Wednesday, August 23. To register, visit: <https://stcdio.org/event/2023-stewardship-day-stewardship-as-a-eucharistic-way-of-life/> There is no cost for this bilingual event.



Greetings. Thank you for your welcoming for my mission co-op talk in your parishes last weekend. I enjoyed my weekend with you and your parishioners. The Diocese of Fairbanks sends out a monthly newsletter called The Alaskan Shepherd. I thought you might have some parishioners who enjoy receiving it. The newsletter address:

The Alaskan Shepherd
Catholic Bishop of Northern Alaska
1316 Peger Road
Fairbanks, AK 99709
or www.dioceseoffairbanks.org



Sincerely yours in Christ, Bishop Donald Kettler



All Catholic Women are invited to attend the **St. Cloud Diocesan Council of Catholic Women Fall Conference** on September 16th, at St. Ann's Parish in Wadena. Registration fee of \$20 is due by September 6th.

OFFICE HOURS: (HOLY CROSS): Call Faye Hendrickx:

(218) 385-3850

(SACRED HEART): Monday, Thursday & Friday: From 9:00

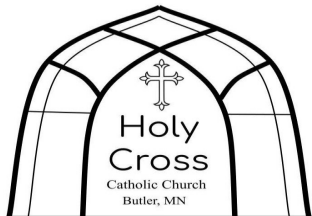
AM-12 Noon, (218) 758-2700

(ST.LAWRENCE): Tuesday & Wednesday: From 9:00 AM-

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(ST. HENRY): Monday-Friday: From 8:30 AM—4:30PM,

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Please pray for those in need of healing in our parishes:

Amy Thompson, Ashley Wilkowski, Barb Jarchow, Clara Helvig, Dean Salo, Diana Billie, Jean Schmitz, Jesse Erickson, Jim Guck, Julie Carr, Kacie (Pikula) Derkacht, Karen Omberg, Larry Bucholz, Larry Imdieke, Lucille Schik, Mary Ann Guck, Mike Ruther, Paul Juen, Richard Bergeron, Robert Daiker, Ron Bertram, Ron Wallace, Steve & Sue Loerzel, Sue Kalinoski, Tammy (Steinbach) Coryell

All military personnel, especially: Derick Burr, Martin Ara, Greg Hirschey, Sandra Silbernagel, Nicholas Melz, Luke Potts, Zoe McAvoy, Jason Richter, Miguel Martinez, Steven Sundberg, Tyler Van Watermulen, Andrew Schlosser, Ed Guck

Always remember in prayer our leaders in faith, especially: Pope Francis, Bishop Patrick Neary, Bishop Emeritus Donald Kettler, Dcn Randy Altstadt, Dcn Richard Quistorff, Fr. George Michael and Fr. Tom Skaja.

New School Capital Campaign Update

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| Complete Project | \$8,100,000.00 |
| Pledged | \$8,221,605.00 |
| Pledges to be Received | \$560,784.00 |
| Received | \$7,660,821.00 |
| Pledged Monies Received 08-13 | \$11,230.00 |
| Households Contributing | 350 |



Produce drops have started at the Bridge Pantry (501 4th Ave NW, Perham) and will be open to the public at 8am. The produce drops will be every Monday through the growing season. The items that are arriving for the week will be posted on the Friday or Saturday before the truck's arrival. This is open to the community. Please bring your own bags/boxes. We will distribute until we run out.

Holy Father's Prayer Intention for August

We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

Readings for the Week

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| Monday | Jgs 2:11-19 | Mt 19:16-22 |
| Tuesday | Jgs 6:11-24a | Mt 19:23-30 |
| Wednesday | Jgs 9:6-15 | Mt 20:1-16 |
| Thursday | Rv 21:9b-14 | Jn 1:45-51 |
| Friday | Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22 | Mt 22:34-40 |
| Saturday | Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17 | Mt 23:1-12 |
| Sunday | Is 22:19-23 | Rom 11:33-36 |
| | Mt 16:13-20 | |

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Stewardship as a Way of Life:
“For the gifts and the call of God are irrevocable.”
-Romans 11:29

God has a special mission in mind for each of us. He has given us the gifts we need to accomplish that mission. We are called to be good stewards by using those gifts to do the work that He has planned for each of us. If we deny our gifts or fail to use them as God calls us to use them, then some part of His work will be left undone. Each of us has a part in God’s salvation plan.

