

Sat, Sept 9, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Bernice Laughlin Sat, Sept 9, 5:00PM (St. Henry) For the People Sun, Sept 10, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † Rodney Barclay Sun, Sept 10, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Clarence Win-

Sun, Sept 10, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Phillip Altstadt Sun, Sept 10, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Samantha Jen-

Sun, Sept 10, 10:30AM (Holy Cross) +Darlene Steinbach

Tue, Sept 12, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Hugo Ledermann Tue, Sept 12, 7:00PM (Sacred Heart) Special Intention-JP Naughton

Wed, Sept 13, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Nick Hofland Wed, Sept 13, 5:15PM (Holy Cross) † Patricia Johnson Thu, Sept 14, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † David & † Marion Jaroszewski

Thu, Sept 14, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Frank, Eleanor, & **Eve Hammers** 

Fri, Sept 15, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Patrick Doll Fri, Sept 15, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Ken Thornberg **Family** 

Fri, Sept 15, 10:00AM (Perham Living) Holy Souls in **Purgatory** 

Sat, Sept 16, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † John Tschida Sat, Sept 16, 5:00PM (St. Henry) For the People Sat, Sept 16, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † Darrel Belka Sun, Sept 17, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † Marianne Leitner Sun, Sept 17, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) Fr. George's Mother's 100th Birthday

Sun, Sept 17, 10:00AM (St. Henry) Special Intention -Scott Winjum

Sun, Sept 17, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Shalie Lipp



We need volunteers to help with greeting and checking correct information for the photographs being taken for September 12-16 and 19-23. If you can help, please call Dawn at 218-639-8647.

For centuries, Bethlehem Christian's have supported their families by carving Olive Wood Religious Art for visiting pilgrims. However, the conflict in the Holy Land and the decrease in tourism have dropped the per-



centage of Christians living there from 63% to less than 2%. Our main objective is to help all Christian families stay in their homeland in dignity and keep the Christian identity in Bethlehem and Jerusalem. On September 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>, Holy Land Christians will be promoting their Olive Wood Carvings to support their families in the Holy Land. Kindly stop by their display.

#### BULLETIN DEADLINE: Wednesday Noon

# September 10, 2023 Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Financial Blessing for September 2nd		
Adult590.00 Plate245.00		
Children15.00 Votives47.40		
Donation100.00 Dividend32.00		
Total1,029.40		
Thank you for remembering Holy Cross Church		

with your Stewardship throughout the year.

Financial Blessing for September 2nd & 3rd					
Adult	2,518.00	Plate	1,530.60		
Youth	78.09	Elec. Transfer	s585.00		
Cemetery Fund	170.00				

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

Total.....4,881.69

Financial Blessing for September 2nd & 3rd			
Adult6,218.00 Plate	2,802.00		
Children's Basket126.60 Donatio	n1,000.00		
Votives97.00 Elec. Tra	nsfers4,242.00		
Total	14.485.60		

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

#### **Financial Blessing for September 3rd**

	Total2,819.23
Miscellaneous40.44	Parish Reimb74.79
Cemetery Fund90.00	Assumption25.00
Plate969.00	Elec. Transfers275.00
Adult1,300.00	Youth45.00
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Thank you for remembering St. Lawrence Church with your Stewardship throughout the year.



# ST. LAWRENCE UPCONING EVENTS



St. Lawrence Parish Life Meeting Monday, September 11<sup>th</sup> 6:30PM All are welcome to attend!

St. Lawrence Café
Open Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup>
Bring a dish to share and join us for breakfast after the 8:30AM Mass





St. Lawrence Christian Mothers Meeting: Monday, September 18<sup>th</sup> 6:45PM-Rosary/Prayer; 7:00PM-Meeting

### Wedding Banns III

Trevor Guck & Ann Mullen



Happy Journey The Parish of St. Lawrence extends a special congratulations to **Randall & Kathleen Sautter**Who are celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup>
Anniversary on September 15th.
May the Lord bless you.

The Eucharistic Heart of Mary Sacred Heart, Frazee Retreat October 7, 2023



Rosary: 8:30AM Mass: 9:00AM Session 1: 10:00AM-Noon Lunch: Noon-1:00PM

Session 2: 1:00-3:00PM

Free Will Offering



This Saturday and Sunday, September 9th & 10th, please welcome Fr. Freddie Pinuela, a missionary priest who represents the Missionaries of Jesus. He will be preaching at the weekend Masses in the

parishes of Sacred Heart, Dent and St. Lawrence, Rush Lake. Their mission is "to become missionary disciples to the last, the least, the lost, the lowly, and the lonely". A second collection will be taken up to assist the Missionaries of Jesus in their work. Thank you for your generosity.

# STLAWRENCE FAITH Formation

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.

Wed., Sept. 20: All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM; Mass Wed., Sept. 27: All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM



Thank you to all who brought goodies and baked items to the St. Lawrence Summer Bake Sale last Sunday. Thanks also to all who bought the goodies. Your support is much appreciated.

Thank you to everyone who helped me celebrate my 90th birthday. It was a great celebration. I am blessed to have so many wonderful friends.



Elaine Beyer

PLEASE NOTE: If you have not signed up to have your picture taken for the new ACC Directory, there are still spots available for Sept. 14th—23rd. This will be the last opportunity to be part of the new directory.

#### **Pictorial Directory Online Scheduling Instructions**

- ⇒ Go to the scheduling website: www.ucdir.com
- ⇒ Click on the box on the right side of the homepage entitled "photography appointment scheduling login"
- ⇒ Enter your church code mn334
- ⇒ Enter your church password **photos**
- ⇒ Click on the Enter button
- ⇒ Click on the desired photography date
- ⇒ Click on the Reserve Time button beside the desired photography appointment time
- ⇒ Enter the appropriate information in all required fields (indicated by the asterisk)
- ⇒ Click on the Schedule Appointment button at the bottom of the screen to reserve the photography appointment time in your family's name
- ⇒ If you have more than six family members being photographed, please reserve two appointments consecutively (such as 6:00 and 6:10)

Canonical Administrator: Parochial Vicar:

Fr. George Michael, E-mail: gmichaelvc@gmail.com, fathergeorge@ncacc.net

Fr. Thomas Skaja, E-mail: fathertom@ncacc.net 218-298-0585

Deacon Richard Quistorff; Deacon Randy Altstadt



**Deacons:** 

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Parish Website: sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com



# SACRED HEART faith



All students will automatically be registered for faith formation classes that attended classes last year. If you are new to the area and would like to have your children attend classes please register with Diane Sazama at <a href="woolyacres@arvig.net">woolyacres@arvig.net</a> or text 218-849-7520 with the following information: Parent's names, Child's name, grade, and a contact number. Please register by September 12th so that we will have material for your child to use. Classes are held on Wednesday nights at 7:00pm-8:15pm with approximately 25 classes scheduled.

Are you interested in growing in your faith? The best way to learn more about the teachings of the Catholic faith is to teach youth! We are looking for a teacher and also sub teachers.



The Church dedicates the month of September to Our Lady of Sorrows. This devotion recalls the Blessed Virgin Mary's spiritual martyrdom in virtue of her perfect union with the Passion of Christ.

The feast of Our Lady of Sorrows is on September 15th. You are invited to join us in honoring Our Mother of Sorrows by praying the Rosary of the Seven Sorrows of Mary on Saturday, September 16 (3:30PM) or Sunday, September 17 (8:00AM) before the weekend Holy Mass at Sacred Heart Church in Dent.

### SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS

#### Sacred Heart Christian Mothers Coffee & Rolls

Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> (after 8:30AM Mass) All are welcome!





Congratulations to

Hilarion Byer

& Casey Kenyon

who were united in Holy Matrimony at Sacred Heart. May God bless their marriage with love and happiness for many years to come.

"Seeds to Grow" Congratulations to Fr. George who was the winner of the Seeds To Grow quilt raffle! We wish to extend a very heartfelt Thank You to all who helped make our fundraiser a success. Because of your generous support, the total from our bake sale and raffle was \$1,750.



Next week The Catholic Campaign for Human Development will have a special collection that supports programs that empower people living in poverty to identify and address the obstacles they face in bringing permanent and positive change to their

communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd

#### **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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Email: sacredheart@arvig.net

Parish Website: sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com





Congratulations to our Calendar Raffle winners this week. 9-8-23-John Hirschey.

We invite you to our upcoming gala. This event provides funds for unbudgeted items for the school. This year we will be focusing on math and science items to supplement our upcoming new curriculum. This fundraiser is a fun, social evening that is designed for anyone. Tickets are available at the church office or school office for \$50. We hope to see you there on Saturday, Oct. 14.

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



The Northern Cross ACC Parishes wish to extend deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Mary Ann Guck

Rest In Peace who passed away recently.

May Mary Ann know eternal peace and joy in heaven and may God grant comfort to her family and friends.

A "Widows Walk" is an informal group of Catholic women who meet the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 5:00PM in the conference room at St. Henry's Catholic Church. For more information and to RSVP, please contact: Judy Christopherson at 218-298-0797.



The Knights of Columbus are collecting new and clean, slightly used kids winter coats. Please hang the coats at the north entrance coat rack of St. Henry's Church.

Welcome to Carol Vancura -and-



who recently registered as new members of the St. Henry parish family.

Holy Family Council of Catholic United Financial will be having an online meeting on Monday, Sept. 11 at 7 PM. If a member would like an invite to the Zoom meeting, please email Jason at <a href="mailto:sthenryschool@arvig.net">sthenryschool@arvig.net</a>.

Do you have any beautiful flowers from your garden you would be willing to share to place before the altar? If so, please bring them to the parish office any Friday by noon. Thank you!







Teachers are still needed for 9th grade for the Faith Formation Program. Contact Caleb at 218-457-0987 if you are able to help pass on the faith to our youth.



Faith Formation Classes will begin September 13th and will run from 6:30PM-7:30PM every Wednesday. All grades will meet every Wednesday, with a parents' night available every first Wednesday of the month beginning in October. The meal of years past has been discontinued, so please plan accordingly. If your child has not previously participated in Faith Formation, or if you are new to the parish, please call Caleb to register.

## Caleb Carrlson, Faith Formation Director 218-457-0987 or religioused@st-henrys.org



#### **Upcoming Baptism Class**

Requirements for having your first child baptized are: registration at a parish and attendance of a pre-baptism class. This class is normally offered every two months. A

class will be offered on **Saturday**, **October 21st**, from 9:00 am-12:00 pm in the conference room. If you want your child baptized but have not yet attended the required class, please register through the Parish Office at 346-4240. Pre-registration for the class is required.

The next Knights of Columbus meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 12th, in St. Henry's Church basement. If anyone is interested in joining, please contact Grand Knight Jeff Fritz or come to the meeting.

The Knights are doing a cash/prize raffle. If anyone is interested in purchasing a ticket, contact Jeff Fritz or Deacon Richard. Tickets are \$5.00/each. The drawing will be held October 10th. Need not be present to win.



The Parish of St. Henry extends a special congratulations to Joe & Jan Guck who are celebrating their 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on September 10th. May the Lord bless you.

The Knights of Columbus and Catholic Daughters Court St. Rita #409 will be praying the Patriotic Rosary on 9-11-2023 at 8:45 am at St. Henry's Catholic Church. All are welcome to come and pray for our Country.





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## HOLY CROSS UPCOMING EVENTS

CCD for grades 1-6 will begin on Wednesday, September 13. The bus will bring the kids to the church. There will be no snack served, so pack a snack to eat before they arrive at church. Mass will follow at 5:15. Mass participants will be the CCD students.

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



#### 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 are available for purchase now at both the school and church offices. We would love for you to join us!

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 Cen-



ter 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



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://stcdio.org./eucharistic-revival/ for more information.

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-

12 Noon, (218) 346-7729

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

(218) 346-4240

Please pray for those in need of healing in our parishes: Amy Thompson, Ashley Wilkowski, Barb Jarchow, Bob Starzl, 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, Sebastian Mettler, Steve & Sue Loerzel, Sue Kalinoski, Tammy (Steinbach) Corvell

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			
Complete Project	\$8,100,000.00		
Pledged	\$8,222,420.00		
Pledges to be Received	\$554,963.00		
Received	\$7,667,457.00		
Pledged Monies Received 09-03	\$976.50		
Households Contributing	350		

**Bishop's Annual Appeal:** The Bishop's Annual Appeal proudly supports respect-for-life efforts in the diocese. Your generosity helps make this possible. To donate, visit <a href="https://www.stcdio.org/annualappeal">www.stcdio.org/annualappeal</a> or mail to:

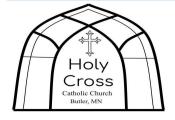


Bishop's Annual Appeal, P.O. Box 1538, St. Cloud, MN 56302.

#### **Holy Father's Prayer Intention for September**

We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

Readings for the Week				
Monday	Col 1:24-2:3	Lk 6:6-11		
Tuesday	Col 2:6-15	Lk 6:12-19		
Wednesday	Col 3:1-11	Lk 6:20-26		
Thursday	Nm 21:4b-9	Phil 2:6-11	Jn 3:13-17	
Friday	1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14		Jn 19:25-27	
Saturday	1 Tm 1:15-17	Lk 6:43-49		
Sunday	Sir 27:30—28:7	Rom 14:7-9		
	Mt 18:21-35			



#### **Holy Cross Catholic Church of Butler**

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## Stewardship as a Way of Life:

"You, son of man, I have appointed watchman for the house of Israel..."-Ezekiel 33:7

Many of us are generous with our gifts. However, many of us are not generous in proportion to the gifts we have been given. How often do we give at the minimum level required? Remember, the Lord calls us to nurture and develop our gifts and to give back with increase. He calls us to be generous with all the gifts, especially the one that means the most to us.

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others. as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. 1 Peter 4:10



## CHILDREN'S CHOIR!

## Schedule on the back of this sheet!



Open to children second grade and up!

Come whenever you can to try it out!

Please contact Mr. Mettler at mmettler@sthenrysareaschool.com if you are interested or have questions.

## Schedule

Below is the Children's Choir Schedule. I try to keep the practices on the 1st and 3rd Thursday when I don't have to adjust for other events. The 1st practice of the month is usually in the St. Henry's Area School Music Room. The 2nd practice of the month is usually in the church. We will almost always be singing at the Sunday 10am immediately after the 2nd practice that month. If you have any questions, please let me know!

#### Practices:

September 14th & 21st
October 5th & 12th (Adjusted for MEA)
November 2nd & 16th
December 7th & 21st
January 4th & 18th
February 1st & 8th (Adjusted for President's Day)
March 7<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>
April 4<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>
May 2<sup>nd</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>

#### **Singing at Mass:**

September 24th
October 15th
November 19th
December 25th (CHRISTMAS!)
January 21st
February 11th
March 24th
April 21st
May 19th.

#### General guidelines to know:

- 1. I will do my best to respect everyone's time by promptly starting practice at 6:30pm and promptly ending at 7:30pm.
- 2. If any Perham School cancels or leaves early from school due to weather, there will not be Choir Practice.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

God bless, Mr. Mettler