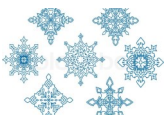


November 26, 2023

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King Of The Universe



Sat, Nov 25, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Deacon Mark Stenger
 Sat, Nov 25, 5:00PM (St. Henry) For the People
 Sat, Nov 25, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † David Jaroszewski
 Sun, Nov 26, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † John & Angie Birchem and † Vincent & Diane Birchem
 Sun, Nov 26, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † David & Mari-on Jaroszewski
 Sun, Nov 26, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Leona Loerzel
 Sun, Nov 26, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Steve & Irene Bucholz
 Tue, Nov 28, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Russell Wallin
 Tue, Nov 8, 7:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Bernard & De-lores Sazama
 Wed, Nov 29, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) No Mass
 Wed, Nov 29, 5:15PM (Holy Cross) No Mass
 Thu, Nov 30, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Elaine Pietsch
 Thu, Nov 30, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Dave Stigman
 Fri, Dec 1, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Hugo & Louise Werner
 Fri, Dec 1, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Joe & Delores Wasche
 Fri, Dec 1, 10:00AM (Perham Living) † Frank & Ceil Sczygiel
 Sat, Dec 2, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Bob Herges
 Sat, Dec 2, 5:00PM (St. Henry) For the People
 Sat, Dec 2, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † Greg Meyer
 Sun, Dec 3, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † John Krueger
 Sun, Dec 3, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Emmett & Patri-cia Kucklock
 Sun, Dec 3, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Alois & Theresa Loerzel
 Sun, Dec 3, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Patty Doll



WINTER WEATHER POLICY

When school is cancelled, there will be no Masses or adoration at any of the four NCACC parishes. If school is two hours late, all morning Masses and Adoration will be cancelled, but evening Masses may take place, if weather permits. Please watch for updates on our parish app for Tuesday evening Adoration weather-related cancellations.

Attention Northern Cross ACC Parishioners:
 We are in the process of cleaning out our church kitchens, so if you have left any personal items (cake pans, roasters, containers, etc.), please take them home.
 Thank you, Fr. George

Text App to 88202
 to download our parish app!
 Search for "Northern Cross Area
 Catholic Community"



BULLETIN DEADLINE: Wednesday Noon

Financial Blessing for November 18th

Adult.....	3,690.00	Plate.....	74.00
Children.....	7.89	Votives.....	7.00
Parking Lot Donation.....	100.00	Rent.....	2.00
Human Development.....	10.00	Donation.....	1,000.00
Christmas Flowers.....	24.00		

Total.....4,914.89

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

Financial Blessing for November 18th & 19th

Adult.....	1,728.00	Plate.....	605.93
Youth.....	28.00	Elec. Transfers.....	125.00
Christmas Flowers.....	30.00		

Total.....2,516.93

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

Financial Blessing for November 18th & 19th

Adult.....	6,554.00	Plate.....	1,171.25
Children's Basket.....	87.50	Youth Offering.....	5.00
Votives.....	63.45	Holy Water Bottle.....	1.00
Bulletin Sponsors.....	400.00	Elec. Transfers....	4,120.00

Total.....12,402.20

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

Financial Blessing for November 19th

Adult.....	1,260.00	Youth	12.00
Plate.....	339.00	Elec. Transfers.....	835.00
Parish Reimb.	163.78	Votives.....	130.00

Total.....2,739.78

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

There will be no 8:30AM Mass at St. Lawrence and no 5:15PM Mass at Holy Cross on Wed. Nov. 29. All Parish offices will be closed, and there will be no Confessions at St. Henry on Wed., Nov 29.

ST. LAWRENCE UPCOMING EVENTS



The parish of *St. Lawrence* invites everyone who is interested in helping decorate the church this Christmas with a poinsettia flower to use the “Christmas Flower” envelope provided for you. Envelopes have space for “In Memory of” or “In Honor of” dedications. Thank you for helping to make our churches beautiful for the birth of our Lord.

Attention Musicians & Singers:

The St. Lawrence choir is looking for new members to share their talents during Mass. If you like to sing or can play an instrument (especially piano or keyboard) we need you! Contact Lisa Werner (218-371-7560) or stop in the choir loft after any Mass.



Wed. Nov. 29: All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM; Advent Wreath-Parent Class

Wed. Dec. 6: All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM; Rosary/Reconciliation for grades 3-11

Wed. Dec. 13: All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM

Wed. Dec. 20: All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM

Stephanie VonRuden-Faith Formation Director
218-298-1050 or Vonruden.27@gmail.com



“Each year, every church in our Catholic community throughout the world contributes to the World Mission Sunday collection. This global fund of solidarity for the newest parishes among us shows a degree of communion rarely glimpsed. Thank you for your wonderful participation in our Catholic Church and its growing presence throughout the world by contributing to the World Mission Sunday collection. We are all on a mission, a sign of hope for an uncertain world. May God continue to fill you with grace and joy.”

Elizabeth Brown, Director, St. Cloud Mission Office

“I hope you didn’t take it personally, Father”, an embarrassed woman said to her pastor after the Holy Mass, “when my husband walked out during your sermon on Christ the King.” “I did find it rather disconcerting,” the pastor replied. “It’s not a reflection on you, Father,” she insisted. “Ralph has been walking in his sleep ever since he was a child.”



The **Clothing Mission at Richville** is in need of the following: towels, bedding, winter coats (all sizes), snowpants, and snow boots. Drop off from 12-6pm on Tuesdays at 100 Grove St. Richville, MN 56576.



Bishop’s Annual Appeal: Have you read The Central Minnesota Catholic magazine? Do you follow the Diocese of St. Cloud on Facebook, YouTube, Twitter or Instagram? Have you visited the diocesan websites for resources? All of these communication tools that inform us of the latest Catholic news are supported by the Bishop’s Annual Appeal. Keep the news coming by contributing at www.stedio.org/annualappeal.

ECCE HOMO MEN'S EVENT

"Ecce Homo" is Latin for "Behold the Man," the words uttered by Pilate as he presented Jesus to the crowd.

If you are a Catholic man, 18 or older, join us for an evening of fraternity and prayer!

When: First Thursday of the Month (September - April)

5:30pm: Meal

6:00pm: Talk/Speaker

6:45pm: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

- The Holy Hour will begin with Vespers (Evening Prayer)
- Confessions will be available after Vespers until Benediction
- We'll end the Holy Hour with the Rosary (7:45pm)

8:00pm: Benediction

Where:

September 2023: St. Henry, Perham

October 2023: St. Lawrence, Rush Lake

November 2023: Holy Cross, Butler

December 2023: Sacred Heart, Dent

January 2024: St. Henry, Perham

February 2024: St. Lawrence, Rush Lake

March 2024: Holy Cross, Butler

April 2024: Sacred Heart, Dent

If you have any questions, contact Gregory at 763-227-6870, or Fr. Tom at 218-298-0585.

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Deacons: Deacon Richard Quistorff; Deacon Randy Altstadt



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Parish Website: sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com



SACRED HEART



Wed. Nov. 29: Grades 1-11; 7:00PM
Wed. Dec. 6: Grades 1-11; 7:00PM
Wed., Dec. 13: Grades 1-11; 7:00PM; Confession
Wed., Dec. 20: Grades Pre/K-11; 7:00PM; Christmas Fun Night

Joe & Diane Szama—Faith Formation Directors
 218-849-7520 or woolyacres@arvig.net

SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS



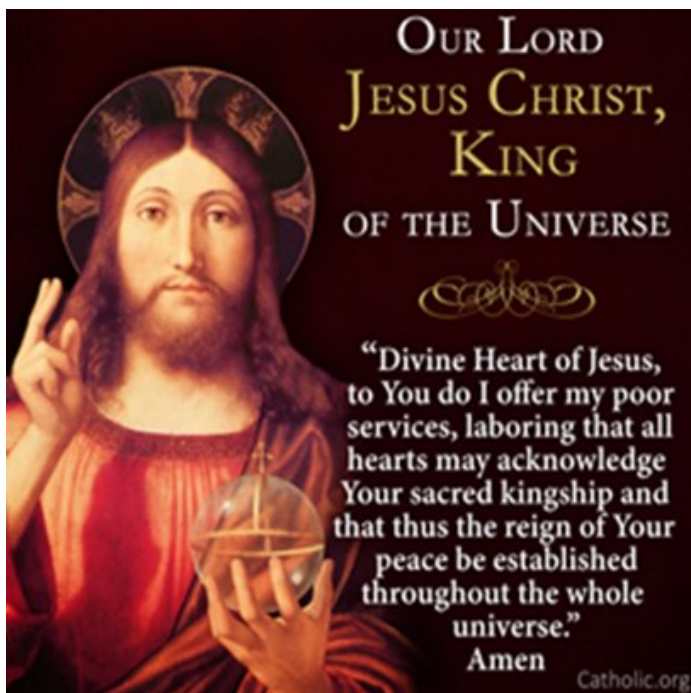
Sacred Heart Christian Mothers Meeting:
Tuesday, November 28th
after the 7:00PM Mass.
New members are always welcome!

The parish of *Sacred Heart* invites everyone who is interested in helping decorate the church this Christmas with a poinsettia flower to use the “Christmas Flower” envelope in your envelope box. Envelopes have space for “In Memory of” or “In Honor of” dedications. If you don’t have an envelope you can put your request and donation in a white envelope with the name of the persons you are remembering and your name in the collection basket. Thank you for helping to make our churches beautiful for the birth of our Lord.



“Seeds to Grow” Sacred Heart “Seeds to Grow” is for those who are sick, injured or are in need of financial assistance due to their medical circumstances. If you know of anyone who needs our help, please submit a request to Sacred Heart Church, Dent, or call Mary at 218-758-2032. Request forms are available on the Sacred Heart bulletin board.

The **2024 Marriage Prep Course** will be held at St. Henry on **January 28th, 2024 from 8:00AM -4:00PM**. The fee is \$175.00 per couple. For more information or to register, please contact St. Henry’s Parish Office.



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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 36963 State Highway 108
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Email: sacredheart@arvig.net
Parish Website: sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com





Congratulations to our Calendar Raffle winner this week. 11-24-23-Caleb Carrlson-\$100

St. Henry's Area Preschool is in search of a long-term substitute paraprofessional for the months of January and February. This position is on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 8-3:30. Would you like to earn a little extra money and help out the preschool? If interested, please contact Missy Mickelson or Jason at 218-346-6190 for an application.

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

Help is needed with seasonal decorating at St. Henry, such as Christmas and Easter. If you can help, please let the Parish Office know.



The communities of Perham and New York Mills are blessed with caring volunteers that help at our Food Shelves each week and generous communities that provide gifts of food and money throughout the year. Please keep your local Food Shelves in your thoughts during this holiday season.

Court St Rita #409 will be sponsoring the **National Catholic Daughters Education contest!** The deadline locally is January 31, 2023. Themes this year are: God's love and kindness will shine upon us like the sun that rises in the sky-Luke 1:78 OR How does my love shine for others? All students grade 4-12 are eligible to enter as well as Adult CDA members.

Entry forms and rules are available at St. Henry's office or contact Leanne Stoll, Regent Court St. Rita.



After all Masses on **December 2nd & 3rd** the Mission Circle will be selling hand and machine embroidered dish towels, Christmas items, neck pillows, doll dresses, dish cloths, table runners and many other items. Items make perfect Christmas or birthday gifts for your loved ones. Come! Check it out!

If you are pregnant or newly postpartum, get registered for **Matres in Servitio Mariae!** We would like to add you to our prayer list and provide the newly postpartum women of NCACC with postpartum "freezer" meals and a small new baby care kit! Questions? Want to volunteer to make meals or donate new/gently used baby items? Contact Krystal Vareberg.



ST. HENRY



Wed, Nov. 29th: 6:30-7:30PM: Class
Wed, Dec. 6th: 6:30-7:30PM: Class (Parent Night)
Wed, Dec. 13th: No Class (School Program)

Caleb Carrlson, Faith Formation Director
218-457-0987 or religiously@st-henry.org

We are looking for people to commit to spending a scheduled hour a week with Jesus in the **Blessed Sacrament at Adoration** at St. Henry. The hours we could really use a guardian are:

Monday from 3-4pm
Tuesday from 2-3pm
Tuesday from 6-7pm
Wednesday from 2-3pm



Please prayerfully consider giving Jesus an hour of your week in Adoration. If you would be interested in taking a time slot (even on a substitute basis), please call the parish office at 218-346-4240.



BABY JESUS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Sunday, December 3

St Henry's Church Basement

11:30 AM-1:00 PM

Come for crafts, stories, games and song!

Jesus is the REASON FOR THE SEASON

Contact Courtney with questions 218-371-7942

Come join the fun and engage with your child during music exploration and simple religious education. This is intended to be a religion enrichment time for mom and child suitable for young children, ages 1-5. It will take place at St. Henry's basement on Wednesday, December 13 from 8:30-9:00am, before Children's Adoration Hour. **Parent/adult must be in attendance with their child (ren) **No fee —Please Text/Call Karlee Werner if planning to attend 218-849-6415. Group text will be set up to notify you regarding any schedule changes.



If you are interested in singing for the 4pm Christmas Eve Mass, please contact Gina at the parish office. Practices for Christmas Eve will be held at 6:30pm in the choir loft on:

Thursday, December 7th
Tuesday, December 12th
Thursday, December 21st



On Christmas Eve (December 24th), we will be meeting at 3:00pm. Carols start at 3:30pm.



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PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

HOLY CROSS UPCOMING EVENTS



Poinsettias can be ordered in honor or memory of someone for \$8.00 each. Order forms are on the table in the entry and can be put in the collection basket. Orders are due by December 15th.

Resurfacing the Parking Lot at Holy Cross

You may have noticed that Holy Cross parking lot is in need of renovation. Our Finance Council has received the Bishop's approval for the resurfacing project. The cost of this project will be about \$30,788. I hope you will support this project with a donation to offset the expense. Together, we will continue to preserve our church and grounds, as we pave the way for future generations of Holy Cross families.



May God bless you always. Fr. George

Adoration will be held every third Saturday of the month from 6-7PM.

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

Open Retreat Dates for Christ the King Retreat Center

Men's retreat on Dec 1-3.
Advent Day of Prayer on December 6
Advent Silent Weekend on December 8-10.

Weekend and Midweek Silent Retreat Format: Celebration of the Eucharist and Reconciliation, Conferences, Healing Service (including Anointing of the Sick), Scriptural Rosary, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Quiet Time
Weekend Retreats begin at 8pm Friday (Check in after 4pm) and end Sunday at 12:45 pm (Check out by 9:15am).
Midweek Retreats begin at 3pm Tuesday (Check in after 1pm) and end Thursday at 12:45pm (Check out by 9:15am).

Deposit amount is generally \$50 with the remaining \$170 retreat donation is due on the last day of the retreat. No one will be turned away for inability to cover the retreat cost. Please go to kingshouse.com to register.

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.

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



Holy Cross Catholic Church of Butler

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Parish Website: https://www.parityfaith.com/holy-cross---butler

Please pray for those in need of healing in our parishes: Ashley Wilkowski, Dean Salo, Diana Billie, Jean Schmitz, Julie Carr, Kacie (Pikula) Derkacht, Karen Omberg, Larry Bucholz, Larry Imdieke, Larry Van Watermulen, Lowell Siebels, Lucille Schik, Mike Ruther, Nancy Moris, Paul Juen, Richard Bergeron, Robert Daiker, Ron Bertram, Ron Wallace, Sebastian Mettler, Steve & Sue Loerzel, Sue Kalinoski, Tammy (Steinbach) Coryell

All military personnel, especially: Joseph Fonseca, Derrick Burr, Greg Hirschey, Sandra Silbernagel, Nicholas Melz, Luke Potts, Miguel Martinez, Noah Zeleny, 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.

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FORMED.ORG—HOW TO SIGN UP

Follow the steps below to create an account, and if you need help, please call one of the parish offices.

- 1. Visit FORMED.org
2. Click Sign-up
3. Select "I Belong to a Parish or Organization"
4. Find your parish using zip code 56573 or Northern Cross Area Catholic Community.
5. Enter your email—and you're in!
(must have an email address to sign-up)

Holy Father's Prayer Intention for November
We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfils his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

Table with 3 columns: Day, Reading 1, Reading 2. Lists readings for Monday through Sunday.

Please let the advertisers know you saw their ad in the bulletin.

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Stewardship as a Way of Life:

“...whatever you did for one of the least of my brothers, you did for me.” – Matthew 25:40

Most of us are generous when it’s convenient for us. We are generous when we have the time or the money. But real generosity is the opposite of that. It means giving of one’s time, money, compassion, forgiveness, or mercy when it’s not convenient to us, when it’s not on our schedule, but on the other person’s timeline.

