

#### Sat, Mar 16, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † John Tschida Sat, Mar 16, 5:00PM (St. Henry) For the People Sat, Mar 16, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † David Jaroszewski Sun, Mar 17, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † Rita Rotta Sun, Mar 17, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Gary Honer Sun, Mar 17, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Ben Kieselbach

Sun, Mar 17, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Ben Kiesenbach Sun, Mar 17, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Craig Bergeron

Tue, Mar 19, 8:45AM (St. Henry) Special Intention for Makenna Kupferschmid

Tue, Mar 19, 7:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Jack & Odilia Riestenberg

Wed, Mar 20, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Hugo & Louise Werner

Wed, Mar 20, 5:15PM (Holy Cross) † Henry "Bud" Johnson

Thu, Mar 21, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Les Konley Thu, Mar 21, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Art Kempenich Fri, Mar 22, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Betty Lather Fri, Mar 22, 8:45AM (St. Henry) No Mass

Fri, Mar 22, 10:00AM (Perham Living) Special Intention—Christine Scheidecker's 95th Birthday

tion—Christine Scheidecker's 95th Birthday Sat, Mar 23, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Leon Westhoff

Sat, Mar 23, 5:00PM (St. Henry) For the People

Sat, Mar 23, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) Deceased Catholic United Financial Members

Sun, Mar 24, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † Larry Kempenich, Jr. & † Lorie Siebels

Sun, Mar 24, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Deland Porath Sun, Mar 24, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Anthony & Ida Hofmann

Sun, Mar 24, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Rose Guck



Please use the "*Easter Flower*" envelopes when donating money for Easter flowers at your parish. Donations may be "*in memory of*..." or "*in honor of*..." a loved one. All donations must be turned in to the parish offices or weekend collection baskets by Palm Sunday, March 24th.





All are invited to participate in the **Chrism Mass**. The Mass will be celebrated at 7:00 pm at the Cathedral of St. Mary in St. Cloud on Thursday, March 21st.

**BULLETIN DEADLINE: Wednesday Noon** 

# March 17, 2024 Fifth Sunday Of Lent

Financial Blessing for March 9th				
Adult1,465.00	Plate60.00			
Children3.00	O Votives34.25			
Easter Flowers43.00	)			
Total1,605.25				
Thank you for remembering Holy Cross Church				
with your Stewardship throughout the year.				
Financial Blessing for March 9th & 10th				
Adult973.00	Plate511.00			
Youth45.85	Elec. Transfers475.00			
Cen. MN Cath17.00	CRS182.00			

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

Easter Flowers.....120.00

#### Financial Blessing for March 9th & 10th

Adult	5,167.00	Plate	.1,016.25
Children's Basket	64.00	Easter Flowers	332.00
Coffee	10.00	Ecce Homo	163.00
Votives	56.00	Donuts	185.00
Elec. Transfers	3,783.00		

Total.....10,776.25

Total......2,323.85

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

#### **Financial Blessing for March 10th**

То	otal4,322.55
Elec. Transfers465.00 Ho	oly Land50.00
CRS340.00 Eas	ster300.00
Plate184.05 Eas	ster Flowers115.00
Adult2,845.00 You	uth23.50

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



#### Northern Cross ACC Holy Week Schedule:

Holy Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>: 7:00PM St. Lawrence 7:00PM St. Henry

Good Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>: 12:15PM St. Hen

Easter Vigil, March 30<sup>th</sup>: Easter Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup>: 12:15PM St. Henry
3:00PM Holy Cross
3:00PM Sacred Heart
8:30PM St. Henry
8:00AM Holy Cross
8:00AM St. Henry
10:00AM St. Henry
10:00AM Perham Living
8:30AM Sacred Heart
10:30AM St. Lawrence

#### Parish news & events



#### Polka Festival August 4, 2024

It is hard to think of Fall when we are enjoying this warm winter! Spring is on the way!! Even though our Festival

is months away, we have a timeline for our raffle ticket. If you wish to donate a cash prize to the raffle list, contact Marlene Boedigheimer, cell/text/or email 218 -457-1588 or mmbb@arvig.net Thank you to everyone who has consistently donated! If you haven't been on the ticket before, we would love to add you to our list of cash prizes! Thank You!!

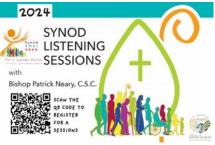
#### Weekly Bulletin Email List

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.



Thank you for your generous support of The Catholic Relief Services Collection and for revealing Christ's love to those who are poor and marginalized around the world. If you missed the collection, it's

give. Just visit www.usccb.org/ not too late to nationalcollections for information. more #iGiveCatholicTogether also accepts donations for this collection. (usccb.igivecatholictogether.org)



**Bishop's Invitation to Diocesan Synodal Listening Sessions in** March

Our diocese is offering an in-person synodal listening session on Sat, March 23<sup>rd</sup>  $(9:30 \ am - 1 \ pm; \ at$ Our Lady of Victory

parish in Fergus Falls). This is an opportunity to share your thoughts, experiences and concerns of Church life, leadership, and structures – in small groups, then in the larger group. Bishop Neary has shared that "these listening sessions will help to inform our Holy Father, but - most importantly - they will provide essential information for me and our diocese." Please join us! (Registration is required – go to: www.stcdio.org/listening2024)



Wed. Mar 20: All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM; Stations of the Cross.

Wed. Mar 27: All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM; Stations of the Cross.

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



The Parish of St. Lawrence extends congratulations to Rhylen Alice Jean Buehler

daughter of Tyann Laverdure & Adam Bughler who received the Sacrament of Baptism on March 17th

#### Men's Pancake Breakfast

The men of St. Lawrence will host their Breakfass annual Pancake Breakfast following the 10:30AM Mass on Palm Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>.



Menu: sausage, pancakes, applesauce, juice & coffee Serving 11:30AM—1:00PM Free Will Offering Worker sign up sheets are in the social hall.

## Text **App** to **88202**

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





Community Outreach Ministry is in need of twin, full, and queen beds in good condition and dressers. Please call Cindy Olson at 218-849-8658 or Teresa Elkin at 218-298-1274.



Bishop's Annual Appeal: May this season of Lent provide you added time for prayer and reflection. We ask you to please take a moment to pray for the Bishop's Annual Appeal and the vital ministries it supports.

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:** 

St. Lawrence Catholic Church of Rush Lake 46404 County Highway 14 Perham, MN 56573

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Parish Website: sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com



#### PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

### SACRED HEART faith



Wed., Mar 20: Grades Pre/K-11; 7:00PM; Stations of the Cross @ 8:00PM; Grade 2 & Parents-First Communion Learning Centers @ 7:00PM.

Wed., Mar 27: No Class-Holy Week

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

#### Welcome to Lisa Jetvia

who recently registered as a new member of the Sacred Heart parish family.





March 19, Solemnity of Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Let us be inspired by the life of Saint Joseph: His humility, His willingness to listen to the voice of God. His unconditional love and protection for his wife and his child.

#### SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS

You are invited to join the Sacred Heart Christian Mothers for a Lenten Scriptural **Rosary** on Saturday, March 16th (3:30PM) or Sunday, March 17th (8:00AM) at Sacred Heart Church in Dent before the weekend Masses.





Sacred Heart Men's Breakfast Palm Sunday, March 24th (after the 8:30AM Mass)

Sacred Heart Christian Mothers Meeting: Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup> after the 7:00PM Mass.





Dorothy Day House: Help the homeless in our area by supporting the Dorothy Day House men's shelter in Moorhead, MN. DOROTHY DAY

They are currently in need of the following items: Ziploc bags (gallon and sandwich);

bath towels, winter hats, gloves and scarves; deodorant, men's underwear, plain white t-shirts, socks (these clothing items preferred to be new); disposable razors; sleeping bags; blankets and hygiene products. For more information, see the website at www.churchesunited.org call Teresa 218-298-1274 or Cecile Guck at 218-298-4386.

#### **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: 1/2 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: Chelsey Hendrickx, Michele Hofland, Dan Schik (Holy Cross); Brenda Aschnewitz, John Kratzke, Kenny Moenkendick (Sacred Heart) Gina Cavanagh, Jason Smith (St. Henry); Sandi Carrlson, Jack Werner, Jerry Guck (St. Lawrence)



**Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Dent** 36963 State Highway 108 Dent , MN 56528 Phone: (218) 758-2700 Em: (218) 758-2888

Email: sacredheart@arvig.net

Parish Website: sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com



#### **PARISH NEWS & EVENTS**



Congratulations to our Calendar Raffle winners this week. 3-13-24-Ann Koll-\$50 and 3-15-24-Joanne Winjum-\$100.

St. Henry's Area Preschool is looking for a Summer Teacher.

Qualifications: MN Teaching degree, knowledgeable in child development and developmentally appropriate best practice in early childhood, warm and welcoming demeanor, self-directed, highly motivated individuals who are passionate about our youngest learners and providing quality learning experiences

Responsibilities: Three Days a week from 7:30-5:00 pm, lead a group of up to 10 preschoolers, have strong communication skills with families, have strong relationship building skills with preschool age children, maintain an inviting, well-organized classroom, other duties as assigned.

If interested in learning more about this position, please contact our preschool director Missy Mickelson at 218-346-6190 or mmickelson.sthenryschool@arvig.net

#### We will be having our Fun Fair at the school on Sunday, March 17 from 11-3:30.

Cakes are needed for the cake walk. Cakes can be brought to the St. Henry's church office or school office on Friday, March 15. Cakes can also be brought to the Fun Fair on Sunday, March 17. The Fun Fair begins at 11:00 and goes until 3:30. We ran out of cakes last year, so we would greatly appreciate any help you can give us.

Gun Raffle-Stoeger 3500 Waterfowler Edition 12 Gauge-3.5 inch-\$10 per chance-Drawing at 2:45. Donated by Friends of St. Henry's Area School

Card Raffle-3 Piece Patio Set-52 chances-\$20 per chance-Drawing when the deck is sold out or at 2:45, whichever comes first. Donated by Lakes Ace Hardware

Card Raffle-36" Blackstone with Lid-52 chances-\$20 per chance-Drawing when the deck is sold out or at 2:45, whichever comes first. Donated by Mark's Fleet Supply.

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

#### Divine Mercy Sunday—Sunday, April 7th Sponsored by Catholic Daughters Court St. Rita

1:00pm: Stations of the Cross 2:00pm: Scriptural Rosary

3:00pm: Chaplet of Divine Mercy 1:00pm to 3:00pm: Confessions



Held at St. Henry's Church





Wed., Mar 20th: Speaker 6:30-7:30PM Wed., Mar 27th & April 3rd: No Class Caleb Carrlson, Faith Formation Director 218-457-0987 or religioused@st-henrys.org

#### 90th Birthday Celebration for George Altstadt Saturday, April 13th from 12:00pm-3:00pm at Perham Sportsman Club

A light lunch will be served along with cake and ice cream. Coffee, water, and lemonade will be provided. Please, no gifts. Your presence is your gift. Call Deacon Randy with questions at 218-457-0925.



Cookie and bar containers from the fish fry are in St. Henry's Church basement kitchen. Please pick them up as soon as possible.

Welcome to Donald & Heather Ahlschlager {Cooper, Evelyn} Preston & Allison Riewer {Leo, Elden} Judy Lex

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

St. Agnes-Mary Mission Circle will meet on Thursday, March 21st, at 1:00 PM. They will gather at Kathy Hemmelgarn's home (47634 Minnesota St., Perham). All interested persons are welcome. For more information, contact Kathy at 346-5797.

#### **JCDA Meeting**

Sunday, March 24 • 4:00-5:30 p.m. St. Henry's Church Basement All girls ages 6-18 welcome!





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#### **PARISH NEWS & EVENTS**

#### HOLY CROSS UPCOMING EVENTS

There is a jar on the table in the entry for Rice Bowl.

Congratulations to Lydia James Maijala, daughter of Bryan and Katie, who was baptized at Holy Cross last weekend.

Easter lilies can once again be purchased on memory or in honor of someone; the price is \$9.00. Forms are on the table in the entry and can be returned to Faye or out in the collection.

Usher sign-up sheet is on the table in the entry; please sign up as a family or group.

#### **Resurfacing the Parking Lot at Holy Cross** You may have noticed that Holy Cross parking

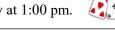
lot is in need of renovation. Our Finance Coun-

cil 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.



Friday, March 22nd Meal prepared by St. Henry Parishioners

Friday, March 1st

5:00 pm-7:00 pm St. Henry's School Lym

\$15-Adult \$7-Children 6-12 Free-Children 5 & Under

#### MENU:

FISH, BAKED POTATO, VEGETABLE, COLESLAW, FRENCH BREAD, BARS & BEVERAGES

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:

Ashley Wilkowski, Bob Waldorf, Christine Scheidecker, Dean Salo, Diana Billie, Fr. Gabriel Walz, Garry Menz, Gene Schermerhorn, Jean Schmitz, Jeff Fritz, Jen Aanenson, Joan Koplin, Karen Omberg, Larry Bucholz, Larry Imdieke, Linda Kaluza, Lowell Siebels, Lucille Schik, Maggie Fresonke, Mike Ruther, Nathan Strand, Paul Juen, Richard Bergeron, Robert Daiker, Ron Bertram, Ron Wallace, Ruth Moericke, Sebastian Mettler, Sue Loerzel, Sue Kalinoski, Tammy (Steinbach) Coryell, Tanner Wegscheid All military personnel, especially: Derick Burr, Greg Hirschey, Sandra Silbernagel, Nicholas Melz, Miguel Martinez, Noah Zeleny, Tyler Van Watermulen, Andrew Schlosser

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

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.

New School Capital Campaign Update				
Complete Project	\$8,100,000.00			
Pledged	\$8,262,859.00			
Pledges to be Received	\$491,897.00			
Received	\$7,770,962.00			
Monies Received 03-10	\$2,182.00			
Households Contributing	350			

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

We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

Readings for the Week					
Monday	Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30,	33-62 Jn 8:1-11			
Tuesday	2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16				
	Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22	Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a			
Wednesday	Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95	Jn 8:31-42			
Thursday	Gn 17:3-9	Jn 8:51-59			
Friday	Jer 20:10-13	Jn 10:31-42			
Saturday	Ez 37:21-28	Jn 11:45-56			
Sunday	Mk 11:1-10	Is 50:4-7			
	Phil 2:6-11	Mk 14:1—15:47			



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

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#### Stewardship as a Way of Life:

"I will be their God and they shall be my people."

Jeremiah 31:33

What does it mean to be God's people? It means we recognize that everything we have and everything we are belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given us. It means we are willing to use our gifts and our lives to care for our family, our neighbors and for people we don't know, just as God cares for each of us.

## I WILL WRITE IT ON THEIR HEARTS



PEOPLE