

January 26th, 2020, Third Sunday In Ordinary Time

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

St. Lawrence Mass Schedule:

Sunday, January 26th 10:30AM *fBud & fBarb Honer*

EM: Bill Stoderl
Lector: Jack Fudge
Ushers: Jeff & Tricia Guck, Joe & Albert Werner
Servers: Logan Guck, Grace Stoderl
Gifts: Joe & Jessie Werner Family
Sacristans: Albert & Lisa Werner

Sunday, January 26th 4:00PM *fDonald Walter*

EM: Patty Doll
Lector: Jerry Huebsch
Ushers: Tony & Rose Stoll
Servers: Herman & Elliot Frost
Gifts: Tony & Stephanie Von Ruden Family
Sacristan: Patty Doll

Wednesday, January 29th 8:30AM *Special Intention- Jesse & Rita Erickson*

Friday, January 31st 8:30AM *fRose Guck*

Sunday, February 2nd 10:30AM *fJohn Werner*

EM: Deacon Mark
Lector: Karlee Werner
Ushers: Mark & Adele Lausten, Greg & Missy Keil
Server: Jack Fudge
Gifts: Jacob & Karlee Werner Family
Sacristans: Jack & Angie Werner

Sunday, February 2th 4:00PM *For the People*

EM: Deacon Mark
Lector: Patty Doll
Ushers: Jerry Huebsch, Steve Pawlitschek
Servers: Jeremiah Doll, Caleb Carrison
Gifts: Paul & Diane Klinnert
Sacristan: Patty Doll

FINANCIAL BLESSING (ST. LAWRENCE)

Adult.....\$1945.00
Youth.....8.75
Loose.....464.00
Solemnity of Mary.....15.00
Parish Reimbursement.....161.51
Fuel & Heat.....486.00
Total\$3080.26

Thank you for remembering St. Lawrence church with your stewardship throughout the year.



BULLETIN DEADLINE: Wednesday Noon

Sacred Heart Mass Schedule:

Saturday, January 25th 4:00PM *fJohn Tschida*

EM: Kristi Delage
Lector: Jane Hoaas
Ushers: Ken & Kim Stenger
Servers: Megan, Grace, and Benjamin Hoppe
Gifts: Ken & Kim Stenger

Sunday, January 26th 8:30AM *fBud Honer/For the People*

EM: Katrina Nordick
Lector: St. Henry's Area School Students
Ushers: Jim & Bryce Wallace
Servers: Seth & Calvin Johnson, Brandon Larson
Gifts: St. Henry's Area School Students

Tuesday, January 28th 7:00PM *fLaurence Stenger*

Thursday, January 30th 8:30AM *fRose Guck*

Saturday, February 1st 4:00PM *fFrank Herges*

EM: Deacon Mark
Lector: Tom Musgrave
Ushers: Dan Nodsle, Ken Stenger
Servers: Kya, Logan & Abigail Olstad
Gifts: Dan & Pam Nodsle

Sunday, February 2nd 8:30AM *fTerry Strehlow*

EM: Deacon Mark
Lector: Andrea Lewis
Ushers: Joe & Casey Sazama
Servers: Calvin & Seth Johnson, Brandon Larson
Gifts: Kevin & Brenda Aschnewitz

FINANCIAL BLESSING (SACRED HEART)

Adult.....\$1373.00
Youth.....33.00
Loose.....242.00
Solemnity of Mary.....25.00
Total\$1673.00

Thank you for remembering Sacred Heart church with your stewardship throughout the year.

Sacred Heart & St. Lawrence end of the year contribution statements are in your mailboxes. Please pick yours up to avoid the cost of mailing them to you. Thank you.



WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Sacred Heart: Saturday, 4:00PM; Sunday, 8:30AM
St. Lawrence: Sunday, 10:30AM; Sunday, 4:00PM

Sacred Heart Church in Dent

St. Lawrence Church in Rush Lake

Administrator: Fr. George Michael, VC. 218-758-2888

Father's e-mail: gmichaelvc@gmail.com

Deacon: Deacon Mark Stenger

Secretary :	Sandi Kollar	Secretary:	Jeannie Guck Sandi Kollar
Pastoral Council President:	Kenny Moenkedick	Pastoral Council President:	Mark Murdock
Religious Coordinator:	Joe & Diane Sazama	Religious Coordinator:	Sandi Carrlson
Trustees:	Brenda Aschnewitz Jan Januszewski	Trustees:	Jack Werner Andy Klinnert
Music Director:	Diana Porath	Christian Mothers/Women:	Lisa Werner
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Seeds to Grow:	Rita York	Music Director:	Russ Kadow
Cemetery Coordinators:	Tim Stoll (Dent) John Kratzke (Dent) Ray Guck (St. Joseph)	Cemetery Coordinators:	Rick Guck & Loren Guck Patty Doll

OFFICE HOURS (SACRED HEART): Mondays, Thursdays & Fridays: From 9:00 AM-12 Noon, (218) 758-2700

OFFICE HOURS (ST.LAWRENCE): Tuesdays & Wednesdays: From 9:00 AM-12 Noon, (218) 346-7729

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Contact the Pastor, (218) 758-2888

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.

Northern Cross ACC Updates

NCACC LOGO CONTEST: Each of the four parishes in our newly formed NCACC (Northern Cross Area Catholic Community) of St. Lawrence, Sacred Heart, Holy Cross, and St. Henry's is asking for your help to create a logo to be used as recognition of the Northern Cross Area Catholic Community. This contest is open to all parish members of any age. You may submit your entry on white paper (size 8 X 11) to Sandi Carrlson by January 31st. There will be a prize for the best entry in our Parish. Feel free to talk with your ACC Planning Council representative if you have any questions.

Prayer Corner

Please pray for those who are ill, and all of our parishioners and visitors in need of prayer, that they may have an abundance of comfort in God's healing, especially:

<i>Lois Porath</i>	<i>Kathy Zeise</i>	<i>Jeannie Guck</i>
<i>Leah Langner</i>	<i>Elaine Pietsch</i>	<i>Jennifer Thene</i>
<i>Dick Dykhoff</i>	<i>Joel Carlson</i>	<i>Joan Iten</i>



Always remember in prayer our blessed leaders in faith, especially: Pope Francis, Bishop Donald Kettler, Fr. Matthew Kuhn, Dcn Randy Altstadt, Dcn Richard Quistorff, Dcn Mark Stenger and Fr. George.

Koinonia is the Greek word for community ...a community of adult believers seeking to build the Kingdom of God here on earth. Central Minnesota Koinonia is a Catholic faith-based retreat at the TEC Center north of Little Falls, MN. The next retreat dates are Feb.29 -Mar. 1 for Hispanic and Mar. 20-22 for English. Visit centralmnkoinonia.org

SAVE THE DATE!



The Northern Cross Area Catholic Community will offer a Lenten Mission beginning March 29th—April 1st from 7:00-8:30PM. Each parish will host one evening of the Mission. Fr. Mitchell Bechtold will present on "Bearing Testimony".



VOCATIONS MASS

Thursday, February 6th

Our Lady of the Lake, Battle Lake
6:00PM-Adoration/Confession/7:00PM-Mass

Women's Lenten Retreat ~ "Saints Within Us"

Saturday, March 14th -8:30AM-2:15PM

Sacred Heart Church, Sauk Rapids

Holy Father's Prayer Intention for January
Evangelization: We pray that Christians, followers of other religions, and all people of goodwill may promote peace and justice in the world.

Sponsor: St. Cloud DCCW; Host: St. Cloud Deanery CCW
Cost: \$15 by Mar. 1st or \$20 after Mar. 1st; Make checks payable to DCCW & mail to Marlyce Plante, 2293 Pinecone Road, Sartell, MN 56377.



Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Dent

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Dent, MN 56528

Phone: (218) 758 2700

Email: sacredheart@arvig.net

Parish Website: sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com



ST. LAWRENCE UPCOMING EVENTS

January 26: Parish Breakfast (Group 1 will serve since the Dec. breakfast had to be canceled); after 10:30AM Mass
 February 2: Super Bowl Party; 4:00PM (Albert & Lisa Werner home)
 February 20: Parish Council Meeting; 7:00PM
 February 23: Parish Breakfast (Group 2 serves); after 10:30AM Mass



ST. LAWRENCE

Wed., Jan. 29: Class (all); 7:00PM.
Wed., Feb. 5: Class (all); 7:00PM; Rosary led by grades 7 & 8.
Wed., Feb. 12: Class (all); 7:00PM.
Sat., Feb. 15: Grade 2; First Reconciliation; 9:00AM; Parents attend with child; brunch to follow.



The community of St. Lawrence extends a heartfelt welcome to new parishioners:

**Kyle & Carly Jensen
 And their infant son, Reid**

We look forward to celebrating the Holy Mass and all the Sacraments of our Catholic faith with you.



The Parish of St. Lawrence extends congratulations to **Reid Brendan Jensen** son of Kyle & Carly Jensen who was brought into the Lord's marvelous light, by the waters of baptism and the Holy Spirit on January 26th.



Next weekend we celebrate the feast day of St. Blaise. Blaise was a physician before becoming a bishop. Tradition holds that he was to have miraculously cured a child who nearly died because of a fishbone caught in the throat. St. Blaise is often invoked on behalf of the sick, especially those afflicted with illness of the throat. Because of this, it is tradition to offer the Rite of Blessings of Throats. Using two crossed and unlighted candles, the priest (or other minister) touches the throat of each person, saying: *Through the intercession of Saint Blaise, bishop and martyr, may God deliver you from all ailments of the throat and from every other evil: + in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.*

"Look toward the Lord and be radiant" Psalm 34:6



Dear St. Lawrence Parishioners,

As you may know, the beautiful steeple on our church has been engaged in a battle with a devious gang of Pileated woodpeckers for nearly a decade. The official name of a group of woodpeckers is a "Descent". I wonder if that is why they are trying to "bring down" our steeple?

In any case, many of you have stepped up in the past to help us preserve, restore and defend the spire on our beloved landmark and house of worship. You have given generously of your time, talent and treasure and, at times, we thought we had won the war. However, our battle victories were only short-lived, and the beady-eyed adversaries returned again and again with their powerful band of tower tormenters.

So, it is time to bring out the big guns. We believe that the only way to permanently prohibit these persistent pests is by installing strong and sturdy steel siding. This solution comes with a significant price tag-estimated at around \$34,000. So once again, we are asking for help.

Please consider a donation to our Building Fund to help offset the expense of this necessary construction project to protect our church from future generations of winged intruders, the elements and any additional threats. We sincerely appreciate any amount that you can give.

Fr. George

Received as of 1/19/2019: \$24,680.00



COMING SOON – 10TH ANNUAL SAINT LAWRENCE SAINTS SUPER BOWL PARTY!

**Sunday, February 2nd
 4:00PM at the home of
 Albert & Lisa Werner**

The cost is only \$30 for all the food and beverages you care for plus a chance to win your money back. Talk to Leroy & Ruth Wegscheid or Lisa & Albert Werner to save your spot. Each year grows with fun and excitement, and this year will be no exception so wear your favorite team shirt and **SAVE THE DATE.**



St. Lawrence Parish Breakfast
 Sunday, January, 26
 (after 10:30AM Mass)
 Group 1 serves

Make & Take T-Shirt or Apron Class
 Monday, February 10th
 6:00PM

St. Peters Lutheran Church, New York Mills
 Cost: \$20
 Sign up by January 31st at 218-346-4899



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

Phone: (218)346-7729 Fax: (218)346-5946

Email: stlawrence@arvig.net

Parish Website: sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com



SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS

February 9: Coffee & Rolls; after 8:30AM Mass
 February 16: Parish Bingo; 1:30PM
 February 18: Parish Council Meeting; after 7:00PM Mass
 February 25: Christian Mothers Meeting; after 7:00PM Mass

AROUND THE AREA:

Men's Silent Retreat: Jan. 31-Feb. 2; Christ the King Retreat Center, Buffalo, MN; Contact: Lori at lpolman@kingshouse.com or 763-682-1394, ext. 11
Worldwide Marriage Encounter: Feb. 7-9; Buffalo, MN or Windom, MN; Contact: Alan & Missy Block at 888-455-3496 or northmnwwme.org
Marriage Encounter: Feb. 8-9; Mt. Olivet Retreat Center, Farmington; Register at www.marriages.org or 651-454-3238.

St. Henry's Area School It is that time of year again when we begin planning for the Fun Fair. This wonderful fundraiser will be taking place at the PACC on Sunday, March 15th from 11-3:30. In order to get started, we are asking for donations. We need donations to the Raffle Ticket, Silent/Live Auction, or simply donations to offset expenses. If you are interested in helping out this fundraiser, don't hesitate to call St. Henry's Area School at 346-6190. All donations are welcome. Proceeds from this fundraiser are taken off parish assessments, so by assisting the school, you are also assisting your parish.

Catholic United Financial is holding their Catholic Schools' Raffle again. This is a \$5.00 raffle that gives you a chance to win a new Buick Encore or \$20,000 cash, plus many other prizes. The raffle proceeds come straight to the school. If you would like some tickets, seek out a St. Henry's Area School student or stop in at the school. The students have been urged to sell tickets after Mass, so look for them after Mass in the church entrances.

We are celebrating Catholic Schools' Week this upcoming week. Our week is filled with activities. Check out the schedule on our website www.sthenrysareaschool.com.

We will be having our Celebrate Life Liturgy in cooperation with the Catholic Daughters on Friday, January 31st at 11:30. Join us as we celebrate life from conception to natural death.

Congratulations to last week's calendar raffle winner, Jan. 24, Skyler Doebber

New School Capital Campaign Update:

Goal	\$7,343,900.00
Pledged	\$4,605,341.00
Needed	\$2,738,559.00
Received	\$1,704,288.00
Pledges Received 01-12	\$14,208.00

A Widow's Walk Group: meets the 2nd Thursday of the month at 5:00 pm for dinner and fellowship. Contact Char Holzer-218-298-0646 benchar@arvig.net or Judy Christopherson-218-298-0797 jc.myrock@hotmail.com

"I am the light of the world, says the Lord." John 8:12



SACRED HEART

Wed., Jan. 29: Class (1-11); 7:00PM.
Wed., Feb. 5: Class (1-11); 7:00PM; Rosary @ 8:00PM.
Wed., Feb. 12: Class (1-11); 7:00PM; Required First Communion Learning Centers for 2nd graders & parents.



The parish of Sacred Heart wishes to extend deepest sympathy to Gracie Langliz, wife of **Edward Langliz** who passed away last week. May Ed know eternal peace and joy in heaven and may God grant comfort to his family and friends.

Visitation: Sun., Jan. 26th-4-7PM; Sacred Heart Church with Parish Prayers at 7:00PM. Mass of Christian Burial on Mon., Jan. 27th at 11:00AM at Sacred Heart Church, Dent.

I AM YOUR CHURCH



I AM YOUR CHURCH. I am here because you built me. I am beautifully situated in your midst. In the center of your community I will be a cherished landmark to the thousands who come to my door over the years. You built me because you knew that your life would be incomplete and unfilled without me.

I AM YOUR CHURCH. I am here not simply to adorn, but to serve. Your children and youth come to me to learn the ways of honesty, industry, morality, and religion. Your brides and grooms come to my altar that their weddings may be hallowed and sweetened by divine blessings.

I AM YOUR CHURCH. I comfort your sick and sorrowing. I bury your dead and offer rest and solace to the weary. I bring pardon and peace to those who are burdened with sin. My message of mercy brings new life.

I AM YOUR CHURCH. My doors are open to all-rich or poor, bond or free. My pulpit rings out the message of good will to people, of peace and pardon, and of a Savior's love to all. I teach you the way of life and guide you on the road to heaven.

I AM YOUR CHURCH. Come and worship with me; support me; and I will serve you all your days on this earth and beyond.

Bishop's Annual Appeal: To donate to the Bishop's Annual Appeal, visit www.stedio.org/annualappeal or mail a gift to: Bishop's Annual Appeal, PO Box 1538, St. Cloud, MN 56302.

Catholic Daughters Court St. Rita #409, Perham is inviting youth grades 4-12 to enter the 2020 National Education Contest. Adult CDA members may also participate. The local deadline for submitting an entry is Jan.31, 2020. Forms will be given to St. Henry's school and CCD students of the NCACC parishes. Entry forms are also available at St. Henry's church office or by contacting Leanne Stoll 218-758-3050.