

# Our Parish Communities

March 14, 2021  
Fourth Sunday of Lent



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Secretary : Sandi Kollar  
Pastoral Council President: Kenny Moenkedick  
Religious Coordinator: Joe & Diane Sazama  
Trustees: Brenda Aschnewitz  
Jan Januszewski  
Music Director: Diana Porath  
Christian Mothers/Women: Cindy Kratzke  
Seeds to Grow: Rita York  
Cemetery Coordinators: Tim Stoll (Dent)  
John Kratzke (Dent)  
Mark Riestenberg (St. Joseph)

## St. Lawrence Church in Rush Lake

Secretary: Jeannie Guck  
Sandi Kollar  
Pastoral Council President: Mark Murdock  
Religious Coordinator: Sandi Carrlson  
Trustees: Jack Werner  
Andy Klinnert  
Christian Mothers/Women: Lisa Werner  
Parish Life: Lisa Werner  
Music Director: Russ Kadow  
Cemetery Coordinators: Rick Guck & Loren Guck  
Liturgy: 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.

**PARISH WEBSITE:** [sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com](http://sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com)

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## MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

### St. Lawrence Mass Schedule:

**Sunday, March 14<sup>th</sup> 10:30AM** *Ted & Joyce Rohweller/Health & Well-being*

**Sunday, March 14<sup>th</sup> 4:00PM** *†Bud & †Barb Honer*

**Wednesday, March 17<sup>th</sup> 8:30AM** *†Joyce Guck*

**Friday, March 19<sup>th</sup> 8:30AM** *Special Intention-Jesse & Rita Erickson*

**Sunday, March 21<sup>st</sup> 10:30AM** *†Norbert & †Catherine Doll*

**Sunday, March 21<sup>st</sup> 4:00PM** *For the People*

### FINANCIAL BLESSING (ST. LAWRENCE)

Adult.....	\$2261.00
Loose.....	336.00
Online.....	575.00
Central Minnesota Catholic.....	57.00
Fuel & Heat.....	50.00
Votive Lights.....	99.00
Easter Flowers.....	148.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$3526.00</b>



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

### Readings for The Fourth Sunday of Lent

*2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23; Psalm 137:1-6;  
Ephesians 2:4-10; John 3:14-21*

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### Sacred Heart Mass Schedule:

**Saturday, March 13<sup>th</sup> 4:00PM** *† Dolores Riestenberg*

**Sunday, March 14<sup>th</sup> 8:30AM** *† Xavier Villarreal/For the People*

**Monday, March 15<sup>th</sup> 8:30AM** *† Bernice Laughlin*

**Tuesday, March 16<sup>th</sup> 7:00PM** *† Mary Kuester*

**Thursday, March 18<sup>th</sup> 8:30AM** *† Ed Langlie*

**Saturday, March 20<sup>th</sup> 4:00PM** *†Bud & †Barb Honer*

**Sunday, March 21<sup>st</sup> 8:30AM** *† Delores Sazama*

### FINANCIAL BLESSING (SACRED HEART)

Adult.....	\$2098.00
Loose.....	375.00
Online.....	50.00
Easter Flowers.....	45.00
Central Minnesota Catholic.....	17.00
Catholic Relief Services.....	45.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$2630.00</b>



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### SACRED HEART AND ST. LAWRENCE ONLINE GIVING

Online giving is easy—just visit our website at [sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com](http://sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com) and click on the “Give Now to Sacred Heart” button for Sacred Heart or click on the “Give Now to St. Lawrence” button for St. Lawrence found in the welcome section of the website.

### St. Lawrence Stations of the Cross

Wednesdays: 7:00PM  
Fridays: 9:00AM following morning Mass.

### Sacred Heart Stations of the Cross

Wednesdays: 8:00PM  
Thursdays: 9:00AM following morning Mass.



### CONFIRMATION RETREAT



A retreat for all Confirmation students of St. Lawrence and Sacred Heart Parishes will be held on Sunday, March 21<sup>st</sup> from noon to 3:30PM at St. Lawrence Church. Students will be required to attend Mass this weekend. A meal will be provided.

**DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS  
THIS SUNDAY, MARCH 14<sup>TH</sup>**

**BULLETIN DEADLINE: Wednesday Noon**



## SACRED HEART

**Wed., March 17:** Grades 1-11: 7PM Class; Stations of the Cross (8PM).

**Sun., March 21:** Grade 11: Confirmation Retreat; 11:30AM; St. Lawrence, Rush Lake.

**Wed., March 24:** Grades 1-11: 7PM Class; Stations of the Cross (8PM)

**Wed., March 31:** Grades 1 & 3-11 No Class-Holy Week

**Wed., March 31:** Grade 2 and Parents; 7PM First Communion Learning Centers

*All students are required to wear masks and be screened before entering for class. Screening begins at 6:50PM. Thank You.*



Please keep the Confirmation students of Sacred Heart (Sydney Anderson and Seth Berry) in prayer as they prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation. The Confirmation Mass will be May 2<sup>nd</sup> at St. Henry's Church, Perham.



Congratulations to  
**Raglynn Kratzke, Natalie Larson  
and Elizabeth Szama**  
for receiving the  
Sacrament of Reconciliation  
for the first time on  
Saturday, March 13<sup>th</sup>.



*The Parish of Sacred Heart extends  
a special congratulations to*

**Mark & Tanya Schlosser**

*Who are celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup>*

*Anniversary on March 19<sup>th</sup>. May the Lord bless  
and protect you. May He be generous to you, show  
you His favor and give you His peace.*



### Stewardship as a Way of Life:

*"For God so loved the world that He gave His  
only Son..." — John 3:16*

**Stewardship**  
*a way of life*

Of all the wonderful gifts that God has given to us, the gift of His own Son is truly the greatest. How can we ever thank God for a gift like that? God does not ask us to sacrifice our own precious firstborn, but He does ask that we are grateful and generous with our God-given gifts. That we nurture and develop our gifts, and in gratitude, generously give back with increase our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works and our treasure to support the mission and ministry of our parish and greater Church.

### 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:*

**Lois Porath  
Elaine Pietsch  
Karen Omberg**

**Roger Doll  
Joel Carlson  
Frank Wines  
Gary Honer**

**Lupe Scott  
Jim Stenger  
John Jung**



*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*



**St. Cloud 40 Days for Life**

**Wednesday, February 17 –**

**Sunday, March 28, 2021**

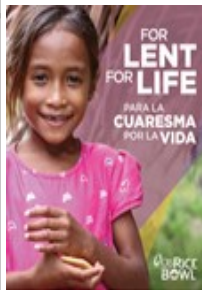
*40 Days for Life campaigns consist of 40 days of prayer and fasting, community outreach and constant peaceful vigil in the public right-of-way outside abortion facilities. The volunteers who pray at these vigils have witnessed answers to their prayers.*

*"God is a God of life, and therefore we are the People of Life. This Lent, let's look for ways to foster respect for life, especially the sick, the disabled, and the unborn".*

*"In order to give hope to others, it is sometimes enough simply to be kind." Pope Francis-February 12, 2021*

**Sunday TV Mass For the Diocese of St. Cloud can  
be found at [www.stcdio.org/tvmass](http://www.stcdio.org/tvmass).**

### TRYING NEW FOODS IN TIMOR-LESTE:



Timor-Leste has the highest rate of child malnutrition in Asia, and many children suffer from stunting, which makes a big impact on a child's growth and future. Home gardens and fishponds are helping families provide better nutrition for their children. What do you eat to stay healthy? What can you do to ensure children have enough food to thrive? Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) to learn more.



**Take Out Fish Fry:** St. Edward's Church, Henning; 5-7PM; March 26; call 218-583-2732 to reserve your meal.

**Take Out Fish Dinner:** Frazee Sacred Heart Church; 5-7PM; March 26; \$10 per meal; Pick-Up only

**March is MN Food Share Month.** During Minnesota Food Share March campaign from March 1-April 11, contributions of money and food are being sought to maintain local food shelves. Local food shelves include The Bridge Pantry, 501 4<sup>th</sup> Ave. N.W., Perham, MN 56573, and New York Mills Area Food Shelf, 400 S. Walker Ave., New York Mills, MN 56567. Please consider donating to your local food shelf during Food Share Month.



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# ST. LAWRENCE

**Wed., March 17:** Grades 7-11; 7-8PM Class; Confession for all students; Stations of the Cross

**Sun., March 21:** Grade 11; Noon-3:30PM; Confirmation Retreat at St. Lawrence

**Wed., March 24:** Grades 1-6; 7-8PM Class; Confession for grades 2-6; Stations of the Cross

**Wed., March 31:** Grades 7-11; 7-8PM Class; Stations of the Cross

**All students are required to wear masks and be screened before entering the hall for class. Screening begins at 6:45PM. Enter the church on the East side for screening. Class will run promptly from 7-8PM. Thank You.**



Please remember the Confirmation students of St. Lawrence (*Cody Barthel, Stephanie Bernstetter, Kiata Westhoff, and Hannah Hunter*) in prayer as they prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation. The Confirmation Mass will be May 2<sup>nd</sup> at St. Henry's Church, Perham.



The Parish of St. Lawrence extends congratulations to **Raglynn Louise Ackerman** Daughter of Andrew and Katie Ackerman who was brought into the Lord's marvelous light, by the waters of baptism and the Holy Spirit on March 7<sup>th</sup>.



## REMINDER: POLKA FESTIVAL RAFFLE

Please contact Marlene Boedigheimer if you are able to donate a cash prize and wish to be listed on the raffle ticket. (385-3629 or 218-457-1588 or mmbb@arvig.net ) Then you can put your check in the collection, in an envelope marked Polka Festival Raffle. Thank you to those who already have responded so promptly! God Bless!



*The parish of St. Lawrence wishes to extend deepest sympathy to Jeannie Guck, daughter of Beverly Schwartzfisher who passed away last week. May Beverly know eternal peace and joy in heaven and may God grant comfort to her family and friends.*

## St. Henry's Area School

Congratulations to the calendar raffle winner this week-March 12<sup>th</sup>-Liz LaFond \$100.

Our Fun Fair raffle tickets are in your church mailbox. The ticket is looking great with over \$5000 in prizes. Tickets are \$2.00 each, and there are 20 tickets in your mailbox. Purchasing your tickets will help your parish by crediting their assessment for the school with your purchase. Stubs and money can be dropped in the collection or brought to your church office. The drawing will take place on Sunday, April 18<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 using Facebook Live. Just search for St. Henry's Area School.

We continue to gather items for the auction. If you would like to donate to the auction or for expenses, give me a call or drop items off at the school or church offices, and we will get them. The online auction will begin on April 11<sup>th</sup> at 8 AM and go through April 18<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 PM. Items will be viewable on the website in early April.

Thank you for supporting the school!!



This week we take up **The Catholic Relief Services Collection** to help **Jesus in disguise**. This collection helps six Catholic agencies to provide relief and support for struggling communities and to work for peace and reconciliation among our marginalized brothers and sisters here and around the world. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection. Learn more about the collection at [www.usccb.org/catholic-relief](http://www.usccb.org/catholic-relief)



**Bishop's Annual Appeal:** May this season of Lent provide you solace in 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.



## Holy Father's Prayer Intention for March

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Let us pray that we may experience the Sacrament of Reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.

## Women's Silent Retreat Weekend March 26-28, 2021

Join us for "A Listening Heart" silent weekend retreat for women at Christ the King Retreat Center in Buffalo, MN on March 26-28. The retreat begins Friday at 8:00PM and ends Sunday at 12:45PM. Suggested offering is \$160.00 per person including a \$30.00 non-refundable deposit. Scholarships are available for students (high school and older). Experience a peaceful, prayerful, and affordable retreat. Call 763-682-1394 or visit [www.kingshouse.com](http://www.kingshouse.com) for online registration and more information.



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