

Our Parish Communities

May 23, 2021
Pentecost Sunday



St. Lawrence Catholic Church
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Sacred Heart Catholic Church
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Sacred Heart Church in Dent

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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

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MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

St. Lawrence Mass Schedule:

Sunday, May 23rd 10:30AM †*Mary Perius*
Sunday, May 23rd 4:00PM †*Mark Lorentz*
Wednesday, May 26th 8:30AM Word & Communion Service
Friday, May 28th No Mass
Sunday, May 30th 10:30AM †*John Werner/For the People*
Sunday, May 30th 4:00PM †*Beverly Schwartzfisher*

FINANCIAL BLESSING (ST. LAWRENCE)

Adult.....	\$1455.00
Loose.....	543.00
Online.....	135.00
Ascension.....	155.00
Vigil Lights.....	26.00
Peter's Pence.....	50.00
Total	\$2364.00



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

Sacred Heart Mass Schedule:

Saturday, May 22nd 4:00PM †*Evelyn Herges*
Sunday, May 23rd 8:30AM †*Josh Hanson/For the People*
Tuesday, May 25th 7:00PM Word & Communion Service
Thursday, May 27th No Mass
Saturday, May 29th 4:00PM †*Xavier Villarreal*
Sunday, May 30th 8:30AM †*Lillian Haider*

FINANCIAL BLESSING (SACRED HEART)

Adult.....	\$1498.00
Youth.....	1.00
Loose.....	926.00
Online.....	50.00
Votive Lights.....	91.05
Ascension.....	292.00
Total	\$2858.05



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

SACRED HEART AND ST. LAWRENCE ONLINE GIVING

Online giving is easy—just visit our website at 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.



WELCOME HOME, FR. GEORGE!

We are happy to report that Father George has returned to his home in Dent but he is under quarantine for a week. We look forward to seeing Fr. George in person next weekend. And we thank God for his safe return to our parish families!



*Come
Holy
Spirit
Come*

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Wednesday Noon

Readings for Pentecost Sunday

*Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11;
 Psalm 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34;
 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Galatians 5:16-25
 John 20:19-23 or John 15:26-27; 16:12-15*



There will be no week day Masses from Monday, April 12th through Saturday, May 29th. There will be Word & Communion Services on Tuesdays at 7:00PM (Sacred Heart) and Wednesdays at 8:30AM (St. Lawrence).



Thank you, Fr. Jeff, for your faithful service to the people of God and especially for your service to the parishes of St. Lawrence and Sacred Heart during the last several weekends. We appreciate your willingness to share the sacrifice of the Holy Mass and the Eucharist with us. God bless you always.



Holy Father's Prayer Intention for May

The World of Finance: Let us pray that those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers.



Bishop's Annual Appeal: We ask you to please take a moment pray for the Bishop's Annual Appeal and the vital ministries it supports. **Every dollar raised goes directly to ministries that support our Catholic faith and is not used for any other purpose.**



Stewardship
a way of life

Stewardship as a Way of Life:

"There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone." — 1 Corinthians 12:4-6

All of us are blessed, regardless of our own individual circumstances. God has given each of us many gifts. How we use those gifts is our gift back to God. For God's plan to work, each must do what we are called to do. Guess what? We are not all called to do the same thing! For God's plan to work, you have to do what God is calling you to do, and I have to do what God is calling me to do.



Baccalaureate Mass

A Baccalaureate Mass to honor the Northern Cross Area Catholic Community 2021 high school graduates will be held on Sunday, May 30th at the 10:00 am Mass at St. Henry's Church. The Catholic Daughters will be hosting a gathering after Mass, for all Mass-goers, offering refreshments.

Want to help create vibrant faith communities that will bring the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the world? Emmaus Institute might be the place for you. Applications are now being accepted for this intellectual and ministerial formation program for lay leadership ministry, a partnership between the Diocese of St. Cloud and St. John's School of Theology and Seminary. For more information visit www.stcdio.org/Emmaus-Institute or contact Kristi Bivens at 320-258-7642 or kbivens@gw.stcdio.org.



Join us for the
**GROUND
BREAKING
CEREMONY**
of the new
**St. Henry's
Area School**

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
John Jung
Gabe Kerekes**

**Roger Doll
Joel Carlson
Gary Honer**

**Lupe Scott
Karen Omberg
Pam Nodsle
Hank Bleichner**



*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***

SEEDS TO GROW

Please do not hesitate to come to us for help. If you need financial help for anything related to your medical needs, please contact us. If you know anyone who may need help, please tell them about us. Call the church and ask for Seeds To Grow, or fill out a request located on the church bulletin board.



Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful
And kindle in them the fire of your love.
Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created
And you shall renew the face of the earth.

O God, who instructed the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant us in the same Spirit to relish what is right and always rejoice in your consolation. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Sunday TV Mass For the Diocese of St. Cloud can be found at www.stcdio.org/tvmass.



June 4-6 – Retrouvaille weekend – Held at the Best Western Dakota Ridge Hotel in Eagan, MN. Retrouvaille Marriage Help: Retrouvaille is a lifeline for troubled marriages. Couples learn the tools to rediscover each other and heal their marriage. 100% confidential. Find out more information and register at <http://www.helpourmarriage.org>.



Sister Mary, who worked for a home health agency, was making her rounds visiting homebound patients when she ran out of gas. A filling station was only a block away, but the attendant said they had no gas can for her to borrow. Sister Mary returned to her car to see if there was a gas can in the trunk. There wasn't, but she found a bedpan. Being resourceful she took it to the station and asked the attendant to fill 'er up. As she was pouring the gas into her tank two men watched from across the street. One of them turned to the other and said, "If it starts, I'm turning Catholic!"



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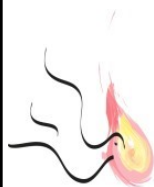


St. Lawrence Polka Festival Raffle Tickets are in your mailboxes. **PLEASE PICK THEM UP!** Extra tickets are available in the Parish Office from the office personnel or Father George. You can also contact Marlene Boedigheimer (218-457-1588) for extra tickets.



SELL! SELL! SELL!
Many wonderful cash prizes to win!

Pentecost Prayer



O God, in your infinite wisdom you have called us to remain in you as your Son is in you, and so to live in freedom as your sons and daughters.

By the guidance of your Holy Spirit dwelling in us, may we use our freedom to seek and follow your desires and cease making our personal pursuits of freedom opportunities for self-indulgences.

Help us to make loving choices, to respect all life, and to live up to our dignity as your sons and daughters, redeemed with the Blood of your beloved Son, Jesus Christ.

Holy Spirit, enlighten me with your truth, guide me with your understanding, strengthen me with your courage, console me with your love, and keep me secure in hope.

†Amen†



**Be a
Witness of
Charity**

*Support the
Peter's Pence
Collection*

Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Francis. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. For more information, visit: www.peterspence.va/en.html.



Lay Ministry Lists are being updated at both St. Lawrence and Sacred Heart Parishes. We need ushers/greeters, lectors, gift bearers, and altar servers. Please call the parish office (St. Lawrence-346-7729; Sacred Heart-758-2700) if you are willing to help in any of these areas and leave your name, phone number, and Mass time preference. Thank you for sharing your time and talent with your Parish family.



Congratulations to the calendar raffle winners this week-May 19th-Karla Bell-\$50 and May 21st-Tom and Lisa Silbernagel-\$100.

Our last day of school this year is Tuesday, May 25th. Our 6th grade graduation Mass will be on Tuesday, May 25th at 7pm. We will have very limited seating for this Mass, but we encourage your prayers for our graduates. This year's graduates are the following:

Isaac Adams
Ethan Kinn
Lucey Minten
Molly Ruther

Isabella Burkman
Max LaFond
Courtney Poser
Braysen Salo
Bristol Van Watermolen

Emma Lee Guck
Daisy Loerzel
Olivia Reed
Gabby Scraper

New School Capital Campaign Update:

Goal Phase II	\$7,500,000.00
Pledged	\$7,087,109.00
Needed	\$412,891.00
Received	\$5,133,789.00
Pledges Received 05-16	\$735.00



Catholic Century Farm Award

Catholic Charities of the Diocese of St. Cloud would like to honor Catholic families who have farmed and nurtured the same land for 100 years or more. These families, who meet a certain set of criteria, will be honored at a special Mass with Bishop in August 2021 with a certificate and award for their home. If you, or someone you know, has a Catholic Century Farm, please view the requirements and application form on our website to be honored for your century or more of farming with faith! Application deadline is June 15th
<https://www.ccstcloud.org/services/social-concerns>

St. Lawrence, Sacred Heart, St. Joseph Flower Policy for Cemeteries



Removal of flowers shall be no later than 14 days after Memorial Day. If not removed by the giver, maintenance personnel shall remove and dispose of them. This ruling will not apply to flowers in containers that are part of the headstone. Removal of such will be entirely up to the giver.



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