

# December 7, 2025

## Second Sunday of Advent

### Financial Blessing for November 29th

Adult.....	845.00	Plate.....	273.00
Votives.....	15.00	Flowers.....	20.00
<b>Total.....1,153.00</b>			

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

### Financial Blessing for November 29th & 30th

Adult.....	1,488.00	Plate.....	529.00
Youth.....	34.50	Elec. Transfers.....	745.00
Christmas Flowers.....	135.00		

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

### Financial Blessing for November 29th & 30th

Adult.....	10,950.00	Plate.....	1,919.25
Children's Basket.....	64.00	Elec. Transfers....	4,221.00
Christmas Flowers.....	643.00	Votives.....	64.00
Bldg Improvements.....	65.00	Fall Collection.....	15.00
Bulletin Sponsors.....	1,250.00	Coffee.....	128.00
Rent.....	100.00	Elevator Fund.....	50.00
All Saints Day.....	65.00	Religious Ed.....	50.00
<b>Total.....19,584.25</b>			

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

### Financial Blessing for November 30th

Adult.....	2,230.00	Youth.....	38.00
Elec. Transfers.....	515.00	Plate.....	894.25
<b>Total.....3,677.25</b>			

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

### Mass Schedule for The Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation)

Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup>: 7:00PM Holy Cross  
(Vigil Mass)

Monday, December 8<sup>th</sup>: 8:45AM St. Henry  
12 Noon St. Lawrence  
7:00PM Sacred Heart

All Northern Cross ACC parish offices will be closed on  
Monday, December 8th. There will be no adoration at St.  
Henry's on that day. There will be no Northern Cross ACC  
Masses on Tuesday, December 9th.



Sat, Dec 6, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Deacon Mark Stenger  
Sat, Dec 6, 5:00PM (St. Henry) † Jim Szarke  
Sat, Dec 6, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † Charlie Kirk  
Sun, Dec 7, 8:00AM (St. Henry) Mass of Thanksgiving—Joe & Kathy Hemmelgarn  
Sun, Dec 7, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Les Konley  
Sun, Dec 7, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Richard Lorenz  
Sun, Dec 7, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Ethan & Marlene Curtis  
Sun, Dec 7, 11:45AM (St. Henry - Spanish Mass) For the People  
Sun, Dec 7, 7:00PM Immaculate Conception Vigil Mass (Holy Cross) † Mike Minten  
Mon, Dec 8, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Don & Dorothy Weickert  
Mon, Dec 8, 12:00PM (St. Lawrence) † Dorothy Doll Carner  
Mon, Dec 8, 7:00PM (Sacred Heart) For the People  
Tue, Dec 9, 8:45AM (St. Henry) No Mass  
Tue, Dec 9, 7:00PM (Sacred Heart) No Mass  
Wed, Dec 10, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Betty Lather  
Wed, Dec 10, 5:15PM (Holy Cross) † Deacon Mark Stenger  
Thu, Dec 11, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Greg Meyer  
Thu, Dec 11, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Tim Anderson  
Fri, Dec 12, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Hank Bleichner  
Fri, Dec 12, 10:00AM (Perham Living) † Jim Szarke  
Fri, Dec 12, 7:00PM (St. Henry Guadelupe Mass) † Merle Thompson  
Sat, Dec 13, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † John Tschida  
Sat, Dec 13, 5:00PM (St. Henry) † Virgil, Allene, Dan & Cathy Mueller  
Sat, Dec 13, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † Lucille Schik  
Sun, Dec 14, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † Michael Richter & † Bob & Betty Richter  
Sun, Dec 14, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Dorothy Kratzke  
Sun, Dec 14, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Gregory Januszewski  
Sun, Dec 14, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Tracy Frost  
Sun, Dec 14, 11:45AM (St. Henry - Spanish Mass) For the People



**BULLETIN DEADLINE: Tuesday Noon.**

# ST. LAWRENCE UPCOMING EVENTS

ST. LAWRENCE



**BLACKSTONE GRILL RAFFLE!**  
\$5 per chance or 3 chances for \$10  
You could win this Blackstone grill along with all its contents. The raffle is sponsored by St. Lawrence Christian Women with all proceeds going toward the 2026 St. Lawrence Festival.

Chances will be on sale after Mass, in the parish office, or contact Marlene Boedigheimer at 218-457-1588. Drawing will be in February.



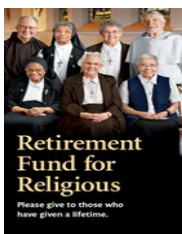
**St. Lawrence Christmas Potluck/Bake Sale/St. Nick Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup> (after 10:30AM Mass)**

All work groups provide baked goods for the bake sale and may share a dish at the Potluck. Parish Life members are also asked to bring a main dish to share at the Potluck. Please, no desserts, as desserts can be purchased at the bake sale.

**St. Lawrence Café**  
**Open Wednesday, December 10<sup>th</sup>**  
Bring a dish to share and join us for breakfast after the 8:30AM Mass.



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 insert in this week's bulletin. 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.



The special collection for the **Retirement Fund for Religious** is next weekend, December 13th and 14th. Donations to this collection provide housing, medical assistance, and essential support for thousands of aging religious. Please consider giving next week.

**Wed., December 10:** All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM; Confessions (grades 3-12)  
**Wed., December 17:** All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM  
**Wed., December 24:** No Class; Christmas Break  
**Wed., December 31:** No Class; Christmas Break

**Stephanie VonRuden-Faith Formation Director**  
218-298-1050 or [steph@ncacc.net](mailto:steph@ncacc.net)



## Birthday Boxes for the Food Shelf

In honor of Jesus' birthday St. Lawrence Faith Formation students are collecting items to create Birthday Boxes for our local food shelves.

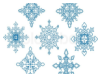
**Collection dates:** November 30-December 14  
**December 7:** A second collection will be taken at the 10:30AM Mass to help purchase additional supplies. See the insert or bulletin board for more information.

A heartfelt thank you to all of our parish family that prayed for our grandson, Gregory during his setbacks and medical testing and for all who reached out to us and Gregory's family with love, support and prayers after his passing. Know that your prayers and kindness held us up during such a painful time. Again, **THANK YOU** and may God bless each and every one of you! *Sweet Little St. Gregory, Pray for us.*  
Jack & Angie Werner



## WINTER WEATHER POLICY

When school is cancelled due to weather, there will be no Masses, no Adoration, and offices will be closed at all the NCACC parishes. If school is two hours late, Adoration will begin at noon and all morning Masses will be cancelled, but evening Masses may take place, if weather permits. For any other weather related announcements refer to My parish app or the NCACC Facebook page.



## Cemetery News

Rick Guck is the sexton of St Lawrence Cemetery. Please, contact Rick (218-849-5488) or the parish office (218-346-7729) with any questions regarding cemetery plots.

<b>Pastor:</b>	<b>Fr. Omar Guanchez, E-mail: <a href="mailto:fatheromar@ncacc.net">fatheromar@ncacc.net</a></b>	<b>Em: 218-346-4240 *Press 7</b>
<b>Parochial Vicar:</b>	<b>Fr. Nathaniel Daubner, E-mail: <a href="mailto:fathernathaniel@ncacc.net">fathernathaniel@ncacc.net</a></b>	<b>Phone: 218-758-2888 (landline)</b>
<b>Deacons:</b>	<b>Deacon Richard Quistorff; <a href="mailto:deaconrichard@ncacc.net">deaconrichard@ncacc.net</a></b>	<b>Phone: 720-688-1015</b>
	<b>Deacon Randy Altstadt; <a href="mailto:deaconrandy@ncacc.net">deaconrandy@ncacc.net</a></b>	<b>Phone: 218-457-0925</b>
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**St. Lawrence Catholic Church of Rush Lake**  
46404 County Highway 14  
Perham, MN 56573

**Phone: (218) 346-7729 Fax: (218) 346-5946**  
**Office Hours: Tuesday & Wednesday 9:00AM-Noon**  
**Email: [sandi@ncacc.net](mailto:sandi@ncacc.net)**

**Parish Website: [sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com](http://sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com)**



# SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS



Please join Sacred Heart Christian Mothers for an **Advent Scriptural Rosary** on Saturday, December 6th before the 4:00PM Mass and Sunday, December 7th before the 8:30AM Mass.



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.

**Sacred Heart Christian Mothers'  
Parish Breakfast  
Sunday, December 14th  
(after the 8:30AM Mass)**



All are invited to join us for breakfast and meet the newest members of our parish.



*The Northern Cross ACC parishes extend  
a special congratulations to  
Deacon Richard & Jean Quistorff  
Who are celebrating their 48<sup>th</sup>  
Anniversary on December 10th  
May the Lord bless you*

**2025 Calendars and Advent Little Blue Devotionals are available at all the Northern Cross ACC parishes.**

**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; Third Saturday from 6:00PM– 7:00PM at Holy Cross. Tuesday & Thursday, 8:15AM–8:45AM; 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); Dawn Swanz & Jason Schik (Holy Cross)

**Northern Cross Area Catholic Community Pastoral Council Members:** Chelsey Hendrickx, Dawn Swanz, Dan Schik (Holy Cross); Brenda Aschnewitz, Mark Riestenberg, Kenny Moenkendick (Sacred Heart) Gina Cavanagh, Ken Guck, Jason Smith (St. Henry); Sandi Carrlson, Jack Werner, Caleb Carrlson (St. Lawrence)



## SACRED HEART

**Wed., December 10:** Pre/K-11; 7:00PM; Christmas Fun Night

**Wed., December 17:** 1-11; 7:00PM

**Wed., December 24:** No Class; Christmas Break

**Wed., December 31:** No Class; Christmas Break

**Diane Sazama-Faith Formation Director**  
218-849-7520 or email [woolyacres@arvig.net](mailto:woolyacres@arvig.net)

**Cemetery News** Tim Stoll (218-841-4251) and John Kratzke (218-758-2275) (Sacred Heart) and Mark Riestenberg (218-731-2867) (St Joseph) are the sextons of Sacred Heart and St. Joseph Cemeteries. Please, contact them or the parish office (218-758-2700) with any questions regarding cemetery plots.

### Baby Jesus Shower



*Sacred Heart Christian Mothers are collecting baby items to be donated to the needy. Items can be placed under the tree in the gathering space.*

Requirements for having your first child baptized are: registration at a parish and attendance of a pre-baptism class. This class is normally offered on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month. The next class will be offered on **Saturday, December 13th** at 9:00AM in St. Henry's conference room. If you want your child baptized but have not yet attended the required class, please call the parish office at 218-346-4240. Pre-registration is required.



**Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Dent**  
36963 State Highway 108

Dent, MN 56528

Phone: (218) 758-2700

Office Hours: Monday and Thursday 9:00AM-1:00PM

Email: [sandi@ncacc.net](mailto:sandi@ncacc.net)

**Parish Website:** [sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com](http://sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com)





Congratulations to our Calendar Raffle winners this week. 12-3-25-Ron Berns-\$50 and 12-5-25-Betsy Jackson-\$100



The calendars are at the printers and will be available soon. They will be available after Masses at St. Henry's and in the school and church offices for \$50 each. Each purchase gives you the opportunity to win \$100 every Friday and \$50 every other Wednesday, and you can win multiple times. 225 calendars are available. They will be available until January 2<sup>nd</sup>. They make great gifts. Thank you for supporting this fundraiser.

If you are interested in enrolling your preschooler at our preschool for the fall of 2026-27, please reach out to Miss Missy at [mmickelson.sthenryschool@arvig.net](mailto:mmickelson.sthenryschool@arvig.net). We have a 3 year old program and a 4-5 year old program. Our preschool fills up fast, so reach out as soon as you can.

**Jason Smith, Principal**  
218-346-6190 or [sthenryschool@arvig.net](mailto:sthenryschool@arvig.net)



*Congratulations to  
Ravin Saldaña  
& Michael Christopherson*

*who were united in Holy Matrimony at St. Henry on Friday, December 5th. May God bless their marriage with love and happiness for many years to come.*



There will be a **Perham Area Knights of Columbus** meeting at 7:00 pm Tuesday, December 9th, in the St. Henry's Church Basement. Men interested in joining the Knights are welcome to attend.



The **2026 Marriage Prep Course** will be held at St. Henry on **January 25, 2026 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.

**Catholic Schoolhouse**, a new local homeschool program, is currently registering families for the 2026/2027 academic year in Wadena. More than an academic co-op, Catholic Schoolhouse is a structured program meeting weekly for homeschoolers that includes chorus, two hours of classroom instruction, hands-on science, art projects, and opportunities for socializing after class. Please join us December 11 at St. Ann's for an information night, or contact Morgan at [morganroth0904@gmail.com](mailto:morganroth0904@gmail.com).



# St. Henry



**Wed., December 10:**

**All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM**

**Wed., December 17:**

**No Class**

**Wed., December 24:**

**No Class**

**Wed., December 31:**

**No Class**

**Michelle Sazama, DRE**  
218-849-9660 or [michelle@ncacc.net](mailto:michelle@ncacc.net)



After all Masses on December 6 & 7, our Mission Circle will be selling hand and machine-embroidered dish towels, Christmas items, 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 and off your list!

## BABY JESUS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Sunday, December 7th

St. Henry's Church Basement

11:15 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



**Christmas Decorating—Volunteers Needed!**  
**Help is needed at St. Henry on Sunday, December 21st at 1PM to decorate our church for Christmas. We are still looking for new volunteers to lead the decorating. If you are able to lead or help decorate, please let the parish office know. Thank you!**



Are you interested in helping out the needy this holiday season? The Holy Family Council of Catholic United Financial will be creating cookie and fruit baskets for the shut-ins on Monday, December 15th at 6 PM in the school gym. We need your help. We are in need of fruit, cookies, donations and people to help build the baskets. Fruit and cookies can be brought to St. Henry's Church office or school office on December 15th. If you'd like to help build the baskets, meet at the gym on Monday, December 15th at 6 PM. Donations can be dropped off in the collection marked "Shut-In Baskets" for the next couple of weekends. Thank you for your help.

## Cemetery News

Mike Johnson (St. Stan) (218) 849-0501 and Ron Berns (St. Henry) (218) 298-0545 are the sextons of St. Stan and St. Henry Cemeteries. Please, contact them with any questions regarding cemetery plots.

**St. Henry's Catholic Church of Perham**  
234 2nd Ave SW  
Perham, MN 56573  
Phone: (218) 346-4240  
Email: [chelsey@ncacc.net](mailto:chelsey@ncacc.net)

# HOLY CROSS NEWS

Adoration is held on the third Saturday of the month at 6:00PM.



Poinsettias can once again be ordered for Christmas in honor or in memory of someone; the cost will be \$10 and can be put in the collection or given to Faye.

Saturday, December 13th the CCD students will perform their Christmas program at 6:30PM before Mass. After Mass Christian Mothers will hold their Christmas Cookie Sale and snacks will be served for everyone.

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



## Faith Formation Schedule



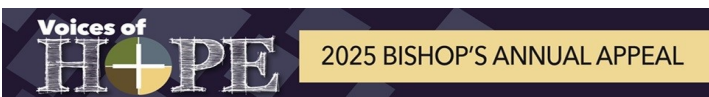
**Wed., Dec 10:** Class 4:15-5:15PM/ Christmas Program Practice

**Sat., Dec 13:** Christmas Program (1/2 hour before Mass)

**Wed., Dec 17:** Class 4:15-5:15PM/ Advent Confessions Grades 3+ ; Evening Class 6:40-7:40PM

**Wed., Dec 24:** No CCD; Christmas Break

**Wed., Dec 31:** No CCD; Christmas Break



**Voices of Hope - Bishop's Annual Appeal 2025:** Blessings to you as we enter the second week of Advent that calls us to reflect on the peace that Christ brings. Thank you so much to those of you who have already supported diocesan ministries this year. As of Monday, November 17, the Bishop's Annual Appeal for 2025 has raised gifts and pledges of \$1,356,913 toward our goal of \$1,500,000 (90.46%). This was made possible through the generous donations of 6,490 people across the 16 counties of our diocese. Please pray for the success of the Bishop's Annual Appeal and its ongoing support of diocesan ministries. To support these ministries, visit [www.stcdio.org/annualappeal](http://www.stcdio.org/annualappeal).

**OFFICE HOURS: (HOLY CROSS):** Call Faye Hendrickx:

(218) 385-3850

**(SACRED HEART):** Monday & Thursday : From 9:00 AM-

1:00PM, (218) 758-2700

**(ST.LAWRENCE):** Tuesday & Wednesday: From 9:00 AM-

12 Noon, (218) 346-7729

**(ST. HENRY):** Monday-Friday: From 8:30 AM—1:00PM,

(218) 346-4240



**Holy Cross Catholic Church of Butler**  
57189 Co. Hwy 62 New York Mills, MN  
Phone (218) 385-2201 or (218) 385-3850  
Email: [faye@ncacc.net](mailto:faye@ncacc.net)

**Parish Website:** <https://www.parishfaith.com/holy-cross---butler>



**Please pray for those in need of healing in our parishes:** Joyce (Huebsch) Bauer, Tait Bormann, Keith Friedsam, Renee Doll, Susan Loerzel

**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 Leo XIV, Bishop Patrick Neary, Bishop Emeritus Donald Kettler, Dcn Randy Altstadt, Dcn Richard Quistorff, Fr. Omar Guanchez, and Fr. Nathaniel Daubner.*

**Cemetery News** Sexton for Holy Cross cemetery is Edgar Hendrickx who can be contacted at 298-2434 or 385-3850.



On Friday, December 12th, the Feast Day of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be celebrated with a Spanish Mass at 7:00PM at St. Henry Church in Perham. All are welcome!

## Holy Father's Prayer Intention for December For Christians in Areas of Conflict

Let us pray that Christians living in areas of war or conflict, especially in the Middle East, might be seeds of peace, reconciliation, and hope.

## New School Capital Campaign Update

<b>Complete Project</b>	\$8,100,000.00
<b>Pledged</b>	\$8,339,177.00
<b>Pledges to be Received</b>	\$374,119.00
<b>Received</b>	\$7,965,058.00
<b>Monies Received 11-17</b>	\$54,200.00
<b>Households Contributing</b>	350

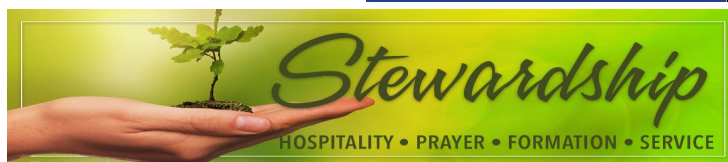
## Readings for the Week

<b>Monday</b>	Gen 3:9-15, 20 Lk 1:26-38	Eph 1:3-6, 11-12
<b>Tuesday</b>	Is 40:1-11	Mt 18:12-14
<b>Wednesday</b>	Is 40:25-31	Mt 11:28-30
<b>Thursday</b>	Is 41:13-20	Mt 11:11-15
<b>Friday</b>	Zec 2:14-17	Lk 1:26-38
<b>Saturday</b>	Sir 48:1-4, 9-11	Mt 17:9a, 10-13
<b>Sunday</b>	Is 35:1-6a, 10 Mt 11:2-11	Jas 5:7-10



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### Stewardship as a Way of Life:

*"Therefore, every tree that does not bear good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire."*

*Matthew 3:10*

Do you bear good fruit for Jesus? Do you spend time in prayer, or do you waste it with mindless activity? Do you use your talent to help others or are you too busy? Do you use your treasure to support the Church or do you buy more things that go unused. Our time, talent, and treasure are gifts from God. What we do with these gifts is our gift back to Him. What gifts are you planning to give to the Lord during this upcoming Christmas season?

**And now also the ax is laid to the root of the trees: therefore every tree which brings not forth good fruit is hewn down...**

**—Matthew 3:10**

