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 SACRED HEART, DENT
 SAINT HENRY, PERHAM
 SAINT LAWRENCE, RUSH LAKE

July 28, 2024

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Financial Blessing for July 20th

Adult.....	640.00	Plate.....	57.00
Children.....	6.00	Rent.....	50.00
LTP Grant.....	1,050.00		
		Total.....	1,803.00

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

Financial Blessing for July 20th & 21st

Adult.....	2,504.00	Plate.....	1,194.00
Youth.....	46.00	Elec. Transfers....	275.00
Appeal Rebate (school)....	440.00	LTP Grant.....	1,050.00
Appeal Rebate (RE).....	210.00		
		Total.....	5,719.00

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

Financial Blessing for July 20th & 21st

Adult.....	4,928.00	Plate.....	1,993.00
Children's Basket.....	74.95	Votives.....	63.00
LTP Grant.....	1,050.00	Steubenville.....	30.00
Memorial.....	50.00	Elec. Transfers...3,	887.00
		Total.....	12,075.95

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

Financial Blessing for July 21st

Adult.....	1,425.00	Plate.....	1,298.00
Youth.....	13.00	Elec. Transfers.....	505.00
		Total.....	3,241.00

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

Sat, July 27, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Ray & Rose Guck
 Sat, July 27, 5:00PM (St. Henry) † Bob Strickland
 Sat, July 27, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) For the People
 Sun, July 28, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † Karen Byer
 Sun, July 28, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Deacon Mark Stenger
 Sun, July 28, 10:00AM (St. Henry) Special Intention - Ken & Evelyn Beauchamp
 Sun, July 28, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Steve & Irene Bucholz
 Sun, July 28, 11:45AM (St. Henry - Spanish Mass) † Apolonia Mendoza Lopez
 Tue, July 30, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † John & Mayme Nanik
 Tue, July 30, 7:00PM (Sacred Heart) † John Tschida
 Wed, July 31, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) Living & Deceased Catholic Daughters
 Wed, July 31, 5:15PM (Holy Cross) Living & Deceased Christian Mothers
 Thu, Aug 1, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Lillian Haider
 Thu, Aug 1, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Arnold & Delores Lachowitz
 Fri, Aug 2, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Patrick Doll
 Fri, Aug 2, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Joe & Delores Wasche
 Fri, Aug 2, 10:00AM (Perham Living) Special Intention
 Sat, Aug 3, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Randy Knoll
 Sat, Aug 3, 5:00PM (St. Henry) Special Intention - Clara Helvig
 Sat, Aug 3, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † Deacon Mark Stenger
 Sun, Aug 4, 8:00AM (St. Henry) For the People
 Sun, Aug 4, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Stan Strauch
 Sun, Aug 4, 10:00AM (St. Henry) Special Intention - George Altstadt
 Sun, Aug 4, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Patty Doll
 Sun, Aug 4, 11:45AM (St. Henry - Spanish Mass) † Martha Rodriguez Peña



St. Lawrence Parish Festival

Outdoor Polka Mass
Sunday
August 4, 2024 10:30 am

Picnic Style Lunch
FREEWILL DONATION

<p>Mass at 10:30</p> <p>Music Provided by Jerry and Joyce Band</p> <p>Raffle Drawing at 2:00</p> <p>37th annual Summer Polka Mass</p>	<p>Served 11:30 - 1:30</p> <p>Pulled Pork Baked Beans Potato salad Chips Lemonade / Coffee</p>	<p>Silent Auction</p> <p>Bingo</p> <p>Children's Games</p> <p>Cake Walk</p> <p>Soft Served Ice Cream</p> <p>Beer and Pop Refreshments</p>
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ST. LAWRENCE CHURCH

4404 Co. Hwy 14 Perham, MN
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ST. LAWRENCE UPCOMING EVENTS



ST. LAWRENCE PARISH FESTIVAL
SUNDAY, AUGUST 4, 2024

10:30AM—Outdoor Polka Mass

11:30AM-1:30PM—Picnic Lunch (Free Will)

- Raffle
- Silent Auction
- Bingo
- Children's Games
- Cake Walk
- Soft Serve Ice Cream
- Beer/Refreshments
- Quarter Beef Card Draw



St. Lawrence Polka Festival
August 4, 2024

Keep selling the Polka Festival raffle tickets. Extra tickets are available in the Parish Office or from Marlene Boedigheimer (218-457-1588).

Cake Walk items will be needed for the annual St. Lawrence Polka Festival. Many homemade or boughten items are needed for this popular event so please plan ahead to donate the needed items.



Silent Auction Items Needed!

New items for the Silent Auction are needed and can be dropped off at the Parish Office. Donations of hand-crafted and other items are appreciated.

We are looking for more donations from businesses this year for our Silent Auction, to add to the wonderful donations we receive each year from our parishioners. Please consider asking your employer if they would donate to our Polka Festival Silent Auction. Thank you.



Bishop's Annual Appeal 2024: Help us foster vocations and strong families. Discerning a life of service to the Church requires time, prayer and soul searching. The ministries supported by the Bishop's Annual Appeal create opportunities to discern vocations through retreats, visits and one-on-one engagement. Those pursuing priesthood and the diaconate are supported spiritually, emotionally and financially in their journeys toward ordination.

Individuals, couples and families are supported in creating loving households through programs and initiatives that encourage healthy family life including men's and women's conferences, retreats, natural family planning, healing ministries to the divorced and grieving, and spiritual and educational opportunities. See how your donations support vocations by viewing our video at: https://youtu.be/aqW_qIyYS3Q

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Wednesday Noon



PRAYER FOR OUR PARISH FESTIVALS

Heavenly Father, we give You praise and thanksgiving for all that You have given to the Northern Cross ACC parishes of St. Lawrence, Sacred Heart, St. Henry and Holy Cross. We look forward to a day of worship, work, fellowship, and good times as we celebrate our parish festivals and we ask You to bless us with Your beautiful sunshine. We pray for a good response from parishioners and visitors. We ask you to guide us to do our very best to make our festivals successful and to support each other in our efforts. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

St. Lawrence Café
Open Wednesday, August 14th
 Bring a dish to share and join us for breakfast after the 8:30AM Mass



A 2nd Grade Teacher gave her students the assignment to memorize Psalm 23, one of the most quoted passages in the Bible. One little boy practiced and practiced, but just could *not* memorize the Psalm. When the day finally came for the children to recite the Psalm in front of the congregation, the little boy was nervous. When it was his turn he proudly marched up to the podium and said, "The Lord is my shepherd and that's all I need to know!"

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Sacred Heart Church Bazaar
August 11, 2024

RAFFLE TICKETS: PLEASE pick up your raffle tickets from your mailbox. If you are able to sell tickets after the weekend Masses contact Ken (218-329-0807) or Kim (218-329-4022) Stenger. Extra tickets are available in the Parish Office.

SILENT AUCTION: Silent Auction Items Needed! Please consider donating a basket or item to our silent auction. Items can be brought to the church and placed in the first classroom (#3) downstairs. If you have any questions, call Pat Helmeke at 218-298-2100.

RAFFLE PRIZES: *Be sure to turn in your raffle prize money to the church office ASAP.*

COUNTRY STORE: We're counting on parishioners for their generous donations to the Country Store for the Sacred Heart Church Bazaar. Garden produce, jams, jellies, baked goods, plants & craft items are needed. You may put them in the second classroom (#4) in the church basement.

CASH DONATIONS: Cash donations to offset the cost of purchased items (chicken, coleslaw, etc.) are always welcomed. Your donation can be put in an envelope labeled "bazaar donation" and placed in the collection basket or brought to the parish office.

PRIZE DONATIONS: There is a box placed in the gathering space for any prize donations you can provide. We need items that would be valued at \$1 for our dollar game and for our secret door game. Examples: stuffed animals, coloring books, fidget toys, any other toys that would bring a smile to a child's face. Thank you.

SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS



CAKES FOR THE CAKE WALK: Group 3 members each bring 2 cakes. (9x13 size, covered and marked).

PIES: Groups 1 & 2 members each bring two 9" pies (No cream pies please; diabetic pies are welcomed).

BOOK COLLECTION: We are collecting used books to sell at the Sacred Heart Church Bazaar. Books can be put in the second classroom (#4) in the church basement. Contact: Vivian Honer (612-209-8417).



SACRED HEART CHURCH BAZAAR
SUNDAY, AUGUST 11

10:00AM - HOLY MASS

11:00AM—1:30PM CHICKEN & MEATBALL MEAL

- Raffles
- Silent Auction
- Country Store
- Book Sale
- Beer/Refreshments
- Bingo
- Cake Walk



"Bless the Lord, O my soul, and never forget all His benefits." Psalm 103:2

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; 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, Ken Guck, Jason Smith (St. Henry); Sandi Carrlson, Jack Werner, Jerry Guck (St. Lawrence)



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St. Henry's Preschool is seeking a highly-motivated, kid-friendly individual to fill the position of Teacher's Aid in our 3-year-old classroom. This part time position will include the following opportunities: student supervision, recess supervision, and classroom assistant. This position is Monday-Thursday from 8:00-3:00. If interested, contact Missy at the school at 218-346-6190. Position will be open until filled.

The 15th Annual Heavenly Hackers Golf Tournament will take place on August 4, at 2:00 pm at Perham Lakeside Golf Club. This is a 4-person scramble golf tournament. Your \$75 per person entry fee will get you 9 holes of golf, cart, eligibility for prizes, and a light lunch prior to the tournament. If you or your business is interested in becoming a hole sponsor for this fundraiser event, there are two options available. The "Gold" sponsor is a donation of \$250 and the "Silver" sponsor is a donation of \$125. With this donation, you will get a sponsor sign on one of the holes and the satisfaction that you are supporting St. Henry's Area School. If you have any questions or would like to participate, give Jason a call at 218-346-6190. You could also email your team names to Jason at sthenryschool@arvig.net.

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



We are trying a new game this year at the Summer Festival - **Pop Ring Toss!** We need donations of 2-liter bottles of pop for this game. Pop donations can be dropped off at St. Henry's parish office. Thank you!

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Chris Arvidson
& Kara Skiple



Upcoming Baptism Class

Requirements for having your first child baptized are: registration at a parish and attendance of a pre-baptism class. This class is normally offered every two months. A class will be offered on **Thursday, August 8th**, from 7:00 pm-9:00 pm in St. Henry's conference room. If you want your child baptized but have not yet attended the required class, please register at 346-4240. Pre-registration for the class is required.



As part of John Bell's diaconate formation, he has been studying spiritual direction. This year, he will be completing a practicum in this area. He is looking for 4-5 people that are interested in receiving 8 monthly sessions in spiritual direction over the upcoming school year. The sessions will be arranged around your schedule. If you are interested in learning more, please call or email John at 218-457-2235 or johndbell35@gmail.com.

St. Henry Upcoming Events



SAVE THE DATE!!!
The Church of St. Henry
Annual Summer Festival
Sunday, August 18th

Our festival will begin with Mass at 10:00 am, followed by a picnic dinner featuring pulled pork prepared that morning on-site, served from 11:00am-1:00pm!

There will be a silent auction, children's games, country store, cake walk, bingo and bounce house.

We have a meat raffle (\$20/ticket), with an opportunity to win nine prizes and a quilt raffle (\$2/ticket), with a chance to win one of two quilts with each purchased ticket.

Our cash raffle (\$2/ticket) has 42 prizes, with a top prize of \$1,000! Parishioners, please pick up your tickets from your mailboxes. If you are able to sell tickets after the weekend Masses, sign-up sheets are by the Parish Office. Extra tickets are available in the Parish Office.

Raffle drawings will begin at 1:00pm on August 18th.

We are looking for donations of new items for our Silent Auction. Please bring your donations to the Parish Office. Some suggestions include: sporting goods, gift certificates, dinners, Red Hawks tickets, Minnesota Twins tickets, Vikings tickets, Gophers tickets, pontoon rides, golf packages, guided hunting or fishing trips, grills, women's baskets, men's baskets, children's baskets, etc. Thank you!

Country Store: Do you have produce from your garden you would be willing to donate to our country store at the Summer Festival? We are looking for fresh produce, home-baked goods, and homemade canned goods.

Welcome to
Judy Thomas

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



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HOLY CROSS NEWS

Plans for volunteer help are being made for the Fall bazaar. If you will not be here on September 8th, please tell one of the Christian Mothers.

Raffle tickets are in your mailboxes and if you would like more contact Faye or Dawn at 639-8647.

Fall bazaar is September 8th and now is the time to be thinking of things for the silent auction; if you have things ready bring them to the church office.

The parking lot has been finished and looks very good; if you did not make a parking lot donation and would still like to make one; just drop the envelope in the collection.

Adoration will be held every third Saturday of the month from 6-7PM.

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



Aug. 18 – Rural Life Celebration: The annual Rural Life Celebration will begin at 1:30 p.m. with outdoor Mass with Bishop Patrick hosted by St. Mary of Mount Carmel Parish in Long Prairie, in collaboration with the Five Star ACC. The event will take place on the Nathan and Samantha Middendorf farm in Long Prairie at 17655 Co. Rd. 36, Long Prairie. The event, which raises funds for the Rural Life Fund, will include the presentation of the Catholic Century Farm Awards and Catholic Rural Business Award.

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



Please pray for those in need of healing in our parishes: Ashley Wilkowski, Barry Hansen, Bernice Boedigheimer, Christine Scheidecker, Dean Salo, Fr. Gabriel Walz, Jean Schmitz, Jen Aanenson, Jim Guck, Karen Omberg, Larry Bucholz, Larry Imdieke, Lowell Siebels, Mike Ruther, Neil Tobkin, Paul Juen, Richard Bergeron, Robert Daiker, Ron Bertram, Ron Pikula, Ron Wallace, Ruth Moericke, Sebastian Mettler, Sue Loerzel, 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 Quistorff, Fr. Omar Guanchez, and Fr. Tom Skaja.

“I have found the paradox, that if you love until it hurts, there can be no more hurt, only more love.”
—Mother Teresa

New School Capital Campaign Update

Complete Project	\$8,100,000.00
Pledged	\$8,293,499.00
Pledges to be Received	\$481,838.00
Received	\$7,811,661.00
Monies Received 07-21	\$1,850.00
Households Contributing	350

Holy Father’s Prayer Intention for July

We pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the sick confer to those who receive it and their loved ones the power of the Lord and become ever more a visible sign of compassion and hope for all.

Readings for the Week

Monday	Jer 13:1-11	Jn 11:19-27
Tuesday	Jer 14:17-22	Mt 13:36-43
Wednesday	Jer 15:10, 16-21	Mt 13:44-46
Thursday	Jer 18:1-6	Mt 13:47-53
Friday	Jer 26:1-9	Mt 13:54-58
Saturday	Jer 26:11-16, 24	Mt 14:1-12
Sunday	Ex 16:2-4, 12-15	Eph 4:17, 20-24
	Jn 6:24-35	

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.

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,

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Stewardship as a Way of Life:

“There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish; but what good are these for so many?” John 6:9

The miracle of the Loaves and Fishes carries two important messages. First, no matter how little we have, we always have enough to share. Second, Christ can take our humble gifts and do great things with them if we are just willing to let Him. Nothing is impossible with God. All of our gifts, big or small, were given to us for a reason. No gift is too small or insignificant!

