



May 4, 2025

Third Sunday of Easter

Sat, May 3, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † Sally Limanen
 Sat, May 3, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † John Tschida
 Sat, May 3, 5:00PM (St. Henry) † Scott Wallgren
 Sat, May 3, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) For the First Communicants
 Sun, May 4, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † Bonnie Sondeland
 Sun, May 4, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Les Konley
 Sun, May 4, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Adam Winkels
 Sun, May 4, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Shalie Lipp
 Sun, May 4, 11:45AM (St. Henry - Spanish Mass)
 For the People
 Mon, May 5, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Joe Schwartzfisher
 Tue, May 6, 8:45AM (St. Henry) Special Intention
 Tue, May 6, 7:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Mary Lou Hendrickson
 Wed, May 7, 7:00AM (St. Lawrence) † Carol Rowen
 Wed, May 7, 5:15PM (Holy Cross) † Deacon Mark Stenger
 Thu, May 8, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) Court St. Rita 409
 Catholic Daughters of America
 Thu, May 8, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Lawrence & Adeline Dykhoff
 Fri, May 9, 10:00AM (Perham Living) † Orris & Eleanor Olson
 Sat, May 10, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Bud & Barb Honer
 Sat, May 10, 5:00PM (St. Henry) Special Intention
 Sat, May 10, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) For all Mothers and Grandmothers
 Sun, May 11, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † Magdalene Wallgren
 Sun, May 11, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Greg Meyer
 Sun, May 11, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Terrie Menze
 Sun, May 11, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Norman Jahnke
 Sun, May 11, 11:45AM (St. Henry - Spanish Mass)
 For the People

Financial Blessing for April 26th	
Adult.....	820.00
Children.....	15.00
Good Friday.....	45.00
Votives.....	2.00
Plate.....	62.00
Holy Thursday.....	40.00
Peter's Pence.....	30.00
Total.....	1,014.00

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

Financial Blessing for April 26th & 27th	
Adult.....	1,863.00
Youth.....	29.00
Easter.....	265.00
Holy Land.....	30.00
Cath. Home Missions.....	317.00
Plate.....	2,115.00
Elec. Transfers.....	375.00
Easter Flowers.....	40.00
Rice Bowl.....	237.00
Total.....	5,271.00

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

Financial Blessing for April 26th & 27th	
Adult.....	4,277.00
Children's Basket.....	43.00
Votives.....	70.50
Easter.....	340.00
Cath. Home Missions.....	245.00
Plate.....	802.00
Elec. Transfers.....	3,719.00
Spanish Mass.....	197.00
Total.....	9,693.50

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

Financial Blessing for April 27th	
Adult.....	1,840.00
Youth.....	13.00
Men's Breakfast.....	10.00
Easter.....	215.00
Cath. Home Missions.....	165.00
Plate.....	365.00
Elec Trans.....	190.00
Holy Land.....	20.00
Easter Flowers.....	60.00
Rice Bowl.....	30.00
Total.....	2,908.00

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

May, The
Month of
MARY



BULLETIN DEADLINE: Tuesday Noon

It is a Catholic tradition to honor Mary, our Mother, during the month of May by placing on her statue a crown of flowers. May Crowning gives us an opportunity to honor the Blessed Mother of Jesus, and to give thanks to her for bringing our Savior into the world.



*Mary, our Mother,
pray for us.*

ST. LAWRENCE UPCOMING EVENTS



Pillow Drive: St. Lawrence Outreach Ministry will be collecting "new pillows in their original plastic wrap" to be given to area people in need who are facing serious transitions in their lives.

If you care to donate, bring your "new pillows in their original plastic wrap" to St. Lawrence on May 18th. There will be a Pillowcase envelope attached to one of the pillowcase collection carts if you prefer to donate money for us to purchase pillows. Thank you for your generosity and God Bless You!!

Spring Cleaning Wednesday, May 14th, 6:30PM Inside and Outside Grounds

Bring your rags and buckets to help clean inside our beautiful church and hall. Bring your gloves and rakes to help clean our outside grounds. Many hands make quick work!



Congratulations to St. Lawrence First Communicants Reva Adams, Aubrey Bakkan, Emma Hendrickx, Emery Mitchell, Ailey Schornack, Reid Schornack, Alex Werner, and Eleanor Werner, who received Jesus in the Holy Eucharist for the first time. May you always know the peace of Jesus, the light of His love, and the joy of His life within you.

ST. LAWRENCE Faith FORMATION

Sat., May 3: First Communion Practice; 9:00AM
Sun., May 4: First Communion (be at church by 10:00AM); Crowning of Mary

Stephanie VonRuden-Faith Formation Director
218-298-1050 or steph@ncacc.net



St. Lawrence Polka Festival August 3, 2025

Thank you to all who have so generously donated to our 2025 Polka Festival Raffle. We appreciate your support. If you have not turned in your raffle cash prize yet, please drop it off in the collection basket labeled "Polka Festival Raffle Prize."

St. Lawrence Café
Open Monday, May 12th
Bring a dish to share and join us for breakfast after the 8:30AM Mass.



SAVE THE DATE for Totus Tuus
July 7th -11th, 2025
St. Henry's Church
More information to come!



Voices of Hope - Bishop's Annual Appeal 2025: Thank you so much to those of you who have already supported diocesan ministries in 2025 through the Appeal. As of Tuesday, April 22, the Appeal has raised gifts and pledges of \$887,640 toward our goal of \$1,500,000 (59.18%). This was made possible through the generous donations of 4,657 people throughout 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.

Thank you for your generous support of the **Catholic Home Missions Appeal!** If you missed the appeal, it's not too late to give! Just visit www.usccb.org/home-missions.



We are looking for people to commit to spending a scheduled hour a week with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament at Adoration at St. Henry. The hours we need adorers are: Thursday 4-5pm. If you would be interested in taking this time slot, please call the parish office at 218-346-4240.

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SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS



SACRED HEART

It's time to begin preparations for the Sacred Heart Bazaar raffle tickets! We will need a commitment for prize donations as soon as possible in order to have the tickets printed. Once again we will have an "all cash" raffle ticket. Call or text Kenny (218-329-0807) or Kim (218-329-4022) Stenger if you would like to be listed on this year's raffle ticket. Thank you to all who have donated in the past and for your future donations.



Sun., May 4: Confirmation/Senior Breakfast (after 8:30AM Mass); Crowning of Mary.

Joe & Diane Szama—Faith Formation Directors
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Mass and breakfast in honor of Sacred Heart 2025 Graduates and Confirmands is this Sunday, May 4th at Sacred Heart Church at 8:30AM. The Graduates of 2025 are: **Roxana Belem Macias Palacios, Megan Hoppe, Katelyn Kratzke, Calvin Berry, and Michael Stoll.** Confirmands are **Miley Anderson, Mary Grace Fudge, and Grace Hoppe.**



You are invited to join the Sacred Heart Christian Mothers for a **Glorious Scriptural Rosary** on Saturday, May 17th or Sunday, May 18th at Sacred Heart Church in Dent before the weekend Masses.

Sacred Heart "Seeds to Grow" is for those who are sick, injured or are in need of financial assistance due to their medical circumstances. If you know of anyone who needs our help, please submit a request to Sacred Heart Church, Dent, or call Mary at 218-758-2032. Request forms are available on the Sacred Heart bulletin board.

"Seeds to Grow"



*The Parish of Sacred Heart extends a special congratulations to **Claude & Mary Ann Strauch** Who are celebrating their 61st Anniversary on May 1st May the Lord bless you*



Coffee is available for purchase at St. Henry! We offer medium roast ground, French roast beans, dark roast ground, espresso ground and decaf ground for \$12 for a 1-pound bag. We purchase the coffee from the Church of Saint Andrew, Elk River, who grinds and roasts the coffee beans purchased directly from the farmers in Guatemala.

**Sacred Heart
Liturgy/Parish Life Meeting
Tuesday, May 6th
after 7:00PM Mass**



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, John Kratzke, Kenny Moenkendick (Sacred Heart) Gina Cavanagh, Ken Guck, Jason Smith (St. Henry); Sandi Carrlson, Jack Werner, Caleb Carrlson (St. Lawrence)



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Office Hours: Monday, Thursday, & Friday 9:00AM-Noon

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Congratulations to our Calendar Raffle winner: 5-2-25-Bernice Boedigheimer-\$100

We decided not to do a live auction at our Fun Fair this year, but instead we chose to do a small, class project, online auction. There are 7 class projects on the auction. If you are interested in supporting this auction, please go to <https://givebutter.com/c/sthenry>. You will have to register to see the items. The auction opens on Friday, May 2 at 10:30 AM and closes on Sunday, May 11 at 3 PM.

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



Wedding Banns III

Maggie Ingebrand
& Casey Pederson
&

Wedding Banns I

Megan Biegler
& Luke Bacon



The Parish of St. Henry
extends congratulations to

Blair Madlyn Dumphprope

daughter of Dylan & Madison Dumphprope
who received the Sacrament of Baptism last
weekend

St. Henry's Summer Festival is going to be held on Sunday, July 13th this year. With this, we have some exciting changes. Our menu is going to include barbecue meatballs, garlic mashed potatoes, vegetable, dinner roll and dessert! If you can donate hamburger for the meatballs or make a cash donation to offset the cost of purchasing the hamburger, we would appreciate it greatly. We're also trying something new with our silent auction,! We are asking each parishioner/family to bring a ***new*** item that fits into one of these **basket categories**: Men's, Women's, Kid's, Kitchen, Outdoor, Grilling, Shop Local, Wine. We will pool all the donations to make some fabulous baskets!

We will again have our awesome **cash raffle**. Fr. Tom has agreed to help us collect donations again this year, so if you would like to make a cash donation to our raffle, please see Fr. Tom or drop your donation off with Chelsey at the front desk.

With your help, we hope to make this the best year yet!! Stay tuned for more updates and things to come!



St. Henry



Faith Formation



Fr. Tom and I invite you to a Vocation Panel, Wednesday May 7th! We will have representatives from Priests, Nuns, Monks, Deacons and more! We will gather in the St. Henry's fellowship hall from 6:30-7:30 to learn about each vocation and have fellowship! Snacks and beverages will be available. -Michelle Sazama

Totus Tuus will be offered at St. Henry on July 6-11th. This is a five day program for children and young adults to be able learn about and grow in their faith. The morning elementary session (students going into 1st-6th grade) will be held from 9:00AM-2:30PM Monday-Friday, and the senior high session (students going into 7th-12th grade) will be held from 7:00PM-9:00PM Sunday-Thursday. Cost is \$25.00 per child (\$100.00 max. per family).

To make this program possible, we need your support!

Host families: We need two families to host our leaders: one family for our two female leaders and one family for our two male leaders. The housing of team members takes place from their arrival Saturday afternoon until their departure the following Friday afternoon or Saturday.

Meals: We need seven different families/couples to volunteer to have the team over or take the team out for supper each night.

Supervisors: Team leaders will lead the classes/ activities, but we would love to have some adults/teens to help assist them with the Grades 1-6 session. This would be from 8:45am-2:45pm.

Donations: If you have any rubber hoses or small plastic swimming pools you would be willing to lend to us, we would appreciate them. Please note: all items will be returned; however, the pools may come back cracked.

Snacks: Throughout the week, the students will have a snack break in the morning. If you would be willing to donate any food items for this, we would greatly appreciate it. Please stop by or call the St. Henry's parish office at 218-346-4240 if interested.



Help is needed for the Forever Remembered Garden clean up! Clean up date is Monday, May 5th at 6pm (Wednesday, May 7th if it rains) Bring your rakes, shovels, gloves, etc.

The garden is located on the north side of the church. All are welcome! We are looking for a new leader to take over this project. The job does not require a lot of work or time. Please contact the parish office if you are interested.

Catholic Daughters Court St. Rita #409 monthly meeting will be at 7pm May 6, 2025 in the St. Henry's church basement. All women are welcome.



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HOLY CROSS NEWS



Congratulations to Sage Aschnewitz, JoAnn Hendrickx and Lana Koll as they will receive the sacrament of First Communion this weekend.

Congratulations to Greta Marie Fresonke daughter of Maggie & Tim Fresonke who was baptized here last week.



There will be a general cleaning of the church and grounds on Wednesday, May 14th after Mass. The Christian Mothers will provide a small lunch after.

Holy Cross will be hosting the 50th Jubilee Celebration for Father Jerry Schik on Sunday, May 18th with a Mass at 11:00AM followed by a dinner hosted by the parishioners of Holy Cross. Sign up sheets for salads will be on the table in the entry.

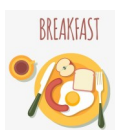
Everyone is welcome to attend the 50th Jubilee Celebration for Father Jerry Schik here on Sunday, May 18th starting with Mass at 11:00 am followed by lunch and celebration.

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



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 2nd Saturday of each month. The next class will be offered on **Saturday, May 10th** 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.

Richville Community Center
Monthly Breakfasts are back!
May 18th from 8:00AM-Noon
\$8.50 per plate.



Please pray for those in need of healing in our parishes: Ashley Duerfeldt (Wilkowski), Barry Hansen, Carol Thompson, Colleen Musgrave, David Hammers, Dean Sallio, Gloria Dorow, Jean Heston, Jen Aanenson, Jim Guck, Joe Jaroszewski, Joe Riepe, Karen Omberg, Lacey Johnson, Larry Bucholz, Larry Imdieke, Macey Minten, Mike Hendrickx, Mike Ruther, Paul Juen, Richard Bergeron, Robert Daiker, Ron Bertram, Ron Pikula, Ron Wallace, Sally Cavalier, Sebastian Mettler, Sue Loerzel, Tammy (Steinbach) Coryell, Tanner Wegscheid, Terry Cavalier

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.

New School Capital Campaign Update

Complete Project	\$8,100,000.00
Pledged	\$8,318,830.00
Pledges to be Received	\$425,661.00
Received	\$7,893,169.00
Monies Received 04-21	\$90.00
Households Contributing	350



Thanks to your generosity, we were able to donate \$1,164 to The Bridge Community Pantry from the Holy Thursday collection. Thank you so much!

Holy Father's Prayer Intention for May

Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfillment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanized.

Readings for the Week

Monday	Acts 6:8-15	Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday	Acts 7:51—8:1a	Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday	Acts 8:1b-8	Jn 6:35-40
Thursday	Acts 8:26-40	Jn 6:44-51
Friday	Acts 9:1-20	Jn 6:52-59
Saturday	Acts 9:31-42	Jn 6:60-69
Sunday	Acts 13:14, 43-52	Rev 7:9, 14b-17
	Jn 10:27-30	

OFFICE HOURS: (HOLY CROSS): Call Faye Hendrickx:
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(ST. HENRY): Monday-Friday: From 8:30 AM—1:00PM, (218) 346-4240



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Stewardship as a Way of Life:

"...Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, 'Do you love me?' and he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.'" (John 21:17)

How often do you actually say the words "I love you" to Jesus, to family members, or to friends? We are made to be in relationship with God and each other. Sincerely telling someone that you love them is the best gift you can give them because it comes from your heart. You are giving them the gift of yourself. We all were made by love and for love. Tell someone you love them every day.

...Jesus said to Simon Peter, Simon, son of John, do you love Me more than these? He said to Him, Yes, Lord, You know that I love You. He said to him, Feed My lambs....Shepherd My sheep....Feed My sheep.
John 21:15-17

