

Sat, Jan 27, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Don Seifert Sat, Jan 27, 5:00PM (St. Henry) For the People Sat, Jan 27, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † David Jaroszewski Sun, Jan 28, 8:00AM (St. Henry) Thanksgiving—Joe & Kathy Hemmelgarn Sun, Jan 28, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Kelly Wagenman Sun, Jan 28, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Jon Lynk Sun, Jan 28, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Kathy Young Tue, Jan 30, 8:45AM (St. Henry) No Mass Tue, Jan 30, 7:00PM (Sacred Heart) Living & Deceased Christian Mothers Wed, Jan 31, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) No Mass Wed, Jan 31, 5:15PM (Holy Cross) † Lorraine Engel Thu, Feb 1, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) No Mass Thu, Feb 1, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Lorie Siebels & *†* Larry Kempenich, Jr. Fri, Feb 2, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Rita Yaggie Fri, Feb 2, 8:45AM (St. Henry) No Mass Fri, Feb 2, 10:00AM (Perham Living) Deceased Relatives & Friends of Alana Herrmann Sat, Feb 3, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Terry Strehlow Sat, Feb 3, 5:00PM (St. Henry) † Ray & Loraine Honer Sat, Feb 3, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) Living & Deceased **Christian Mothers** Sun, Feb 4, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † Ken Wallin Sun, Feb 4, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Les Konley Sun, Feb 4, 10:00AM (St. Henry) For the People Sun, Feb 4, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Mary Ann Guck Weekday Mass Schedule for Jan. 29th—Feb. 9th

7:00PM Sacred Heart Tuesdays: Wednesdays: 5:15PM Holy Cross Thursdays: 8:45AM St. Henry 8:30AM St. Lawrence Fridays: & 10:00AM Perham Living



Your 2023 Contribution Statements are in your mailboxes. Please pick them up to save the parish the expense of mailing them to you.

# ECCE HOM

BEHOLD THE MAN + + + BECOME A

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"Ecce Homo" is Latin for "Behold the Man," the words uttered by Pilate as he presented Jesus to the crowd.

If you are a Catholic man, 18 or older, join us for an evening of fraternity and prayer!

Ecce Homo will be held on Thursday, February 1st at St. Lawrence-Rush Lake beginning at 5:30PM.

# **January 28, 2024 Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time**

#### **Financial Blessing for January 20th**

Adult	 Children.	2.00
Hall Rent	 Votives	7.00
	Total	

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

#### Financial Blessing for January 20th & 21st

Adult	.1,093.00	Plate	616.00
Youth	43.00	Elec. Transfers	325.00
Votives	80.68	Sol. of Mary	30.00
Central MN Catholic	17.00		

#### Total.....2,204.68

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

#### Financial Blessing for January 20th & 21st

Adult	.18,127.00	Plate1	L,821.36
Children's Basket	67.00	Initial Offering	45.00
Solemnity of Mary		Basement Rent	50.00
Marriage Prep	175.00	Bulletin Sponsor.	200.00
Candles	20.00	Votives	97.25
Coffee	20.00	Holy Water Bottl	es1.00
Elec. Transfers	3,901.00		

#### Total.....24,534.61

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

#### **Financial Blessing for January 21st**

Adult2,380.00	Youth
Plate782.00	Elec. Transfers425.00
Heat/Fuel410.00	

#### Total......4,000.00

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

There will be no 8:45 AM Mass on Tuesday, January 30th or Friday, February 2nd at St. Henry, no Confessions on Wednesday, Jan-



uary 31st at St. Henry, no 8:30AM Mass at Church News Sacred Heart on Thursday, February 1st, and no 8:30 AM Mass on Wednesday, January 31st at St. Lawrence.



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#### PARISH NEWS & EVENTS



FAMILY OUTDOOR FUN UTILITY CART \$5 per chance or 3 chances for \$10 You could win the utility cart along with all its contents. This event is spon-

sored by St. Lawrence Christian Mothers with all proceeds going toward the 2024 Polka Festival. Chances will be sold after Sunday Masses or contact Marlene Boedigheimer at 218-457-1588.

St. Lawrence Parish Breakfast Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup> (after 10:30AM Mass) Groups 4 & 1 serve





Now, get ready for the 2nd Annual...

# CHUBBY SUNDAY

## SOUP & CHILI COOKOFF

Join us for an ACC-wide soup and chili cooking contest! Bring a pot and your favorite toppings, give it a creative name, and vote for your favorite soup and chili! Breads, muffins, and cornbread are not only accepted, but encouraged!\*

Sunday, February 11th at 12:30pm

in the St. Henry's School Gym

Stay tuned for the Grand Prize!!!

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Wed. Jan 31: All Grades; 6:30-7:30 PM Wed. Feb 7: All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM Wed. Feb 14: Ash Wednesday (find a church to attend Mass.

**Stephanie VonRuden-Faith Formation Director** 218-298-1050 or Vonruden.27@gmail.com

The Parish of St. Lawrence extends congratulations to Nolan Joseph, Kendra Jade, & Sadig Joyce Herk son & daughters of Shane & ReAnna Herk who received the Sacrament of Baptism on January 22nd



#### **Attention Musicians & Singers:**

The St. Lawrence choir is looking for new members to share their talents during Mass. If you like to sing or can play an instrument (especially piano or keyboard) we need you! Contact Lisa Werner (218-371-7560) or stop in the choir loft after any Mass.



The St. Lawrence Saints Relay for Life team will be sponsoring a Super Bowl Party at the Albert & Lisa Werner home on Sunday, February

11th. \$30 will buy you a square on the board and admission to the party. See Ruth Wegscheid after Mass purchase your square. All proceeds go to the American Cancer Society. Thank You!



Court St Rita #409 will be sponsoring the **National Catholic Daughters Education** contest! Entry forms and rules are available at St. Henry's office or contact Leanne

Stoll, Regent Court St. Rita. The National Catholic Daughters Education contest entry forms are due January 31st. Complete entries can be dropped of at St. Henry's Church office.

**Canonical Administrator: Parochial Vicar:** Deacons:

Fr. George Michael, E-mail: gmichaelvc@gmail.com, fathergeorge@ncacc.net Fr. Thomas Skaja, E-mail: fathertom@ncacc.net 218-298-0585 Deacon Richard Quistorff; Deacon Randy Altstadt



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<u>Wed., Jan. 31:</u> Grades 1-11; 7:00PM; Color Rosary @ 8:00PM

Wed., Feb. 7: Grades 1-11; 7:00PM

Wed., Feb. 7: Grade 2 & Parents; 7:00PM; Reconciliation Learning Centers

Wed., Feb. 14: Ash Wednesday; attend Mass at 7:00PM

#### Joe & Diane Sazama—Faith Formation Directors 218-849-7520 or <u>woolyacres@arvig.net</u>



**Bishop's Annual Appeal** 2024: The 2024 Appeal launches soon.

Announcement Weekend is February 3 - 4: You will receive bulletin inserts high-

lighting diocesan ministries and be asked to consider a gift to support these ministries on Commitment Weekend.

**Commitment Weekend is February 10 - 11:** This is your opportunity to support diocesan ministries with a 2024 gift to the appeal. You may bring the envelope you receive in the mail or use a response envelope that will be provided at Mass. Both will be gratefully received in the offertory.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Wednesday Noon

### 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: <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> 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: Dawn Swanz, Michele Hofland, Jason Schik (Holy Cross); Brenda Aschnewitz, John Kratzke, Kenny Moenkendick (Sacred Heart) Tim Graff, Lisa Hemmelgarn, Jason Smith (St. Henry); Sandi Carrlson, Jack Werner, Jerry Guck (St. Lawrence)



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Welcome to Deborah Wagenman

SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS



who recently registered as a new member of the Sacred Heart parish family.



Sacred Heart Christian Mothers Coffee & Rolls Sunday, February 11th (after 8:30AM Mass) All are welcome!

**"Seeds to Grow"** 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.

**Diocesan Festival of Families** This is your last chance to register for this family event! Register at: https:// stcdio.org/event/festival-of-families/ for only \$20 per family.

Text **App** to **88202** to download our parish app! Search for "Northern Cross Area Catholic Community"



#### PARISH NEWS & EVENTS



Congratulations to our Calendar Raffle winner this week. 1-26-24-Kathy Thomas-\$100

St. Henry's Area School is looking for people interested in being on our sub list for teachers and paraprofessionals. Experience preferred, but not required. If interested, please contact Jason.

#### St. Henry's Area Preschool is looking for a Summer Teacher.

**Oualifications:** MN Teaching degree, knowledgeable in child development and developmentally appropriate best practice in early childhood, warm and welcoming demeanor, self-directed, highly motivated individuals who are passionate about our youngest learners and providing quality learning experiences.

**Responsibilities:** Three Days a week from 7:30-5:00 pm, lead a group of up to 10 preschoolers, have strong communication skills with families, have strong relationship building skills with preschool age children, maintain an inviting, well-organized classroom, other duties as assigned.

If interested in learning more about this position, please contact our preschool director Missy Mickelson at 218-346-6190 or mmickelson.sthenryschool@arvig.net

We will be having our Fun Fair at the school on Sunday, March 17 from 11-3:30. We are in need of donations for our raffle, auctions, and to offset expenses. If you are able to help, please let us know by contacting Jason. You can also just stop by the school as well. All raffle prizes will need to be known by the end of January 28<sup>th</sup> so we can print the tickets. Thanks for your assistance, and we hope to see you at the Fun Fair on March 17.

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



Youth from our area are STEUBENVILLE invited to be part of the an-CONFERENCES nual Steubenville conference in Rochester, MN and

pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe near La Crosse, WI. The conference and travel will take place on July 12-14. All students currently in 8th grade through seniors are welcome to take part. The conference will include adoration, songs, and dynamic speakers with about 1000 other young people. To express interest and/ or seek more information, please contact John Bell at johndbell35@gmail.com or 218-457-2235.



### ST. HENRY Faith Formation

Wed., Jan 31st: Class, 6:30-7:30PM Wed., Feb 7th: Class (Parent Night) 6:30-7:30PM Wed., Feb 14th: Ash Wednesday; attend Mass at 6:30PM

> **Caleb Carrlson, Faith Formation Director** 218-457-0987 or religioused@st-henrys.org

Honoring Marriage Day will be held on May 4th, 2024 at Sacred Heart Parish in Sauk Rapids, MN, for couples celebrating 5, 25, 40, 50 or 60 plus years of marriage in 2024. Please let your parish office know if you are celebrating these anniversary years no later than January 31, so we can send the information to the diocese.



Happy Birthday to Christine Scheidecker who is celebrating her 95th birthday!



We have ribs available as a fundraiser! \$20.00/rack again this year. If you would like to purchase some, talk to Ann or Joe.

#### **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 E be offered on Saturday, February 24th, from 9:00 am-12:00 pm in St. Henry's conference room. If you want your child baptized but have not yet attended the please required class, register at 346-4240. Pre-registration for the class is required.



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### HOLY CROSS UPCOMING EVENTS

SAVE THE DATES February 16th and 23rd for the two fish fries that will be hosted by Holy Cross at St. Henry's Church.

Usher sign up sheet is on the table in the entry; please sign up as a family or group.

**Resurfacing the Parking Lot at Holy Cross** You may have noticed that Holy Cross parking lot is in need of renovation. Our Finance Council has received the Bishop's approval for the resurfacing project. The cost of this project



will be about \$30,788. I hope you will support this project with a donation to offset the expense. Together, we will continue to preserve our church and grounds, as we pave the way for future generations of Holy Cross families.

May God bless you always. Fr. George

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

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



Dorothy Day House: Help the homeless in our area by supporting the Dorothy Day House DOROTHY DAY men's shelter in Moorhead, MN. They are currently in need of the following items: Ziploc bags (gallon and sandwich); bath towels, winter hats, gloves and scarves; deodorant, men's underwear, plain white t-shirts, socks (these clothing items preferred to be new); disposable razors; sleeping bags; blankets and hygiene products. They are especially in need of warm hats, gloves, mittens and socks. For more information, see the website at www.churches-Elkin united.org call Teresa or at 218-298-1274 or Cecile Guck at 218-298-4386.

**Community Outreach Ministry** is in need of twin, full, and queen beds in good condition and dressers. Please call Cindy Olson at 218-849-8658 or Teresa Elkin at 218-298-1274.

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, (218) 346-4240 Please pray for those in need of healing in our parishes: Ashley Wilkowski, Dean Salo, Diana Billie, Jean Schmitz, Jeff Fritz, Jen Aanenson, Julie Carr, Karen Omberg, Larry Bucholz, Larry Imdieke, Larry Van Watermulen, Lowell Siebels, Lucille Schik, Mike Ruther, Nancy Moris, Paul Juen, Richard Bergeron, Robert Daiker, Ron Bertram, Ron Wallace, Ruth Moericke, Sebastian Mettler, Sue Loerzel, Sue Kalinoski, Tammy (Steinbach) Coryell, Tanner Wegscheid

All military personnel, especially: Joseph Fonseca, 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. George Michael and Fr. Tom Skaja.

#### WINTER WEATHER POLICY

When school is cancelled, there will be no Masses or adoration at any of the four NCACC parishes. If school is two hours late, all morn-



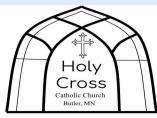
ing Masses and Adoration will be cancelled, but evening Masses may take place, if weather permits. Please watch for updates on our parish app for Tuesday evening Adoration weather-related cancellations.

New School Capital Campaign Update		
Complete Project	\$8,100,000.00	
Pledged	\$8,246,704.00	
Pledges to be Received	\$494,655.00	
Received	\$7,752,049.00	
Pledged Monies Received 01-21	\$400.00	
Households Contributing	350	

#### Holy Father's Prayer Intention for January

We pray that the Holy Spirit may help us to recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community and to discover the richness of different traditions and rituals in the Catholic Church.

Readings for the Week			
Monday	2 Sm 15:13-14,	30; 16:5-13	Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday	2 Sm18:9-10, 14	4b, 24-25a, 30–19	:3
	Mk 5:21-43		
Wednesday	2 Sm 24:2, 9-17	MK 6:	1-6
Thursday	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-	12 Mk 6:2	7-13
Friday	Mal 3:1-4	Heb 2:14-18	Lk 2:22-40
Saturday	1 Kgs 3:4-13	Mk 6:30-34	
Sunday	Jb 7:1-4, 6-7	1 Cor 9:16-19, 2	22-23
	Mk 1:29-39		



#### Holy Cross Catholic Church of Butler

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Stewardship as a Way of Life: "Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties."- 1 Corinthians 7:32

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How much anxiety do we bring upon ourselves by constantly worrying about not having enough or attaining more things? God won't necessarily give you everything you want, but He will provide everything you need. Try this – use the word "pray" instead of the word "worry" in the future. Then spend your time praying instead of worrying.

