

HOLY CROSS, BUTLER
 SACRED HEART, DENT
 SAINT HENRY, PERHAM
 SAINT LAWRENCE, RUSH LAKE

April 7, 2024

Second Sunday of Easter

Sunday of Divine Mercy

Sat, Apr 6, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Martha & Tony Knoll
 Sat, Apr 6, 5:00PM (St. Henry) † Ardell Jorgenson
 Sat, Apr 6, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † Bob Genoch
 Sun, Apr 7, 8:00AM (St. Henry) For the People
 Sun, Apr 7, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Barbara Rock
 Sun, Apr 7, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Susan Richard
 Sun, Apr 7, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Julian Omberg
 Mon, Apr 8, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart)
 Tue, Apr 9, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Roy Scheidecker
 Tue, Apr 9, 7:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Bernice Laughlin
 Wed, Apr 10, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Mary Perius & † Jim Vetter
 Wed, Apr 10, 5:15PM (Holy Cross) Living & Deceased Christian Mothers
 Thu, Apr 11, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Ray & Rose Guck
 Thu, Apr 11, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Tony Van Watermullen
 Fri, Apr 12, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Leo Doll
 Fri, Apr 12, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Keith Watts
 Fri, Apr 12, 10:00AM (Perham Living) † Martha Wilkowski
 Sat, Apr 13, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Marion Jaroszewski
 Sat, Apr 13, 5:00PM (St. Henry) † Bob Sim
 Sat, Apr 13, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † Roger & LaVerne Hendrickx
 Sun, Apr 14, 8:00AM (St. Henry) † Martha Wilkowski
 Sun, Apr 14, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Helen & Norbert Dehn & † Esther Weirens
 Sun, Apr 14, 10:00AM (St. Henry) For the People
 Sun, Apr 14, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Ethan & Marlene Curtis

Financial Blessing for March 31st

Adult.....	1,765.00	Plate.....	213.00
Children.....	23.00	Votives.....	14.50
Easter Offering.....	1,235.00	Rice Bowl.....	91.29
Holy Thursday.....	100.00	Good Friday.....	318.24
Total.....3,760.03			

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

Financial Blessing for March 31st

Adult.....	1,893.00	Plate.....	280.00
Youth.....	128.00	Elec. Transfers.....	585.00
Central MN Cath.....	17.00	Easter.....	1,709.00
Holy Land.....	371.93		
Total.....4,983.93			

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

Financial Blessing for March 30th & 31st

Adult.....	4,510.00	Plate.....	3,191.10
Children's Basket.....	227.00	Easter Flowers.....	80.00
Easter Offering.....	6,450.00	Donation.....	20.00
Votives.....	36.75	Coffee.....	50.00
Candles.....	20.00	Elec. Transfers.....	3,783.00
Total.....18,367.85			

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

Financial Blessing for March 31st

Adult.....	795.00	Youth	85.00
Plate.....	530.00	Easter	1,620.00
CRS.....	10.00	Choir.....	200.00
Men's Breakfast.....	277.00		
Total.....3,517.00			

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

Divine Mercy Sunday—Sunday, April 7th

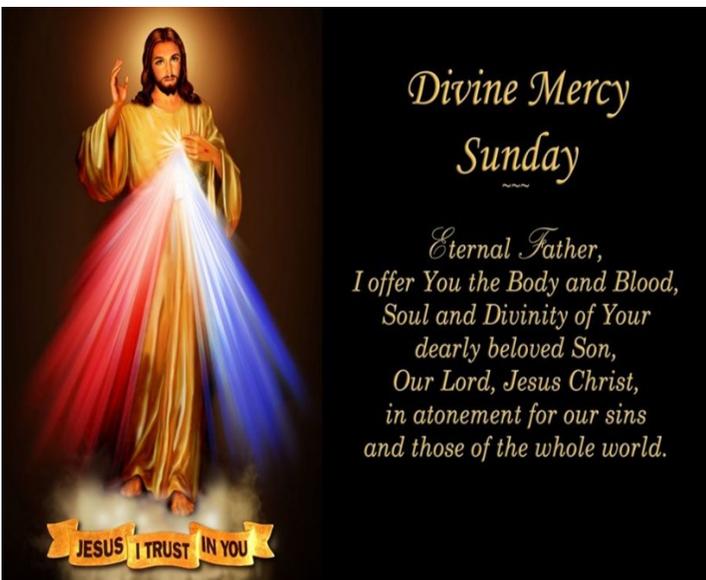
Sponsored by Catholic Daughters Court St. Rita

- 1:00pm: Stations of the Cross
- 2:00pm: Scriptural Rosary
- 3:00pm: Chaplet of Divine Mercy
- 1:00pm to 3:00pm: Confessions

Held at St. Henry's Church



On Monday, April 8th there will be Mass at 8:30AM at Sacred Heart in Dent to celebrate the Feast of the Annunciation of the Lord. The Serra Club has set aside Saturday, April 6th as a day of prayer for Fr. George. Please keep him in your prayers.



ST. LAWRENCE UPCOMING EVENTS



Wed. Apr 10: All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM.
Wed. Apr 17: All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM.
Sat. Apr 20: 2nd Grade First Communion Practice; 9:00AM.
Sun. Apr 21: First Communion Sunday; 2nd Graders be at church by 10:00AM.
Wed. Apr 24: All Grades; 6:30-7:30PM.

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

St. Lawrence Café
Open Wednesday, April 10th
 Bring a dish to share and join us for breakfast after the 8:30AM Mass.



St. Lawrence Christian Mothers Meeting:
Monday, April 15th
6:45PM-Rosary/Prayer; 7:00PM-Meeting
New members are always welcome!



“As the Father has sent Me, so I send you.” Let us affirm our priests and help carry out Christ’s mission of spreading love and compassion in the world. Maybe God is also calling you to share in His saving mission as a priest. Talk to your priest or reach out to the St. Cloud Diocesan Vocation Office at 320-251-5001 or STCLOUDVOCATIONS.ORG.



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1. Visit FORMED.org
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4. Find your parish using zip code 56573 or Northern Cross Area Catholic Community.
5. Enter your email—and you’re in!

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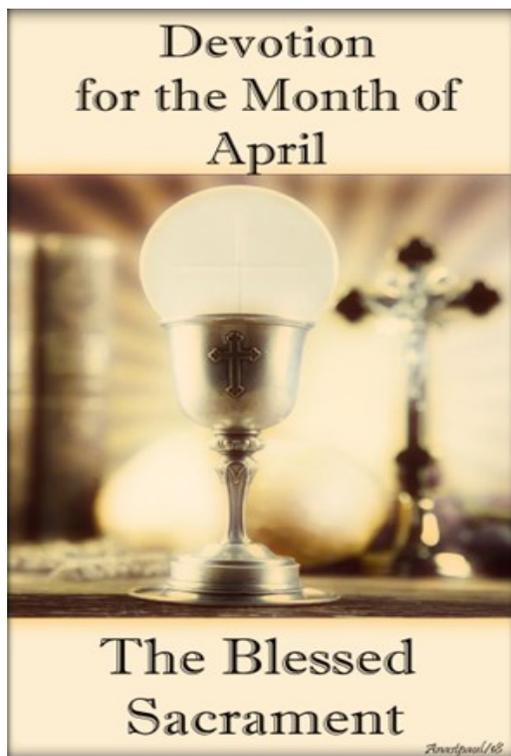
REMINDER:
POLKA FESTIVAL RAFFLE
August 4, 2024

We need to know if you wish to be on the raffle ticket before or by April 14th. Please contact Marlene Boedigheimer, if you are able to donate a cash prize and wish to be listed on the raffle ticket. (385-3629 or 218-457-1588 or mmbb@arvig.net) Then you can put your check in the collection, in an envelope marked Polka Festival Raffle. **Thank you to those who already have responded so promptly! God Bless!**

Calling All Bingo Players!



St. Lawrence Beef Bingo and Raffle are back! This event will be April 21, 2024 at 2:00pm in the St. Lawrence church hall. Tickets are \$5 and get you 21 games of bingo plus entrance into the raffles. Proceeds from this event go towards St. Lawrence's contribution to St. Henry's Area School.



Canonical Administrator: Fr. George Michael, E-mail: gmichaelvc@gmail.com, fathergeorge@ncacc.net
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SACRED HEART



SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS

Sacred Heart Christian Mothers Meeting:
Tuesday, April 23rd
after the 7:00PM Mass.



Wed., Apr 10: Grades Pre/K-11; 7:00PM; Rosary @ 8:00PM.

Wed., Apr 17: Grades Pre/K-11; 7:00PM.

Sat., Apr 20: 2nd Grade First Communion practice; 10:30AM.

Sun., Apr 21: First Communion Sunday; 8:30AM.

Wed., Apr 24: Grades Pre/K-11; 7:00PM.

Joe & Diane Sazama—Faith Formation Directors
218-849-7520 or woolyacres@arvig.net



Sacred Heart Christian Mothers
Coffee & Rolls
 Sunday, April 14th
 (after 8:30AM Mass)
 All are welcome!

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.



Bishop's Annual Appeal: Thank you to those who have already supported diocesan ministries through the Appeal. The Bishop's Annual Appeal for 2024 has raised total cash and pledges of \$894,706 toward our goal of \$1,450,000 (63.91%). This was made possible through the generous donations of 5,341 people throughout the 16 counties of our diocese. Will you help these ministries meet their funding needs? Visit www.stcdio.org/annualappeal.

Ecclesia Domestica Men's Retreat
St. Joseph: Man of No Return

April 19-21, 2024 at the Franciscan Sisters Retreat Center in Hankinson, ND. Cost is \$300 (includes accommodations and meals).

Register online: www.ecclesiadomestica.net

Contact: Deacon Thane Barnier (605) 929-2551 or EcclesiaRetreats@ecclesiadomestica.net

Dorothy Day House: Help the homeless in our area by supporting the Dorothy Day House 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. For more information, see the website at www.churches-united.org or call Teresa Elkin at 218-298-1274 or Cecile Guck at 218-298-4386.



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



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Congratulations to our Calendar Raffle winner this week. 4-5-24-Julie Loiland-\$100

We will be having our kindergarten and preschool roundups on Monday, April 8th. The kindergarten roundup will be from 4:00-5:30 in the kindergarten room. The preschool roundup will be from 5:00-6:30 at the preschool. There is currently a wait list at the preschool, so if you are not already signed up, there is no need to attend as we are full.

Thank you for your role in the Fun Fair. The event made more than \$48,000 for the school. We appreciate your support and prayers. If you'd like to see the complete financial, there are copies available at the back of church.

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

Qualifications: 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

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

90th Birthday Celebration for George Altstadt
Saturday, April 13th from 12:00pm-3:00pm
at Perham Sportsman Club

A light lunch will be served along with cake and ice cream. Coffee, water, and lemonade will be provided.

Please, no gifts. Your presence is your gift.

Call Deacon Randy with questions at 218-457-0925.

50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration
for Gary and Cathy Doll

Saturday, April 19th from 1:00pm-4:00pm
in St. Henry's Church Basement

Family and friends all invited.

Please, no gifts. Your presence is your gift.



Wed., Apr 10th: Class: 6:30PM-7:30PM
Wed., Apr 17th: Class: 6:30PM-7:30PM
Wed., Apr 24th: Class: 6:30PM-7:30PM
Sat., Apr 27th: 9:00AM: First Communion practice
Sun., Apr 28th: 10:00AM: First Communion

*Parents night has been cancelled for April and May.

Caleb Carrlson, Faith Formation Director
218-457-0987 or religiously@st-henry.org

Families, SAVE THE DATE, for Totus Tuus

June 17th—21st, 2024

St. Henry's Church

More information to come!



Keith Friedsam Benefit
Saturday, May 4th — 4:00PM-8:00PM
Perham Lakeside Golf Club
Pasta Bar, Live & Silent Auctions
Support Keith's fight against
Chronic Myelogenous Leukemia
For more information, please contact
Barb Felt at 218-298-2482



Perham Area Knights of Columbus
Pancake Breakfast
St. Henry's School Gym
Sunday, April 7th
8:30AM-11:30AM

Menu: Pancakes, French Toast, Sausage, Coffee, Juice
Suggested donation \$5.00 per person
A portion of the proceeds go to the
Youth Steubenville Trip

Perham Area Knights of Columbus meeting
7:00PM April 9th in St. Henry's Church Basement. Men interested in joining the Knights are welcome to attend.



BULLETIN DEADLINE: Wednesday Noon



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HOLY CROSS UPCOMING EVENTS

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.



Please pray for those in need of healing in our parishes: Ashley Wilkowski, Bob Waldorf, Christine Scheidecker, Dean Salo, Diana Billie, Fr. Gabriel Walz, Garry Menz, Gene Schermerhorn, Jean Schmitz, Jeff Fritz, Jen Aanenson, Joan Koplin, Karen Omberg, Larry Bucholz, Larry Imdieke, Linda Kaluza, Lowell Siebels, Lucille Schik, Baby Fresonke, Mike Ruther, Nathan Strand, Paul Juen, Richard Bergeron, Robert Daiker, Ron Bertram, Ron Piku-la, Ron Wallace, Ruth Moericke, Sebastian Mettler, Sue Loerzel, Sue Kalinoski, 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. George Michael and Fr. Tom Skaja.

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DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

I AM *love* AND
mercy ITSELF.
THERE IS NO
MISERY THAT COULD
BE A MATCH FOR
MY MERCY, NEITHER
WILL MISERY EXHAUST IT,
BECAUSE AS IT IS
BEING GRANTED,
it increases.

Christ to Saint Faustina as recorded in the
Diary of St. Faustina, 1275, page 459

WORD
ON FIRE

New School Capital Campaign Update

Complete Project	\$8,100,000.00
Pledged	\$8,263,009.00
Pledges to be Received	\$489,506.00
Received	\$7,773,503.00
Monies Received 03-31	\$175.00
Households Contributing	350

Holy Father's Prayer Intention for April

We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

Readings for the Week

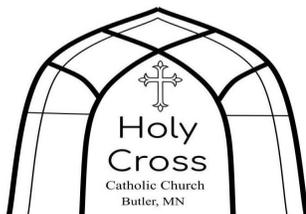
Monday	Is 7:10-14; 8:10 Lk 1:26-38	Heb 10:4-10
Tuesday	Acts 4:32-37	Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday	Acts 5:17-26	Jn 3:16-21
Thursday	Acts 5:27-33	Jn 3:31-36
Friday	Acts 5:34-42	Jn 6:1-15
Saturday	Acts 6:1-7	Jn 6:16-21
Sunday	Acts 3:13-15, 17-19 Lk 24:35-48	1 Jn 2:1-5a

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(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:

“The community of believers was of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own...” - Acts 4:32

All that we are and all that we have is a gift from God! Think of your family, your friends, your life, your talents and your money – these are all gifts from God! We aren't really owners of anything, we are merely “stewards” of the gifts God has blessed us with. We are called to be grateful and generous with all of our gifts for the benefit of others.

