



January 29, 2023

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat, Jan 28, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † David Jaroszewski
 Sat, Jan 28, 5:00PM (St. Henry) † Sister Mary Ann O'Connor, OP
 Sat, Jan 28, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † Bruce Hendrickx
 Sun, Jan 29, 8:00AM (St. Henry) For the People
 Sun, Jan 29, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Ray Guck
 Sun, Jan 29, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Carl Hofmann
 Sun, Jan 29, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Russ Kadow
 Tue, Jan 31, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Julie Malikowski
 Tue, Jan 31, 7:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Jack Riestenberg
 Wed, Feb 1, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) Special Intention-
 Jesse & Rita Erickson
 Wed, Feb 1, 5:15PM (Holy Cross) † Art Riestenberg
 Thu, Feb 2, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Terry Strehlow
 Thu, Feb 2, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Judy Kunza
 Fri, Feb 3, 8:30AM (St. Lawrence) Grandchildren of
 Jack & Angie Werner
 Fri, Feb 3, 8:45AM (St. Henry) † Lorie Siebels &
 † Larry Kempenich, Jr.
 Fri, Feb 3, 10:00AM (Perham Living) † Louis Stoderl
 Sat, Feb 4, 4:00PM (Sacred Heart) † Frank Herges
 Sat, Feb 4, 5:00PM (St. Henry) † Andy & Elaine Johnson
 Sat, Feb 4, 7:00PM (Holy Cross) † Joe & Delores Minten
 Sun, Feb 5, 8:00AM (St. Henry) For the People
 Sun, Feb 5, 8:30AM (Sacred Heart) † Russell Nelson
 Sun, Feb 5, 10:00AM (St. Henry) † Maria Mettler
 Sun, Feb 5, 10:30AM (St. Lawrence) † Rose Guck

Financial Blessing for January 21st

Adult.....	2,105.00	Children.....	2.00
Plate.....	24.00	Solemnity of Mary...	50.00
		Total.....	2,181.00

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

Financial Blessing for & January 21st & 22nd

Adult.....	2,963.00	Plate.....	538.00
Youth.....	34.75	Elec. Transfers.....	225.00
Solemnity of Mary.....	20.00	Memorial.....	5,000.00
		Total.....	8,780.75

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

Financial Blessing for January 21st & 22nd

Adult.....	13,592.00	Children's Basket.....	90.55
Plate.....	926.25	Initial Offering.....	25.00
Solemnity of Mary.....	10.00	Coffee.....	48.00
Votives.....	63.60	Marriage Prep.....	175.00
We Care.....	405.00	Elec. Transfers.....	4,730.00
		Total.....	20,065.40

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

Financial Blessing for January 22nd

Adult.....	2,040.00	Youth	17.00
Plate.....	89.00	Elec. Transfers.....	220.00
Votives.....	95.00	Fuel & Heat.....	25.00
		Total.....	2,486.00

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

ECCE HOMO MEN'S EVENT

"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!

When/Where: February 3rd,

Holy Cross-Butler

5:30pm: Meal

6:00pm: Talk/Speaker

6:40pm: Holy Rosary

7:00pm: Adoration (Confessions
 available during the Holy Hour)

8:00pm: Benediction

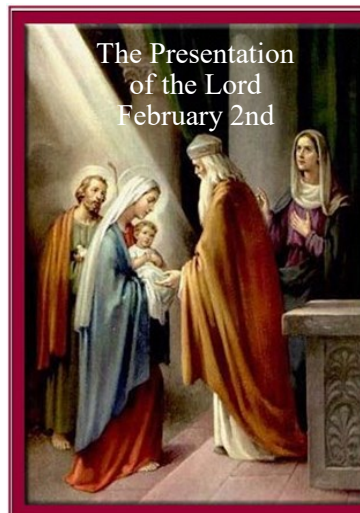
BEHOLD
 THE MAN

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BECOME A
 SAINT



Contact Gregory at
 763-227-6870 or
 Fr. Tom at 218-298-
 0585 with questions.



The Presentation
 of the Lord
 February 2nd

All-powerful
 Father,
 Christ your Son
 became man for
 us
 and was
 presented
 in the temple.
 May he free our
 hearts
 from sin
 and bring us
 into your
 presence.
 Amen.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Wednesday Noon

ST. LAWRENCE UPCOMING EVENTS

ST. LAWRENCE

faith
Formation



RED WAGON RAFFLE!

\$5 per chance or 3 chances for \$10
You could win the little red wagon along with all its contents. *The drawing will be held on World Marriage Day Sunday-February 12th.*

Chances will be sold after Sunday Masses or contact Marlene Boedigheimer at 218-457-1588. All proceeds go to the 2023 St. Lawrence Polka Festival.

St. Lawrence Parish Breakfast

Sunday, January 29th
(after 10:30AM Mass)
Group 4 serves



St. Lawrence Café

Open Wednesday, February 8th

Bring a dish to share and join us for breakfast after the 8:30AM Mass.

ST. LAWRENCE AND SACRED HEART ONLINE GIVING
Online giving is easy—just visit our website at sacredheartstlawrencecatholicchurches.com and click on the “Give Now to Sacred Heart” button for Sacred Heart or click on the “Give Now to St. Lawrence” button for St. Lawrence found in the welcome section of the website.

Candlemas Day is on February 2nd. It is another name for the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. Forty days after His birth, Mary and Joseph brought Jesus to the temple for the rites of purification and dedication. On Candlemas, many Christians receive blessed candles that are used for the rest of the year in their homes and serve as a symbol of Jesus Christ, who referred to Himself as the Light of the World. Candlemas Day was also important in the lives of farmers. An old English song went as follows: “If Candlemas be fair and bright, / Come, Winter, have another flight. / If Candlemas brings clouds and rain, / Go, Winter, and come not again.” So, if the bright sun “overshadows” the brightness of Candlemas Day, there will be more winter. However, if the light of Candlemas Day radiates through the gloom and darkness of the day, the end of winter is near.



Wed., Feb. 1: All grades; 6:30-7:30PM; Rosary

Wed., Feb. 8: All grades; 6:30-7:30PM

Sat., Feb. 11: 2nd grade; First Reconciliation; 9:00AM.

Wed., Feb. 15: All grades; 6:30-7:30PM

Please remember in your prayers our children who will receive their First Reconciliation on Saturday, February 11th at St. Lawrence: **Luke Hendrickx, Piper Von Ruden, Ian Werner, Stella Stoderl, Sydney Douchette, and Brandt Becker.**



ST. LAWRENCE WORLD MARRIAGE SUNDAY

Lunch will be served
Sunday, February 12 (after 10:30AM Mass)

SAINT LAWRENCE SAINTS SUPER BOWL PARTY! Sunday, February 12th 4:00PM



(at the home of Albert & Lisa Werner)

The cost is \$30 for food, beverages, and a football board square. Contact Ruth Wegscheid or Lisa Werner to save your spot. Wear your favorite team shirt and join the fun! Proceeds go to American Cancer Society.

Bishop's Annual Appeal 2023: The 2023 Appeal launches soon.

Announcement Weekend is February 25 - 26: You will receive bulletin inserts highlighting diocesan ministries and be asked to consider a gift to support these ministries on Commitment Weekend.

Commitment Weekend is March 4 - 5: This is your opportunity to support diocesan ministries with a 2023 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.

“Fight to Surrender!” A One Day Retreat for Men!

Saturday, February 11th from 8:00 am-4:00 pm

Sacred Heart Church—Frazee, MN

To register, text “Men's' Retreat & Your Name” to: 651-249-8439. Check-in and payment opens at 7:30am. (50 men maximum) \$30 registration fee.

Canonical Administrator:
Parochial Vicar:
Deacons:

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Fr. Thomas Skaja, E-mail: fathertom@ncacc.net 218-298-0585
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SACRED HEART FAITH Formation

Wed., Feb. 1: Grades 1-11 classes; 7:00PM
Wed., Feb. 8: 2nd Grade & Parents; Reconciliation Learning Centers; 7:00PM
Wed., Feb. 8: Grades 1-11 classes; 7:00PM
Wed., Feb. 15: Grades 1-11 classes; 7:00PM; Rosary at 8:00PM.
Saturday, Feb. 18: Grade 2 & Family; 9:00AM; First Reconciliation

We celebrate the feast day of St. Blaise on February 3rd. St. Blaise was a physician before becoming a bishop. Tradition holds that he was to have miraculously cured a child who nearly died because of a fish-bone caught in the throat. St. Blaise is often invoked on behalf of the sick, especially those afflicted with illness of the throat. Because of this, it is tradition to offer the Rite of Blessings of Throats. Traditionally using two crossed and unlighted candles, the priest (or other minister) touches the throat of each person, saying: *Through the intercession of Saint Blaise, bishop, and martyr, may God deliver you from all ailments of the throat and from every other evil: + in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.* Throats will be blessed at the Saturday, February 4th and Sunday, February 5th Masses.



SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS



Sacred Heart Church of Dent
Parish Bingo
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19; 1:00 PM
in the Sacred Heart Social Hall
FOOD/FUN/CASH PRIZES/DOOR PRIZES
Hosted by Sacred Heart Christian Mothers

Sacred Heart 2022 Contribution Statements are in your mailboxes. Please pick them up to save the parish the expense of mailing them to you. Thank you for your generosity this past year.



Sacred Heart Christian Mothers
Coffee & Rolls
 Sunday, February 12th
 (after 8:30AM Mass)
 All are welcome!

Please remember in your prayers our children who will receive their First Reconciliation on Saturday, February 18th at Sacred Heart: **Kase Moenkedick, Avery Stoll, and Blake DiGeorgio.**



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



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: 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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Congratulations to our Calendar Raffle winner this week. 1-27-23-Drew and Steph Johnson-\$100

Fun Fair 2023

We will be having a live Fun Fair at the school on Sunday, March 12 from 11:00 AM-3:30 PM. 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 at 218-346-6190 or sthenryschool@arvig.net. You can also just stop by the school as well. All raffle prizes will need to be known by the end of January so we can print the tickets. Thanks for your assistance, and we hope to see you at the Fun Fair on March 12.

If you are wondering where we are in the process of the old school building, we are waiting to hear back from the asbestos abatement company to get that process scheduled. After the asbestos is removed, the final preparations will be made prior to demolition.

Jason Smith, Principal

218-346-6190 or sthenryschool@arvig.net



The Parish of St. Henry
extends congratulations to
Harriet Elizabeth
daughter of Kyle & Helen Sonnenberg
who received the Sacrament of
Baptism on January 22nd

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 could really use a guardian are:

Tuesday from 6-7pm
Tuesday from 7-8pm
Wednesday from 6-7am
Wednesday from 1-2pm
Thursday from 2-3pm



Please prayerfully consider giving Jesus an hour of your week in Adoration. If you would be interested in taking a time slot, please call the parish office at 218-346-4240.



Celebrating a Milestone of Marriage?

Honoring Marriage Day will be held on May 6th, 2023 at St. Mary's Cathedral in St. Cloud for couples celebrating 5, 25, 40, 50 or 60 plus years of marriage in 2023. **Please let the parish office know if you are celebrating these anniversary years no later than January 31, so we can send the information to the diocese.**

ST. HENRY



Wed, Feb 1st: Class (Grades 7-11)/Family Faith Formation 6:30PM-7:30PM

Wed, Feb 8th: Class (Grades 7-11) 6:30PM-7:30PM

Wed, Feb 15th: Class (Grades 7-11) 6:30PM-7:30PM

Free meal served every Wednesday there is class from 5:30PM-6:15PM. We are still in need of volunteers for the pre-class meal, please see the sign-up sheet in the narthex or contact Caleb if interested in taking one or multiple dates.

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



Catholic Daughters National Education Contest, sponsored by Court St. Rita #409, open to all youth grades 4 through 12. Entry forms and rules are available at St. Henry's church office or by calling Regent Leanne Stoll at 218-758-3050. All entry forms are due by February 1, 2023.

A Widow's Walk is an informal group for Catholic Widows. Meetings are the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 5:00PM for dinner and fellowship. There will be no February gathering. For more information on future gatherings, please contact Char Holzer at 218-298-0646/benchar@arvig.net or Judy Christopherson at 218-298-0797/jc.myrock@hotmail.com.



Help Needed: We need rosary leaders for the 8:00AM Mass every Sunday, except for the first Sunday of the month.

On March 17-19 at Franciscan Retreat Center in Hankinson, ND, men are invited to a retreat called **Body & Blood, Soul & Divinity**. There will be Rosary, engaging large group talks, small group discussions, Mass, Confession, Eucharistic Adoration, private priest/deacon spiritual direction, a Eucharistic Miracles exhibit and more. Room & meals provided, cost \$300. Register at www.ecclesiadomestica.net/registration or call St. Boniface, Lidgerwood 701-538-4604.

Live with Hunter Pinke
Saturday, February 11th
Lakeside Golf Course

Choose joy & live life with no bad days.

9:00AM-10:00AM: Continental Breakfast

10:00AM-11:00AM: Guest Speaker: Hunter Pinke

If you're interested in attending this FREE event, please RSVP (no later than January 31st) at:
trasmussen@klfamilybrands.com.



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HOLY CROSS UPCOMING EVENTS

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



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 **Saturday, March 4th**, 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 required class, please register through the Parish Office at 346-4240. Pre-registration for the class is required.

Please pray for those in need of healing in our parishes:

Adam Stewart, Dean Salo, Elaine Pietsch, Jean Schmitz, Jesse Erickson, Jim Guck, Joe Berns, Joe Sczygiel, Jon Pauna, Kacie (Pikula) Derkacht, Karen Omberg, Larry Buchholz, Larry Imdieke, Lucille Schik, Marion Jaroszewski, Mary Ann Guck, Mike Ruther, Paul Juen, Renee Doll, Richard Bergeron, Robert Daiker, Ron Wallace, Ruth Moericke, Steve & Sue Loerzel

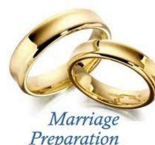
All military personnel, especially: Martin Ara, Greg Hirschey, Sandra Silbernagel, Nicholas Melz, Luke Potts, Zoe McAvoy, Jason Richter, Miguel Martinez, Tanya Robison, Tommy Robison, Steven Sundberg, Tyler Van Watermulen, Andrew Schlosser, Ed Guck

Always remember in prayer our leaders in faith, especially: Pope Francis, Bishop Donald Kettler, Bishop Elect Patrick Neary, Dcn Randy Altstadt, Dcn Richard Quistorff, Fr. George Michael and Fr. Tom Skaja.

New School Capital Campaign Update

Complete Project	\$8,100,000.00
Pledged	\$8,196,735.00
Pledges to be Received	\$619,492.00
Received	\$7,577,243.00
Pledged Monies Received 01-22	\$1,410.00
Households Contributing	350

2023 Marriage Prep Course weekend will be held at St. Henry's on **February 4th, 2023 from 8:00AM-4:30PM**. The fee is \$175.00 per couple. For more information or to register, please contact St. Henry's Parish Office or go to the Diocesan website.



Marriage Preparation

Weekly Bulletin Email List

If you would like to have the bulletin emailed to you each week, please let us know by giving us a call or by email.

Holy Father's Prayer Intention for January

We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.

Readings for the Week

Monday	Heb 11:32-40	Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday	Heb 12:1-4	Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday	Heb 12:4-7, 11-15	Mk 6:1-6
Thursday	Mal 3:1-4	Heb 2:14-18 Lk 2:22-40
Friday	Heb 13:1-8	Mk 6:14-29
Saturday	Heb 13:15-17, 20-21	Mk 6:30-34
Sunday	Is 58:7-10	1 Cor 2:1-5 Mt 5:13-16

You've heard of Mardi Gras...
You've heard of Fat Tuesday...
Now, get ready for the 1st 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 one!*

Sunday, February 19th at 3pm
in the St. Henry's School Gym

Also, stay tuned for the Grand Prize!!!

*Breads, muffins, and cornbread are not only accepted, but encouraged.

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



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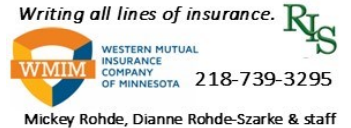
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Stewardship as a Way of Life:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." — Matthew 5:3



The phrase "poor in spirit" can be confusing. Think of it in this sense – poor in spirit means depending on God's providence and not depending on our own self-reliance. Being detached from earthly things (power, money, and comfort) and being attached to heavenly things (charity, sacrifice, and mercy). Denying ourselves from satisfying our desires and helping others obtain their basic needs.

