

Welcome to the WOHVn in Faith Area Catholic Community of:

# Holy Cross, Sacred Heart, St. Rita, & St. Therese



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## Weekend Mass Schedule & Reconciliation Schedule

### Holy Cross (Onamia)

Sunday 9:00 A.M.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

By Appointment

### Sacred Heart (Wahkon)

Saturday 5:00 P.M.

Sunday 8:30

A.M.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:15 P.M. to 4:45 P.M.

### St. Rita's (Hillman)

Saturday 4:00 P.M.

Sunday 10:30

A.M.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:15 P.M. to 3:45 P.M.

### St. Therese (Vineland)

Sunday 11:00

A.M.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

By Appointment

## Vanity of Vanity! All things are Vanity!

Those words are found in today's first reading and they certainly get our attention. They are taken from the Book of Ecclesiastes which is one of the Wisdom books found in the Old Testament. The books of the wisdom literature contain proverbs and wise sayings about life.

So what is the sacred author saying here? He is saying that having a good appearance is futile. And pleasure seeking has no lasting value. And having power over others is meaningless. Why? Because each of the above is temporary. Each of the above will be cancelled out by death.

Does that mean that human existence is hopeless? No. There is one thing that has lasting value. There is one thing that counts. And that is staying close to God. How? By obeying the Ten Commandments and the Two Great Commandments of Love the Lord Thy God and Love Thy Neighbor. If we are close to God in this life He will surround us with His loving arms in the next.

Fr. Jerry Schik, o.s.c.

**JULY 31, 2022 ~ 18<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

# HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

## Worship/Weekly Events

**Saturday, July 30**

NO Mass

**Sunday July 31**

9:00 A.M. Mass

**Monday, August 1**

8:00A.M. Mass

**Tuesday August 2**

8:00 A.M. Mass

**Wednesday August 3**

No Mass

**Thursday August 4**

8:00 A.M. Mass

**Friday August 5**

8:00 A.M. Mass

**Saturday August 6**

No Mass

**Sunday August 7**

9:00 A.M. Mass

Tom & Sue Dominic Anniv. (I. Matz)

**Weekly Meetings:**

**Tuesdays**

6:30 P.M. Rosary in the small Chapel,  
led by the Knights of Columbus.

Everyone is welcome to join us!

**Monthly Meetings:**

**1<sup>st</sup> Thursday**

Mille Lacs Social Concerns Group –  
6:30 P.M. (August 4<sup>th</sup>)

at Sacred Heart, Wahkon

**2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday**

Knights of Columbus 7:30 P.M.

## Finances

### Weekends of 07/24/22

Adult Sunday \$ 1,095.00

Loose Plate \$ 173.00

**WEEKLY TOTAL: \$ 1,268.00**

**Other Collections:**

Coffee Sunday \$ 22.00

**Weekly Meetings:**

NA – Sundays 7:00 P.M.

Recovery Works – Mondays 7:00 P.M.

AA – Thursdays 7:00 P.M.

## Office Hours

Times vary-call to make appt.  
102 N Crosier Drive, PO Box 500  
Onamia, MN 56359  
(320) 532-3122

Website-[wohvn-in-faith.org](http://wohvn-in-faith.org)

Email-[hconamia@gmail.com](mailto:hconamia@gmail.com)

**BULLETIN DEADLINE:** For Holy Cross  
bulletin announcements-Wednesday.  
Contact Kathy at 532-3122 or e-mail  
[hconamia@gmail.com](mailto:hconamia@gmail.com)

**Prayer Line:** Call Gert Lambert  
at 532-3583.

**Faith Formation** Contact Margaret Hitzemann.

**Sunday**

**Lector**

**Euch Min**

**Ushers**

**Greeter**

**Gift Bearers**

**August**

Tim Courteau

2 Ushers Needed

Volunteers Needed

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## Parish News

**Let's get together!** Join us for a snack, some coffee and lots of conversation in Holy Cross Center after mass today! Marty Barr has been taking care of the Coffee Sundays and would welcome some help. If you are able to bring a treat, please give Marty a call at 320-232-5991 and let him know you will be helping him out!

**Fall Fun Fest** - Our festival will soon be here. Save the date of **Sunday, Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>** so you won't miss it! You will be receiving your fun fest packet in the mail shortly. Please keep an eye out for it so you know what's happening. If you have any questions, please call Rita at 763-567-3876.

**Healing Mass Brunch** – Thank you to everyone that helped with the annual St. Odilia Healing Mass Brunch held on July 17<sup>th</sup>. We couldn't have done it without you!

**AUGUST WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES** - Congratulations to all couples celebrating their wedding anniversaries during the month of August: Neil & Kathy Martin 8/2, Roger & Angie Praught 8/17 and Paul & Ann Schneider 8/20/94. **Note:** If you would like your anniversary remembered in the monthly announcement, please contact Kathy at the parish office.

**Holy Cross Cemetery** – If you have placed a memorial at the gravesite of a loved one in Holy Cross Cemetery, please be mindful of the policies posted at the main entrance of the cemetery. Memorials need to be maintained by those who have placed them there. Withered and spent memorials need to be removed in a timely manner. Please help us keep our cemetery a beautiful, peaceful place.

**Please save your Teal's receipts!** If you didn't know, Holy Cross Parish is saving Teal's receipts. Teal's will donate 1% of the money back to Holy Cross from the receipts collected. Don't forget to ask your family and friends to save their receipts for Holy Cross too. Thank you!

**PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED:** Please pray for Stacy Helmin (Daughter of Don & Lisa Nicholas) who died on July 22, 2022. May she live forever with Jesus in the Kingdom of Heaven.

## WOHVn in Faith Area Catholic Community News...

**Adult Faith Formation** - Please join us for a bible study called **The Bible and the Sacraments**. Our next session will be held on **Monday** at 10:15 A.M. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Eucharistic Adoration will be held from 9:00 to 10:00 A.M. Please join us! Contact Sharon Moenkhaus at 763-744-8605 if you have any questions. Everyone is welcome!

**FAITH AS SMALL AS A MUSTARD SEED CAN MOVE MOUNTAINS.** Are you climbing a mountain in your life right now? **CENTRAL MINNESOTA KOINONIA** is a weekend retreat program that commemorates the Paschal Mystery in a community setting. The next weekend is scheduled for September 23-25, 2022, at the TEC Center north of Little Falls, Minnesota. Cost of the weekend is \$70. Go to [www.centralmnkoinonia.org](http://www.centralmnkoinonia.org) for more information and to register for retreats.

# SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

## Worship/Weekly Events

### Saturday, July 30

5:00 P.M. Mass  
+Bob Dungan (A. Miklesh)

### Sunday, July 31

8:30 A.M. Mass  
In Thanksgiving for Gods graces  
and favors (A. Olmsted)

### Monday, August 1

9:00-10:00 A.M.  
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

### Tuesday, August 2

9:00 A.M. Mass

### Friday, August 5

9:00 A.M. Mass

### Saturday, August 6

5:00 P.M. Mass

### Sunday, August 7

8:30 A.M. Mass

### Readings for Sunday, August 7<sup>th</sup>:

Wisdom 18:6-9; Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 &  
Luke 12:32-48.

## Finances

### Weekend of July 24, 2022

Adult Sunday	\$1,290.00
Plate	696.30

**WEEKLY TOTAL** **\$1,986.30**

#### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- 08/01 – Adult Formation 10:15 am
- 08/08 – Knights of Columbus
- 08/09 – Ladies Society
- 08/14 – Annual Bazaar!

*Just a reminder...don't forget...* to save your Teal's receipts and turn them in to the box in the church entry!

#### Office Hours

Fridays – Times vary-call to schedule an appointment.  
225 E 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, PO Box 68  
Wahkon, MN 56386  
(320) 495-3324

Website-[wohvn-in-faith.org](http://wohvn-in-faith.org)

Email - [sacredheart56386@yahoo.com](mailto:sacredheart56386@yahoo.com)

**DEADLINE** For Sacred Heart bulletin announcements-Wednesday.

**Prayer Line:** Call Sharon Moenkhaus at (763)744-8605.

**Faith Formation** Contact Fr. Jerry.

<b>Saturday Lector</b>	<b>August</b> Kendal Hursey
<b>Euch. Min</b>	TBA
<b>Usher</b>	Volunteers Needed

<b>Sunday Lector</b>	<b>August</b> Mary Imhoff
<b>Euch. Min.</b>	TBA
<b>Usher</b>	Volunteers Needed

## Parish News

**LADIES SOCIETY ACADEMIC AWARDS** - The Sacred Heart Ladies Society is offering two \$500 awards for members of Sacred Heart parish who are continuing their education. To qualify you must be starting classes at a college or vocational school in the fall of 2022. Award applications may be picked up at the Ladies Society folder at Sacred Heart Church. Completed applications must be returned to the Ladies Society folder or emailed to [sacredheart56386@yahoo.com](mailto:sacredheart56386@yahoo.com) by **August 1, 2022**.

**Sacred Heart Bazaar 2022** - The Sacred Heart Church annual Bazaar is scheduled for **Sunday, August 14, 2022** immediately after the **10:00 A.M. Mass**. There will be: ham and beef dinner, a country store, cake walk, bottle booth, root beer floats and beverages, bingo, silent auction, live auction and something **NEW!!** Corn Hole competition (bean bag toss). Don't forget to gather items for:

- Bottle Booth
- Silent Auction
- Live Auction (contact Pat Kroll 320-495-3468 w/questions)
- Country Store
- Pie Contest

If you have any questions about the Bazaar, contact Mary Bannick 320-676-1163.

**2022 Raffle Tickets** –Tickets can be purchased at the table in the church entry after weekend masses. **Please** return your ticket stubs and money once they are sold. If you have any questions, please contact Jean Marshik 320-684-2988 or the parish office 320-495-3324.

**AUGUST WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES** - Congratulations to all couples celebrating their wedding anniversaries during the month of August: Patrick & Sharon Moenkhaus 8/8/87, Dick & Joan Westbrook 8/8/70, Jon & Janie Bjornstad 8/10/85, Dawn & Daryl Honnold 8/19/89, Jerry & Joan Crawford 8/27/76 and Harold & Connie Roeschlein 8/27/49. **Note:** If you would like your anniversary remembered in the monthly announcement, please contact Kathy at the parish office.

**GRANT FROM THE BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL** – Sacred Heart Parish has received \$125.00 to help fund the parish's Faith Formation program. Your donations to the Bishop's Annual Appeal also help fund our parish programs!

## WOHVn in Faith Area Catholic Community News...

**Have you always wanted to make a pilgrimage but never taken the time?** Well now is your chance. The St. Cloud Diocesan Council of Catholic Women is hosting a **Eucharistic Pilgrimage** on Thursday, August 4. The day starts with 8 a.m. Mass at St. Louis Bertrand in Foreston, followed by a message from Fr. Derek Wiechmann, tour of the church and chapel, and adoration. Then it's on to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton in Isanti where Fr. Don Wagner will greet us at approx. 11 a.m., followed by a tour, adoration and lunch. The day will conclude at St. Andrew's in Elk River around 2:30 p.m. where Fr. Mark Innocenti will join us for the Divine Mercy Chaplet, tour and adoration. Drive yourself or coach busing is available. Registration is required. Contact Jean Zwilling at (320) 492-7069 to reserve your spot.

## ST. RITA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

### *Worship/Weekly Events*

#### **18th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, July 30**

4:00 p.m. Mass  
+Janet Bujarski

#### **Sunday, July 31**

10:30 a.m. Mass  
+Ed and Mary Beumer

#### **Thursday, August 4**

9:00 a.m. Mass  
+Gene Baniecke

#### **19th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, August 6**

4:00 p.m. Mass  
+John and Anna Hoheisel

#### **Sunday, August 7**

10:30 a.m. Mass  
+JoAnn Hebler

The entire bulletin is online at  
<https://www.wohvn-in-faith.org/>

### *Finances*

#### Weekend of July 23-24

Adult	\$ 858.00
Loose	460.00
Other	<u>58.00</u>
Total	1,376.00

Bazaar results available next week.

**Office Hours**  
Monday/Thursday  
16691 371<sup>st</sup> Avenue  
Hillman, MN 56338  
(320) 277-3807  
Website-[wohvn-in-faith.org](http://www.wohvn-in-faith.org)  
strita@brainerd.net

**Prayer Line:**  
Call Lilah Klaphake, 468-9913

### *Liturgical Assignments*

#### *Saturday, August 6*

**Lector** Sydney Kapsner  
**Comm. Minister** Mike Boser  
**Ushers** John Gotvald/ **Volunteer**

#### *Sunday, August 7*

**Lector** Calvin Beumer  
**Comm. Minister** Jane Barclay  
**Sacristan** Jane Barclay  
**Ushers** Jake Moren/Harvey Brausen  
**Serve** Katie Kruschek

### *Parish News*

#### **Oh Happy Day!**

What a glorious day God gave us for our annual parish bazaar! God gave us so many gifts last Sunday: the finest possible weather, the unexpected and most welcome presence of Bishop Kettler and the great spirit of cheerfulness in all of our volunteers. The generous and cheerful spirit of our teen volunteers was contagious and really caught my attention. I wish to express my sincere appreciation and gratitude to everyone who helped make our parish bazaar and raffle one of the best ever! It is always a wonderful event that people in the surrounding area look forward to every year.

Yes, it was different this year! Different in a most wonderful way as many parishioners traded places and worked in new sections of the bazaar that they had not worked before. I was most pleased to see all the creative thinking that took place and the changes that were made. Thank you to all the parishioners and local businesses who donated items for the raffle, the bingo, the various stands and the auctions. Many, many thanks to everyone who prepared and served the food in the dining hall and at the food counters in the pavilion. Many, many thanks to those who worked at the bingo, the auctions and the stands.

And a most special Thank You to MaKayla Bollig and Cheryl Brambrink for chairing the raffle and Leann Pietrzak and Kari Latterell for chairing this event. Your tireless efforts to pull all this together are deeply appreciated. May God bless everyone for making our parish bazaar such a great success! ...Fr. Jerry

**FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING** – Wednesday, August 10, 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- **CORN BOIL** - Friday, August 5, Immanuel Lutheran Church, Hillman. 4:30 – 7:00 p.m. Janson's sweet corn, hamburgers, desserts and beverage. \$12 for adults, \$5 under age 12, and under age 5 is free.

## ST. THERESE CHURCH

### *Worship/Weekly Events*

**Sunday, July 31**

11:00 A.M.

*On Hwy 169 in Vineland, south of the Grand Casino*  
P.O. Box 26, Onamia, MN 56359  
(320) 532-3601  
Website-[wohvn-in-faith.org](http://www.wohvn-in-faith.org)  
Email-[sttheresevineland@gmail.com](mailto:sttheresevineland@gmail.com)

**Faith Formation:** Contact Holy Cross.

### *Parish News*

**July 31<sup>st</sup> – Trusting God.** “Put yourself in God’s hands; He abandons no one.” – St. Andre Bessette. From *The Wisdom of the Saints*.