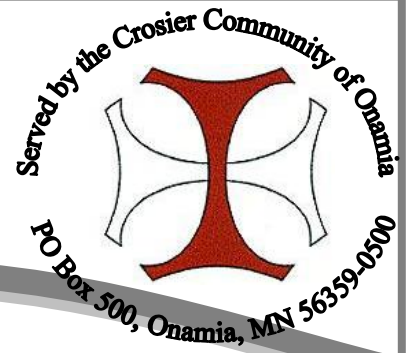


Welcome to the WOHVn in Faith Area Catholic Community of:

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

The Sacrament of Confirmation: March 23, 2025

Fourteen young adults from our Area Catholic Community will be confirmed at St. Joseph's Church in Pierz on March 23 at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend. In the Sacrament of Confirmation, we celebrate the work of the Holy Spirit and the Holy Spirit is always giving us spiritual strength. The work of the Holy Spirit begins in the Sacrament of Baptism. When we are baptized the Holy Spirit strengthens us so that we can live our faith.

The Sacrament of Confirmation is the second sacrament of the Holy Spirit. Confirmation strengthens us so that we can spread the faith by word and deed. In other words, Baptism strengthens us so that we can live as modern day disciples of Christ and Confirmation strengthens us so that we can give witness to our faith.

Please pray for those who will be confirmed: Brady Meyer (Saint Rita's Parish), Kylie Lorentz (Sacred Heart Parish), Ava Rogers (Holy Cross Parish), Tyler Novak (Saint Rita's Parish), Ashton Romann (Sacred Heart Parish), Mackenzie Willman (Saint Rita's Parish), Carson Lorentz (Sacred Heart Parish), Emma Diederich (Saint Rita's Parish), Allie Gadacz (Saint Rita's Parish), Jacob Schoeck (Sacred Heart Parish), Molly Poster (Saint Rita's Parish), Hunter Naplin (Sacred Heart Parish), Kaiya Gotvald (Saint Rita's Parish) and Gabriel Honek (Sacred Heart Parish).

MARCH 9, 2025 ~ 1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Worship/Weekly Events

Saturday, March 8

No Mass

Sunday, March 9

9:00 A.M. Mass

Walter & Annie Zak (M & B Baniecke)

Monday, March 10

8:00 A.M. Mass

Tuesday, March 11

8:00 A.M. Mass

Wednesday, March 12

No Mass

Thursday, March 13

8:00 A.M. Mass

Friday, March 14

8:00 A.M. Mass

Saturday, March 15

No Mass

Sunday, March 16

9:00 A.M. Mass

+Chauncey Myers (B. Myers)

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:

1st Thursday

Mille Lacs Social Concerns Group – 6:30 P.M. (April 3rd) at Holy Cross, Onamia.

Finances

Weekend of 03/02/25

Adult Sunday \$1,045.00

Loose Plate \$ 434.00

WEEKLY TOTAL: \$1,479.00

Other Collections:

HCC Maintenance \$ 349.00

Seminary \$ 165.00

Coffee Sunday \$ 27.00

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.

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BULLETIN DEADLINE: For Holy Cross bulletin announcements-Wednesday evening. Contact Kathy at 532-3122 or e-mail hconamia@gmail.com

Prayer Line: Call Mavonne Prokop at 651-276-3317.

Faith Formation Contact Margaret Hitzemann.

Sunday

Lector

Euch Min

Ushers

Greeter

Gift Bearers

March

Br. Christopher Erran, osc

3Volunteers Needed

2 Ushers Needed

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers Needed

Parish News

Please join us... for a snack, some coffee and lots of conversation in the Holy Cross Center this weekend after mass! Have you considered volunteering to bring a treat or help clean up? If so, please contact Marty Barr at 320-232-5991.

Fish Fry Sign-up: We are planning to have three fish fries at Holy Cross again this Lenten season and need some help! The dates are **March 14 & 28 and April 11**. Sign-up sheets are available in the Narthex. Got questions? Call Bob Pete at 320-532-4383.

Prayers for the Deceased: Please pray for Nancy Zaske who died February 7th. Funeral mass will be on Saturday, March 15th at 10:30 A.M. with visitation at 9:30 A.M. Luncheon following in Holy Cross Center. May she live forever with Jesus in the Kingdom of Heaven.

Did you know, that every Tuesday night at 6:30 P.M. the Knights of Columbus lead the Rosary in the small Chapel? Everyone is welcome!

Prayers for the Deceased: Please pray for Ronald Fisher who died on March 5th. Funeral services will be on March 14th at Sacred Heart Church, Wahkon. Visitation will be from 1:00 – 2:00 p.m., Memorial Service at 2:00 p.m. with luncheon following. May he live forever with Jesus in the Kingdom of Heaven.

Don't forget... don't forget to save and turn in your Teal's receipts.

HOLY CROSS PARKING - During Sunday Mass or weekend/after working hours events, feel free to park in all Mille Lacs Health System spots marked REHAB, PATIENT, or VISITOR. These signs are designated for weekday use. However, please DO NOT park in spots marked EMERGENCY or LAKE SONG.



Like us on Facebook: [Holy Cross Catholic Church, Onamia MN](https://www.facebook.com/HolyCrossCatholicChurchOnamiaMN)

WOHVn in Faith Area Catholic Community News...

Just a note... A Lenten letter from Fr. Marv and Fr. Jerry was mailed out to all parishioners. There was also a Calendar of Events for Lent and Holy Week on the other side of the letter. Extra copies are available at all ACC parishes.

FISH FRIES AT SACRED HEART AND HOLY CROSS!

Our "Fish Fry" rotation has begun! The Fish Fries are from 4:30-7 P.M. Mark your calendars for the following fish fry dates:

SACRED HEART: MAR. 21, APR. 4

HOLY CROSS: MAR. 14 & 28, APR. 11

NOTE: Stations of the Cross will be held at 4:00 P.M. at the church where the fish fry is being held.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

Worship/Weekly Events

Saturday, March 8

5:00 P.M. Mass
+Gerald Herman (Ladies Society)

Sunday, March 9

8:30 A.M. Mass
+MaryAnn Karg (Ladies Society)

Monday, March 10

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

Tuesday, March 11

9:00 A.M. Mass
Health of Robert Larson Sr. (L. Hasser)

Saturday, March 15

5:00 P.M. Mass
Confirmation Class

Sunday, March 16

8:30 A.M. Mass
+Stella

Readings for Sunday, March 16th:

Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18;
Philippians 3:17-4:1 & Luke 9:28b-36.

Office Hours

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

Website-wohvn-in-faith.org

Email - sacredheart56386@yahoo.com

DEADLINE For Sacred Heart bulletin announcements-Wednesday.

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

Faith Formation Contact Fr. Jerry

Saturday

Lector
Euch. Min.
Ushers

March

Midge Robinson
3 Ministers Needed
Ushers Needed

Sunday

Lector
Euch. Min.
Ushers

March

Cyrilla Bauer
3 Ministers Needed
Ushers Needed

Parish News

Faith Formation - Our next Faith Formation will meet Sunday, **March 16th**, beginning with mass at 8:30 A.M., hospitality after mass and class from 9:45 A.M. until 11:00 A.M. If you have any questions, please contact Kendal Hursey at 320-364-0205.

Summer Fest (formerly Bazaar) Planning Meeting. **Everyone** is welcome to join us as we continue planning our Summer Fest! Meeting will be held in the dining hall at 6:30 P.M. on Wednesday, March 19th.

Hey all you crafty people! During this quieter season, take the opportunity to start planning for any “crafty” donations you may want to create for our Summer Fest. Before you know it, summer will be here!

Birthday Celebration! Please join us on Sunday, March 23rd in the Sacred Heart dining hall from 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. for Frank Kacon’s 80th Birthday! Your **PRESENCE** is your gift!

Thank you! Thank you to everyone that joined us last Saturday for our **Mardi Gras** Potluck, what a wonderful time and great food!

Just a reminder...don't forget... don't forget to save your Teal's receipts.

Finances

Weekend of March 2, 2025

Adult Sunday	\$ 1,605.00
Plate	\$ 5,075.00
Rice Bowl	\$ 5.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 10.00
Seminary	\$ 265.00
WEEKLY TOTAL	\$ 6,960.00

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **03/10** – Knights
- **03/11** – Ladies Society Meeting
- **03/16** – Faith Formation
- **03/19** – Summer Fest Mtg.
- **03/23** – Frank’s Party!

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CRS Rice Bowl - Each Lent, Catholic families across the country unite to put their faith into action through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Through CRS Rice Bowl, families learn about how our sisters and brothers across the globe overcome hardships like hunger and malnutrition, and how through Lenten alms, we have the power to make the world a better place for all.

CRS Rice Bowl shares stories of hope from CRS’ work around the world. These stories are examples of how your Lenten alms are helping communities find solutions to problems like hunger and malnutrition. Take a virtual journey with us to Madagascar, El Salvador and Timor-Leste! Don’t forget to try the meatless recipes each Friday during Lent. Go to www.crsricebowl.org for videos, www.crsricebowl.org/recipe recipes and you can also sign-up for weekly Lenten resources.

Harvest of the Earth Community Dinner –The Harvest of the Earth Community Dinner is held on the **SECOND WEDNESDAY** of each month from 6-7 P.M. during the school year and there is no cost for the meal. We invite every member of our community to come and dine with us! The next dinner will be on Wednesday, March 12th, hosted by Mille Lacs Health System. Don’t forget to mark your calendars!

ST. RITA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Worship/Weekly Events

Saturday, March 8
4:00 p.m. Mass
+Rueben and Madeline Hoheisel

Sunday, March 9
10:30 a.m. Mass
+Rita and Greg Kruschek

Tuesday, March 11
8:00 a.m. Mass
Faith and Hope

Wednesday, March 12
8:00 a.m. Mass
Stations of the Cross
7:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 13
8:00 a.m. Mass
+Clarence and Judie Stangl

Friday, March 14
8:00 a.m. Mass
Christian Women

Saturday, March 15
4:00 p.m. Mass
+Bob Ferche

Sunday, March 16
10:30 a.m. Mass
+Sam Gotvald

Office Hours: Hours Vary
Please Call
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wohvn-in-faith.org

Prayer Line:
Lilah Klaphake (320) 468-9913

Liturgical Assignments

***Saturday, March 15**
Lector: Sydney Kapsner
Euch. Ministers: Deb Gall
Ushers: Richard Tretter/Volunteer

***Sunday, March 16**
Lector: Calvin Beumer
Euch. Ministers: Raneyl Moren
Deb Novak/Jim Beumer
Sacristan: Raneyl Moren
Ushers: Jake Mren/Volunteer
Servers: Amanda Gotvald/Volunteer

Parish News

A Funeral Mass was held in honor of Marvin Hayes on Saturday, March 8, may he rest in eternal peace. Please keep Marvin's family in your prayers asking the Lord to grant them peace and comfort.

Bazaar Raffle Donations: We have started the process of getting donations for our Annual Bazaar Raffle. If you would like to donate for the raffle, please have them turned in to the Parish Office by April 11th for printing purposes.

Parish Life Meeting: Tuesday, March 11th starting at 6:30 p.m. with the **Finance Council** meeting to follow in the Parish Center.

Stations of the Cross: will be on the following Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. - March 12, 19, 26 and April 2 & 9

Prayer blankets are available and have been lovingly created to provide comfort and peace if you or a loved one are experiencing illness or challenging times. Blankets are available at no cost and are offered with love and prayers from our parish community. If you or someone you know would like to receive a prayer blanket, please contact the parish office.

"The Lord measures out perfection neither by the multitude nor the magnitude of our deeds, but by the manner in which we perform them."
- St. John of the Cross

Finances

Weekend of March 2, 2025

Adult	\$ 1,100.00
Loose	\$ 1,233.00
Votive Stands	\$ 23.00
Total	\$ 2,356.00
FF Birthday Donation	\$ 60.00
Quilt Raffle Tickets	\$ 200.00
Other	\$ 500.00

ST. THERESE CHURCH

Worship/Weekly Events

Sunday, March 9, 2025
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
Email-sttheresevineland@gmail.com

Faith Formation: Contact Holy Cross.

Finances

Weekend of March 2

Adult	\$ 70.00
Loose	\$ 60.28
Total	\$ 130.28

Parish News

March 9 – Let us pray for peace, joy, and love. We are reminded that Jesus came to bring the good news: "My peace I leave with you, my peace I give you." He came not to give the peace of the world which is only that we do not harm each other. He came to give the peace of heart which comes from loving-from doing good to others. From *Do Something Beautiful for God* The Essential Teachings of Mother Teresa.