

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

## A Message from Bishop Neary

I am writing to you about the humanitarian crisis in Gaza. Our church mourns the terrible suffering of so many innocent victims of violence: children and adults who are struggling to find adequate food and shelter and live with dignity in dire conditions. Our Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV, continues to call for a cease fire and for aid to enter the territory, noting with great sorrow that "Gaza is starving."

The people of our diocese always respond with generosity when the need is great. To show our solidarity with our brothers and sisters who are suffering, I ask that every parish in the diocese take up a special collection on the weekend of **August 23-24**. The proceeds will be split between Catholic Relief Services and the Catholic Near East Welfare Association. Both agencies are providing vital emergency services to people in need. I am grateful for your generous response and prayers for those in need.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Bishop Patrick M. Neary, C.S.C.,  
Diocese of Saint Cloud

# HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

## *Worship/Weekly Events*

**Saturday, August 16**

No Mass

**Sunday, August 17**

9:00 A.M. Mass

+Jerry Athman (J. Athman)

**Monday, August 18**

8:00 A.M. Mass

**Tuesday, August 19**

8:00 A.M. Mass

**Wednesday, August 20**

No Mass

**Thursday, August 21**

8:00 A.M. Mass

**Friday, August 22**

8:00 A.M.

**Saturday, August 23**

No Mass

**Sunday, August 24**

9:00 A.M. Mass

+Chris Athman (J. Athman)

**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. (September 4<sup>th</sup>)  
at Holy Cross, Onamia.

## *Finances*

### Weekend of 08/10/25

Adult Sunday \$ 1,135.00

Loose Plate 344.00

**WEEKLY TOTAL: \$ 1,479.00**

**Other Collections:**

Coffee Sunday \$ 20.00

HCC Maintenance \$ 130.00

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

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

**August**

Rita Johnson

3Volunteers Needed

2 Ushers Needed

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers Needed

## *Parish News*

**Please join us...**after Mass in Holy Cross Center for coffee, refreshments, treats and LOTS of conversation! If you would like to help with this coffee Sunday ministry, please contact Marty Barr at 320-232-5991.

**All Things New Discovery Sessions** – Make plans to attend one of our All Things New discovery sessions. See the Community News section for dates and times.

**Storage shed needed** – The Holy Cross Cemetery board is looking for a small storage shed to store tools and other items needed to perform minimal maintenance tasks for the cemetery grounds. They are looking for something no smaller than 6'x 6' and no bigger than 8' x 10' with a door opening of at least 36". If you have a small shed that you would like to donate, please contact the parish office. Thank you!

**Fall Fun Fest Help Needed** – We know that it is a few weeks away (*Sept. 7<sup>th</sup>* to be exact!) but we are gathering the needed help for our Fall Fun Fest. There are tables in the Narthex with lists of areas that need workers as well as chances on a beautiful quilt and a party tub! Please stop by and see where your talents can be put to work!

**Fall Fun Fest Meeting** – The next Fall Fun Fest meeting will be Wednesday, August 27<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 p.m. Mark your calendars!

**Choir Practice** – On Sunday, September 7<sup>th</sup> we will celebrate our Fall Fun Fest and on Sunday, September 14<sup>th</sup> the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. Choir practices will be held on the Thursdays of August 28<sup>th</sup>, September 4<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 P.M. Please join us for choir practice if you are planning to help with any of these liturgies.

**Don't forget...**to save your Teal's receipts!



Like us on Facebook: Holy Cross Catholic Church, Onamia MN

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

**ACC Pastoral Administrator Position** – We are accepting resumes for the WOHVn-in-Faith ACC Pastoral Administrator position. A copy of the job description can be found at all WOHVn-in-Faith parishes. Interested? Email your resume or direct any questions you may have to Wendy Tretter at [wtretter@crosier.org](mailto:wtretter@crosier.org).

**Keep in Touch!** – You can find the current bulletin on line each week by visiting our website at <https://www.wohvn-in-faith.org/weeklybulletin>

# SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

## Worship/Weekly Events

### Saturday August 16

5:00 P.M. Mass

Health of Sharon Quast (C. Roeschlein)

### Sunday, August 17

8:30 A.M. Mass

### Monday, August 18

9:00 A.M.-10:00 A.M.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

### Tuesday, August 19

9:00 A.M. Mass

### Saturday August 23

5:00 P.M. Mass

### Sunday, August 24

8:30 A.M. Mass

### Readings for Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup>:

Isaiah 66:18-21; Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13  
& Luke 13:22-30.

## Finances

### Weekend of August 3, 2025

Adult Sunday	\$ 1,870.00
Plate	\$ 741.00
<b>WEEKLY TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 2,611.00</b>

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **08/16** – Summer Celebration!
- **08/20** – All Things New

## Office Hours

Fridays – Times vary-call to schedule an appointment.

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Wahkon, MN 56386

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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**

### August

Kendal Hursey

3 Ministers Needed

Ushers Needed

### Sunday

**Lector**

**Euch. Min.**

**Ushers**

### August

Mary Imhoff

3 Ministers Needed

Ushers Needed

## Parish News

**Thank you!!!** Thank you to everyone that joined us for our Summer Celebration on Saturday, August 16<sup>th</sup>! We are grateful for the support in this important parish fundraiser. We especially appreciate all that worked so hard to make it happen!

**LADIES SOCIETY ACADEMIC AWARDS** - This year 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 2025. 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 September 1, 2025.

**All Things New Discovery Sessions** – Make plans to attend one of our All Things New discovery sessions. See the Community News section for dates and times.

**MASS INTENTIONS** - Each liturgy has a special intention and this can vary from celebrating the Eucharist for all the parishioners of the Area Catholic Community, to a special intention, or a special occasion like an anniversary, wedding, successful acceptance of employment, etc. These intentions can also be in memory of someone deceased, or in thanksgiving for various blessings from God. Requests and \$10 donation can be placed in the collection basket or at parish office.

**Don't forget...**to save your Teal's receipts!

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

**Prayers for the Deceased:** Please pray for Char Blomer who passed away on August 10<sup>th</sup>. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 6<sup>th</sup> at Sacred Heart Church, Wahkon. Visitation will begin at 10:00 a.m., followed by the Funeral at 11:00 a.m. and a luncheon afterward. May she live forever with Jesus in the Kingdom of Heaven.

**Concerning the All Things New Planning Process** - We will be holding a series of Discovery Sessions, across our Area Catholic Community to ensure everyone has the opportunity to attend. Please note that each session will cover the same material, so you only need to attend one of the meetings. Hopefully one of these meeting dates will fit into your schedule. Meeting Details:

Tuesday, August 19<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 P.M. – Holy Cross Dining Hall

Wednesday, August 20<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 P.M. – Sacred Heart Dining Hall

Wednesday, August 27<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 P.M. – St. Rita Parish Center

These meetings are intended to share information from the planning process of the WOHVn-in-Faith All Things New Committee. If you have any questions or need help choosing a session, feel free to reach out to Fr. Marv or Fr. Jerry.

**Senior Day at the ROC!** All Seniors in the Mille Lacs Area, you are invited to the Ralph Olson Center (ROC) in Onamia on **Wednesday, August 27<sup>th</sup>** from 11:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. We will have a warm lunch, dessert, exercise, door prizes and more! This event is hosted by the Mille Lacs Area Senior Activities group. If you would like to go and need a ride, please call the Community Activities Director at: 320-532-6829 or Alice Nickolay at 612-760-1333. We look forward to seeing you!

## ST. RITA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

### Worship/Weekly Events

#### Saturday, August 16

4:00 p.m. Mass  
+ Deceased Members of the  
Bert Tomala family

#### Sunday, August 17

10:30 a.m. Mass  
+ John and Clara Gotvald

#### Tuesday, August 19

8:00 a.m. Mass

#### Wednesday, August 20

8:00 a.m. Mass

#### Thursday, August 21

8:00 a.m. Mass  
+Marvin Hayes

#### Friday, August 22

8:00 a.m. Mass

#### Saturday, August 23

4:00 p.m. Mass  
+Margie Gotvald

#### Sunday, August 24

10:30 a.m. Mass  
+Melody Hayes

### Parish Office Hours

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Hillman, MN 56338  
(320) 277-3594  
strita@brainerd.net  
wohvn-in-faith.org

### Prayer Line:

Lilah Klaphake (320) 468-9913

### Liturgical Assignments

#### \*Saturday, August 23

Lector: Peggy Koscielniak  
Euch. Minister: Shannon Coyle  
Ushers: John Gotvald/Volunteer  
Server: Margaret Gjerde

#### \*Sunday, August 24

Lector: Renee Kruschek  
Euch. Ministers: Tom Kruschek  
Deb Novak /Raneyl Moren  
Sacristan: Kruscheks  
Ushers: Jake Moren/Volunteer  
Servers: Katie K./Volunteer

### Parish News

**Faith Formation** is almost here! Be on the lookout – Faith Formation letters are on their way! Please return them promptly so we can prepare for an amazing year ahead. Mark your calendars: Our first session kicks off on September 13th at 8:30 AM with a beautiful celebration of Mass. We are asking parents to attend the first Mass along with a brief meeting. All children are welcome – come grow in faith, friendship, and fun! We can't wait to see you there! If you are new to the parish and would like to register your children, please contact the parish office.

**Bone Builders Schedule Update.** Please note that Bone Builders will be on break for the next three weeks and will resume on September 8. We look forward to seeing you then! Stay active and healthy in the meantime!

**All Things New: Discovery Sessions.** You're invited to attend one of our upcoming sessions to learn more about the planning process for our Area Catholic Community (ACC). These sessions are a great opportunity to stay informed and involved!

Available Dates & Locations:

- August 19 at 7:00 PM – *Holy Cross*
- August 20 at 7:00 PM – *Sacred Heart*
- August 27 at 7:00 PM – *St. Rita*

Make plans to join us – we hope to see you there!

**Bazaar Success Update!** While we're still waiting on a few final receipts and payouts from the stands, we're thrilled to share that the Bazaar was a tremendous success! As of bulletin printing, the net profit stands at \$29,573.06! A heartfelt thank you to everyone who volunteered, donated, and participated in making this incredible day possible. We couldn't have done it without you!

### Finances

#### Weekend of August 10, 2025

Adult	\$ 1,521.00
Loose	\$ 944.00
Votive Stands	\$ 28.00
Total	\$ 2,493.00

Reimbursements \$ 6,255.30

## ST. THERESE CHURCH

### Worship/Weekly Events

#### Sunday, August 17, 2025

11:00 A.M. Mass  
+Ed Vidmar

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://wohvn-in-faith.org)  
Email-[sttheresevineland@gmail.com](mailto:sttheresevineland@gmail.com)

**Faith Formation:** Contact Holy Cross.

### Finances

#### Weekend of August 10, 2025

Adult	\$ 190.00
Loose	\$ 280.39
Total	\$ 470.39

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