



WOHVn-in-Faith

Area Catholic Community

Holy Cross, Sacred Heart, St. Rita, and St. Therese

The Presence of Christ

The Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist is sometimes called the Mass of the Lord's Supper. Our Church has chosen those words carefully. It is the Lord's Supper. The owner of this sacred meal is Jesus of Nazareth, our Lord and Saviour. He is with us as our host.

Our Church says that Jesus is with us in four ways. He is present in our faith community, in the proclamation of Sacred Scripture, in the priest and in the bread and wine which have been sanctified and transformed into the Body and Blood of Christ.

Each of these ways of being present is the real presence of Christ. And each of these ways of being present offers us an unique opportunity to recognize Christ in our midst. Please look for the Lord in his four ways of being present whenever you celebrate the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist

Fr. Jerry Schik, OSC

Office Hours

ACC office hours are **9-3 Mondays through Thursdays** at Holy Cross. Please call the ACC office at 320-532-3122 to make an appointment outside of these hours.

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September 27, 2026 - 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Events

September 26th - October 4th

26 Saturday	Sacrament of Reconciliation - St. Rita Mass - St. Rita (+Ed & Hildegard Kimman)	3:15 pm 4:00 pm
27 Sunday	Mass - Sacred Heart (+Jerry Crawford) Mass - Holy Cross (+Ron Schmidt) Mass - St. Rita (+Matt & Irene Luberts) Mass - St. Therese (+Rose Preimesberger)	8:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 11:00 am
28 Monday	Mass - Holy Cross Adoration - Sacred Heart (Small Chapel)	8:00 am 9:00 am
29 Tuesday	Mass - Holy Cross Mass - St. Rita Mass - Sacred Heart Rosary - Holy Cross-Small Chapel	8:00 am 8:00 am 9:00 am 6:30 pm
30 Wednesday	Mass - St. Rita Mass - Holy Cross funeral mass	8:00 am 11:00 am
01 Thursday	Mass - Holy Cross Mass - St. Rita	8:00 am 11:00 am
02 Friday	Mass - Holy Cross Mass - St. Rita	8:00 am 8:00 am
03 Saturday	Sacrament of Reconciliation - St. Rita Mass - St. Rita (+Leo & Rita Sociech)	3:15 pm 4:00 pm
04 Sunday	Mass - Sacred Heart (+Jerry Crawford) Mass - Holy Cross (+Ron Schmidt) Mass - St. Rita (+Rose & Duane Hoffman) Mass - St. Therese (+Rose Preimesberger)	8:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 11:00 am

Quilt Bingo



Sacred Heart

Today!! September 27th at 1:00 P.M. There will be two sets of 10 games \$5/card for each set of 10 games! There will also be two additional games at \$3/card for both games! *1st game \$100 cash prize – 2nd game 'hand- quilted' quilt! Free lunch is served after the games and door prizes. Mark your calendar!

****Sandwiches will be made after 8:30 A.M. mass on Sunday, September 27th.****



Cemetery clean-up

St. Rita's

The cemetery will need to be cleaned up by Oct. 15th.

Please remove any decorations and memorials that have been placed as we ready the grounds for upcoming winter season

Eucharistic Adoration



Sacred Heart

Adoration offers us a chance to "slow down and listen" to Jesus. Eucharistic Adoration is being held at Sacred Heart Church in the side Chapel on Mondays at 9:00 am. Please join us!

Next Sunday's Readings:

October 4th - 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 5:1-7

Philippians 4:6-9

Matthew 21:33-43



Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays

St. Rita 3:15 pm

By Appointment (call 320-532-3122)

Holy Cross

Sacred Heart

St. Therese

Events/WOHVn News

Quilting Group

St. Rita

The St Rita's quilt group is looking for help to make quilts for quilt bingo. Whether you are a quilter or willing to learn, please join when you can. The group will meet in church hall on **Sept 29th from 4pm - 8pm**. All tools & supplies are provided. Bring a potluck item to share. Any questions contact Sandy (320) 223- 1105 or Lesti (320) 291-9064.

Summer (Fall) Celebration

Sacred Heart

Our Summer (Fall) Celebration is set for **Saturday, November 7, 2026**. Our **Giving Tree** is on the window in the church entry. To help support this event, even though you are gone, just grab a sticker and return it with the donation listed. Also, the **raffle tickets** are ready, so grab your packet on the table in the entry!

Take a weekend away at TEC

Belle Prairie

Who? YOU and it's not too late to sign up!

What? TEC (Together Encounter Christ) is a three-day retreat for both youth (age 16+) and adults. Discover more about yourself, and deepen your relationship with Christ. Step away from the normal rhythm of life this summer and experience something meaningful, restorative, and real.

When? Oct. 16-18 (Fri-Sun); Jan. 1-3 (Fri-Sun)

Where: Central Minnesota TEC in Belle Prairie (just north of Little Falls)

Visit: www.cmtec.org or call (320) 532-4455 for cost and registration information (scholarships are available - contact the parish office at (320) 532-3122)

Questions about TEC? Ask someone who's been there: Tim Honek, Margaret Hitzemann, Kathy Lundeen, Br. Christopher, Marge Agnew, Paul Dickson, Amanda Gjerde, Shellie Athman, and Tracy Sam.



Sacred Heart Faith Formation

Sacred Heart

Sacred Heart Parish will be offering Faith Formation Classes beginning on September 20th. There will be hospitality after 8:30 mass (all parishioners are invited to join us!) and classes will run from 10:00-11:15.

The dates through December are:

September 20th, October 25th, November 22nd
December 13 (Nativity Reading and Christmas sing-a-long beginning at 10:00)

For more information please contact Jen at 320-330-0365.

Fall Fun Fest is 1 week away!!

Holy Cross

There will only be one mass next week Oct. 4th at 10:30.

No 9:00 am mass.

IMPORTANT - Volunteers still needed!

Please visit the table in the Narthax to see how you can help.

Bring items for the Country Store & Sweet Shop no later than 11 am on Saturday Oct. 3rd.

Remind your Bingo friends that the winners receive \$10 cash or gift card.



St. Rita Faith Formation

St. Rita

St. Rita's Faith Formation class dates:

October 24	November 21	December 12
January 9	February 6	March 13
April 10	May 8	

Class times are **8:30 am - 12:00 pm**

WOHVn News

Finances

Weekend of September 20, 2026

Sacred Heart 9/13 & 9/20

Adult	\$ 2,445.00
Plate	1,129.65
Other (Cemetery Maintenance)	305.00
Weekly Total:	\$ 3,879.65

Holy Cross

Adult	\$ 755.00
Plate	380.00
Other (Cem. Maint., HCC Usage)	28.00
Weekly Total:	\$ 1,163.00

St. Rita

Adult	\$ 1,056.00
Plate	1,996.00
Other (Votives, Hosp., Hall Usage)	694.00
Weekly Total:	\$ 3,746.00

St. Therese

Adult	\$ 552.18
Plate	135.00
Other (Votives)	0.00
Weekly Total:	\$ 687.18

Remember the Food Shelf

St. Rita

Hunger does not take a vacation! Besides food, personal care items such as deodorant, shampoo, body soap, tooth brushes, and toothpaste are also needed. We also accept fresh produce or cash donations. Cash/check donations can be placed in the offering baskets in an envelope marked "Pierz Food Shelf donation". You can also stop in at the Pierz Food shelf on Mondays from 9-11 a.m. or 5-7 p.m., located 220 Main St. S. Apt. 5 (The old Library building next to the Pierz fire hall and Frosty's bar and grill) or call 320- 468-7134 for more information.

Confirmation Classes

WOHVn in Faith ACC

Our Confirmation program has begun. If you were unable to join us last Wednesday, Sept. 16th, our next class will be held **Wednesday, Sept. 30th at 7:00 pm** in Holy Cross Center, Onamia. Families with juniors and seniors interested in joining the classes, should contact Fr. Jerry or the parish office at 320- 532-3122 to let us know you will be attending.

Bulletin Announcements

All WOHVn in Faith Parishes

Bulletin Announcements – Any parish group, person or organization wishing to have an announcement added to our weekly bulletin, please send to wohvnbusinessmanager@gmail.com by **noon on Wednesday**. Thanks!

At a Glance

Recurringgatheringsheld on-site

Social Concerns - 1st Sunday after 9 am Mass (Holy Cross)
KC Father Hennepin - 2nd Monday, 6 pm (Sacred Heart)
Ladies Society - 2nd Tuesday, 9 am (Sacred Heart)
KC St. Joseph - 2nd Tuesday, 7 pm (St. Rita)
NA - Sundays, 7 pm (Holy Cross)
Recovery Works - Mondays, 7:00 pm (Holy Cross)
AA - Thursdays, 7 pm (Holy Cross)

Find the weekly bulletin online at

<https://www.wohvn-in-faith.org/weeklybulletin>

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