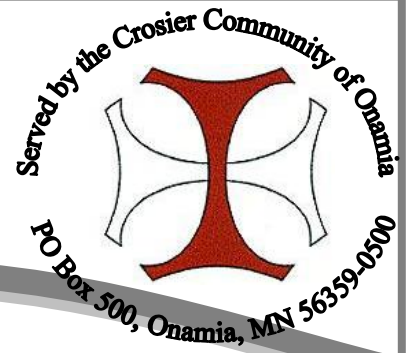


Welcome to the WOHVn in Faith Area Catholic Community of:

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 Mother's Love

Mary loved Jesus unconditionally. She loved him when she had to protect him from the brutality of King Herod when he tried to kill all the baby boys in his kingdom. She loved him when he caused her great pain by staying behind in the Temple without telling her about his plan. She loved him when he was crucified and all she could do was to stand at the cross helplessly while he died a most painful death.

Mary loved her son unconditionally; but she also challenged him to love others. When the bride and groom at the wedding feast of Cana were upset because they ran out of wine, Mary challenged Jesus to do something for them. The story of Cana is not a pleasant one to listen to because Mary and Jesus are throwing some harsh words at each other. But the bottom-line message is clear: Mary was challenging her son to love his neighbors by using his divine power to serve people in need. When all is said and done, Mary is the prototype of all mothers. She loves her child unconditionally and she challenges her child to find joy in life by loving others.

Mission Coop Plan

Each year each parish in our ACC receives a message about the Crosier missions. Father Robert Rossi, OSC, spoke at Saint Rita Parish in April. Next weekend he will speak at Holy Cross Parish and Father Moise, OSC, will speak at Sacred Heart Parish and Saint Therese Parish. Please show your support for the missions.

Our New Shepherd

Let us hold in prayer our new Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV. He is our first American pope and the first pope from the Order of Saint Augustine. Many religious orders, including the Crosier Order, follow the Rule of Saint Augustine. The first sentence of his rule calls for Harmony in the House. It says: "Before all else, love God and then your neighbor, because these are the chief commandments given to us." In that spirit, we extend a warm welcome to our new Holy Father! May the Holy Spirit guide Pope Leo in his mission to bring unity, hope and healing to our divided Church and world.

Father Marv and Father Jerry

HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Worship/Weekly Events

Saturday, May 10

No Mass

Sunday, May 11-Mother's Day

9:00 A.M. Mass

+Carol Bitzan (L & L Gravel)

Monday, May 12

8:00 A.M. Mass

Tuesday, May 13

8:00 A.M. Mass

Wednesday, May 14

No Mass

Thursday, May 15

8:00 A.M. Mass

Friday, May 16

8:00 A.M.

Saturday, May 17

No Mass

Sunday, May 18

9:00 A.M. Mass

+Fr. Jim Remmerswaal, osc

(M & B Milton)

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. (June 5th) at Holy Cross, Onamia.

Finances

Weekend of 05/04/25

Adult Sunday/Easter \$ 1,085.00

Loose Plate 267.00

WEEKLY TOTAL: \$ 1,352.00

Other Collections:

Coffee Sunday \$ 30.00

HCC Maintenance \$ 410.00

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

May

Rita Johnson

3Volunteers Needed

2 Ushers Needed

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers Needed

Parish News

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

Elevator issues – As many of you have noticed, the elevator is not working. There was something about a squirrel on the power line, a power surge and poof, two boards went out. Now we wait for the parts that have been ordered to come in and then get fixed. For those that need ramp access to the church, please let the parish know and we can get you wheeled in another way. Thank you for your patience!

May Devotions - On Tuesday, May 27th at 7:00 P.M., Holy Cross Parish and the Knights of Columbus will hold May Devotions in the church. Devotions consist of the Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Everyone is invited to participate in these devotions to honor Jesus and his blessed mother.

MAY WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES - Congratulations to all couples celebrating anniversaries during the month of May: Doug & Joan Leach 5/2, Frank & Diane Ksiazek 5/6, Ed & Betty Gibas 5/19/56 and Alan & Margaret Dykstra 5/27. **Note:** If you would like your anniversary remembered in the monthly announcement, please contact Kathy at the parish office.

Celebration for Fr. Jerry – Fr. Jerry's 50th anniversary of Ordination will be celebrated at Holy Cross on Sunday, June 22nd after 9:00 a.m. mass. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend!

Spring is here; it's time freshen things up! Our Holy Cross Center kitchen needs a deep cleaning and the tables & chairs need to be pressure washed as well. This project would be a good way to use your time and talents to help your parish family! Please let Kathy or Amanda Gjerde know that you would be available to help by contacting the parish office.

Happy Mother's Day!

WOHVn in Faith Area Catholic Community News...

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 and final dinner before summer is **Wednesday, May 14th**, hosted by the Onamia Lions. Don't forget to mark your calendars!

How does your pet greet you when you get home? Are you that excited to greet Jesus at Mass? **CENTRAL MINNESOTA KOINONIA** is a weekend Catholic retreat program for adults 18 & older, sponsored by the St Cloud Diocese and is designed to help you on your faith journey. The next retreat is scheduled for **May 16-18**, at the TEC Center north of Little Falls. Cost of the weekend is \$70. Go to www.centralmnkoinonia.org for more information and to register for retreats.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

Worship/Weekly Events

Saturday May 10

5:00 P.M. Mass
Lila Hassler (K&G Kroll)

Sunday, May 11 – Mother’s Day

8:30 A.M. Mass
Mothers of Bob & Cheryl Larson

Monday, May 12

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

Tuesday, May 13

9:00 A.M. Mass

Saturday May 17

5:00 P.M. Mass
Health of Connie Roeschlein (L. Hassert)

Sunday, May 18

8:30 A.M. Mass
+Jack Walicki (N. Walicki)

Readings for Sunday, May 18th:

Acts 14:21-27; Revelation 21:1-5a & John 13:31-33a, 34-35.

Finances

Weekends of April 27 & May 4, 2025

Adult Sunday	\$ 3,673.00
Plate	\$ 877.00
Good Friday/Holy Land	\$ 25.00
Home Missions	\$ 380.00
WEEKLY TOTAL	\$ 4,955.00

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- 05/11 – Mother’s Day!
- 05/12 – Knights of Columbus
- 05/13 – Ladies Society
- 05/14 – Summer Fest Meeting

Office Hours

Fridays – Times vary-call to schedule an appointment.
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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 **May**
Lector Gerry Kroll
Euch. Min. 3 Ministers Needed
Ushers Ushers Needed

Sunday **May**
Lector Bea Searles
Euch. Min. 3 Ministers Needed
Ushers Ushers Needed

Parish News

Faith Formation – May 18th last class – Rosary at 8:10 a.m., 8:30 a.m. Mass, class until 11:00 a.m. with a family picnic/potluck after class. Bring a dessert or side to share!

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ROSARY IN MAY - Please join the Knights of Columbus in honoring Jesus and his mother Mary by praying the Rosary 20 minutes before each weekend mass during the month of May.

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, May 14th.

Thanks for saving your receipts! Thank you to everyone that has turned in their Teal’s receipts. Teal’s donates 1% of the money back to Sacred Heart from the receipts collected. There is a box for Teal’s receipts in the church entry so keep on saving! Thank you!

Memorial Day Weekend 2nd Collection for Sacred Heart Cemetery – On the weekend of, May 24/25 we will have a second collection to help support the current operating expenses and the perpetual care fund for our cemetery. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

Happy Mother’s Day!

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Mother’s Day Baby Bottle Campaign begins today! – On this Mother’s Day, our WOHVn-in Faith parishes will join other area churches in participating in the Baby Bottle Campaign to support the Rum River Life Choices Center. As they celebrate their 41st anniversary, let’s help them raise \$26,000 for this important pro-life ministry. For the online giving option: www.rumriverforlife.org/donate.

All Things New - As we continue to move forward with our All Things New planning process, there are five guiding principles that will be essential: Missionary Discipleship, Sacramental Life, Engaging the Laity, Listening as a Way of Being Church, and Prudent Stewardship. All of these principles come directly from the current reality report and the pastoral visits with Bishop Neary. These principles are essential because they serve as foundational values that anchor decision-making, promote unity, and keep the community focused on its mission. For further information, additional resources and descriptions of the guiding principles, visit www.stcdio.org/all-things-new/ The parishioners representing our WOHVn-in-Faith Area Catholic Community at the Diocesan meetings are: Holy Cross – Kathy Martin & Marie Norman; Sacred Heart – Jon Bjornstad; St. Rita – Calvin Beumer & Shannon Coyle and St. Therese – Margaret & Peter Willis.

Hospital Admission – If you are admitted to the hospital, please have a friend or family member notify the parish office for visits and prayers for you.

ST. RITA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Worship/Weekly Events

Saturday, May 10

4:00 p.m. Mass

Marv and Marlene Doboszanski
60th Wedding Anniversary

Sunday, May 11

10:30 a.m. Mass

Happy Mother's Day

Tuesday, May 13

8:00 a.m. Mass

Happy Anniversary

Wednesday, May 14

8:00 a.m. Mass

+Joyce Marshik

Thursday, May 15

8:00 a.m. Mass

+Clarence and Judie Stangl

Friday, May 16

8:00 a.m. Mass

+Roy Gall

Saturday, May 17

4:00 p.m. Mass

+Rueben and Madeline Hoheisel

Sunday, May 18

10:30 a.m. Mass

+John and Clara Gotvald

Finances

Weekend of May 4, 2025

Adult	\$ 1,535.00
Loose	\$ 1,078.00
Votive Stands	\$ 28.00
Total	\$ 2,641.00
Rice Bowl	\$ 10.56
Catholic Home Mission	\$ 40.00
Raffle Donation	\$ 100.00
Reimbursement	\$ 3,798.13

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Liturgical Assignments

***Saturday, May 17**

Lector: Peggy Koscielniak
Euch. Minister: Deb Gall
Ushers: Richard Tretter/Volunteer
Server: Volunteer

***Sunday, May 18**

Lector: Kaiya Gotvald
Euch. Ministers: Raneyl Moren
Jim Beumer/Deb Novak
Sacristan: Calvin Beumer
Ushers: Steve Lochner/Volunteer
Servers: Volunteer/Volunteer

Parish News

Welcome to Our New Parishioners! We are delighted to welcome the following families to our parish community: Dale and Mary Schraut, JD and Lynn Folger, Marty and Deb Hoheisel, and Jim and Linda Blaisdell. May you find a warm and spiritual home here with us. We look forward to worshipping, growing, and serving together!

Please take a moment to review the bazaar job list for your name and make any necessary updates. Everyone of responsible age will be assigned a role in this important parish fundraiser. If you feel you've reached a well-earned season of rest and prefer to step back this year, simply let us know so we can adjust plans accordingly. Bazaar packets – including an informational letter and raffle tickets – will be distributed by the end of May. Thank you for your continued dedication and support!

Rummage Sale Days - Thank You to everyone who pitched in to make this year's rummage sale another successful fundraiser. Your time, energy, and generosity are truly appreciated!

Parish Life/Finance Council meetings are scheduled for May 13th starting at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center.

During Memorial Weekend, we invite you to contribute to our Cemetery Collection. Your generous support helps us maintain a peaceful and respectful resting place where families and friends can visit, reflect, and honor the memory of their loved ones.

Happy Mother's Day!

ST. THERESE CHURCH

Worship/Weekly Events

Sunday, May 11, 2025 – Mother's Day

11:00 A.M. Mass

Finances

Weekend of May 4

Adult	\$ 45.00
Loose	\$ 170.13
Total	\$ 215.13

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