

Welcome to the Catholic Parishes 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

Saturdays 4:15 – 4:45 P.M.  
*or by appt*

### St. Rita's (Hillman)

Saturday 4:00 P.M.

Sunday 10:30 A.M.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:15 – 3:45 P.M.  
*or by appt*

### St. Therese (Vineland)

Sunday 11:00 A.M.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

By Appointment

## Inspirational Thoughts for your Reflection

“I believe that I shall be saved because God’s mercy is greater than the malice of my sins.” (St. Francis Xavier)

“Be mindful of your mercy, O Lord, and of your steadfast love, for they have been from of old.” (Psalm 25:6)

“God passes through the thicket of the world, and wherever His glance falls He turns all things to beauty.” (St. John of the Cross)

“The world is holy. We are holy. All life is holy. Daily prayers are delivered on the lips of breaking waves, the whisperings of grasses, the shimmering of leaves.” (Terry Tempest Williams)

“The first step in listening, learning and changing is to see that different is not dangerous. The second step is to be willing to live with uncertainty. The third is to rejoice in ambiguity and to embrace it. It all means giving up the comfort of certainty and realizing that uncertainty can actually be good.” Esther de Waal

“The church firmly believes that the key, the center and very purpose of all human history, is found in her Lord and Master. She believes that beyond all changes there are things which do not change and which have their ultimate foundation in Christ, who is the same yesterday, today and forever.” Gaudium et Spes. No. 10

“The essence of religion is to imitate Jesus whom we adore.” St. Augustine

“Mary, most holy, Mother of all nations, help us to remember that the universe is all one song of praise and that we are all God’s chosen people.” Megan McKenna

Father Jerry Schik, o.s.c.

**AUGUST 5, 2018 ~ 18<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

# HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

## Worship/Weekly Events

**Saturday, August 4**

NO MASS

**Sunday, August 5**

9:00 A.M. Mass

**Monday, August 6**

8:00 A.M. Mass

**Tuesday, August 7**

8:00 A.M. Mass

**Wednesday, August 8**

10:30 A.M. Mass at the Nursing Home  
+Gil Seefeld (Family & Friends)

**Thursday, August 9**

8:00 A.M. Mass

**Friday, August 10**

8:00 A.M. Mass

**Saturday, August 11**

NO MASS

**Sunday, August 12**

9:00 A.M. Mass

**Next Coffee Sunday: August 12<sup>th</sup>**

hosted by the Knights of Columbus/Men  
of the Parish.

**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. (Aug. 9<sup>th</sup>)

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

Knights of Columbus 7:30 P.M.

**Bi-Monthly**

Parish Council – (Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> - 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:

[www.stclouddiocese.org/parishes/hconamia/](http://www.stclouddiocese.org/parishes/hconamia/)

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

**BULLETIN DEADLINE:** For Holy Cross  
bulletin announcements-Wednesday  
evening. Contact Kathy at 532-3416 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**

**Usher**

**Greeter**

**Gift Bearers**

**Server – Aug 05** E & J Dickson

**Server – Aug 12** N & D Jacobson

**August**

Margaret Hitzemann

**3 Ministers Needed**

**2 Ushers Needed**

## Parish News

**BEGINNING JUNE 1<sup>ST</sup> - NEW MASS SCHEDULE FOR HOLY CROSS CHURCH**

**Saturday – NO MASS, Sunday Mass – 9:00 A.M.**

**Fall Fun Fest** - Now is the "accept"able time! We are now accepting the following for our Fun Fest:

- Boxed, bagged or bottled items for Lucky Draw
- Chicken Dinner grocery and monetary donations
- Silent Auction items
- Sold raffle tickets
- Volunteers for the festival

We welcome one and all to participate in this exciting event in any of the ways you are able. Please contact Rita at 763-567-3876 with any questions. Remember, it's no F\_N without U!

**Wanted:** Your handmade items for our Silent Auction at our Fall Fun Fest! Summer is a great time to be creative! Your works of art and handcrafts are needed for others to bid on at our festival on Sunday September 9<sup>th</sup>. Please consider how you can help make our Silent Auction a success using your God given talents for his glory. We will be collecting items beginning in August so unleash the artist within and get busy creating! If you have any questions, please call Rita 763-567-3876

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



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

## Finances

### Weekend of 7/29/18

Adult Sunday \$ 643.00

Loose Plate \$ 423.00

**WEEKLY TOTAL: \$ 1,066.00**

**Other Collections:**

## Cluster Parish News...

**August 15<sup>th</sup> Holy Day Mass schedule** - The Mass schedule for The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary: 9:00 A.M. at Holy Cross Church in Onamia; 7:00 P.M. at Sacred Heart Church in Wahkon and 7:30 P.M. at St. Rita Church in Hillman.

# SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

## Worship/Weekly Events

### Saturday, August 4

5:00 P.M. Mass  
+David Miklesh (J. Perry)

### Sunday, August 5

8:30 A.M. Mass  
+Phyllis Ketchmark (K. Martinson)

### Monday, August 6

9:00 A.M. – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

### Tuesday, August 7

9:00 A.M. Mass  
Whipps, Bloomquist & Lofboom Families  
(K Martinson)

### Saturday, August 11

5:00 P.M. Mass  
C & E Blaisdell (K. Martinson)

### Sunday, August 12

10:00 A.M. Mass  
Elizabeth Mims (E. Volker)

### Readings for Sunday, August 12<sup>th</sup>:

1 Kings 19:4-8; Ephesians 4:30—5:2  
& John 6:41-51.

**PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED:** Please pray for Patricia Zins who passed away July 27<sup>th</sup> and Patricia Johnson who passed away July 29<sup>th</sup>. May they live forever with Jesus in the Kingdom of Heaven.

## Finances

### Weekend of July 29, 2018

Adult Sunday	\$ 1,096.00
Loose Plate	747.00
Other	7.25
<b>WEEKLY TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 1,850.25</b>

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- 08/12 – Bazaar
- 08/13 – Knights of Columbus
- 08/14 – Ladies Society
- 08/15 – Holy Day

### Office Hours

Tuesdays 9:30AM – 11:30 AM

225 E 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, PO Box 68  
Wahkon, MN 56386  
(320) 495-3324  
Website - <http://shwahkon.stclouddiocese.net>  
Email - [sacredheart56386@yahoo.com](mailto:sacredheart56386@yahoo.com)

**Prayer Line:** Call Kathy Martinson  
at (320) 676-3571

**Faith Formation** Contact Fr. Jerry.

### Saturday

**Lector**  
**Euch. Min**

**Usher**  
**Altar Serv**

### Sunday

**Lector**  
**Euch. Min**

**Usher**  
**Altar Serv**

### August

Gerry Kroll  
S. Dehler, C. O'Brien,  
K. Kroll **2 Ministers Needed**  
L. Rask, B. Jost

### August

Mary Imhoff  
N. Gustafson, D. Drabant,  
**3 Ministers Needed**  
N. Walicki, **Minister Needed**  
F. Larson

## Parish News

**FELLOWSHIP SATURDAY AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup> AND SUNDAY AUGUST 5<sup>TH</sup>:** Drop in after mass to share coffee and treats with your old friends and introduce yourself to new friends. Hosted by: JoAnn Perry, Mary Imhoff, Beverly Peterson, Rose Remer, Darlene Cournoyer, Ginger Houle, Bea Searles, Lois Moroney and Ashley Johnson.

**AUGUST WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES** - Congratulations to all couples celebrating their wedding anniversaries during the month of August: Patrick & Sharon Moenkhaus 8/8/87, Jack & Lila Hasser 8/18/56, Dawn & Daryl Honnold 8/19/89 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.

**2018 Bazaar Notes – Raffle Tickets:** Please return your tickets as soon as you are done selling them. If you have any questions or need more tickets, please contact Mary Kauth at 320-532-4852.

**Don't forget, we also need:** *Cakes* for the Cakewalk, *pies* for the dinner (anyone, member or not who donates is eligible for the First Prize Parking Space!) **Bottles for the Bottle Booth** any bottle will do (*lotion, shampoo, condiments, wine, salad dressing, etc.*) **Items for the Country Store:** **HOMEMADE** canning, knitted, crocheted, sewn, wood, craft items; **HOME GROWN** fresh fruits & vegetables, plants, trees, flowers (silk/fresh); **HOME BAKED** cookies, cakes, breads, bars, etc.

**Bazaar Auction** - The Bazaar Auction will be held on August 12<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 P.M. The following are suggested donation items: tools, sporting goods, household items, bird feeders and lawn items. (No TVs, appliances or large furniture please.) Bring your donations on Friday, August 10<sup>th</sup> after 4:00 P.M. or early Sunday morning August 12<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions or need items to be picked up please call Jim and Pat Kroll at 495-3468.

## Cluster Parish News...

**Rural Life Mass** - The annual Rural Life Celebration, sponsored by Catholic Charities, the Diocese of St. Cloud and The Catholic Foundation, will be held **at 11:00 A.M. on Sunday, August 12, 2018**. It will take place at the Galen and Karla Stumpf Family Farm in Pierz (12344 Lake Road, Pierz, MN). The celebration will feature an outdoor Mass at 11:00 A.M. with Bishop Donald Kettler presiding. It will be followed by special guest speaker Michelle Litke, local community member and cancer survivor. The festivities will continue with lunch, entertainment and activities for all ages. This event will take place rain or shine, and supports the Rural Life Fund to help those in need in our rural communities throughout the diocese. All are welcome!

## ST. RITA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

### *Worship/Weekly Events*

#### **18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, August 4**

4:00 P.M. Mass

+Peg Sahr, Riney & Laura Sahr,  
Vernon Bujarski

#### **Sunday, August 5**

10:30 A.M. Mass

+John and Anna Hoheisel

#### **Thursday, August 9**

9:00 A.M. Mass

+Terry Przybilla

#### **19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, August 11**

4:00 P.M. Mass

+Brian Wacker

#### **Sunday, August 12**

10:30 A.M. Mass

+John and Helen Magdziars

#### **Assumption of the**

**Blessed Virgin Mary**

**Wednesday, August 15**

7:30 P.M. Mass

Special Intention

#### **POST-BAZAAR MEETING**

Tuesday, August 7, 7:00 p.m.

Parish Hall.

Your input is important!

### *Finances*

#### Weekend of July 29

Loose	\$ 475.00
Adult	<u>608.00</u>
Total	\$1,083.00

Bazaar net income to date  
\$23,709.00

#### **Office Hours**

Monday/Thursday

16691 371<sup>st</sup> Avenue  
Hillman, MN 56338  
(320) 277-3807

www.stclouddiocese.org/parishes/srhillman/  
strita@brainerd.net

#### **Prayer Line:**

Call Rita Brown, 277-3244 or  
Lilah Klaphake, 468-9913.

#### **Saturday, August 11**

**Lector** Wendy Tretter

**Servers** Volunteer

**Ushers** Jordan Brambrink/John Gotvald

**Comm. Minister** Wendy Tretter

#### **Sunday, August 12**

**Sacristan** Herb Foss

**Lector** Renee Kruschek

**Servers** Vickstroms

**Ushers** Brad Medek/Jim Hayes

**Comm. Ministers** Calvin Beumer /  
Tom Kruschek/Raneyl Moren

### *Parish News*

**HOSPITALITY SUNDAY** – Everyone is welcome to the hall after Mass this Sunday for refreshments and hospitality. Thank you to Jane Barclay and Maureen VanKeuren for hosting this month's gathering.

A **SPECIAL THANK YOU** to everyone who helped with the bazaar. It really does take the entire parish to make this a success! See net income to date under "Finances." **The post-bazaar meeting will be Tuesday, August 7, at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall.** If you would like to help chair the bazaar or if you have any suggestions for next year's bazaar, please attend the meeting or contact leann.pietrzak@gmail.com, 320-980-0362 or karilatterell@gmail.com, 320-309-2299. ... Leann and Kari

**HALL FLOORS** – The floors in the parish hall will be refinished on Wednesday, August 8. Access will be restricted all day Wednesday and Thursday to allow for drying time. The hall will be available for the Parish Council meeting on Thursday at 7:15 p.m.

**PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** – Thursday, August 9, 7:15 p.m. in the parish hall.

#### **FAITH FORMATION**

- The Faith Formation program is looking for a teacher for the 2018-2019 year. Commitment includes one Saturday a month from September – May. Curriculum is provided. Anyone interested should contact Beth Kunstleben: kunstleben@brainerd.net, 320-277-6385 or Leann Pietrzak: leann.pietrzak@gmail.com or 320-980-0362.
- **Parishioners:** Classes will be starting in September. We will be ordering textbooks on August 20. **We need to know if you have a new student who will be joining the program, or not returning to the program this year. Contact Beth, Leann or the parish office. Please pass this information on to your family members who may not see the bulletin.**

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- **SUMMER FESTIVAL** - Sunday, August 5, St. Joseph Parish, Pierz, MN. Dinner from 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. See flyer in the church entry.

## ST. THERESE CHURCH

### *Worship/Weekly Events*

**Sunday, August 5**

11:00 A.M.

+Bob & Doris Johnson

*On Hwy 169 in Vineland, south of the Grand Casino*

P.O. Box 26, Onamia, MN 56359

(320) 532-3601

Website: <http://stovonamia.stclouddiocese.net>

Email: [frjerryschikosc@gmail.com](mailto:frjerryschikosc@gmail.com)

**Faith Formation:** Contact Holy Cross.

### *Parish News*