



Cross Talk

January 2019 Edition

Holy Cross Catholic Church Monthly Newsletter

NEW YEAR PRAYER

Thank you Lord for giving me
The brand new year ahead.
Help me live the way I should
As each new day I tread.
Give me gentle wisdom
That I might help a friend,
Give me strength and courage
So a shoulder I might lend.
This year ahead is empty,
Help me fill it with good things.
Each new day filled with joy
And happiness it brings.
Amen.

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HOLY CROSS



We ask you to remember
the following in prayer...

New Members

Bridgette & Justin Baumann
Xander

Ali Peterson

Judith Gefroh

Donna & Greg Mallery

Cathy Gausman

Tamara & Aaron Dunn
Jack & Lilyana

Rita & Ray Meyer

Austin Ulmer

Doris Sorensen

Daren Kautzman

Carolyn Stange & Brandon Martinez
Una

Michelle & Jeff Vanyo

Michael Howe

Jessica Nelson & Marcus Sickler

Shannon Hughes & Kellen Mastick

Rose Holmes

Amanda Brandenburger

Amy & Chris Duscher

Jessica Vetter & Nicholas Stockert
Jaxson & Maxwell

Baptisms

Alda Millie, daughter of Ashley & Arthur Beaudoin

Isaac Christopher, son of Jessica & Christopher Sims

Edan Rae, daughter of Kelsey & David Schultz

Ruby Elaine, daughter of Anna & Travis Salzwedel

Isla Rose, daughter of Danielle & Zachary Cooley

Maxwell James, son of Jessica Vetter & Nicholas Stockert

Ber Ryan Zachman, son of Kirsten & Jared Schommer

Margot Anne, daughter of Kathryn & Eric Schommer

Truett James, son of Michaela & Colton Hill

Deaths

Barbara Tomczak

Eric Paulsen

Marie Flynn

GOLDEN CROSS CARD/GAME CLUB

Our HCCC Card/Games Club will meet on Thursday, January 10th following the 12:15 Mass. We'll enjoy a potluck lunch, so ask that you bring a dish or treat to share. We welcome anyone who is interested in playing cards or games, or join us just to socialize! Please call Carol Holub at 298-0854 or Clare Elless at 282-4356 if you have any questions.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HOLY CROSS COUNCIL

#9642 BASKETBALL FREE THROW CONTEST



All boys and girls ages 9 to 14 (as of January 1, 2019) are invited to participate in the Knights of Columbus Holy Cross Council #9642 Free Throw Championship. This local level competition will be held **Sunday, January 13** at the **Trinity Elementary School gym**, located at 2811 7th St East, West Fargo, ND. Practice and registration is from **12:00 pm to 12:30 pm**. The competition starts promptly at **12:30 pm** and typically is completed in about an hour. Basketballs will be furnished but you may bring your own. There is **no charge** to participate in this event. Boys and girls ages 9 through 11 may shoot 12 feet from the basket or from the 15-foot regulation foul line. Boys and girls ages 12 through 14 must shoot from the regulation foul line 15 feet from the basket. Boys ages 12 through 14 must use a men's regulation-size basketball, all others may use a women's regulation-size basketball. Each contestant will receive 3 warm-up tosses followed by 15 consecutive free throw attempts. Ties are settled with a second round of 5 free throws with no warm-up tosses. Normal rules of basketball apply; contestants may not step on or over the line prior to the ball reaching the rim or bouncing off the backboard or out of bounds area. Awards will be given to all first place winners and certificates of participation and patches will be given to all participants. Winners will advance to the District competition with the chance to move on to the Regional, State and International levels. All participants are asked to bring a parent or guardian to sign the registration form and verify proof of age. First place winners will be required to furnish proof of age before advancing to the District competition. Questions can be e-mailed to Chad Engels at cengels@mooreengineeringinc.com.

UPCOMING FAITH FORMATION DATES:

Wednesday, January 2 – NO Faith Formation Classes for grades K-12

Sunday, January 6 – Liturgy of the Word –

Wednesday, January 9 – Faith Formation Classes for grades K-12

Sunday, January 13 – Liturgy of the Word

Wednesday, January 16 - Faith Formation Classes for grades K-12

Sunday, January 20 – NO Liturgy of the Word

Wednesday, January 23 – Faith Formation Classes for grades K-12

Sunday, January 27 - NO Liturgy of the Word

Wednesday, January 30 – Faith Formation Classes for grades K-12

DONUTS WITH THE DAUGHTERS



On Sunday, January 13th, the Catholic Daughters will be serving donuts and coffee after the 9:00 am and 11:00 am Masses as part of a newcomer

welcome. All who are new to the parish are invited to attend, and everyone else is welcome to come and enjoy some donuts and help to make the new members feel welcome! A free will offering will be collected.

You Are Invited!

Holy Cross
**Volunteer Appreciation
Dinner**



Thursday, January 24th at 6:00 pm

RSVP to the church office at 282-7217 by Monday, January 21st.

No invitations will be sent. If you volunteer in any way, please come!

VENDOR FAIR THANK YOU!



Many thanks, everyone, for participating in our 9th annual "Holiday Collections" Craft/Vendor Show held Dec. 1. Thanks to all crafters/vendors who displayed a great variety of unique wares & offered special promotions. We had 84 vendors this year-which is at capacity. Thanks to all who donated the wonderful variety of bars to our event. Many vendors also volunteered to bring food & donated door prizes. The most gratitude goes to those who attended the craft/vendor fair & provided support to the crafters/vendors & our parish family to build our church. This year, we cleared over \$7500 from vendor space fees, percentage of sales, refreshments & free-will offerings, etc. Thanks also to Choice Financial, Far North Insurance & Elmwood Dentistry for their monetary donation/sponsorship. We collected \$944 from the \$1.00 admission fee and ALL of those proceeds went to the Daily Bread Program & over 1,000 attended the event-fantastic turn-out!! Thanks to Trinity Elementary School & staff for the use of their hall space & the gymnasium- greatly appreciated! Thanks to Mary Sinner & her kitchen crew who volunteered at the event & to the KC's & their families, Catholic Daughters, Scouts, HCCC Confirmation Students, Heritage Girls, Trail Life & other parish volunteers for helping with the set-up, day of event & "take-down" after the event. We also wish to thank the Catholic Daughter volunteers & others who helped with registration. Thanks also to the volunteers at the Vendor Registration table Fri. night & Sat. morning, Door Prize Table, Wine Table, Door Monitors & Vendor Guides. Thanks to Jackie Brookins for the use of the sandwich signs & to Gate City Bank, Black Ridge Bank & Burger King for allowing us to use their property to post those signs. Special thanks to the wonderful committee (Mary Sinner, Kathy & Terry Weigel & Brenda Sagert) who contributed so much to the event. Thanks to Fr. Meyer, Heather & rest of office staff for all your help. Thanks to Bell Bank & Gate City Bank for donating all the shopping bags & to the Prescription Shop for donating all the donuts for early Saturday morning for the vendors & volunteers. All proceeds from this event go towards the "Last Brick" Campaign to build our church. God provided us with a beautiful day & it was successful because of all of you. God bless. Bill & Geri Harbeke - Event Chairs



Thank you to all of the children who participated in the Christmas-Epiphany Play as actors or singers. Thank you to those parents who helped supervise. Thank you for helping make it a success!

Baby Jesus

Leo Hjelle

Mary

Sophi Flaten

Joseph

Collin Metcalfe

Shepherds

Jude Flaten

Carter Larson

Cooper Larson

Sheep

Ashton Grensteiner

Kullen Hoeg

Vincent Irakoze

Graeme Melhus

Angels

Abby Arneson

Luna Braathen

Annabelle Bruns

Eleanore Christianson

Anna Enright

Corinna Hagen

Aubree Hauschulz

Ella Hauser

Zella Heltemes

Wisemen

Isaac Johnson

Slade Mulfinger

Ryan Mullenberg

King Herod

Haydyn Halvorson

Bree Jackson

Olivia Kraft

Peyton Kummeth

Stephanie Mathew

Julia Melhus

Avery Orner

Brooke Peterson

Lily Skaurud

Angela Stephania

Sloan Stoltz

Kayleigh Weigand

Ainsley Zeltinger

Director

Brenda Mears

Proclaimer

Brooklyn Miller

Accompanist

David Boehm

Vocalists

Elena Boehm

Patryk Borowicz

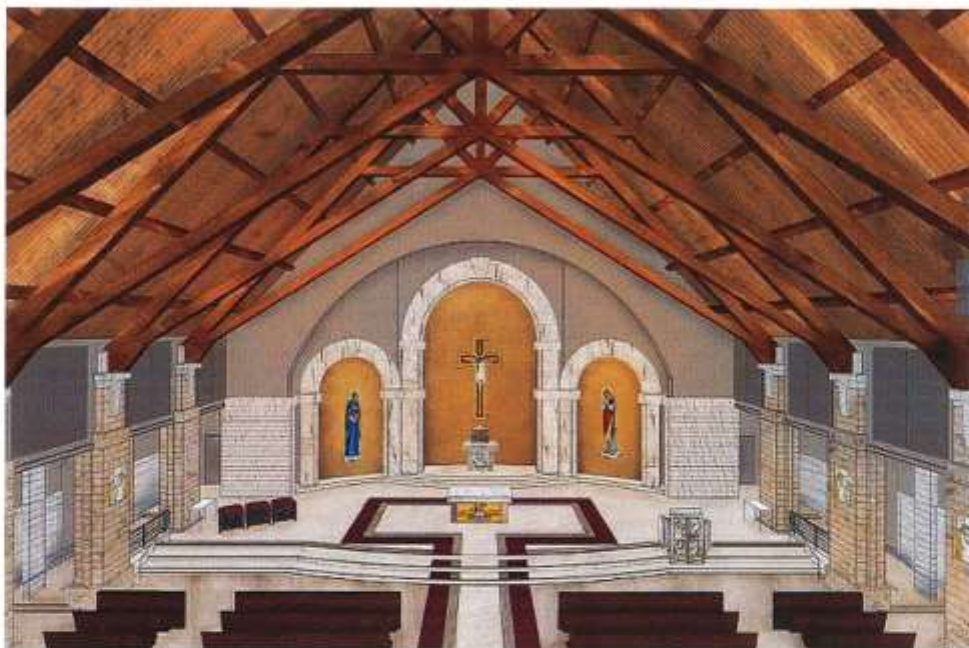
Abigail Stiel

Adult Supervisors

Kari Miller

Roxanne Mullenberg

Let's build our home *together*



In order to make our new "HOME", our place of Worship,
our Church, a reality,

We need **YOU** in 2019!

Total Holy Cross Families	1831
Parishioners who have committed to Campaign as of 2018 :	414
Parishioners called through volunteers since Nov. 2018	368
**Of those 368 called, only 46 have responded	

Parishioners, WE NEED YOU to complete this project 1417



Please, prayerfully consider *your ability to join this campaign.*

Would you consider 1 hour of your salary per week to build your new home?(Per individual/spouse)

Example: \$10 /hr x 4 weeks per month = \$40/month

\$20/hr x 4 weeks per month = \$80/month Spouse 1

\$25/hr x 4 weeks per month = \$100/month Spouse 2 (\$180/month)

A plea from a Parishioner

My wife and I are relatively new parishioners, having moved to West Fargo in January of 2017. Holy Cross Catholic church has been a very welcoming community for us.

Not long after we joined Holy Cross, we heard of the capital campaign to build a new church. Over the past 18 months, I have listened to Father Meyer trying to encourage, motivate, inspire, urge, coax, and persuade parishioners to contribute to the capital campaign.

It is disheartening to hear Father Meyer say "368 families out of approximately 1800 parish families" (20%) have stepped forward to financially support our new church. Wouldn't it be an awesome day if Father Meyer could report that 100% of our families have contributed to this cause!

On behalf of Father Meyer, I urge, encourage, and ask you to pledge some amount to the campaign fund. Together, we can make this happen.

Rod Bachmeier

(the parish office has my contact information should you wish to contact me.)

Phone calls have started



PLEASE BE KIND AND COURTEOUS TO THE PARISHIONERS
VOLUNTEERING TO HELP WITH THIS PROJECT,

ANSWER YOUR PHONE

ASK QUESTIONS

GET INFORMED

AND THEN MAKE YOUR PRAYERFUL DECISION REGARDING A DONATION



Want to get to know other men and their families at Holy Cross Church? Consider joining the Knights of Columbus! It's a great way to meet other Catholic gentlemen and their families. Please call Mike at 540-7181 or e-mail kofc9642@yahoo.com for more information.

The Knights of Columbus Council #9642 meet the 2nd Monday of every month at Holy Cross at 7 pm.

January KC of the month: Brian Kingsley

January KC Family of the month: Dave & Carla Janssen; MaKayla, Alexis, Mitchell

Check out our website: www.kofc9642.org for activities and more information!

Like us on Facebook! Knights of Columbus Council #9642

KC Upcoming Activities

Monday, January 7th - 7:00 pm

Council Meeting / Trinity Music Room

Thursday, January 17th - 6:30 pm

Assembly Meeting/Social / Church

Sunday, January 20th - After all morning Masses

Breakfast / Hallway

Sunday, January 27th - 1:00 pm

Bingo / Hallway

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS strives



to embrace the principles of faith working through love in the promotion of justice, equality and the advancement of human rights and human dignity for all mankind.

Why should you join?

- *To deepen your spiritual life and share your faith
- *To promote love of God, church and country.
- *To share your talents, gain leadership skills and develop new friendships.

NO Catholic Daughters meeting in December. Due to scheduling conflicts, the meeting in January will be held on January 10th at 7:00 pm.

All women ages 18+ are welcome to join.

Want more information? Call Elizabeth at 719-323-3897.



Join us for Breakfast



Sunday, January 20th

After all morning Masses

Serving: Spam & Scrambled Eggs, Cheesy Hash Browns, Fruit, Coffee & Juice

Free Will Offering



Knights of Columbus

Three Kings Bingo

Sunday, January 27th

1:00 - 3:00 pm

\$.25 per card/per game

20 games played • Cash prizes!



All are welcome!



Trinity

Family Fun Fair

Sun Jan 27 '12 pm-3 pm

Trinity Elementary 2811 7th St E, West Fargo

Pizza (12-2) **Games Galore** **Bouncy Houses**

Silent Auction **Bake Sale** **Bingo (1:00 - 3:00)**

3 Magic Shows (12:30, 1:30, 2:30)

Student Art & Baskets **Face Painting**

Prize Walk **Carnival Games** **Balloon Lady**

Our biggest fundraiser of the year!!





Holy Cross Council #9642 purchased and donated 25 voice reader books to Cass County Social Services to be given to children in Foster care. Council members presenting the books were Ryan Bosch, Chris Gilliland, and Brian Heger.

HOLY CROSS UGANDA WELL PROJECT

As stated in the last monthly newsletter, Holy Cross is going to support a well project for the village of Sedona, Uganda. This is a densely populated village with substandard living conditions. The village people spend 4 to 8 hours a day carrying water for their daily use. We are working with Father Andrew Obel from Detroit Lakes. Sedona is his hometown village.

The kickoff date is scheduled for the weekend of January 12th & 13th. We are hoping to get everyone and all organizations involved. This is a parish wide project.

The following events have been scheduled:

- ◆ January 13 - Catholic Daughters are doing a Donut Day with all proceeds going towards the project.
- ◆ Jan & Feb - The Youth Group will be sewing and selling decorated bags.
- ◆ Feb 2 & 3 - The American Heritage Girls will collect pocket change at the doors after Mass.
- ◆ Feb 28 - There will be a Wild Game Feed at Holy Cross
- ◆ Feb/Mar/April - Ladies groups will be doing Tupperware and Tastefully Simple parties.
- ◆ March 3 - The American Heritage Girls will be at the doors after Mass with buckets for change.
- ◆ March 6 - All Trinity School classes will be collecting monies during Lent for the project.
- ◆ March 6 - Holy Cross children will be donating the Altar Mass monies through Lent for the project.

Anyone who wants to get involved or has other fundraising ideas please call Jonathan Aal at 552-0961 or Willie Gartner at 799-0601.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>30 NO Liturgy of the Word NO RCIA 7:00 AM Confessions /Church 7:30 AM Mass (Holy Cross Catholic Community) 8:35 AM KofC lead Rosary 9:00 AM Mass (+Magdalen McGarry by Pam & Don Hartwig) 10:35 AM CDA Lead Rosary 11:00 AM Mass (Zach Melaas by Kathy Melaas) 12:00 PM <i>Erbes Baptism after 11am Mass</i> 6:00 PM Mass (+Marie Flynn by Rita Meyer)</p>	<p>31 Holy Cross Offices Closed NO Adoration No Trinity School 10:00 AM Mass (+Brent Bartsch by Linda & Don Bartsch) 6:00 PM Vigil Mass (+Dorothy & Gordon Gregg by Melissa & Jeff Benda)</p>	<p>1 Holy Cross Offices Closed No Trinity School Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God 10:00 AM Communion Service @ Edgewood Vista 10:00 AM Mass (Women of the Word by Gwen Allred) 4:45 PM Mass @Good Samaritan</p>	<p>2 Holy Cross Offices Closed NO Faith Formation & Youth Ministry No Trinity School Saints Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen 9:00 AM Mass @ Cooperative Living Center 11:00 AM Mass (+Sue Vanyo by Gerri & Lars Dyr-dahl) 10:00 AM Mass @ Eventide on 32nd</p>	<p>3 The Most Holy Name of Jesus 8:45 AM Trinity School Mass 9:15 AM - 11:30 AM Mother's Rosary Group / Multipurpose Room 11:45 AM Confessions 12:15 PM Rosary (+Barb Moser by Darrell Moser) 6:30 PM - 7:45 PM NFP Class/Conference Room</p>	<p>4 St. Elizabeth Ann Seton 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (+Rachel & Leo Gregoire by Bonnie Oelschlager) 8:00 PM Adult Pick Up Basketball /Gym</p>	<p>5 St. John Neumann 3:30 PM Confessions 4:00 PM Rosary 4:30 PM Mass (+Rose Berger by Arlene & Jay Kostelecky)</p>
<p>6 9am & 11am Liturgy of the Word/ 3years - Pre-K Only The Epiphany of the Lord 7:00 AM Confessions /Church 7:30 AM Mass (+Doris Bower by Dennis Bower) 9:00 AM Kelly Baptism at Mass 9:00 AM Mass (+Gertrude & Edwin Braun by Bonnie Oelschlager) 9:00 AM Thursday @ Sunset at Mass 10:00 AM Struck Baptism after Mass 11:00 AM Mass (+Thomas Newcomb by Emily & Chris Eisenbeisz) 11:00 AM Thursday @ Sunset at Mass 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM RCIA /Conference Room 6:00 PM Mass (Holy Cross Catholic Community)</p>	<p>7 St. Raymond of Penafort 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM Adoration 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM WOW Bible Study /Multipurpose Room 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (+Leo Gregoire by Bonnie Oelschlager) 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM WOW Bible Study /Multipurpose Room 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM KofC Council Meeting / Trinity Music Room</p>	<p>8 10:00 AM Mass @ Edgewood Vista 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (+Joseph Kraft by Bev & Tom Kelsch) 3:15 PM - 5:00 PM AHG Marian Serfes / Multipurpose Room re-serve 3pm-5:30pm 4:45 PM Communion Service @Good Samaritan 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM Hand-bell Rehearsal /Church 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM Bible Study led by Fr. Konkai / Multipurpose Room 7:00 PM Adult Choir / Church 7:00 PM Trail Life Troop Committee Meeting /</p>	<p>9 4:30pm, 6:00pm Faith Formation & Youth Ministry Gr. K - 8 7:15pm Youth Ministry Gr. 7-12 9:00 AM Mass @ Cooperative Living Center 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM Hooks & Needles /Multipurpose Room 10:00 AM Communion @ Eventide 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (Mary Gregoire by Bonnie Oelschlager)</p>	<p>10 8:45 AM Trinity School Mass (Godchildren of Lisa & Matt Prindville) 9:15 AM - 11:30 AM Mother's Rosary Group / Multipurpose Room 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (+Dorothy & Gordon Gregg by Melissa & Jeff Benda) 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM Golden Cross Card/Game Club / North Corridor 6:00 PM Trinity Staff Christmas Party/Church, Hallways & Kitchen 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Catholic Daughters Meeting / Multipurpose Room</p>	<p>11 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (Clare & Richard Ellers)</p>	<p>12 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM KofC Exemplification/ Multipurpose Room/Kitchen/South Hallway 3:30 PM Confessions 4:00 PM Rosary 4:30 PM Mass (+Mike Steidl by Dianne Schock)</p>
<p>13 9am & 11am Liturgy of the Word/ 3years - Pre-K Only Donuts with the Daughters after morning Masses The Baptism of the Lord 7:30 AM Confessions /Church 7:30 AM Mass 9:00 AM Mass (+Bonita Peterson by Pam Hartwig) 11:00 AM Krabbenhof Baptism at Mass 11:00 AM Mass (Noah Hargiss by Kathy Melaas) 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM RCIA /Conference Room 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM Gina Dahl's Students Piano Recital/Multipurpose Room Reserve from 12:30pm-4:00pm 6:00 PM Mass</p>	<p>14 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM Adoration 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM WOW Bible Study /Multipurpose Room 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (Clare & Richard Ellers) 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM WOW Bible Study /Multipurpose Room</p>	<p>15 10:00 AM Communion Service @ Edgewood Vista 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (+Oma Jean Gregor by Toot Gregor) 2:00 PM Mass @ Bethany on 42nd 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM AHG Troop Meeting -Mid Year Ceremony /Hallway & Church 4:45 PM Mass @Good Samaritan 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM Hand-bell Rehearsal /Church 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM Bible Study led by Fr. Konkai / Multipurpose Room 7:00 PM Adult Choir / Church 7:00 PM Baptism Class /</p>	<p>16 4:30pm, 6:00pm Faith Formation & Youth Ministry Gr. K - 8 7pm Youth Ministry Gr. 7 & 8 NO 9th - 12th Gr. Youth Ministry 9:00 AM Mass @ Cooperative Living Center (Laura Shae & James Keiffer by J & J Mathers) 10:00 AM Communion @ Eventide 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM Prayer Blanket /Multipurpose Room 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (James Newman by Bev & Tom Kelsch)</p>	<p>17 St. Anthony 8:45 AM Trinity School Mass (Godchildren of Lisa & Matt Prindville) 9:15 AM - 11:30 AM Mother's Rosary Group / Multipurpose Room 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (Gene Tschosik by Hilda & Willie Gartner) 4:00 PM - 9:00 PM KofC Assembly Meeting/ Christmas Social / Church/ Kitchen/Multipurpose Room</p>	<p>18 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass 8:00 PM Adult Pick Up Basketball /Gym</p>	<p>19 3:30 PM Confessions 4:00 PM Rosary 4:30 PM Mass (+Mary Kostelecky by Arlene & Jay Kostelecky)</p>

<p>20 Ecumenical Sunday NO Liturgy of the Word Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 6:30 AM - 2:00 PM K of C Breakfast/South Hallway & Kitchen 7:00 AM Confessions /Church 7:30 AM Mass (+Roger Smart by JoCee Vareberg) 9:00 AM Mass (+Marilys & Norbert Kosir by The Steffes/Kosir Families) 11:00 AM Mass (+Roger Elliott by Nancy Elliott) 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM RCIA /Conference Room 6:00 PM Mass (Holy Cross Catholic Community)</p>	<p>21 Martin Luther King, Jr. No Trinity School 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM Adoration 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM WOW Bible Study /Multipurpose Room 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (+Dorothy & Gordon Gregg by Melissa & Jeff Benda) 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM WOW Bible Study /Multipurpose Room</p>	<p>22 Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children 10:00 AM Mass @ Edgewood Vista 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (+Doris Bower by Dennis Bower) 4:45 PM Communion Service @Good Samaritan 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM Handbell Rehearsal /Church 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM Bible Study led by Fr. Konkai/ Multipurpose Room 7:00 PM Adult Choir / Church 7:00 PM Trail Life Troop Committee Meeting / Conference Room</p>	<p>23 4:30pm, 6:00pm Faith Formation & Youth Ministry Gr. K - 8 7:15pm Youth Ministry Gr. 7-12 St. Vincent & St. Marianne Cope 9:00 AM Mass @ Cooperative Living Center 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM Hooks & Needles /Multipurpose Room 10:00 AM Communion @ Eventide 11:45 AM Confessions 12:15 PM Mass</p>	<p>24 St. Francis de Sales 8:45 AM Trinity School Mass (Sara Oluifson) 9:15 AM - 11:30 AM Mother's Rosary Group / Multipurpose Room 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass 6:00 PM Holy Cross Volunteer Dinner /Church & Kitchen</p>	<p>25 The Conversion of St. Paul 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass</p>	<p>26 No Weddings PTO Family Fun Fair Set up ? St. Timothy & St. Titus 3:30 PM Confessions 4:00 PM Rosary 4:30 PM Mass (+Helen Holub by Carol & LeRoy)</p>
<p>27 National Catholic Schools Week begins NO Liturgy of the Word Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:00 AM Confessions /Church 7:30 AM Mass 9:00 AM Adult Choir at Mass 9:00 AM Mass (+Mary Brendel) 11:00 AM Handbell Choir @ Mass 11:00 AM Mass (+LuAnn Dotzenrod by Nancy Elliott) 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM RCIA /Conference Room 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM Trinity Family Fun Fair / Gym, Hallways & Kitchen Reserve all day 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM K of C Bingo/South Hall & Kitchen 6:00 PM Mass</p>	<p>28 St. Thomas Aquinas 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM Adoration 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM WOW Bible Study /Multipurpose Room 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (+Arlene Schock) 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM WOW Bible Study /Multipurpose Room</p>	<p>29 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Mini Deacon Day Grades 10:00 AM Communion Service @ Edgewood Vista 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM Handbell Rehearsal /Church 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM Bible Study led by Fr. Konkai/ Multipurpose Room 7:00 PM Adult Choir / Church</p>	<p>30 4:30pm, 6:00pm Faith Formation & Youth Ministry Gr. K - 8 7:15pm Youth Ministry Gr. 7-12 9:00 AM Mass @ Cooperative Living Center 10:00 AM Communion @ Eventide 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass (+Marie Flynn)</p>	<p>31 All School Mass @ Shanley St. John Bosco 9:15 AM - 11:30 AM Mother's Rosary Group / Multipurpose Room 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass</p>	<p>1 11:45 AM Confessions 11:50 AM Rosary 12:15 PM Mass 8:00 PM Adult Pick Up Basketball /Gym</p>	<p>2 Blessing of the Throats The Presentation of the Lord World Day for Consecrated Life 3:30 PM Confessions 4:00 PM Rosary 4:30 PM Mass (+George Kostelecky by Arlene & Jay Kostelecky) 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM AHG Father/Daughter Pizza / Hallway</p>

January Calendar

*Dates subject to change.
Please check the website for updates.

Mass Schedule

Saturdays at 4:30 pm

Rosary every Saturday at 4 pm & Mon-Fri at 11:50 am

Sundays at

7:30 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am & 6:00 pm

Monday - Friday at 12:15 pm.

1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 2:00 pm, Bethany on 42nd

2nd Tuesday, 2:00 pm, New Perspective Living Center

2nd & 4th Tuesdays 10:30 am Mass at Edgewood Vista

1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 4:45 pm Mass at the Good Samaritan

Wednesdays, 9:00 am Mass at the Co-op

1st Wednesday, 10:00 am, Eventide on 32nd

**On weekdays when the offices are closed, daily Mass is at 10:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday-Friday at 11:45 am

Saturdays at 3:30 pm

Sundays at 7:00 am

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Cross Talk is published monthly by Holy Cross Catholic Church in West Fargo, ND. If you would like to submit an item for publication, please email Heather Heger or drop your news item off at the church office.

Are you or someone you care about unable to attend Mass and receive Holy Communion?



There are several communion distributors who will bring the Lord to you. The need could be temporary or ongoing. Call the church and let us know. We will contact you and determine when is a good time for us to visit with Communion.

Eucharistic Adoration is every Monday from 9am to 8pm. If you are interested in becoming a scheduled adorer, one hour per week, call the parish office for more information.

In Care of the sick Please call the parish office to notify us of illness in the family. The local hospitals do not call us anymore.

New Members If you wish to become members of Holy Cross, please contact the parish office (282-7217).

Simplicity Giving A funds transfer service to assist parishioners to reach their financial stewardship goals. Contact the office manager for more information.

Volunteers

We are always looking for more people interested in volunteering for liturgical ministries. The more people we have, the less time they need to serve.

If you are interested in sharing your time during the Mass, please call Heather at 282-7217.

Holy Cross Staff - Look! There are some NEW email addresses!!

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