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Mission Statement; *Holy Cross Catholic Church is a faith community rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We strive for holiness and growth in our faith as we serve those around us.*
Adopted 2013

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

(Changes in the schedule noted inside)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Sunday Mass Schedule Vigil Mass (Saturday): 4:30 pm Sunday 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 7:00 pm	Weekday Masses Monday-Thursday 12:15 pm Friday 10:00 am	Adoration Mondays 9:00 am - 8:00 pm	Reconciliation Monday - Thursday 11:45 am - 12:15 pm Sat 3:30 pm, Sun 7:00 am
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WELCOME VISITORS & NEW PARISHIONERS

PARISH REGISTRATION:

Registration forms are available in the church office and at the Information desk in the hallway. Membership is a condition for the reception of the sacraments of baptism, reconciliation, first Eucharist, confirmation and marriage.

Those of you who are MEMBERS - Please let us know if you have a change of address, or if you have a new phone number. Help us keep costs down by letting us know when you move. Thank you!

HOMEBOUND COMMUNION:

Homebound parishioners unable to come to Mass should notify the parish office so that Holy Communion may be brought to their homes.

MARRIAGE:

Couples intending to marry should contact the parish office at least 6 months prior to the desired wedding date.

BAPTISM CLASS:

Held on the 3rd Tuesday of every month. Please call the office to register for the upcoming date and time.

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Tuesday by 5:00 pm in writing or email
hheger@holycrosswestfargo.com

RCIA:

If you are interested in joining the Catholic Church or are interested in learning more about the teachings of the faith, please call the parish office at 282-7217.

HOLY CROSS MOBILE APP:



The Holy Cross mobile app is available to download. Find us in the app store. Search My Parish App. Stay connected with our parish throughout the week with instant notifications, and an easy-to-access event calendar. Enjoy additional features like prayers, daily readings, helpful reminders to silence your phone before Mass or confession, and much more.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Jeanette Bock	Marlene Kraft
Lu Ulmer	Veronica Svihovac
Morris Dimmer	Donovan Heili
Jonathan Perez	Mary Caldwell
Sylvan Loegering	Elaine Byrd
Ella Rose Klug	Danny Ahneman
Ashley & Derrick Klug	Kay Syvertson
Carolyn Peterson	Wayne Ward
Bill Ward	Noah Wiersma
Diane Fradet	Bill Harbeke
Kevin Sprung	Donna Zimmerman
Jerry Solberg	Logan Falk
Emanuel Volk	

And all who are experiencing illness and are not listed by name.

If you or a loved one are hospitalized or homebound or would like to have a family member included in the prayers for the sick, call the parish office at 282-7217.

PRAYERS FOR THE ARMED FORCES

Remember in prayer:

Captain Diann Olson, Captain Dixie Klein Aune, Stefani Nistler, Major Liea Misialek, Daniel Lee Cariveau, Specialist E4 Brandon Clifton, Nick Allred & Chandler Haut, SSG Stephanie Burdick Thielges, SFC William Burdick, SGT Jakob Burdick, SFC Fielding Olson, Anthony Heise, David Morse, Private Adam Mack, Technical Sgt E6 Andres Gonzalez, Technical Sgt E6 Leah Gonzalez, Tech Sergeant Chris Harris., E4 **Brandon Smith, E4 Te'ler Smith, Patrick Eldridge.**

If any family has people in the Armed Services that they would like to be prayed for, please contact the church office.

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO

JEROME WILD
Husband to Marie Wild

ARDELL PETERSON
Mom to Sherry (Al) Kraft

EVENTS & MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, June 3rd - St. Charles Lwanga & Companions
 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

TUESDAY, June 4th
 10:00 am Communion Service at Edgewood Vista
 11:45 am Confessions
 11:50 am Rosary
 12:15 pm Mass
 2:00 pm Mass at Bethany on 42nd
 4:45 pm Mass at the Good Samaritan
 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm Adult Bible Study (Chapel)

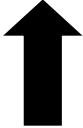
WEDNESDAY, June 5th - St. Boniface
 9:00 am Mass at the Cooperative Living Center
 10:00 am Mass at Eventide on 32nd
 11:45 am Confessions
 11:50 am Rosary
 12:15 pm Mass

THURSDAY, June 6th - St. Norbert
 11:45 am Confessions
 11:50 am Rosary
 12:15 pm Mass
 5:30 pm WOW planning meeting (Conference Rm)
 6:30 pm - 7:45 pm NFP Class (Multipurpose Room)

FRIDAY, June 7th
 Holy Cross Offices Closed
 10:00 am Mass
 4:30 pm Corneillie/Belgarde Wedding Rehearsal

SATURDAY, June 8th
 2:00 pm Corneillie/Belgarde Wedding
 3:30 pm Confessions
 4:00 pm Rosary
 4:30 pm Mass
 5:30 pm Fr Slattery Going Away (Hallway)

SUNDAY, June 9th - Pentecost
 Donuts with the Daughters/Fr Slattery Going Away after all morning Masses
 7:00 am Confessions
 7:30 am Mass
 9:00 am Mass
 11:00 am Mass
 12:00 pm Bjella baptism after Mass
 7:00 pm Mass

 **Reminder! Sunday evening Mass changes to 7:00 pm after Memorial Day!**

MONDAY, June 3rd
 12:15 pm Isabella Tharaldson by Bev & Tom Kelsch

TUESDAY, June 4th
 12:15 pm Helen & +Joe Franck by Amy Weigel & family
 2:00 pm **Priest's Intention**
Bethany on 42nd
 4:45 pm **Priest's Intention**
Good Samaritan

WEDNESDAY, June 5th
 9:00 am **Priest's Intention**
Cooperative Living Center
 10:00 am **Priest's Intention**
Eventide on 32nd
 12:15 pm Jill Gregoire

THURSDAY, June 6th
 12:15 pm Hunter Gregoire

FRIDAY, June 7th
 10:00 am Minnie Riley by Nonie Riley

SATURDAY, June 8th
 4:30 pm +Luella Emmil by the Emmil family

SUNDAY, June 9th
 7:30 am +Sharon Lardy by Lynae & Greg Lardy
 9:00 am +Rose Lohr by Brenda & Troy Aswege & family
 11:00 am **Holy Cross Catholic Community**
 7:00 pm **Priest's Intention**

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY	Acts 19:1-8; Jn 16:29-33
TUESDAY	Acts 20:17-27; Jn 17:1-11a
WEDNESDAY	Acts 20:28-38; Jn 17:11b-19
THURSDAY	Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Jn 17:20-26
FRIDAY	Acts 25:13b-21; Jn 21:15-19
SATURDAY	Acts 28:16-20,30-21; Jn 21:20-25
SUNDAY	Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor 12:3b-7,12-13; Jn 20:19-23

GOD'S GIFT APPEAL UPDATE

Parish Goal: \$168,057



Amount Pledged: \$85,932, which is 51% of the goal.

Parish Participation:

Families: 1701 Donors: 301

Participation: 18%

A MESSAGE FROM FATHER



Greetings,

After forty days of being with the disciples after his Resurrection, which we have celebrated during these forty days of the Easter season, Jesus has crossed into **Heaven to take His place at the Father's right hand, as the prophecies foretold for the Messiah.** The Father has crowned him with the glory he merited by his Passion, Death, and Resurrection, and in turn, he is eternally asking the Father for each of us—by name—to receive the graces we need to join him one day in eternity and to help others get there too.

Today's first reading from Saint Luke recalls why he decided to make his writings a two-volume set. The work of salvation is not done until everyone has an opportunity to be saved.

The Lord's Ascension is just as important for the Church as his Incarnation, Passion, Death, and Resurrection. Like the disciples in today's first reading, we are awaiting the Lord's return in glory, but we also know that in Ascending to

Heaven, he is not just sitting up there on his hands.

He and the Father are preparing to send the Holy Spirit to His Church, just as we are awaiting on Pentecost Sunday a week and a half from now, and then our part in His saving work goes into high gear, as attested to by the Acts of the Apostles.

Our Lord also speaks on our behalf to the Father for all eternity, interceding for us.

We need the whole Trinity's help in fulfilling our mission throughout history: to help Our Lord in Heaven to continue His saving work on earth.

St. Paul reminds what Our Lord won through his victory over sin and death. The Lord returns to **Heaven in glory for what He suffered and endured for us. Taking his place at the Father's right hand is taking the highest place of honor next to the Father's, not only as his Son but as his Son, who has pleased him.** Our Lord does not just receive glory; he receives a reward as well. Even as he was preparing to ascend, he told his disciples that **all authority had been given to him by his Father. He doesn't just rest on his laurels.** He puts that influence to work for us and our efforts to help share his Gospel with the whole world.

In today's Gospel Our Lord imparts a blessing even as he is taken up into Heaven. He doesn't stop imparting blessings, even today. In a little over a week, he'll impart once again the gift of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. The Easter season is longer than any other season except for Ordinary Time, and before his Ascension, the days he spent, risen from the dead, were some of the most precious on earth for his faithful disciples. **It was quality time just for them. He's looking forward to spending that quality time with us in Heaven, and from eternity he is doing everything in his power to make sure that happens.**

As the Easter season nears its conclusion in ten days, we too should be rejoicing as we recall all the blessings he has imparted to us during these forty days. We should also rejoice over the blessings to come.

In His Love and Peace, Fr Jim

p.s. I am so blessed to have family and friends help and support me during my 25th Anniversary. Everyone has been overwhelmingly kind and generous, Thank You! Many blessings have come my way and I hope I have shared these blessings with you my parish family as well. Love you all!

HOLY CROSS LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

June 8-9

	Altar Server	Usher	Greeter	EMHC	Proclaimer	Sacristan
Saturday, 4:30 PM	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Adrian, Michelle, Ryan, Colin Orth NOT FILLED	Linda Olson Dianne Schock	Nancy Elliot Lorri Klein Thomas Klein Annette Moss Michael Perius Kathy Weigel Les Wietstock	Cyrisse Wietstock Les Wietstock	Les Wietstock
Sunday, 7:30 AM	Brooklyn Herrick NOT FILLED	Darrell Hager Tim Moen	Donna Blotsky Leo Blotsky	Justin Gehrke Lisa Roeske Elaine Wilhelmi	Lisa Roeske Dustin Metzger	NOT FILLED
Sunday, 9:00 AM	Hayden Braun Katelyn Kackman Becca Smith Kathryn Smith Grant Warkenthien	Jeff Ensrud Marvin Johnk Daren Kautzman Troy Sanders	Kevin & Jill Rotert Luke & Bailey Steckler Carolee Thompson Julie Warkenthien	Alicia Frelich Kevin Hengel Lori Hengel Robert Hill Danny Kackman Mike Kiernan	Gregory Lardy Dorothy Lindemann	Sue Egl
Sunday, 11:00 AM	Anna Geffre Noah Geffre Brittany Srnsky Brooke Srnsky	Chad Belch Mark Schlader Emmanuel Sinzinkayo	Mark & Melissa Schlader Family Mike Srnsky Sheri Srnsky	Kelly Eldridge Larry Fischer Larry Geffre Christina Hargiss Sacha Hauschulz Dan Van Winkle NOT FILLED	Miranda Myers Janet Tumaini	NOT FILLED
Sunday, 7:00 PM	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Casey Glandt Miranda Glandt	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Russell Fletschock NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Amanda Brandenburger	NOT FILLED

FATHER SLATTERY FAREWELL
Join Father Slattery on Saturday, June 8th after Mass for Root Beer Floats and Sunday, June 9th after the morning Masses for Donuts. This will be his last weekend at Holy Cross before he moves to Shanley.

BAPTISMS
We welcome our newly baptized members

EMMETT OWEN EBERLE
Son of Evan & Noele Eberle

LEO WILLIAM JOHNSON
Son of Lucas & Janessa Johnson

ASPEN LILY CHER MCKAY
Daughter of Brian & Sara McKay

REAGAN ROSE HETLAND
Daughter of Tyler & Amanda Hetland

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
Mondays: 9 am to 8 pm in the Daily Chapel

Remember, we don't have all the time in the world.
Come and spend one hour with Jesus...

Adorers needed:
12:30 to 1:30 pm
4 to 5 pm
5 to 6 pm
6 to 7 pm

If you can spend one hour with Jesus, please call
Arlene Schneider at 541-7834 or 532-1229 email
aschneider@far.midco.net

SHANLEY FORENSICS FUNDRAISER
Shanley Forensics will be selling Papa Murphy's
Discount Cards the weekend of June 8th & 9th after
all Masses for their National Tournament in Dallas,
TX (held the week of June 17th). Stop by the table in
the entryway to purchase!

WANT TO GET TO KNOW OTHER MEN AND THEIR FAMILIES AT HOLY CROSS CHURCH?



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Consider joining the Knights of Columbus!
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It's a great way to meet other Catholic gentlemen and their families. Please call Brian at 281-1905 or e-mail kofc9642@yahoo.com for more information.

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

The Knights of Columbus Holy Cross Council #9642 meets on the 2nd Monday of every month starting at 7pm. Watch the bulletin for location.

June Knight of the month: Jon Aal

June Family of the month: Murray & Madonna Nelsen

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NIGHT AT THE REDHAWKS



Fargo Diocese Night with the Fargo Red Hawks – Join Bishop John Folda and the Knights of Columbus for an evening of baseball and hotdogs with the Fargo Red Hawks, Friday June 21st at 7:00 PM. Tickets are

\$9.00 per person and are located right behind home plate. There is an optional picnic at 6:00 PM with two hot dogs, chips and a drink for an additional \$6.00 per person. Reservations must be received by June 15. Send ticket requests and a check to: Knights of Columbus, PO Box 245, Fargo, ND 58107. For more information, contact George Lacher at 701-793-5566, or email at George-lacher@msn.com.



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- To share your talents, gain leadership skills and develop new friendships.

All women ages 18+ are welcome to join.

Next meeting: Thursday, June 19th.

6:45 pm Rosary, 7:00 pm Business Meeting.

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

SUMMER WOW (WOMEN OF THE WORD) BIBLE STUDY

Please join your Sisters in Christ for a 7 part series by EWTN called, "Angels of God" by Father John Horgan.

St. Thomas Aquinas tells us that "The angels work together for the benefit of all," and Fr John Horgan's "Angels of God" teaches us all about wondrous spiritual beings, created to draw us closer into that fidelity which characterizes the life of the angels. It helps us understand why their ministry to our spiritual formation is so important.

Summer Sessions: June 3rd & 17th; July 1st, 15th & 20th; August 12th

All Mondays at 9:00 am in the Multipurpose Room

There is **no** book, **no** homework, **no** registration or fees. Just come when you are able; watch the videos & join in the discussion. All are welcome.



OUR TUMMIES ARE GROWLING!

We're gathering snack supplies to feed all the hungry kids who come to our Roar! VBS. Next time you're at the grocery store, drop a few of the listed items into your cart, then bring them to the church anytime before June 3rd.

What we need:

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| 2 bags of regular pretzels | 24 containers (32 oz) vanilla yogurt |
| 2 bags mini chocolate chips | 4 boxes Rice Chex cereal |
| Fresh strawberries (need 125 berries) | 2 lb Banana Chips |
| 125 Clementines | 5 (14 oz) bags of Skittles |
| 3 boxes of various crackers | 125 regular Ice Cream Cones |
| 8 (8 oz) cans of Crushed Pineapple | 125 Brownie Bites |
| 20 (8 oz) cans of Mandarin Oranges | Sprinkles |

Community News

Administrative Secretary

St. Mary's in Grand Forks is hiring an administrative secretary. This position supports the day-to-day functions of the parish, Pastor and staff. Responsibilities will include: greeting parishioners and visitors, answering the phone, scheduling Masses, coordinating the parish calendar and other daily administrative activities. Work hours are 8:00 to 4:00 Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday. Must be proficient with Microsoft Word and Excel. Minimum requirements are a high school diploma, 1 year full-time administrative secretary experience and be a Catholic in good standing. If interested please send a cover letter, resume and references to: stmarysqfnd@yahoo.com

Religious Education Coordinator/Youth Minister

St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church in Moorhead, MN is currently accepting applicants for a Religious Education Coordinator/Youth Minister. The parish is comprised of 500+ families. Candidates must be a practicing Catholic in good standing with the Church. Required computer skills in Microsoft Office Suite and Parish Soft. Previous experience in Religious Education and program management including recruiting volunteers and event planning is a must. Please send letter of application to: Fr. Raul Perez-Cobo, Pastor, 601 15th Avenue North, Moorhead, MN 56560.

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