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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

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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-Friday 12:15 pm	Adoration Mondays 9:00 am - 8:00 pm	Reconciliation Monday - Friday 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:

Scheduled as needed. Please call the office to register for a 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

Marlene Short	Jerome "Doug" Dahl
Joan Anderson	Bill
Larry	Darlene Tandsater
Pam Schneider	Amanda
James	Judie
Louis	Brandan Carmichael
Mandy W & family	Steve Smart
Dorothy Wieland	Lonnie B
Josh Bollinger	Bill Harbeke
Jane Bondley	Dave Ekre
Sam & Heather	Richard Elless
Beaudoin	Judy Elless
Chloe Beaudoin	Jami & Jereme Seng
Gary & Aquina Beck	

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:

Kyle & Stuart Summers, Casey Jones, Major Diann Olson, Captain Dixie Klein Aune, Stefani Nistler, Major Liea Misialek, SSGT Daniel Lee Cariveau, Specialist E4 Brandon Clifton, Nick Allred & Chandler Haut, SSG Stephanie Burdick Thielges, SFC William Burdick, SGT Jakob Burdick, SFC Fielding Olson, SRA Anthony Heise, David Morse, Technical Sgt E6 Andres Gonzalez, Technical Sgt E6 Leah Gonzalez, Tech Sergeant Chris Harris., E4 Brandon Smith, Patrick Eldridge, Brian Richter, Lieutenant Commander Kevin Furst, Jacob Haring.

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

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY	Zep 3:14-18a/Lk 1:39-56
TUESDAY	Tb 2:9-14/Mk 12:13-17
WEDNESDAY	Tb 3:1-11a,16-17a/Mk 12:18-27
THURSDAY	Tb 6:10-11;7:1bcde,9-17; 8:4-9a/Mk 12:28-34
FRIDAY	Tb 11:5-17/Mk 12:35-37
SATURDAY	Tb 12:1,5-15,20/Mk 12:38-44
SUNDAY	Ex 24:3-8/Heb 9:11-15/Mk 14:12-16,22-26

EVENTS & MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, May 31st
Holy Cross Offices Closed
No Adoration

10:00 am Communion Service at New
Perspective Living Center
10:00 am Mass

TUESDAY, June 1st - St Justin, Martyr

11:45 am Confessions
11:50 am Rosary
12:15 pm Mass
2:00 pm Mass at Bethany on 42nd
4:45 pm Mas at Good Samaritan

WEDNESDAY, June 2nd

9:00 am Mass at Cooperative Living Center
10:00 am Mass at Eventide
11:45 am Confessions
11:50 am Rosary
12:15 pm Mass

THURSDAY, June 3rd - St. Charles Lwanga and
Companions

11:45 am Confessions
11:50 am Rosary
12:15 pm Mass
6:30 pm Afternoon of Remembrance Meeting
(Conference Room)
6:30 pm - 7:45 pm NFP Class (Multipurpose Room)

FRIDAY, June 4th

Holy Cross Offices Closed
11:45 am Confessions
11:50 am Rosary
12:15 pm Mass

SATURDAY, June 5th - St. Boniface, Bishop & Martyr

1:30 pm Judi McDonald Celebration of Life
3:30 pm Confessions
4:00 pm Rosary
4:30 pm Mass
5:30 pm Morken Baptism

SUNDAY, June 6th - The Most Holy Body & Blood of
Christ

7:00 am Confessions
7:30 am Mass
9:00 am Mass
11:00 am Mass
1:00 pm - 3:30 pm Secular Franciscan Order (Conference
Room)
7:00 pm Mass



Note: change in Mass time for
Sunday evenings in the summer!

MONDAY, May 31st

10:00 am +Roy Bratvold by Carol & LeRoy
Holub

TUESDAY, June 1st

12:15 pm +Fern & Jack Charboneau by
Toot Gregor
2:00 pm +Rev. Bernard Bachmeier
Bethany on 42nd
4:00 pm **Priest's Intention**
Good Samaritan

WEDNESDAY, June 2nd

9:00 am **Priest's Intention**
Cooperative Living Center
10:00 am **Priest's Intention**
Eventide
12:15 pm +Lisa Marie Jacobson by Cindy
Sund

THURSDAY, June 3rd

12:15 pm +Kevin Kelly by Cindy Sund

FRIDAY, June 4th

12:15 pm Isabella Tharaldson by Bev &
Tom Kelsch

SATURDAY, June 5th

4:30 pm +Luella Emmil by the Emmil
family

SUNDAY, June 6th

7:30 am Holy Cross Catholic Community
9:00 am +Michael Schnepf by the Schnepf
family
11:00 am Zion Alao by Alice Ezeuku
7:00 pm Schafer family by James Perius

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mondays 9:00 am - 8:00 pm in the Chapel

No Adoration on Monday, May 31st.

Adorers Needed:

10:00 am - 11:00 am
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Please call Arlene Schneider at 701- 541-7834
or email aschneider@far.midco.net to sign up
for a time.



Go!

Today is the Solemnity of **The Most Holy Trinity**. In today's Gospel (Matthew 28.16-20), Jesus tells his disciples:

"All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age."

God is Three Persons! Jesus fully revealed God to us! God is one God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. How can that be? How can Three Persons be One God? Jesus Himself says that God is Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

This is "The Great Commission:" to go and make disciples and baptize them. We need to follow His command. The world is hurting. The world needs to hear the Good News of Jesus Christ. Jesus gives us hope in a troubled world. He is our strength. He also tells us in today's Gospel that He will always be with us. We are not alone. We are not abandoned.

So, we are to "Go!" As Baptized Catholics, we are commissioned to spread the Word of God by word, example and service. No one is exempt!

Saluting our Fallen Heroes

On this Memorial Day Weekend, we remember and honor all who have died in service to our country. We pray for them and their families. We extend our gratitude for giving their lives so we may enjoy freedom.

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We also send out a weekly email update. To get on our email list, send a message to:
hheger@holycrosswestfargo.com

FAREWELL PARTY

for Father Prabhakar Marneni

Saturday, June 12th after Mass
Sunday, June 13th after morning Masses

Come wish Father Prabhakar well and
enjoy an ice cream float!

HOLY CROSS OFFICES SUMMER HOURS

- Reminder: Holy Cross offices will be closed on Fridays from Memorial Day to Labor Day starting May 28th.. Hours will remain 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Monday-Thursday.
- Daily Mass will still be held at 12:15 pm Monday-Friday.
- Starting on Thursday, May 27th, Daily Mass will be held in the main Church.
- Starting Sunday, May 30th, Sunday evening Mass will be at 7:00 pm.

MEMORIAL DAY MASS

On Monday, May 31st Holy Cross will hold Mass at 10:00 am

There will be a Mass at the Holy Cross Cemetery (1502 32nd Ave N, Fargo) at 9:00 am.

BUILDING PROJECT UPDATE



In our Church building project, we have completed the basic plans for the church, gathering space, meeting rooms and additional offices.

Therefore, we are able to have our campaign fundraising firm, GIG (Guidance in Giving) begin their work in June. The first phase will be a feasibility study that will give us information regarding potential funds that can be raised for our building plan. The study will be done by fall. Phase 2 of the fund-raising campaign will begin.

ATTENTION CATECHISTS

Please return any material (books, teachers books, anything else you might have) to the church office!



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All women ages 18+ are welcome to join.

Next Meeting: May 20th at 7:00 pm

Want more information? Call Lisa at 701-799-2397

SUMMER WOMEN OF THE WORD

We will be watching the Biblical video series, "THE CHOSEN" with discussion.

No registration & no fees.

The group will meet the following Mondays from 9 to 11 am in the Church: June 7 & 21; July 12 & 26; Aug. 2 & 16.

WEDDING BANNS

God grant you many joyful years together and bless your home with health and happiness!

Congratulations and Best Wishes!

Dominic Fettig & Mackenzie Ste. Marie
June 12, 2021

Ryan Nelson & Elisa Knoll
June 19, 2021

BANNS

Deacon Kevin Lorsung will be ordained a priest on June 5, 2021 at the Cathedral of St. Mary, Fargo. Please contact the Diocese of Fargo if there are concerns.

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.

May Knight of the Month: Emmanuel Sinzinkayo

May Family of the Month: Dcn Tony & Sharon Finneman

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.

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Knights of Columbus Council #9642

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!

OKTOBERFEST 2021 IS COMING!

The committee has met, it was agreed that the format used last year due to Covid, was a resounding success! We have decided to again celebrate



during the entire month of October. We will be featuring on-going events such as the Raffle, 50 – 50 Raffle, Chance Baskets and Silent Auction. During specific weekends during October, we will be having **Bingo, Children's Games, Canned and Baked Goods, Crafts, Jewelry Store, Cork Pull** and more. Then on October 24, we will serve our popular Swedish Meatball Dinner with all the trimmings. We are looking at both a sit-down meal and take-out. We will be needing monetary donations, gift cards, workers and more. Please consider donating to this event to help make it successful! Stay tuned for more details in the upcoming months. We would really like your help with this event. If you are interested, please contact Margaret in the church office – 282-7217.

PT Executive Director

The Presentation Prayer Center in Fargo is seeking an Executive Director. This is a part-time position working 12 to 15 hours per week. The director is responsible to further the mission of the Presentation Sisters through providing opportunities and programs that facilitate spiritual growth for people of all faiths with due regard for prudent stewardship of Prayer Center resources. Qualifications include but are not limited to: experience in one or more core services of the Prayer Center such as retreats or spiritual direction, a good acquaintance in accord with the Sisters of the Presentation and their history and mission, and respecting the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church. Attributes should include integrity, initiative, organizational ability, skill in oral and written communication, and ability to interact positively with a variety of people and organizations. If you are interested, please send a resume to Fr. Gary Luiten, Board Chair, at gary@bscwf.org or call him at 701-282-3321.

FT Parish Office Administrator

St. Catherine's Parish in Valley City, ND is currently accepting applications for a Parish Office Administrator, working 40 hours per week with benefits. This position is responsible for managing day-to-day business operations of the parish, as well as the financials for St. Catherine's Parish School and the Nearly Nu Thrift Store. Job duties include maintaining all financial records and accounts, payroll, and budget. Secretarial duties include but are not limited to responding to people's calls and visitors to the Parish Office; managing sacramental and parish records; publishing bulletins; handling mailing to parishioners; maintaining the parish website; and other duties assigned by the pastor. The successful candidate will have an accounting background with previous work experience, strong communication and organizational skills with attention to detail. Ability to maintain confidentiality and an understanding of the Catholic Faith are essential. Submit cover letter, resume and three references to Monsignor Skonseng at: dennis.skonseng@fargodiocese.org The position is open until filled.

Made for Greatness Men's Retreat

Would you like to be closer to God, but He sometimes seems distant? Can prayer be a battle for you at times? Join us for the Made for Greatness Men's Retreat on July 16-18 to learn how to go deeper in friendship with God. This will be a time to explore Catholic spirituality specifically as men. There will be comradery, great food, and the chance for real spiritual growth. The retreat will be held at Stiklestad Lodge, a corporate hunting retreat center near Fort Ransom, ND. There will also be opportunities for trap shooting, campfires, sports and more. To find out more or register, visit www.fargodiocese.org/mfg.

Women's Care Center (formerly FirstChoice Clinic), is currently seeking to hire a full-time Development Coordinator to engage regional support through various fundraising activities including: donor relations, events, grants, and outreach. Hours are flexible. To learn more about this position or to submit a resume, please email Angela Wambach at angela@wccnd.com or call 701-237-6530.

St. Mary's Catholic Church, six miles east of Dazey, ND will host our 117th Feast of Corpus Christi on SUNDAY, June 6, at 10:30a.m. Following mass will be an outdoor procession of the Blessed Sacrament, a meal, (free will offering) and outdoor fellowship.

Children who received their first communion/confirmation are invited to help lead the procession, please bring flowers/petals/leaves as we decorate the path for Jesus!

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS TO MEET

Court St. Ann #261 of the Catholic Daughters of the Americas will meet Tuesday, June 8th at St. Anthony's beginning with Mass at 5:15 PM; meal to follow (Unit 2 & 3 serving) and meeting at 6:30 PM. Members are invited to bring toiletries for donation. If interested in CDA, please join us at our meeting. Any questions, please send an email to regentctstann@gmail.com.

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