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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 Friday 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, 6:00 pm	Weekday Masses Monday-Friday 12:15 pm	Adoration First Friday of the Month 9:00 am - 6:00 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 and online at www.holycrosswestfargo.com

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:

Scheduled as needed. May need to take a Baptism class. 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

Mark Erhardt	Joey Harbeke
David Groven	Doris Tandsater
Darlene Buzick	Rogers
Tandsater	Marilyn
Bonnie Zins	Gauge
Michelle Harviell	John Frelich
Brenda	Deacon Jim Uline
Steve Listopad	Janice
Micah Erickson	Al Elliott
Joseph Castro	Sutton Hennessy
Judy Elless	Bob Plemel

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:

Casey Jones, Major Diann Olson, Major Liea Misialek, SSGT Daniel Lee Cariveau, Specialist E4 Brandon Clifton, Petty Officer First Class Nick Allred, SFG Stephanie Burdick Thielges, GT Jakob Burdick, SFC Fields Olson, SRA Anthony Heise, David Morse, Technical Sgt E6 Andres Gonzalez, Technical Sgt E6 Leah Gonzalez, Tech Sergeant Chris Harris, Patrick Eldridge, Brian Richter, Lieutenant Commander Kevin Furst, Jacob Haring, Staff SGT David Nygaard, Michael Durkin, SSgt, NDANG, Captain Mark Buske, Army Specialist E4 Zachary Anderson, E4 Sean Eldridge, Maxwell Nystrom, E3 Bailey Hunt

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	Acts 2:14,22-33/Mt 28:8-15
TUESDAY	Acts 2:36-41/Jn 20:11-18
WEDNESDAY	Acts 3:1-10/Lk 24:13-35
THURSDAY	Acts 3:11-26/Lk 24:35-48
FRIDAY	Acts 4:1-12/Jn 21:1-14
SATURDAY	Acts 4:13-21/Mk 16:9-15
SUNDAY	Acts 4:32-35/1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31

EVENTS & MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, April 1st

Holy Cross Offices Closed/No Trinity School

11:45 am Confessions
11:50 am Rosary
12:15 pm Mass

TUESDAY, April 2nd

10:00 am - 11:55 am Catholic Wives Association
(Multipurpose Room)
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
7:00 pm-8:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal (Church)

WEDNESDAY, April 3rd

9:00 am Mass at the Cooperative Living Center
10:00 am Communion Service at New
Perspective
11:45 am Confessions
11:50 am Rosary
12:15 pm Mass
1:15 pm - 2:00 pm Trinity Musical Rehearsal (Church)
2:00 pm Mass at Eventide
2:45 pm Communion Service at Edgewood Vista
4:30 pm Faith Formation
6:00 pm Faith Formation
7:00 pm That Man is You (Rectory)
7:15 pm Faith Formation

THURSDAY, April 4th

6:00 am That Man is You (Multipurpose Room)
8:45 am Trinity School Mass
11:45 am Confessions
11:50 am Rosary
12:15 pm Mass
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Prayer Blankets (Multipurpose Room)
3:15 pm - 4:00 pm Trinity Musical Rehearsal (Church)
6:00 pm—7:30 pm AHG Meeting (Multipurpose Room &
Hallway)

FRIDAY, April 5th

9:00 am - 6:00 pm Adoration (Chapel)
11:45 am Confessions
11:50 am Rosary
12:15 pm Mass

SATURDAY, April 6th

9:00 am - 2:30pm Confirmation & 1st Eucharist Retreat
(Church, Multipurpose Room, Hallway,
Gym, Chapel, Kitchen)
3:30 pm Confessions
4:00 pm Rosary
4:30 pm Mass
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm Cookies for a Cause-Mission Trip
Fundraiser (Hallway & Kitchen)

SUNDAY, April 7th - Divine Mercy Sunday

7:00 am Confessions
7:30 am Mass
8:00 am - 12:30 pm Cookies for a Cause-Mission
Trip Fundraiser (Hallway &
Kitchen)
9:00 am Mass/Liturgy of the Word
11:00 am Mass/Liturgy of the Word
2:00 pm - 3:30 pm Divine Mercy Service
6:00 pm Mass

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, April 1st

12:15 pm Tabatha Kelsch by Bev & Tom Kelsch

TUESDAY, April 2nd

12:15 pm +Harold Schneider by Arlene Schneider
2:00 pm Priest's Intention
Bethany on 42nd
4:45 pm Priest's Intention
Good Samaritan

WEDNESDAY, April 3rd

9:00 am Souls in Purgatory
Cooperative Living Center
12:15 pm +Douglas Ackerman by the Ackerman family
2:00 pm Priest's Intention
Eventide

THURSDAY, April 4th

8:45 am +Eileen Beck by Alessi Beck
12:15 pm +Tony Holub by LeRoy & Carol Holub

FRIDAY, April 5th

12:15 pm +Richard Elless by Deacon Bruce & Theresa
Dahl

SATURDAY, April 6th

4:30 pm +Clara Brossart by Linda Bartsch

SUNDAY, April 7th

7:30 am +Steve & Ida Feltman by Tom & Julie
Fennell
9:00 am +Doug Knutson by Eileen Knutson
11:00 am +Joe Franck by Pete & Amy Seifert
6:00 pm Holy Cross Catholic Community

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO

Tim Senger

Grandfather of Abby (Michael) Johnson

Dennis Kelly

Brother of Larry (Diane) Kelly

A MESSAGE FROM FATHER



Happy Easter!

On behalf of our Parish Staff and School Staff, we wish each and everyone a Happy and Blessed Easter!

The Lord has Risen! Alleluia! The Easter Vigil last night and today's celebration of Easter are the most important days of the Church year! Jesus Christ was born to save us and bring us new life!

We are given the Gift of Eternal Life! It is the most important gift of all. I was reading an article about a woman's experience of eternal life:

"A young woman is rushed to the hospital — she arrives unconscious — the traumatic shock has set in, and she is very near death. Emergency Room nurses struggle to find a pulse and cannot get a blood pressure reading. Days later, remembering the experience, the patient said,

Within the tiniest fraction of an instant, I was out of my body and out of pain. I was up on the ceiling in the corner of the room, looking down, watching doctors and nurses rush around frantically as they tried to save my life. And then I began to feel the most incredible, warm, golden, loving feeling, which was also a wonderful, warm, golden light. I was in this light, part of this light. There was a presence in the light, a wisdom, and that wisdom was the final word. The wisdom loved me and, at the same time, knew everything about me. Everything I had ever done and felt was there for me to see. I wanted to proceed into the light and stay there forever, but I was shown that I had to go back and take care of my two children.

This experience has taught me three things. First, I know that death is not painful. I will never be afraid to die. Second, I know it's important to be true to myself and others because I will be accountable for my life when it's over. And third, I'm talking about eternity — something I will experience for all eternity."

Hearing about experiences like this gives us encouragement and hope. Jesus destroyed sin and death. Because of Him, we live forever! We are truly free.

Jesus is risen from the dead. Alleluia!

Divine Mercy Sunday is Next Week

Each year, the Sunday after Easter is Divine Mercy Sunday. It is observed throughout the world annually. Come and join us for this inspiring service at 2:00 PM, next Sunday, April 14th.

Thank you!

Thank you to all who helped to make the Liturgies of Palm Sunday, Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday and today so beautiful and inspiring. Countless volunteers and our Parish Staff have spent many hours to make this happen.

Thank you to the liturgical ministers, musicians, cantors, sacristans, Catholic Daughters, Knights of Columbus, volunteers to set up the environment for each day, volunteers to set up chairs and take down chairs in the gym for all you have done!

Church Building Project Update (as of the March 20th Meeting)

Exterior brick-laying project is tentatively set to resume on the 1st week of April, weather permitting.

Cullen Insulation has completed spray foam in the church. They will spray foam exterior walls in the tower after framing and sheathing.

The Sacristy will be ready to be painted early-mid April.

FM Contracting had an additional crew on site last week hanging sheetrock in the Sacristy and Transepts. That crew will return today to frame and sheetrock soffits in the Sacristy and cover the rest of the foam in the Nave. FM completed framing and sheathing the front entry columns, and will have the tower up to 46 feet framed and sheathed by mid next week to stay ahead of Huesman-Schreiber

G & R Controls was on site to wire controls in the basement for the floor heat system. They began running conduits for thermostats ahead of sheetrock. They are working with All American to get sensors to control the floor heat system.

April 6th - April 7th

	Altar Server	Usher	Greeter	EMHC	Proclaimer	Sacristan
Saturday, 4:30 PM	Parker Johnson Evan Ulmer Ava Ulmer NOT FILLED	Brenda Anderson Becky Klein	Julie Mears Barbara Murray Keith Murray Jackie Schindler	John Dobbins Mark Dooley Thomas Klein Lorri Klein Ryan Mears NOT FILLED	McKeon Honeyman (1) Adam DeFoe (2)	NOT FILLED
Sunday, 7:30 AM	Hannah Liebl Whitney Liebl	Darrell Hager Roger Hentges	Bill Senftner NOT FILLED	Justin Gehrke Elizabeth Peterson Lisa Roeske	Madonna Fitzgerald (1) Liya Joshy (2)	NOT FILLED
Sunday, 9:00 AM	Brogan Erstad Corinna Hagen Alessandra Neir Veronica Neir Coraline Volk	Harvey Heise Rosemary Heise Kevin Hengel John Klava	Angela Hass Jonathan Hass Kate Jahner Amy Petersen	Terry Angus Christopher Eggl Angela Hagen Jennifer Halda Jeanette Mathers Shannon Roers Jones	Cathy Urlaub (1) Adam Hoffert (2)	NOT FILLED
Sunday, 11:00 AM	Cole Foerster Miles Foerster Isaac Johnson Elijah Wolf Kaylee Wolf	Mark Schlader NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Denae Monson Mark & Melissa Schlader Family Laura Wolf Tony Wolf	Rodney Bachmeier Lori Bachmeier Christina Hargiss Stephanie Landstrom John Ries Sarah Ries	Sarah Ries (1) Elizabeth Foerster (2)	NOT FILLED
Sunday, 6:00 PM	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Ramona Lincoln NOT FILLED	Jason Erickson Allen & Keely Schlichting	April Olson Shantelle Smith NOT FILLED	Ginger Elless (1)	NOT FILLED



EUCCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR FOR DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY April 7th at Holy Cross

Program for the day:

2:00 pm

Fr. Gaitley's Divine Mercy
Sunday Message video

2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Confessions
Exposition of the Blessed
Sacrament
Reflection

3:00 pm

Divine Mercy Chaplet Prayer
Litany of Divine Mercy
Benediction & Close Prayer

3:30 pm

Private veneration of St. Faustina's Relic
Stay for coffee & cake reception

PLEASE JOIN US AND BRING A FRIEND

CATHOLIC MAN NIGHT

EAT, PRAY & SOCIALIZE WITH THE GUYS

Thursday, April 4th
5:45 pm - 8:00 pm

Held at:
St. Leo's Catholic Church
211 N Langer Ave, Casselton

5:45 pm - 6:45 pm	Quiet Prayer Time in the church & Confession time
6:45 pm - 8:00 pm	Meal and Evening Presentation in Spirit of Life Center

Guest Speaker: **Judge Ralph Erickson**
Judge on the 8th Circuit Court of Appeals
(this court system is one below the U.S. Supreme Court)

His Presentation: **"There are no Half-Saints in Heaven – Aim Higher!"**
With 40 years of work in the legal world and being a lifetime Catholic, Judge Erickson will offer his reflections and challenges of what it means to be men of faith in today's world.

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NEXT PERMANENT DIACONATE FORMATION CLASS

A new formation class for the permanent diaconate will begin August 2025 with applications opening this fall 2024. Interested men and their wives should attend one of the following **informational dinners**. Evenings begin at 6:00 pm and include an introduction and short talks on the permanent diaconate. There will be the opportunity to visit with other deacons and their wives, as well as Q&A. Evenings end around 8:20 pm.

- **RSVP by April 5** for the Fargo dinner at Holy Spirit Church on Tuesday, April 23, 2024 at 6:00 pm.
- **RSVP by April 19** for the Jamestown dinner at St. James Basilica Church on Tuesday, May 7, 2024 at 6:00 pm.

More information, including age requirements and RSVP link, available at <https://www.fargodiocese.org/permanentdeacons>

Contact vocations@fargodiocese.org or 701-356-7900 with questions.

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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.

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- 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.

All women ages 18+ are welcome to join.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, April 25th at 7:00 pm

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



Father Meyer 30th Anniversary of Ordination

Our Catholic community in eastern North Dakota is blessed with talented, faithful individuals who work to build God's kingdom by sharing the teachings of Jesus Christ. Their ministries to spread the good news reach well beyond their own parishes.

We will celebrate one of them, our very own Fr. James Meyer, on May 19 at Holy Family Catholic Church in Grand Forks, ND in honor of his 30th anniversary of ordination. There will be Mass at 11:00 am followed by a potluck.

This event is free and open to everyone!



Fraternal Benefit Event

Learn more about how you can align
your finances with your faith.

Extended Care Planning

Date: Monday, April 8, 2024 **Time:** 6:00 PM

Location: Holy Cross Catholic Church

RSVP: _____

RSVP by: Meet in the new conference room

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The Mission Trip Youth Group
WILL BE SELLING FRESH-BAKED
Chocolate Chip and Monster Cookies

April 6 & 7

after all Masses



*FREE WILL DONATION
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All proceeds will benefit the Youth Mission Trip to the Alpha Christian Children's Home in Perry, KS this June.

Community News

Third Synod of the Diocese of Fargo to take place April 11-13, 2024 in Fargo

The faithful of the Diocese of Fargo are invited to attend the opening Mass for the Third Synod on Thurs., April 11, at 5pm as well as the closing Mass on Sat., April 13, at 12:30pm at Sts. Anne and Joachim Church, 5202 25th St. So, Fargo. A plenary indulgence is granted a single time to the faithful who devoutly visit Sts. Anne and Joachim during the diocesan synod and there recite an Our Father and the Creed. The usual conditions of detachment from sin, sacramental confession, Eucharistic Communion, and prayer for the intention of the Holy Father are required to receive this indulgence. Please pray that the Holy Spirit will inspire our prayer, preparation, discussions, and bless the Church in our diocese with the outpouring of His grace.

On Saturday morning April 6th Sts. Anne and Joachim Catholic Church will be hosting a morning of recollection with Jackie Mulligan, Foundress of REFORM Wellness, to reflect on growing in health of body and soul together in Christ through the nine pillars of wellness: faith, sleep, stress, nutrition, space, community, functional movement, play, and personal growth. A free sign up, along with the schedule, is available at www.stsaaj.org/reform-seminar-sat-april-6.

Join us for an unforgettable evening of gratitude and joyful celebration at the Canticle of Praise Banquet and Mass with His Eminence Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke and Dr. Gianna Emanuela Molla on Tuesday April 16th, in Grand Forks. For more information and to purchase tickets check out our website: sgpmollahome.com/20th-anniversary. *This is not a fundraising event. No additional request for donations will be made that evening* Deadline to purchase a ticket is April 2nd.

SEARCH for Christian Maturity is a peer-to-peer ministry, allowing youth (ages 16 and 17) along with young adults (ages 18 and older) to minister to youth and young adults. SEARCH is a way to help you on your journey to discover God, yourself, and a Christian community. This is a time to experience a loving, supportive community of young people who want to learn and experience a closer relationship with God and with others. We have a retreat coming up April 26-28 at Maryvale Retreat Center in Valley City. More details and the application are at www.fargodiocese.org/search4cm or call Dori at 952-210-2219 with questions. Applications are due no later than Monday, April 8th.

On Saturday, April 27, the 39th annual NDSU vs. UND Bike Race & Ride will commence. The theme this year for NDSU is Bikezilla! Riders join together from both Newman Centers to support the vital work of campus ministry and to be a part of a friendly competition. Prayerfully consider joining the race by sponsoring a student rider or riding in the event! When you support the Bike Race and Ride, you provide students with the tools they need to live out their faith with the support of a Christ-centered community and have the opportunity to let Christ transform their lives in a deeper way. To sponsor a rider or register to ride please visit our website at: bisoncatholic.org

Events and Hospitality Coordinator

St. Paul's Newman Center in Fargo, ND is seeking a full-time Events and Hospitality Coordinator. Primary responsibilities will include: coordinating and managing all outside events hosted by St. Paul's Newman Center, including all wedding and wedding-related clients, supporting internal ministry event needs, and further developing general hospitality ministry capabilities. This is a dynamic position that serves the diverse needs of St. Paul's Newman Center as it continues to expand its event-hosting services. Applicants must submit a resume and names/contacts for three references to Nathan Carr at nathan@bisoncatholic.org. For more information please visit our website at: <https://www.bisoncatholic.org/events-coordinator-job-discription>

The 2024 Shanley High School Players will be performing their Spring musical *42nd Street*. The First Nighter Dinner and Show will be Thursday, April 11th in the Shanley High School Gymnasium - with a social beginning at 5:45 PM and dinner at 6:15 PM. Musical to follow at Shanley GROW Auditorium. For more information, email the First Nighter Committee at ShanleyFirstNighter@outlook.com by April 3rd. Additional performances will be April 12th & 13th at 7:30 PM and April 14th at 2:00 PM. Tickets available for additional performances online at showtix4u.com.

On April 19-21 at Franciscan Retreat Center in Hankinson, ND, men are invited to a retreat called St Joseph: Man of No Return. There will be Rosary, engaging large group talks, small group discussions, Mass, Confession, Eucharistic Adoration, private priest/deacon spiritual direction, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Liturgy of the Hours and more. Room & all meals provided; cost \$300 (students \$200). Register at www.ecclesiadomestica.net/registration or call St. Boniface Parish, Lidgerwood at 701.538.4604.

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