



# The Catholic Communities of Holdingford, St. Anna and St. Wendel

All Saints, Holdingford  
Immaculate Conception, St. Anna  
St. Columbkille, St. Wendel

The Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
September 15 2024

## Central Office in Holdingford

**Hours:** Mon.-Wed. 10—3, Thurs. 1 - 5

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**Confession Times:** Before daily Mass  
and by appointment

**Marriage:** Couples are to begin  
preparation 6-12 months in advance  
and **must** call the Central Office to  
meet with Father Gregory **before**  
**setting a date**. Diocesan Marriage  
Preparation Classes are required.

**Baptism:** Call the Central Office to  
schedule Baptism.

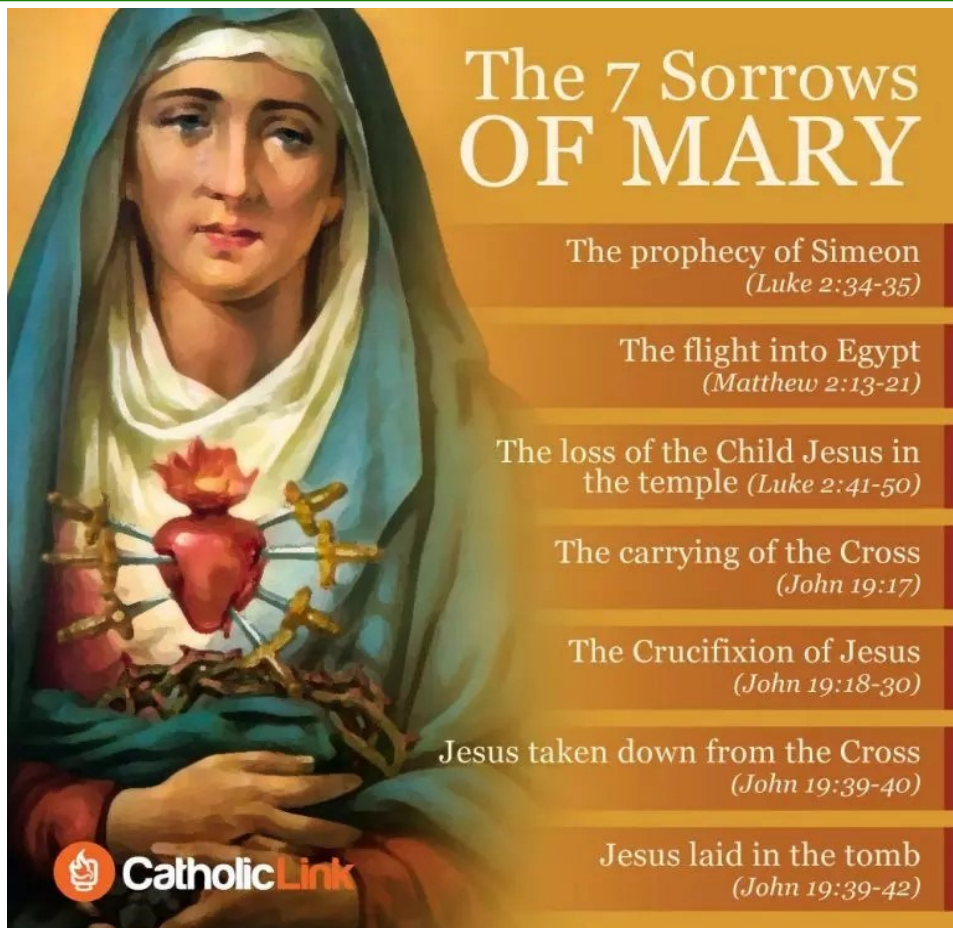
**New Parishioners:** Please introduce  
yourself to Father after Mass and call  
the Central Office. If you are leaving our  
parishes please call the central office so  
we can update our census. Thank you!

**Address:**

**Central Office**

**P.O. Box 308**

**Holdingford, MN 56340**



## **The 7 Promises to Those Who Pray the 7 Sorrows**

1. *I will grant peace to their families.*
2. *They will be enlightened about the divine mysteries.*
3. *I will console them in their pains and I will accompany them in their work.*
4. *I will give them as much as they ask for as long as it does not oppose the adorable will of my divine Son or the sanctification of their souls.*
5. *I will defend them in their spiritual battles with the infernal enemy and I will protect them at every instant of their lives.*
6. *I will visibly help them at the moment of their death, they will see the face of their Mother.*
7. *I have obtained from my divine Son, that those who propagate this devotion to my tears and dolours, will be taken directly from this earthly life to eternal happiness since all their sins will be forgiven and my Son and I will be their eternal consolation and joy.*

## New Evangelization Corner

### ~Deacon Dan Dullinger



#### The Four Pillars of the Eucharistic Revival Playbook (2024-2025)

Pillar 1: Eucharistic Encounter    **Pillar 2: Eucharistic Identity**  
 Pillar 3: Eucharistic Life        Pillar 4: Eucharistic Mission

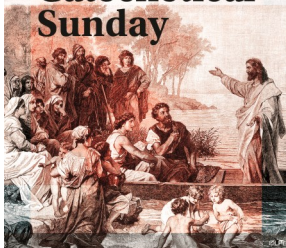
**This week: Pillar 2: Eucharistic Identity** Encouraging missionary disciples to embrace their true identities as beloved children of the Father through their relationship with Christ in the Eucharist.

*Example:* Commit to the daily gift of yourself, in concrete acts of service to others, which is at the heart of missionary discipleship.

#### **\*\*IMPORTANT INVITATION\*\***

If you are interested in becoming part of a missionary discipleship core team, working on things like these pillars, first building each other up, then helping others do the same, please contact me. Call the main office or email me at [evangelist@tworiverscatholic.com](mailto:evangelist@tworiverscatholic.com). God bless you, Deacon Dan

### Catechetical Sunday



As St John Paul II reminded us: The universal call to holiness is closely linked to the universal call to mission. Every member of the faithful is called to holiness and to mission. We are called to be eucharist by word and action to our brothers and sisters in Christ. Our times cry out for this kind of holiness, one in-

flamed by the ardent determination to bring as many of our brothers and sisters as possible to Christ.

#### **Convalidation, RCIA, Confirmation... Yes please!**

Are you married outside of the Catholic Church and want to have your marriage recognized by the Church? Are you thinking about becoming Catholic or even just learning more about what the Catholic faith teaches? Were you baptized Catholic but never Confirmed and want to be? Give us a call! We would love to sit down with you and accompany you during this time!

Call us if you would like to be added to the prayer list, are home-bound and would like to receive Communion or a bulletin (mailed or online) or if you are in need of a blessing for illness or an upcoming surgery.

### Eucharistic Adoration

All Cluster Adoration is every Monday at All Saints—St. Hedwig's from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Come encounter our Eucharistic Lord!



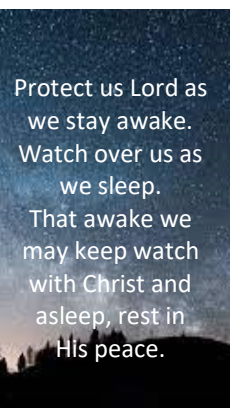
#### **Listen to the Rosary**

led by Fr. Gregory and Fr. Mark Stang on KASM 1150 AM at 6:00 p.m. daily.



#### **Listen to Fr. Gregory's**

Rural Life Radio Show on KYES 1180 or 93.5 FM at 8:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. Friday.



Protect us Lord as we stay awake.  
 Watch over us as we sleep.  
 That awake we may keep watch with Christ and asleep, rest in His peace.

#### **Night Prayer**

Join Fr. Gregory in prayer most nights at 9:00 p.m. on his Facebook page. We are averaging 400 views each night. You can ask for a request that Father keeps in his prayers. Night Prayer is added to our webpage the next day to watch anytime. [www.tworiverscatholic.com](http://www.tworiverscatholic.com)

### Prayer lines

**All Saints:** Call or text Joan Frie (320) 241-3264 & Val Hommerding (320) 746-9921

**Immaculate Conception:** Christine Maleska (320) 356-7246

**St. Columbkille:** Esther Struzyk (320) 251-4984 & Susan Opatz (320) 363-8160

**The Healing Power of God: Remember in prayer all who are in need of the Lord's healing and strength especially:**



Pat Euteneuer, Fr. Gregory, Claude Opatz, Linda Harren, Carol Kuklok, Jayne Wruck, Tom Studniski, Donald Doll, Emily Becker, Bernice Ebnet, Katie Yurczyk, Rod Harren, Cass MacDonell, David & Anita Scegura, Jim Ruprecht

May you receive God's Complete Healing!



## News & Events

### Catholic Campaign for Human Development collection:

Our diocese will take up a special collection the weekend of Sept. 14th-15th for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. CCHD is the domestic anti-poverty office of the USCCB, which focuses on poverty education, peace outreach and grants to grassroots organizations working to fight poverty across the U.S. Funds collected are used for grants locally and nationally, with at least 25% of all funds remaining in our diocese to help local organizations. Please give generously as we work together to help our neighbors on the margins. *Special collection envelopes are in your parish packets.*

### Andrew Dinner: Sept. 25<sup>th</sup>

Do you have young men in your parish grades eight-12 who have potential for a priestly calling? Fr. Doug Liebsch would love to hear from you! This simple and powerful night consists of evening prayer and dinner with Bishop Patrick while priests share their vocations story. Young men find it very meaningful and special to have a night with the bishop and priests. Please contact Julie at the Vocations Office: [Julie.jacobs@gwstcdio.org](mailto:Julie.jacobs@gwstcdio.org)

*I will walk before the Lord,  
in the land of the living.*  
(Ps 116)

**Immaculate Conception Cemetery** The parking lot was extended and asphalt was laid on the road to the cemetery. Thank you to WDS for doing the prep work and Hanson Paving for doing an excellent job! It looks great!



## Weekly Readings

**Monday:** 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/Lk 7:1-10

**Tuesday:** 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Lk 7:11-17

**Wednesday:** 1 Cor 12:31—13:13/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and 22/Lk 7:31-35

**Thursday:** 1 Cor 15:1-11/Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28/Lk 7:36-50

**Friday:** 1 Cor 15:12-20/Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20/Lk 8:1-3

**Saturday:** Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Mt 9:9-13

**Sunday:** Wis 2:12, 17-20/Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 (6b)/Jas 3:16—4:3/Mk 9:30-37



### Stewardship as a Way of Life

*"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me."* MARK 8:34

Living a stewardship lifestyle means not only being responsible for my own life, but for the lives of others as well. We realize that our gifts are not intended for ourselves, rather they are meant to be shared with others. "Taking up my cross" means doing things when someone else needs me and not when it's convenient for me.



## Weekly Offering

### PARISH INCOME

September 8, 2024

AS \$ 3,154.00

IC \$ 3,135.00

SC \$ 1,933.00

**Thank you for your generosity!**

*"For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be."* ~Luke 12:34

## Parish News & Events

### All Cluster

#### **Rural Catholic Young Adult Group:**

**Sept. 21st** Join us on for prayer, topical information, discussions, and social activities for people ages 18 - 30 who are looking to socialize with other young adults. We meet at 7:00 p.m. at All Saints-St. Mary's, Holdingford on **third Saturdays.** Meetings include socializing, snacks, and games to follow. For more information contact Katie 423-2203 or Marissa 630-2433.

#### **DCCW Fall Conference: Sept. 21st**

Frederick Blonigen will be the keynote speaker at this year's fall conference. Registration and refreshments begin at 9:00 a.m. at St. Anthony's Church, 2405 1st Street N., St. Cloud. Cost is \$25 at the door. \$20 check if mailed to Lora Knafla at 11719 16th Ave. NW, Rice MN 56367 by 9/10.

#### **Pro-Life Rosary**

All are welcome to join us Tuesdays from 4-5:00 p.m. in October (1, 8, 15, 22, 29) to pray in front of and inside All Saints-St. Mary's in Holdingford. If you are unable to join us in person, please pray with us during that hour at home.

#### **Cub Scouts**

Sign-up night is Thursday, Sept. 19th at 6:30 p.m. at All Saints-St. Hedwig's Basement. Boys ages K-5 are invited to join us. Contact: Ryan (320) 267-9714 for questions.

### Immaculate Conception

***Congratulations!***  
***Newly Married***

Derek & Abigayle Peters  
September 7, 2024

**Christian Mothers Meeting** on Sept. 16th at 7:00 p.m. We would like to meet new parishioners-we'll have cookies! All ladies are welcome to join us! Questions: call Bernadette Larkey 320-345-0755

### Immaculate Conception

May Eternal Rest be granted to:



Owen Becker

Passed: Sept. 5, 2024

Funeral: Sept. 13, 2024

### St. Columbkille

#### **Box of Joy**

Our Christian Women are sponsoring the "Box of Joy" project, an annual Christmas gift ministry facilitated by the Cross Catholic Outreach organization. A list of preferred items and a collection box can be found in the church entrance. In addition to gifts, each child who receives a Box of Joy also receives a rosary and a booklet in their own language that tells the "The Story of Jesus". To learn more visit:

[www.CrossCatholic.org/BoxofJoy](http://www.CrossCatholic.org/BoxofJoy).

Monetary gifts are also welcomed and can be placed in the collection. Please label your envelope with "Box of Joy". Donations are appreciated by October 28th. When you participate in this mission of mercy, you give children living in poverty hope for a brighter future. Thank you and God bless you for your compassion and generosity.

**Church cleaning Sept. 24th** The church will be open all day. Please bring a pail and rag with you and mark off items as they are completed. The list will be in the back of the church if you cannot help that day, please pay \$10. Thank you.

### All Saints

#### **All Saints Christian Mothers/ Women/Rosary Sodality Pancake Breakfast Quilt & Cash Raffle**

Sunday, October 6th from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at All Saints - St. Mary's in Holdingford.

Serving: Pancakes/toppings, sausage, potatoes, scrambled eggs, fresh baked caramel rolls, juice, milk & coffee. FREE WILL OFFERING!

### All Saints cont.

#### **Building Committee**

Members from the Building Committee, Architecture Advantage, and Art Lohsen, our Liturgical Consultant, presented to the Diocesan Building Commission back in August. We are waiting for feedback from them before moving forward with a few options of what our new church could look like. Please pray for its success!



Sage Noelle Sobania

Daughter of Trevor & Janessa  
Baptized 9/8/2024

#### **Christian Mothers/Women/Rosary Sodality**

**Annual Breakfast** Workers needed for our annual CMWRS Breakfast on Saturday, Oct. 5th and Sunday, Oct. 6th. We need workers for all shifts and all jobs ...good event to get your kids involved in either helping in the kitchen or dining hall. Many hands make light work Please call Joan at 241-3264 to get on the schedule.

**Our Annual Rummage Sale will be at All Saint's-St. Hedwig's church over MEA.**

Oct. 17<sup>th</sup> 7:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Oct. 18<sup>th</sup> 7:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m. – noon


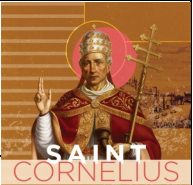

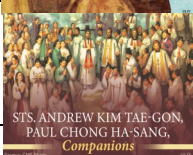
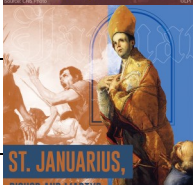
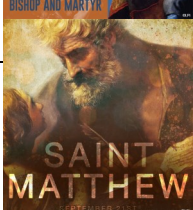
Clean, gently used items may be dropped off in the All Saints-St. Hedwig's church basement Oct.

13<sup>th</sup> thru the 15<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. and Oct 16<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

Absolutely NO major appliances, electronics, exercise equipment, baby equipment, headboards or mattresses will be accepted.

DO NOT DROP OFF items OUTSIDE the door at any time. NO PRE-SALES. Any questions call Corrine Hadrach 320-310-1260.



	<h1>Mass Schedule</h1>		
<b>Mon. Sept. 16</b>	<i>Saints Cornelius, Pope and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs</i> <b>12 Noon St. Columbkille</b>	† Marge Yurzyk	
<b>Tues. Sept. 17</b>	<i>St. Robert Bellamine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church, St. Hildegard of Bingen, Virgin and Doctor of the Church.</i> <b>6:30 p.m. On the Road Mass</b>	<b>Troy and Marissa Studniski</b> <b>35188 Cty Road 155, Avon</b>	
<b>Wed. Sept. 18</b>	<i>St. Andrew Kin Tae-gon, priest, and Paul Chong Ha-sang &amp; Companions, Martyrs</i> <b>8:00 a.m. All Saints-St. Hedwig's</b>	† Jean Peleske	
<b>Thur. Sept. 19</b>	<i>St. Januarius, Bishop and Martyr</i> <b>8:00 a.m. Immaculate Conception and Adoration</b>	† Teckla Scegura	
<b>Fri. Sept. 20</b>	<b>2:30 p.m. St. Columbkille</b> <b>Wedding: Amanda Burton &amp; Tyler Huls</b>		
<b>Sat. Sept. 21</b>	<i>St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist</i> <b>5:00 p.m. St. Columbkille</b>	<b>For the People</b>	
<b>Sun. Sept. 22</b>	<i>Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <b>8:00 a.m. All Saints– St. Mary's</b> <b>10:00 a.m. Immaculate Conception</b>	† Leona Lashinski † Rose Schmainda	

## Family Faith Formation & GIFFT (*Generations In Family Faith Together*)

### Faith Formation Directors

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Katrina Kolles 292-1575

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**Confirmation:** Bob Vouk 249-3398 &  
Jenny Revermann 249-9939

Confirmation Assistant: Katie Vouk  
[confirmation@tworiverscatholic.com](mailto:confirmation@tworiverscatholic.com)

#### Upcoming Dates:

**September 18th**-First night of classes for Religious Education (All Saints-St. Hedwig's) and Confirmation (All Saints-St. Mary's). One parent/guardian must attend Confirmation with each student.

September 28th –November 3rd

**40 DAYS**  
FOR LIFE™

### Youth Minister

Are you being called to lead our Youth? We are hiring a Youth Minister. This position is up to 10 hours a week and would be running the Wednesday Night EPIC (Every Person in Christ) Youth Program. Please contact Fr. Gregory or the Parish Office.

It's going to be

# EPIC

Mega-Fun Games! Faith-Filled Friendship!

## Every Person In Christ

**What:** EPIC Youth Nights

**Who:** All Students Grades 6-12

**When:** Wed. after Religion Class: 7:45-8:30 p.m.

**Where:** All Saints-St. Hedwig Church

Have a blast with friends and grow closer to God!

## WE WANT YOU HERE!