



## LORD'S DAY MASS SCHEDULE

### Saturday

4:00pm - Sacred Heart  
4:30pm - St. Mary's  
6:30pm - St. Stanislaus

### Sunday

8:30am - St. James  
8:30am - St. Mary's  
10:30am - Holy Family  
10:30am - Our Lady of Lourdes

### Traditional Latin Mass

### Sunday

10:00am - Sacred Heart

## RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

### Tuesday

8:30am - St. Stanislaus  
5:00pm - St. James

### Wednesday

8:00am - St. Mary's

### Thursday

8:00am - Our Lady of Lourdes  
8:30am - Holy Family  
5:00pm - St. Mary's

### Friday

7:30am - Sacred Heart

### Saturday

9:00am - Our Lady of Lourdes  
3:30pm - St. Mary's  
3:30pm - Sacred Heart  
6:00pm - St. Stanislaus

### Sunday

8:00am - St. James  
8:00am - St. Mary's

# WELCOME

to our HAVEN OF MERCY AREA CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

## PARISHES INCLUDE:

Holy Family - Belle Prairie  
Our Lady of Lourdes - Little Falls  
Sacred Heart - Flensburg

St. James - Randall  
St. Mary's - Little Falls  
St. Stanislaus - Sobieski

**SEPTEMBER 8, 2024**

Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



**23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**“Ephphatha!”—that is, “Be opened!”**  
- Mk 7:34

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Deacon Jeff Winkelmann

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[www.stclouddiocese.org](http://www.stclouddiocese.org)

### Facebook & YouTube:

Haven of Mercy - Little Falls Catholic  
YouTube - Little Falls Catholic

# PRAYER & WORSHIP

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## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, September 9 St. Peter Claver

LFCC 9:30AM † Florence Wehseler

### Tuesday, September 10 Weekday in Ordinary Time

SS 8:00AM Election

HSL 9:30AM † Dennis Czech

SJ 5:30PM † Hildegard Poser

### Wednesday, September 11 Weekday in Ordinary Time

SJ 8:00AM † Eugene Vetsch

SM 8:30AM † Bev LeMieur (School Mass)

### Thursday, September 12 The Most Holy Name of Mary

HF 8:00AM † Doloris Knopik

OLOL 8:30AM † Judy Smieja (School Mass)

SM 5:30PM † Living & Deceased members of the Scherping Family

### Friday, September 13 St. John Chrysostom

SH 8:00AM. † Karen Semroska

### Saturday, September 14 The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

OLOL 8:30AM † Martin Copa Jr.

### Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SH 4:00PM † MaryLou Rutz

SM 4:30PM † Leonard Vnuk Jr.

SS 6:30PM † Loretta, †Dan, †RoseMary & †Ed Waltman

### Sunday, September 15 Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SJ 8:30AM. † Rhonda Zilka

SM 8:30AM † Avis DeRosier

SH 10:00AM Traditional Latin

HF 10:30AM † Joan Ring

OLOL 10:30AM † Janelle LeMieur Griffith

#### Key to abbreviations:

HF= Holy Family Parish 18777 Riverwood Dr

OLOL= Our Lady of Lourdes Parish 208 W Broadway

SH=Sacred Heart, 15 Pine St., Flensburg

SJ=St. James, 403 E Minnesota Ave, Randall

SM=St. Mary's Parish 305 4th St SE

SS=St. Stanislaus, 9406 Church Circle, Sobieski

JP II=John Paul II Center, behind OLOL Church

HSL=Highland Senior Living, 1012 3rd Ave NE

LFCC=Little Falls Care Center, 1200 1st Ave NE

SO=St. Otto's Care Center, 920 SE 4th Street

PR= Pizza Ranch, 202 LeMieur St

## LITURGICAL SUNDAY

Adoration opportunities

### JPII Sunday at noon through Friday at 8PM.

If you would like to sign up for an hour, call Jan 320-632-9711 or Peggy 320-360-3769.

### Holy Family Thursday 8:30AM - 6PM

If you would like to sign up for an hour or to be a sub, contact Doris Heying at 320-630-4643.

## Prayer Line Contacts

Holy Family-Mary 320-632-6235

Our Lady of Lourdes - Marlene 320-632-3407

Sacred Heart - Office 320-632-6930

St. James - Carmen Maschler 320-749-2232

St. Mary's - Lois M. 320-632-8394

St. Stanislaus - Annamae Woltman 320-632-9039

## Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet Opportunities

Monday 6:00PM at St. James

Thursday 5:30PM at Our Lady of Lourdes

Saturday 6:45AM KLTF Radio—960 AM Rosary

### Intention of the Holy Father:

#### For the cry of the Earth

We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.

## WEEKLY READINGS

### Monday

1 Cor 5:1-8/Ps 5:5-6, 7, 12/Lk 6:6-11

### Tuesday

1 Cor 6:1-11/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Lk 6:12-19

### Wednesday

1 Cor 7:25-31/Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17/Lk 6:20-26

### Thursday

1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24/Lk 6:27-38

### Friday

1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12/Lk 6:39-42

### Saturday

Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17

### Sunday

Is 50:4c-9a/Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 (9)/Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-35

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## PASTOR'S LETTER



Dear parishioners,

This past week in our community many students went back to school. The Church has often spoken of the importance and value of education. When a person receives a good education early in life it gives them a solid foundation to stand on for the rest of their lives. The kind of education the Church is interested in is the formation and education of the whole person. We have minds for understanding truth and growing in knowledge; we have bodies with which we work, play, and interact in the world; we have emotions which enhance life experiences and also give us information about deeper things going on within us; we have a soul which is eternal and is designed by God to seek union with him. A well-

rounded education will help us learn how to tend to all these elements in order to live a good and well-ordered human life.

As we know, the ultimate goal in life is to grow in our knowledge and love of God and to intentionally live for him in this life so that we can forever be with him in the next. The aim of education is to help us accomplish this goal. By tending to the whole person, we are better able to live wholesome and holy lives. This is a life-long process we continue to engage in throughout our lives—not just when we are young.

As this new school year continues, please pray for everyone in our community that we would seek to be lifelong students who strive above all else to grow in our love and knowledge of God and use our gifts and abilities to serve the Lord.

God bless,  
Fr. Patrick

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## DID YOU KNOW

Welcome to our new 12 page bulletin! We hope that this section will bring new and interesting information to you each week!

Have you heard the term "full, conscious and active participation"? This comes from a document entitled *Sacrosanctum Concilium*, the constitution on the sacred liturgy. This is the first document produced by the Second Vatican Council.

Interestingly, "active participation" doesn't necessarily mean "doing something". Firstly, active participation means the interior participation. Our mind and heart should be awake, alert and engaged during the Eucharistic Celebration. Participation also involves saying and doing things, such as participating in the prayers, sacred signs (sign of the cross, genuflecting or kneeling, etc.), and singing. Sacred silence is even being an active participant! Listening attentively when sacred Scripture is being read, is participating. It's the relationship between body and soul in liturgical prayer. Full and active participation is being consciously present, praying and singing with the entire assembly of people. The Mass is our communal prayer. Pope Benedict XVI

said, "It should be made clear that the word 'participation' does not refer to mere external activity during the celebration. It also means 'a greater awareness of the mystery being celebrated and its relationship to daily life. As baptized members of our faith, participation in the liturgy is our **right** and **duty**'.

For most of us, active participation means participation in our mind/heart/soul, in liturgical signs and gestures, and in prayers and singing.

For some, active participation can also include being a lay minister, such as Altar Servers, Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Ushers and Greeters, and those involved in Music Ministry. Even liturgical ministers, and maybe especially liturgical ministers, must be well prepared, trained, reverent and carry out their role with dignity and understanding. Their active participation is perhaps more obvious, but also a responsibility of service that comes from our Baptism.

Let us all be fully conscious and active participants in Mass. We are not to be spectators or observers, but truly lifting our hearts to the Lord! ~Judy

## TESTIMONY

### Extreme Faith Camp Interview by Gemma Becker

Earlier this summer, Danika Holmberg, an eighth-grade MOL student, had the opportunity to go to Extreme Faith Camp in Trego, Wisconsin for her very first time. It lasted for five days and was full of many different fun activities. One of her favorite parts was the dance night they had on Thursday night, but she also played nine-square, went zip-lining, and participated in different sports. Before each activity they would always say a prayer. There were also lots of water activities like a polar plunge which she did once and a tall floaty thing you can jump off of. Extreme Faith Camp helped her to grow in her faith, and one tangible way she encountered the Lord was through the time of adoration. There was lots of praise and worship, and she talked about how the priest went around with the monstrance and blessed every single person. They also had Mass every day, and she thought it was cool how almost everyone would kneel down to receive on their tongue, which inspired her to do the same. During their time there, she stayed in a cabin with the other girls from the Little Falls group. There were multiple rooms, but they were all connected, and each one had a counselor and a grade of girls. The counselors were only a couple years older than herself, and Danika liked how they were all really nice. When asked if she wants to go back next year, she replied, "Oh, I'm going!" She said she would recommend other kids to go too because "they can grow in their faith and it's a blast!" Even if you are older than middle school, she suggested doing prayer team or becoming a counselor. She had lots of fun stories to share, and it sounds like a great experience for all youth looking to have fun and grow closer to God!

**Bible Study on the Book of Revelation Coming Soon**

The **Catechetical Institute** invites you to a Bible study on the ***Book of Revelation taught by Jeff Cavins in person***. This seven-week course taught by Jeff Cavins shows how the kingdom established by Christ in his Church is intimately connected with the kingdom of heaven. Jeff will delve into common questions about the book of Revelation, such as: "Are we living in the end times?" "Will there be a great tribulation?" "What is the mark of the beast?" "Is the beast in the book of Revelation alive today?" And more!

Dates: **TUESDAY evenings, October 1 – November 26**

Location: Saint Andrew Church Time: 7:00-8:30 PM

Cost: \$100 per person

The course includes lectures, a Revelation workbook and chart, and supplemental Catechetical Institute materials. Register online:

[RevelationClcourse2024.eventbrite.com](https://RevelationClcourse2024.eventbrite.com). For more information, visit: [C1student.com](https://C1student.com) or call 651-962-5072.

**Have you been touched by the Love of Christ and want to share it with others?** Central Minnesota Koinonia is a Catholic retreat experience for adults, aged 20 and older, joining together to get to know Jesus, God, each other and ourselves. Retreats are held at the TEC Center, Belle Prairie. The next retreat will be held September 20-22, 2024 beginning at 5:30 PM Friday and ending Sunday afternoon. Cost of the weekend is \$70.00, includes meals and lodging, scholarships are available for those in need. Registrations may be made online at [centralmnkoinonia.org](https://centralmnkoinonia.org) or by emailing [cmkoinonia@gmail.com](mailto:cmkoinonia@gmail.com) for a paper copy.

**Calling All Men to Men's Holy League!!**

Please join us for a Catholic men's night of faith and fellowship. We will on September 16 from 6PM-7:30PM at Little Falls American Legion for fellowship and food. For more information call Charlie Gerads at 320-291-6527, visit [holyleague.com](http://holyleague.com) or the Haven of Mercy website for dates and locations.

The Emblom Brenny Funeral Service in Little Falls will be offering a grief support group starting on Monday, September 16, from 6-7:30PM. This is open to all who are suffering from a loss. **All are welcome to attend!** Please call 320-632-4393 to register.

**Young Adults ages 18-35**

We meet every **second Sunday** of the month at Holy Family. We will begin at 5:30pm with a meal and fellowship followed by a Scripture and Catechism study and discussion. If you have any questions, please contact Fr. Patrick. See you on September 8!

**Banns II: Samuel Gullickson and Olivia VanRisseghem**

St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pierz will pray the **Patriotic Rosary on Wednesday, September 11 at 12:45pm**. We will be praying for each state in our country and also government officials. All are welcome!

September 28 ♦ Mass for Suicide Healing and Remembrance – The mental health ministry team of the diocese is offering a Mass for Suicide Healing and Remembrance at St. Mary's Cathedral in St. Cloud. This 5:00 p.m. parish liturgy is open to everyone with a special invitation to those who have lost loved ones or community members to suicide. Please come and pray with us! For more information, visit the Mental Health Ministry page of the diocesan website: <https://stcdio.org/event/2024-mass-for-suicide-healing-and-remembrance/>

**Natural Family Planning (NFP) is a noble way for married couples to open their hearts to God's plan.** NFP enables couples to discern whether God is calling them to bring forth new life or to wait for a time. Based on the latest science, NFP allows couples to reverence God's vision for human sexuality by respecting their bodies in a way that artificial means do not. **Little Falls** on Tuesday, October 1 at 7:30 p.m. at the NFP Office in the Unity Specialty Center of St. Gabriel's Hospital. For more information, or to register, contact Mary Bontjes at [bontjesmary@yahoo.com](mailto:bontjesmary@yahoo.com) or call the Little Falls NFP Office at (320) 631-5660. The class is approximately 1½ to 2 hours long. \*Note: Most insurance plans cover the cost of NFP Instruction and follow-up!

**Calendar****Sunday, September 8**

HF 5:30PM Young Adults

**Monday, September 9**

SJ 6:00PM Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet

**Tuesday, September 10**

HF 9-5PM Prairie Quilters

JPII 6:00PM OCIA Begins

**Wednesday, September 11**

HF 6:30PM Confirmation Parents Orientation

**Thursday, September 12**

OLOL 5:30PM Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet

HF 7PM Cards

## FAITH FORMATION

You can still register your family by scanning the QR code or go to [havenofmercycatholic.org/registration](http://havenofmercycatholic.org/registration)  
Last week to register.



### Confirmation Program-Grades 9-11

**Wednesday, September 11, from 6:30-8PM at Holy Family** there will be a mandatory parent/guardian meeting (no teens) Schedules, expectations, date of Confirmation, etc. will be shared at that time. If you have any questions regarding the Confirmation program, please contact Jason Becker at [discipleship@havenofmercycatholic.org](mailto:discipleship@havenofmercycatholic.org) or call 320-639-2684.

### Grades 6-8 Program

The first night will be on Wednesday, Sept. 18<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8:00pm at Mary of Lourdes Middle School Gym

### Grades 3-5 Program

The first gathering will be on Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup> after the 8:30AM Mass in Randall. Questions please contact Val Kula at [elemcoord@havenofmercycatholic.org](mailto:elemcoord@havenofmercycatholic.org) or call 320-639-2783.

### Second Grade Program

**Wednesday, Sept. 25<sup>th</sup> at Holy Family Church – @5:30pm** The meal begins at 5:30pm and the prayer time and formation start at 6:15pm. We will give you the full calendar of formation nights, the dates for First Reconciliation and First Eucharist that evening. Questions please contact Val Kula at [elemcoord@havenofmercycatholic.org](mailto:elemcoord@havenofmercycatholic.org) or call 320-639-2783.

## Baptism Preparation (for children)

To register contact Val Kula at 320-639-2783 or [elemcoord@havenofmercycatholic.org](mailto:elemcoord@havenofmercycatholic.org)

- We will regularly be offering a formation evening for parents (Godparents) to attend prior to FIRST baptism.

## YOUTHMINISTRY

**Saturday, September 21 from 4-9pm**

Meet the NETers Grill Out

Exciting news! We will have a team of 9 young adults missionaries serving our Have of Mercy Community the entire school year. Join us in Welcoming them!

4PM Mass at Sacred Heart

5PM Socialize

5:30PM NET Introductions

6 PM Food/Yard Game

7PM Bonfire with music and Prayer

9PM Finish

Questions contact Inge Becker at [youthminister@havenofmercycatholic.org](mailto:youthminister@havenofmercycatholic.org)

## NET

**Starting September 19 3-5PM**

Youth Open House JPII Center

Hang Out/Play Games/Coffee House Feel/Chat with NETers/Pray with NETers/Do Homework

Our Haven of Mercy NET Discipleship Team will be arriving in our community on Sunday, September 15th! This team will be made up of 9 college age Catholic Missionaries who will be ministering to our youth and families this school year! Anyone interested in helping with the NET teams contact Jason Becker at [discipleship@havenofmercycatholic.org](mailto:discipleship@havenofmercycatholic.org) or by calling 320-639-2684.

## OCIA

**OCIA Classes start in September** for any adult interested in learning the Faith of the Catholic Church in order to enter into the full Communion. Catechist Richard Koeck will begin classes the first week of September. For questions or enrollment. Contact Deacon Jeff at 320-248-6180 or [dcn.jeff@havenofmercycatholic.org](mailto:dcn.jeff@havenofmercycatholic.org)

**Marriage** contact your parish office at least 6 months in advance.



Mary of Lourdes Elementary School 320-632-5408  
307 4th St SE

Mary of Lourdes Middle School 320-632-6742  
205 3rd St NW



## MARY OF LOURDES SCHOOL NEWS



Dear Haven of Mercy Area Catholic Community and Mary of Lourdes School Families,

The first week of the 2024-2025 school year is now complete! On Thursday, we hosted a picnic for Kindergarten to mingle and join in fellowship with each other. This coming Wednesday, September 11, the middle school families are invited to Curriculum Night. During this time, teachers will be able to introduce themselves and give a description of the classes that they will be teaching this year. Following that presentation, all Mary of Lourdes Catholic School Families are invited to come to a Top 20 parent training put on by Kevin Brennan. From the Top 20 website: <https://top20training.com/>

“From Top 20’s beginning, we have sought ways to support parents in their crucial responsibility of raising their children. Parents and kids alike are facing unprecedented levels of stress, uncertainty, and isolation. Juggling work, parenting, and schooling is not easy. Now, more than ever, parents deserve evidence-based support, affirmation, and concrete strategies that build family connection and resilience.

**Kevin Brennan** is a co-owner of Top 20 Training. He is a former high school English teacher and coach who has the innate ability to connect and build trusting relationships with student and adult audiences. Kevin’s focus is to aid in the human development of his audiences through social-emotional learning. He also co-authored the books ***Rebalanced Thinking, Rebalanced Living: Developing Your Inner Life Through Social-Emotional Learning*** and ***Why Students Disengage in American Schools and What We Can Do About It***. Kevin received his Bachelor’s Degree in English Education from North Dakota State University. He also earned his Graduate Degree in Education, as well as a Graduate Certificate in Gifted and Talented Education, from Saint Mary’s University of Minnesota. Kevin lives in St. Paul, Minnesota with his wife, Gina, and their four children.

I really hope that many families are able to work this event into their schedules! Our staff received training from Kevin last Spring. The middle school students will also be hearing from him that afternoon. As a follow up, additional staff training will occur at the end of the month!

We are excited to share that our elementary school has become a Believe and Read school! Generously funded by the Catholic Schools Center of Excellence and presented in partnership with Groves Learning Organization, Believe and Read is a best-in-class, three-year literacy program that transforms reading instruction through outstanding professional development and teacher coaching. Our goal in implementing the Believe and Read program is to ensure that every student is reading at or above grade-level by fourth grade because we believe that God calls every child to greatness. How Believe and Read works: **EVIDENCE-BASED** Groves Learning Organization is an industry leader with over 50 years of literacy research and training. Its unique literacy framework has been recognized twice for “Excellence in Education” by the U.S. Department of Education. **COMPLEMENT EXISTING CURRICULUM** The Believe and Read program is designed to improve and enhance the reading teaching methods that schools currently use. **TEACHER SUPPORT** Literacy coaches from Groves Literacy Partnerships work with teachers participating in the Believe and Read program over three years. This “train the trainer” approach results in sustainability and consistency across Believe and Read schools. **PHONICS-BASED INSTRUCTION** In addition to building a child’s vocabulary and comprehension skills through their regular reading lessons, teachers incorporate daily, 30-minute phonics-based lessons to ensure that students grasp the reading rules they’ll need to achieve fluency. Believe and Read helps launch ALL students to the next level, supporting struggling readers and high fliers.

Mrs. Jennifer Swenson  
Principal  
jswenson@molschool.org



## HOLY FAMILY – 18777 RIVERWOOD DR.

Mailing address: 208 W Broadway

**(320)-632-5720**

**Office Hours** **Monday, Wednesday-Thursday 9AM-3:30pm**  
**Tuesday 9AM-1:00PM Friday Closed**

Holy Family Catholic Church is located on the northern edge of Little Falls, MN in Belle Prairie Township. We are the oldest parish in the Diocese of St. Cloud and our French-Canadian roots date back to the North American fur trading era of the 1850's.

## Holy Family Financial Blessings

Week ending September 1, 2024

**No Financials due to early bulletin deadline**

Thank you for your generosity!

### Parish Hall Rental Policy-

If you plan to rent out the Parish Hall this must be done at **least 30 days prior to the event** to allow time to obtain Special Events Insurance Coverage. Please call the parish office at 320-632-5720 if you have questions. Rental Agreement form are on the Web Site.

### Liturgical Ministries

**Sunday, September 15** **10:30AM**

Lector: Jane H.

Music: Rachel A.

Servers: Drake H. & Leo W.

EMHC Doris H., Linda H. & Kathy B.

Ushers Chuck H. & Jim S.

Greeters: Duane & Char W.

Sacristan: Karen H.



## OUR LADY OF LOURDES – 208 W BROADWAY

**(320)-632-8243**

**Office Hours** **Monday - Friday 8:00AM - 4:00PM**

Our parish was organized in 1917, by a small group of Polish people under the patronage of Our Lady of Lourdes. They met in a remodeled hotel previously known as the Antler's Hotel. At that time there was no Catholic parish located on the west side of the river with three on the east side in Little Falls.

## OLOL Financial Blessings

Week ending September 1, 2024

**No Financials due to early bulletin deadline**

Adult Envelopes.....	\$
Loose.....	\$
Youth.....	\$
Electronic Giving.....	\$
Total.....	\$

*Thank you for your generosity!*

### Liturgical Ministries

**Sunday, September 15**

**10:30AM**

Lector: Margaret Fleischhacker

Music:

Servers: Olivia Sanoski, Nicole Knopik, Molly Threlkeld

EMHC Anne Roach, Dale Ebnet, Will Threlkeld, Dawn Knopik

Ushers: Greg Knopik's Group

Sacristan: Lolly Doucette



## SACRED HEART - 18 PINE STREET FLENSBURG, MN

**Office & Mailing address:**  
**208 WEST BROADWAY,**  
**Little Falls, MN 56345**  
**320-632-8243**

**Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00AM - 4:00PM**

## Sacred Heart Financial Blessings

Week ending September 1, 2024

**No Financials due to early bulletin deadline**

Adult Envelopes.....	\$
Latin.....	\$
Loose.....	\$
Youth.....	\$
Electronic Giving.....	\$
Total.....	\$

*Thank you for your generosity!*

### Liturgical Ministries

**September 14, 2024 - 4:00PM**

Lector: Austin Gessell  
 Server: David Zehowski  
 ECHM: Carol Merten & Becky Janshen

### Sacred Heart Church Fall Bingo

*September 22nd @ 1:00PM*  
 20 Games/2 Bingo's per game-meat platter prizes

Anyone willing to donate towards the meat platters, please make checks payable to Sacred Heart (in memo put Bingo) can bring to parish office, or put in envelope in collection basket with Bingo written on it. Thank you!



## ST. JAMES - 403 E. MINNESOTA AVE., RANDALL, MN

**Office & Mailing address:**  
**208 WEST BROADWAY**  
**Little Falls, MN 56345**  
**320-632-8243**

**ST. JAMES OFFICE HOURS: WEDNESDAY 8:30-11:30AM**  
**Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00AM - 4:00PM**

## St. James Financial Blessings

Week ending September 1, 2024

**No Financials due to early bulletin deadline**

Adult Envelopes.....	\$
Loose.....	\$
Youth.....	\$
Electronic Giving.....	\$
Total.....	\$

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### Liturgical Ministries

**September 15, 2024 - 8:30AM**

Lector: Luke  
 Servers: Kenny & Anthony  
 EMCH: Jane Stavish, Gail Johnson  
 Sarah Plumski, Wayne Dardis

St. Ann's Christian meeting Tuesday, September 10, after the 5:30pm mass. All are welcome and encouraged to come.

We will show a clip about a current Eucharistic Miracle that took place in town 30 miles away from Fr. Jimmy's home.

# 10 OUR CHURCHES

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## ST. MARYS - 305 4TH ST SE, LITTLE FALLS

Office & Mailing address: 208 W Broadway

320-632-8243

Office Hours Monday - Friday 8:00AM - 4:00PM

Our parish was organized under the patronage of Mary in 1943 which dates back to the merger of St. Francis Xavier and Sacred Heart parishes. The ethnic roots of the parish are primarily French Canadian and German. The name St. Mary's may have been chosen because Mary's message speaks to many cultures and she is designated patron of American Catholics.

### St. Mary's Financial Blessings

Week ending September 1, 2024

**No Financials due to early bulletin deadline**

Adult Envelopes.....	\$
Loose.....	\$
Youth.....	\$
Electronic Giving.....	\$
Total.....	\$

*Thank you for your generosity!*

#### St. Mary's Christmas Bazaar

is scheduled for December 7 & 8!  
Please watch the bulletin for volunteer opportunities and donation needs.

**To get involved or donate, call Carolyn: 406-698-3326.  
Our First planning meeting will be Thursday, Sept. 12 at 6:30PM in the cafeteria.**

#### Liturgical Ministries

**Saturday, September 14**

4:30PM

Lector: Dick Knopik

Music:

Servers: will be contacted

EMHC: Joyce O., Carolyn R., Dorothy S., Sue W., Gina V.

Ushers: Phil Schneider's Group

Sacristan: Ray & Diana Schulte

**Sunday, September 15**

8:30AM

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