

JULY 6 2025 | FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Sacred Heart Church | 321 9th Street, P.O. Box 377, Heron Lake, MN 56137 | Sunday Mass: 8:00 am
Sacred Heart Church | 516 10th Street, P.O. Box 187, Brewster, MN 56119 | Saturday Mass: 5:00 pm
St. Francis Xavier Church | 532 17th Street, P.O. Box 39, Windom, MN 56101 | Sunday Mass: 10:00 am

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS - JULY 8 - 13, 2025

8	<u>Tues</u>	5:30pm	Windom	NO MASS
9	<u>Wed</u>	9:00am	Heron Lake	NO MASS
10	<u>Thurs</u>	9:00am	Brewster	NO MASS
11	<u>Fri</u>	9:30am	Sogge Home	NO MASS
12	<u>Sat</u>	5:00pm	Brewster	✠ Mike McCarvel
13	<u>Sun</u>	8:00am	Heron Lake	✠ William Lohse
13	<u>Sun</u>	10:00am	Windom	For the People

YOU ARE INVITED TO PRAY THE ROSARY 1/2 HOUR PRIOR TO MASSES: Brewster— Thurs. and Sat.; Heron Lake —Wed. and Sun.; Windom—Tues. and Sun.

Know that our pastor includes all of us in his daily prayers and private Mass intentions.

If a Mass is cancelled, our pastor will include that scheduled Mass Intention at his private daily Mass. If you prefer it be rescheduled, please let your respective parish office know.

TRI PARISH MASS INTENTIONS



Submit intentions to Parish Coordinator

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| • Maxine Frank | • Joan Schafer | • Ben Byam |
| • Brad Baumgard | • Margaret Juhnke | • Joe Rivera |
| • Travis Muller | • John Zschetsche | • Larry Wagner |
| • Aiden Remme | • Roxann Irwin | • Magdalen Hill |
| • Miguel Esquivel | • Briar Rose Smith | • Mike Stone |
| • Jim Salentiny | • Lisa Rothenberger | • Lupita Flores |
| • Pat Weir | • Joann Polzine | • Teresa Pudenz |
| • For our veterans & police forces | • Lanette Horkey | |
| • For an end to abortion | | |
| • For the souls in purgatory | • For victims of war in Ukraine | |
| • Residents of Sogge Home, Mikkelsen Manor, Remick Ridge | | |
| • Residents of Pine View and Lakeview Assisted Living | | |
| • For the NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC Revival YEAR OF MISSION | | |
| • For the victims of the unrest in the region of the Holy Land | | |

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This week's readings:

Acts of the Apostles 12:1-11; 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18; Matthew 16:13-19

Next week's readings:

Isaiah 66:10-14c; Galatians 6:14-18; Luke 10:1-12, 17-20, or 10:1-9

PRAYER & WORSHIP

Weekly Words from The Rock:

Four Weeks In And...

We are back to the Sundays of Ordinary Time. With the conclusion of the Easter season, we picked up with the Tenth Week in Ordinary Time. However, the Sundays since Pentecost have honored Feasts and Solemnities. In order, they are:

1. The Most Holy Trinity. Three persons in one God whom we worship as the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.
2. Corpus Christi. In the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, we receive Jesus Christ. The Eucharist is not a sign or symbol of Jesus Christ rather his very presence, real presence.
3. Saints Peter and Paul. June 29th commemorates the mission of the universal church. Saint Peter was the apostle to the Jewish people. Saint Paul was the apostle to the Gentile people. The Jewish people and Gentile people marked the entirety of the whole world in the first century.

And finally, this weekend we come to a Sunday which celebrates Ordinary Time - the Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Please remember what I have shared previously. When we think of the word "ordinary" words which come to mind are:

♦Unexceptional

♦Normal

♦Routine

Such isn't the case of the Church's understanding of Ordinary Time. Ordinary Time marks the longest season of the church year and is filled with stories of Jesus' healing, teaching, preaching, and ministering. It is a time which challenges us on how we are to live our faith, how we are to act, what we are to say, and how to be true disciples. Without Ordinary Time, we struggle to understand who we are and why we exist.

Thus, in the week's ahead, pay attention to the readings. Learn from Jesus Christ and pray we conform our lives more to that of our Savior.

Possible To Be A Christian Without Church?

This comes from the Wesleyan Christian Advocate. Question: Can I be a Christian without joining the church? Answer: Yes, it is possible. It is something like being:

- ♦ A student who will not go to school.
- ♦ A citizen who does not pay taxes or vote.
- ♦ A seaman on a ship without a crew.
- ♦ An author without readers.
- ♦ A parent without a family.
- ♦ A politician who is a hermit.
- ♦ A scientist who does not share his findings.
- ♦ A soldier who will not join the army.
- ♦ A salesman with no customers.
- ♦ A businessman on a deserted island.
- ♦ A tuba player without an orchestra.
- ♦ A football player without a team.
- ♦ A bee without a hive.

Get the point?

Self-Acceptance

Somedays, it is difficult to accept who we are. We struggle with ourselves, accepting ourselves, and our self-worth. Yes, like many, I have such days. I came across the following and, while the author is unknown, it helps one to understand the importance of self-acceptance.

"Have patience with all things but first with yourself. Never confuse your mistakes with your value as a human being. You're a perfectly valuable, creative, worthwhile person simply because you exist. And no amount of triumphs or tribulations can ever change that. Unconditional self-acceptance is the core of a peaceful mind."

Catholic Ministries Appeal

If you haven't done so, please send in your pledge for the Catholic Ministries Appeal. Any monies raised over the goal are returned to each respective parish at 100%. Also, any monies raised over the goal are not assessed by the diocese. The Catholic Ministries Appeal is a great way for us to raise funds for our parishes. Please be generous!

Peace be to you!

Father Peter Schuster

VOCATION VIEW *The harvest is rich, but the workers are few. Ask the harvest master to send workers into the harvest. Pray for vocations!*

LITURGICAL LIFE

LITURGICAL ROLES - July 13, 2025

Brewster Saturday 5:00 pm	Heron Lake Sunday 8:00 am	Windom Sunday 10:00 am
SERVERS	Katherine Krumbach Samantha Krumbach	Rogan Brown
LECTOR	Thomas & Melanie Krumbach	Rita Hacker
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SACRISTANS		Sherri Zimmerman Shari Kneeland
ROSARY	Judy Anderson Marsha Edwards	David Bockelmann
VIDEO STREAMING		Tom Zimmerman
GREETERS		Gale and Patty Symens

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	Brewster 06/28	Heron Lake 06/22	Windom 06/29
Week 52/52	\$ 537	\$ 5,262	\$ 1,921
YTD	\$	\$ 179,167	\$ 161,154

2ND COLLECTION PETER'S PENCE

JUNE 28-29

Brewster	\$ 390.00
Heron Lake	\$
Windom	\$ 497.12



Support the works of the Holy Father through the Peter's Pence Collection.

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ADORATION SCHEDULE

Sunday July 6th

11:00-12:00

Saint Francis Xavier Church, Windom



Saturday July 12th

4:00-4:45

Sacred Heart Church, Brewster

Adoration is every 1st Sun-Windom - 11-12
Adoration is every 2nd Sat-Brewster - 4-4:45

Confession is 1/2 hour before every Sunday
Mass (7:30 am) at Sacred Heart, Heron Lake

Confession is 1/2 hour before every Saturday
Mass (4:30 pm) at Sacred Heart, Brewster

BAPTISM ANNOUNCEMENTS



Welcome to the family of God,

Ximena Luna Dieguez Salvador, daughter of Pedro Antonio Dieguez and Maria Guadalupe Salvador Morales who was baptized on Saturday, June 7th at St. Francis Xavier Church. God bless her and her family and a warm welcome from St. Francis Xavier Church to Ximena.

Welcome to the family of God,

Jonah Eric Rhubee, son of Patrick and Trista Rhubee who was baptized on Sunday, June 8th at St. Francis Xavier Church. God bless him and his family and a warm welcome from St. Francis Xavier Church to Jonah.

Welcome to the family of God,

Quincy Rose Lovell, daughter of Collin and Leah Lovell who was baptized on Sunday, June 8th at St. Francis Xavier Church. God bless her and her family and a warm welcome from St. Francis Xavier Church to Quincy.

WITH JOYFUL HEARTS,
WE WELCOME OUR
NEWLY BAPTIZED.



Parish Support

INSIDE OUR PARISHES

BREWSTER

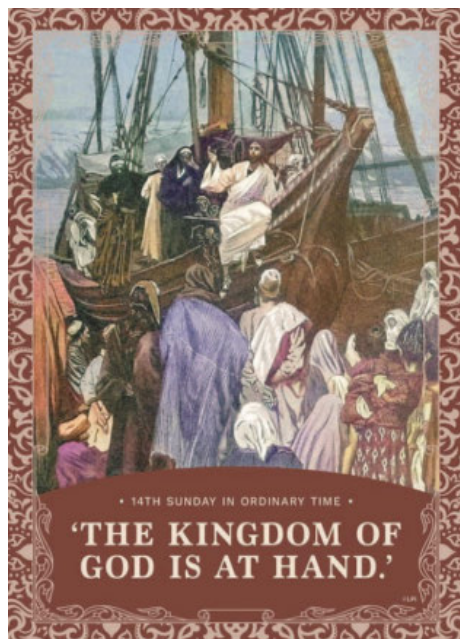
ADORATION AND CONFESSION will be offered on the 2nd **SATURDAY JULY 12th** from 4:00-4:45.

BREWSTER FUN DAYS COMMITTEE again offered the CCW to have a fundraiser for their council. On **Sat., July 19th**, the CCW will be selling hamburgers, cheeseburgers, hot dogs and other items under the shelter in the Brewster Park. We need your help. There is a schedule at the entrance of the church to help from 10:30-4:00. Please choose the time best for you and add your name to the schedule. Also, we are asking for monetary donations to help with the expenses. Please put your donation in an envelope and ear mark it for Brewster Fun Days and drop it in the collection, or you can give the money to Martha or Loretta.

This is the only fundraiser the CCW holds, so please give where you can. Thank you.

CATHOLIC MINISERIES APPEAL- If you have not sent in your donation, please do so. Our goal is \$5732 and thus far, \$2075 has been given. Remember, all monies that go over our goal, will be returned to us. Last year, \$732 was returned. Your donation helps our Diocese to address many needed areas in ministry, and in return, helps our parishes.

SATURDAY THERE WILL BE A SECOND COLLECTION for the **Institute of the Incarnate Word**. Fr. Buezas, who is in charge of Saint Martins De Tours Homes in Argentina will speak to us about his work and the order. Please give generously to this worthwhile cause.



HERON LAKE

There will be **CONFESSION AVAILABLE 1/2 HOUR BEFORE MASS ON SUNDAYS**.

OFFICE CLOSED: The office will be closed from June 25th - July 6th. Please call Father Schuster if there is an emergency.

LITURGY ROLES: Looking to become more involved in church? Please contact Melanie if you would be interested in helping out with the rosary readings, serving, ushering, eucharist minister, lector, or contribution steward.

SOUTHWEST AREA CCW Meeting for the deceased members will be held at 7 PM on Tuesday, July 22nd at St Joseph Catholic Church in Lakefield. All are invited to attend.

JUBILEE 2025
What is a Jubilee Year?

*A Holy Year of the forgiveness of sin, conversion and joyful celebration.

"The coming Jubilee will thus be a Holy Year marked by the hope that does not fade, our hope in God. May it help us to recover the confident trust that we require, in the Church and in society, in our interpersonal relationships, in international relations, and in our task of promoting the dignity of all persons and respect for God's gift of creation." (Pope Francis, *Spes Non Confundit* 25)

For more information about Jubilee please visit the following website:

<https://www.usccb.org/jubilee2025>

SACRED HEART IN HERON LAKE IS A JUBILEE LOCATION WITHIN THE DIOCESE OF WINONA-ROCHESTER



WINDOM

ADORATION AND CONFESSION will be offered on the 1st **SUNDAY OF THE MONTH**. The next Adoration is **TODAY** from 11:00-12:00. Please come adore Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. All ages are welcome.



A NOTE FROM FATHER SCHUSTER

I would like to offer my sincere thanks to everyone who attended my 30th anniversary celebration. Thanks to everyone for your cards, gifts, and prayers. My gratitude is extended to everyone who helped make the celebration possible and such a joyous time. I would also like to acknowledge the many people who mentioned they would not be able to attend the celebration but offered well-wishes. I am fortunate to have so many great people whom I am blessed to serve. Thanks again, keep me in prayer and I will keep you in prayer. Father Schuster

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will meet on Tuesday evening, July 8th at 7:00pm.

MISSIONS COOPERATIVE:
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THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED Thursday July 10th and close at 10:30 on July 24th. Sorry for the inconvenience. If you have an emergency, please call Fr. Antony, 608-547-2259 or Fr. Schuster, 507-304-2541.

THERE IS NO MASS on Tuesday or Friday of this week.

CLAS (Catholic Ladies Afternoon Social) will **NOT** meet this month.

THE WINDOM MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION presents a free movie July 13th, at 1:00 pm, sponsored by our church. The Movie is "I Can Only Imagine".



NOTES FOR ALL PARISHES

THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU:

Reconciliation continues to be available. All are encouraged to continue coming to confession throughout the year; or return to the sacrament of reconciliation.

DON'T MISS THE **JOY** THE LORD WANTS YOU TO HAVE!

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is available in the tri-parish, during adoration, on the 1st Sunday in Windom from 11-12 AM, also in Brewster on the 2nd Saturday from 4:00-4:45 PM and in Heron Lake before Mass on Sundays at 7:30 AM. Reconciliation is also before Mass on Saturdays at 4:30 PM in Brewster.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE: The weekday Mass Schedule is now back to every week, celebrating Masses on every Tuesday through Friday in the tri-parish. See the front of the bulletin for the schedule. Funerals and vacations scheduled intermittently may affect weekday Masses and there may be cancellations. Please be patient as we learn of these schedule changes. We will update you as best we can via facebook, signs at the church, announcements or even the bulletin when able. Thank you for your understanding.

This week, there will be no weekday Mass on July 8th—11th in the tri-parish.

MISSIONARY COOPERATION PLAN: (MCP)

Every year, all parishes in the Diocese of Winona-Rochester participate in the Missionary Cooperative Plan Weekend Appeal. This weekend, our tri parish will hear Fr. Rogue Buezas from Argentina, representing, "The Institute of the Incarnate Word". (IVE) Go to: WEB: <http://www.hogarsanmartin.org/> FB page: FB: <https://tinyurl.com/yc62vjh3> for more information.



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Thank you for your support!

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EUCCHARISTIC RIVIAL: THE YEAR OF MISSION DO THIS IN MEMORY OF ME, THE MASS.

Once "the Mass is ended" and we go on our way, you might feel that there is more. What else should we think about? The Mass is only ended in terms of a particular parish family gathering coming to a temporary halt, but for us, the Mass continues.

SYNOD FOR EVANGELIZATION & VOCATIONS: Mankato Aug 21 starting at 4pm through Aug 22, full day. **TWO REPRESENTATIVES** from **EACH** parish are needed to serve on this **SYNOD**. You **MUST** be available during these days/times. Limited hotel rooms are available. Please contact Dana: 507-836-8030 if you are interested in serving. Each church **MUST** have 2 representatives.

WHO IS YOUR NEIGHBOR?

A reflection on the Good Samaritan.

On Wednesday, July 16th at 6:30pm, join us for a free meal and an exploration of the Good Samaritan parable and what it means to be someone's neighbor. United Methodist Church, 900 N Hwy, Jackson, MN. This event is part of the Belonging Begins with Us initiative to build understanding, social connections and belonging.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL: EVERY DONER COUNTS as we fund Catholic Ministries education and evangelism in Southern MN. Please prayerfully consider what is feasible for your family—\$30, \$300, \$3000—every gift matters to help each church reach their parish's goal. To give online, visit www.catholicfsmn.org

Worthington Deanery

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Register by Monday, July 7th

WEDNESDAY 30 JULY

TWINS VS RED SOX

Join us for a Baseball Outing of the Twins VS Red Sox at 12:10 pm!

We will be in Legends Landing which offers

ALL YOU CAN EAT hamburgers, hot dogs, chicken tenders, popcorn, soda, & more!

- Pickup at St. Adrian (Adrian) at 7:15 am
- Pickup at OLCG (Wilmont) at 7:40 am
- Pickup at St. Gabriel (Fulda) at 8:15 am
- Pickup at St. Francis Xavier's (Windom) at 8:50 am

Register with the QR Code by July 7th! Ticket includes bussing & event ticket plus, all you can eat!

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