PARISH LIFE

A Weekly Publication for Parishioners & Friends

Sunday, November 8, 2026 - Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

AFC Liturgical Schedule - November 9-15, 2026

Monday - Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome
November 9: Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 / 1 Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17 / John 2:13-22
10:00 a.m. Mass (NH) + Robert & Rosemary Vandendriessche
5:30 p.m. Mass (HR) + Richard & Janet Doom

Tuesday - Memorial of Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church
November 10: Titus 2:1-8, 11-14 / Luke 17:7-10
12:00 p.m. Mass (CRC) + Rick Schueller
3:30 p.m. Mass (BE) + Bobby Manderscheid
6:00 p.m. Adoration (CRC)

Wednesday - Memorial of Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop
November 11: Titus 3:1-7 / Luke 17:11-19
8:20 a.m. Mass (HRS) + Marie & Earl LaVoy
8:30 a.m. Mass (TR) + Alita Lenertz
5:30 p.m. Mass (SM) + Bob Gritman

Thursday - Memorial of Saint Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr
November 12: Philemon 7-20 / Luke 17:20-25
7:00 a.m. Mass (HR) + Joe & Ruth Mortier
10:45 a.m. Mass (BC) + Poor souls in Purgatory
5:30 p.m. Mass (MIL) + Ledger Saucy

Friday - Memorial of Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin
November 13: 2 John 4-9 / Luke 17:26-37
7:00 a.m. Mass (HR) + James & Agnes Van Overbeke
8:30 a.m. Mass (TR) + Frank DeSleer
12:00 p.m. Benediction (SJC)

Saturday
November 14: 3 John 5-8 / Luke 18:1-8
5:00 p.m. Mass (HR) Mike & Mary Mortier Anniversary

Sunday - Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 15: Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31 / 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6 / Matthew 25:14-30
8:00 a.m. Mass (HR) + Alice Louwagie
8:30 a.m. Mass (MIL) + Living and deceased members of Amy & Jamie Larsen Family
9:00 a.m. Mass (SM) + Gerald & Clara Hoffman
10:00 a.m. Mass (HR) + Ramona & Vincent Buysse
10:00 a.m. Mass (TR) + Anita Deschepper
11:30 a.m. Spanish Mass (HR) For the People of the Parish
5:00 p.m. Perpetual Adoration week begins (SJC)
6:00 p.m. Mass (CRC) + DonnaMae Matthys

Weekly Happenings

Monday, November 9
6:00 pm (CH) CDA November Meeting
6:30 pm (HR) Griefshare
6:30 pm (Brau Brothers) 4th Degree Meeting

Tuesday, November 10
6:15 am (CH) Men's Bible Study
7:30 pm (FF) Baptism Prep Class

Wednesday, November 11
4:00 pm (HRS) Preschool Faith Formation class
5:30 pm (HRS) Gr. K-5 Faith Formation classes
6:00 pm (HRS room 101) Adult Choir Practice
6 pm (MIL) Gr. K-5 Faith Formation classes
6:15 pm (TR) Gr. K-11 Faith Formation classes
6:30 pm (SM) Gr. 2-11 Faith Formation classes
6:45 pm (HRS) Gr. 6-11 Faith Formation
7:00 pm (CH) Sophomore Confirmation Preparation
7:15 pm (MIL) 6-11 Faith Formation classes
7:00 pm (MIL) Post-Confirmation Class
9 pm (CRC) Catholic 'Stangs Bible Study

Thursday, November 12
6:00 am (HR) SHE

Friday, November 13

Saturday, November 14
6:00 pm (CH) Knights of Columbus Fellowship Soup and Sandwich Night

Sunday, November 15
9:00 am (SM) Mary Beth Sinclair Appreciation & Youth Mass
2:00 pm (HR) Griefshare Surviving the Holidays

Confession Times

Saturday 8:30 am - 1st Sat. Only (HR)
Sunday 11 am (TR)
Sunday 5:15 pm (CRC)
Saturday 4 pm (HR)
Sunday 8 am (MIL)
Sunday 8:30 am (SM)

Holy Redeemer Church, Marshall

503 West Lyon Street, Marshall, MN 56258 (507) 532-5711 Office Hours: M-TH 8 AM to 4:30 PM, Fri. 8 AM to Noon
Prayer Network: Evelyn Louwagie (507) 532-6798

Knights of Columbus Fellowship Night: All are welcome to join the Knights of Columbus for a FREE Fellowship Night on **Saturday, November 14**, beginning at 6:00 p.m. in Carlin Hall. Soup, chili, sandwiches, and beverages will be served while supplies last. Come enjoy a meal, good conversation, and fellowship with our parish community!

Catholic United Financial Roll Fundraiser: Catholic United Financial will hold its annual Cinnamon & Caramel Roll Fundraiser TODAY, **Sunday, November 8**. Takeout rolls will be available for purchase following the 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Masses at Holy Redeemer. Coffee and rolls will also be served in Carlin Hall following the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Thank you for your support!

Book of Remembrance: Throughout November, we remember and pray for our loved ones and all the faithful departed. A Book of Remembrance is located in the back of the church for parishioners to write the names of those they would like remembered in prayer during this month.

Blessing Rosebud Bouquet: In the gathering space at Holy Redeemer Church, there is a Blessing Rosebud Bouquet - a unique way to show respect for the dignity and worth of life. The Blessing Rosebud Bouquet is an opportunity to pray for those waiting for a child to be born, celebrating birth or adoption, waiting to become pregnant or adopt, grieving miscarriage, stillbirth, abortion, and infant or child death. Please take time to pray for the intentions of those who completed a Blessing Bouquet card and put a rose in the vase. Thank you for participating and/or praying!

St. Mary's, Cottonwood

255 W 4th Street S., Cottonwood, MN 56229 (507) 423-5220. September Office Hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 6 - 8 pm

Youth Choir: Youth Choir practices have begun for students in grades 4-11, and it's not too late to join! Practices are held on **Wednesdays from 6:00-6:30 p.m.** Our first Youth Sunday will be **November 15**. Join us anytime!

Mary Beth Sinclair Appreciation: Please join us on **Sunday, November 15**, following Youth Sunday Mass, for rolls, coffee, and juice as we celebrate and thank Mary Beth Sinclair for her many years of dedicated service to our parish as Faith Formation Coordinator. All are welcome to join us in showing our appreciation!

Choir Practice: There will be no choir practice on **Sunday, November 15**, so everyone has the opportunity to attend Mary Beth's appreciation celebration. We encourage all to join us in thanking her for her dedication and service! There will be Choir practice following Mass on Sunday, November 8th, November 22 & 29.

St. Michael's, Milroy

200 Euclid Avenue, Milroy, MN 56253 (507) 336-2505 Office Hours: M-TH 8 AM-Noon
Prayer Network: Jean Schmidt (507) 336-2505

Snow Removal Help Needed: Winter will be here before we know it! St. Michael's is looking for someone to help with weekend snow removal this winter. This is a paid position. If interested, please contact Jean Schmidt or the St. Michael's Office at 507-336-2505 or 507-828-2171.

Church Cleaning: Volunteers are needed to help clean the church on **Wednesday, November 18**. Men and young men are asked to help clean high spaces from 5:00–6:00 p.m. All other volunteers are welcome to join at 6:00 p.m. until cleaning is complete. Many hands make light work, and your help is greatly appreciated!

St. Mary's, Tracy

249 6th Street, Tracy, MN 56175 (507) 629-4075 Office Hours: M-F 7:30 AM-4:00 PM
Prayer Network: Lota Hannasch (507) 828-6825, Bonnie Buysse (507) 629-4496

St. Mary's School Weekly Calendar Winner: October 30 - Tara Brandl

Baby Bottle Project Thank You: St. Mary's CCW in Tracy extends a heartfelt thank you to everyone who donated to the Baby Bottle Project benefiting Choices Pregnancy Center. Together with an additional donation from CCW, a total of $865 was raised! Your generosity was greatly appreciated by Choices Pregnancy Center. Thank you for supporting this important cause!

Area Faith Community News & Community Happenings

Upcoming Community Events:

- Jackpot BINGO: Canby, November 15, 12:30 pm
- Theme Basket, Salad, and Bake Sale: Bird Island, November 22
- Danish Holiday Happenings: Tyler, December 5, 2026

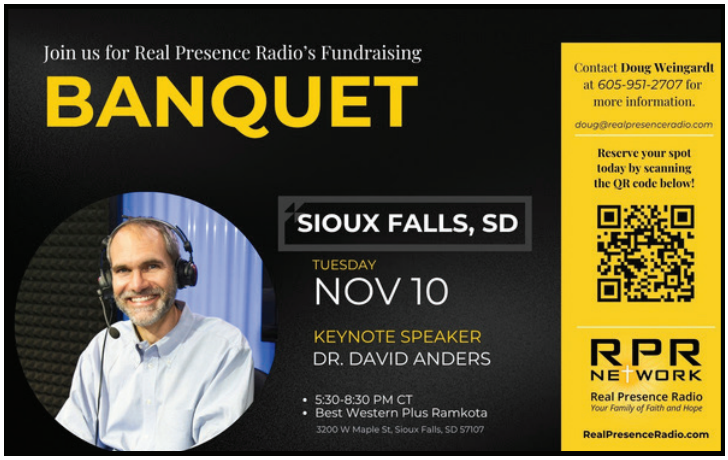
He Waits for You: Holy Redeemer is currently in the middle of our Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration spiritual campaign. Everyone is invited to spend one hour a week with our Lord in St. Joseph's Adoration Chapel. Members of our parish will be available after Mass this weekend to help you sign up or answer any questions you may have. Please stop by and see them in the Gathering Space after Mass.

2026 Diocesan Ministries Appeal

The 2026 Diocesan Ministries Appeal letter was mailed to homes throughout the diocese this past week. This year's theme, "**Answering the Call**," reminds us that each of us has a part to play in building up the Church and serving others.
The DMA supports ministries that no single parish could provide on its own, including family and crisis counseling, emergency assistance, religious and spiritual formation, and support for our seminarians.
Please prayerfully consider how you can answer the call through your support of the DMA. Watch the DMA video or make a gift at www.dnu.org/dma. Your gift will be used only for the ministries designated in the DMA brochure.

Area Faith Community News & Community Happenings

Surviving the Holidays GriefShare DVD will be presented Sunday, Nov. 15th, 2:00 pm in the Gathering Space of Holy Redeemer Church, Marshall, MN. The seminar is for anyone who is grieving a loved one's death. Practical, hope-inspiring ideas include surviving social and family events, dealing with emotions and creating new traditions while honoring your loved one's legacy.



Catholic Campaign for Human Development: Next week, our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Nearly 37 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face in bringing permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd.

STEWARDSHIP

Bulletin Week of...	Holy Redeemer	SM-Ctnwd	St. Michael	SM-Tracy
10/4/2026	$23,715.55	$1,417.00	$4,417.21	$3,559.50
10/11/2026	$17,871.37	$1,554.00	$956.63	$1,519.50
10/18/2026	$8,877.37	$1,251.00	6,651.93	$3,500.50
10/25/2026	$14,743.61	$1,085.00	$783.79	$62.50
Monthly Total	$65,207.90	$5,307.00	$12,809.56	$8,642.00
YTD Collection	$ 299,577.24	$ 22,302.86	$ 39,607.45	$ 74,562.03
YTD Budget	$422,612.95	$32,966.67	$52,897.67	$93,350.00
YTD Difference	($123,035.71)	($10,663.81)	($13,290.22)	($18,787.97)

Faith Formation / Religious Education News / Campus Religious Center News

Sophomore Confirmation Preparation: All sophomores preparing for Confirmation will have preparation sessions on **Wednesday, November 11 and November 18**, at 7:00 p.m. in Carlin Hall at Holy Redeemer Church.

In Loving memory of Emil & Bertha Doug & Jane Louwagie John & Lenice & Jody Clark Eric Hennen by Dean & Linda Louwagie	In loving memory of our parents, Ernie & Jane Louwagie. By Wayne, Conni, Gwen, Lisa & families	In Memory of Richard & Janet Doom, Maurice & Margaret Doom and Wesley & Leona Cuypers By The Doom Family	In Memory of John & Agnes Coudron by The Coudron Family	In Memory of Leo Andries, Brenda Andries & Trisha Andries DeWolf by The Andries Family

School Information

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ECHO Night at St. Mary's School: St. Mary's School invites preschool-age children and their families to our first ECHO Night, Growing Together: A Night of Gratitude and Kindness, on **Tuesday, November 10**, from 6:00–7:00 p.m. Join us for an evening of faith, fun, and service! Families will have an opportunity to meet one another, enjoy a simple fall activity, and create Thanksgiving kindness cards for others in our community. Snacks will be provided. All families are welcome, even if your children do not currently attend St. Mary's School! Please RSVP by Friday, November 6, so we can plan for snacks and supplies.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0D4EAAA62DAAF9C07-66716291-stmarys

Bulletin Key:

BC - Boulder Creek (Marshall)	HR - Holy Redeemer Church	PV - Prairie View (Tracy)
BE - Boulder Estates (Marshall)	HRS - Holy Redeemer School	SJC - St. Joseph's Chapel (FF)
CRC - Campus Religious Center	HS - Hill Street Place (Marshall)	SM - St. Mary's in Cottonwood
CH - Carlin Hall @ HR	MIL - St. Michael's in Milroy	SMS - St. Mary's School, Tracy
FF - Faith Formation @ HRS	NH - Nursing Home (Marshall)	TR - St. Mary's in Tracy
HP - Heritage Pointe (Marshall)	OBC - OBrien Ct. (Tracy)	WG - Walnut Grove Country View

AFC Bulletin Submittal Deadline: **Tuesday by 3 PM**. Send to Dana Peterson at dpeterson@holy-redeemer.com.
More news and events can be found on **www.mmogafc.org**. To sponsor an ad on back of bulletin contact Latiefa at 507-532-4493.

In Memory of Our Precious Son and Brother, Jeremy John by Reinhold and Connie Mathiowetz & Families	In Loving Memory of the deceased members of the Strandberg and Labat families by Gerri Labat and family	In Loving Memory of Robert Derynck by His Family	In Loving Memory of David & Sharon Gruhot by Brian, Kevin, Brad and their families	In Loving Memory of the Deceased Family Members of Roger & Shirley Verly

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&
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