Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time

October 25, 2026



HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

87 Main Street Rollingstone, MN 55969
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507-689-2351
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Mass Times
8:00 a.m. Tues
4:30 p.m. Saturday Vigil
Office Hours Mondays 10 -Noon



ST. ROSE OF LIMA CHURCH

P O Box 402
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Lewiston, MN 55952
office@st-rose.org

Mass Time
8:30 a.m. Sunday
8:30 am Wednesday, Thursday



ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

111 N. Mill St.
Rushford, MN 55971

Mass Time
10:30 a.m. Sunday
9:00 a.m. Friday
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arlene@st-rose.org

Thirtieth Sunday, October 25
Ex 22:20-26
1 Thes 1:5c-10
Mt 22:34-40

Monday, October 26
Eph 4:32–5:8
Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday, October 27
Eph 5:21-33
Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday, October 28
Fest of Sts. Simon & Jude
Eph 2:19-22
Lk 6:12-16

Thursday, October 29
Eph 6:10-20
Lk 13:31-35

Friday, October 30
Phil 1:1-11
Lk 14:1-6

Saturday, October 31
Phil 1:18b-26
Lk 14:1, 7-11

Solemnity of All Saints, November 1
Rev 7:2-4, 9-14
1 Jn 3:1-3
Mt 5:1-12a

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O GOD,

Be merciful to me, a sinner.

This Week's Masses & Intentions

Tuesday	**October**	
7:00 am	Holy Trinity	**Adoration**
8:00 am	Holy Trinity	**NO MASS**
Wednesday	**October 28**	
8:30 am	St. Rose of Lima	*Bill Daley+*
Thursday	**October 29**	
8:30 am	St Rose of Lima	*Darlene & John Kryzer+*
Friday	**October 30**	
9:00 am	St Joseph	*Merlin Halverson+*
Saturday	**October 31**	***ALL SAINT'S VIGIL***
4:30 pm	Holy Trinity	*The People of the Parishes*
Sunday	**November 1**	***SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS***
8:30 am	St. Rose of Lima	*Sara Papenfuss+*
10:30 am	St Joseph	*Frank & Pauline Bauer+*

Adoration times:

St Rose First Wednesday	8:30 am – 8:30 pm
Holy Trinity Tuesdays	7.00 am – 8.00 am
St Joseph First Friday	9:30 am - 10:30 am

Reconciliation times:

St Rose: Sunday and Wednesday	8.00 - 8:20 am
Holy Trinity: Saturday	4.00 - 4:20 pm
St Joseph: Friday	8:30 - 8:50 am

Or by appointment.

New Parishioners are invited to contact the Tri-Parish Office at 507-523-2428 or office@st-rose.org.

Baptism: Baptisms are regularly celebrated during Saturday and Sunday Masses or by appointment. Parents are asked to meet with Fr. Michael before the baptism of their first child. Please call the Tri-parish office to set the date of the baptism.

Marriage - Instruction must begin at least six months in advance. Please contact Fr. Michael to begin the preparation process. An Engaged Encounter or similar course is also required.

Anointing of the Sick: The sacrament is available before or after Mass on request or arrangements can be made with Fr. Michael for Hospital or Home Visits.

Need Prayers?
Call Rosie Moger 507-429-5525 St Rose of Lima
Barb Mensink 507-864-2183 St Joseph
Paula at Office 507-689-2351 Holy Trinity
Call with all requests or to join the group.

Mass Intentions for your loved ones needed?
Please contact Tri-Parish office: 523-2428 or drop $10 per intention in the offertory basket. Thank you.



Holy Trinity

Giving, …….. October 17, 2026
Church Support…… $ 775.00

Liturgical Ministry – October 31, 2026

Lector:	Rebecca McCormick
EMHC:	Renee Fox, Maureen Speltz, Theresa Speltz
Cantor:	Tammy Schmit
Usher:	Terry Full, Louise Kalmes
Gifts:	Roger & Jane Maschka
Servers:	Charlie & Bernadette Lingen
Greeters:	Steve & Bonnie Kalmes

St. Rose of Lima

Giving, ……. October 18, 2026
Church Support……. $ 1706.00

Liturgical Ministry – November 1, 2026

Lector:	Eric Speltz
EMHC:	Mark Ernster, Greg Bronk, Stacey Bronk
Servers:	Brianna Sovell, Brandon Sovell, Haley Larson, Karlie Larson
Ushers:	Joe Daley, Curt Haag, Ken Peterson, Karin Peterson

St. Joseph

Giving……..…October 18, 2026
Church Support…… $1267.00

Liturgical Ministry – November 1, 2026

Lector:	Norb Quella
Usher & Cross:	Mike and Sandee Jeresek
Rosary:	Barb Mensink
Offertory:	Helen and Terence Bollinger
EMHC:	Chirs Hammell and Jo Bingsman
Sacristan:	Jacob Kramer



Prayer Requests: Chuck Woodford, Bill Schultz, Theresea Elliott, Kevin Ferden, Fr. Bill Kulas, Emersyn Maschka, Gina McRae, Ed Vaughn, Ron Rossin, Al & Rita Langen, Leann Smith, Anthony Broton, Cammy Kammerer, Elizabeth McManimon, Margaret McManimon, Jim Siegel, Terry Schultz,, Noreen Hennessy, Mary Lou Faber, Rod Thein

Tri Parish Notes

20th annual Baby Bottle Campaign!

Remember to return by October 31, 2026,
Or Donate at ccsomn.org.

St. Joseph News and Notes

Enjoy our beautiful fall weather.

Holy Trinity News and Notes

MARK YOUR CALENDARS--November 14, Harvest Mass at 4 30 followed by potluck in HTTC. Watch for details!

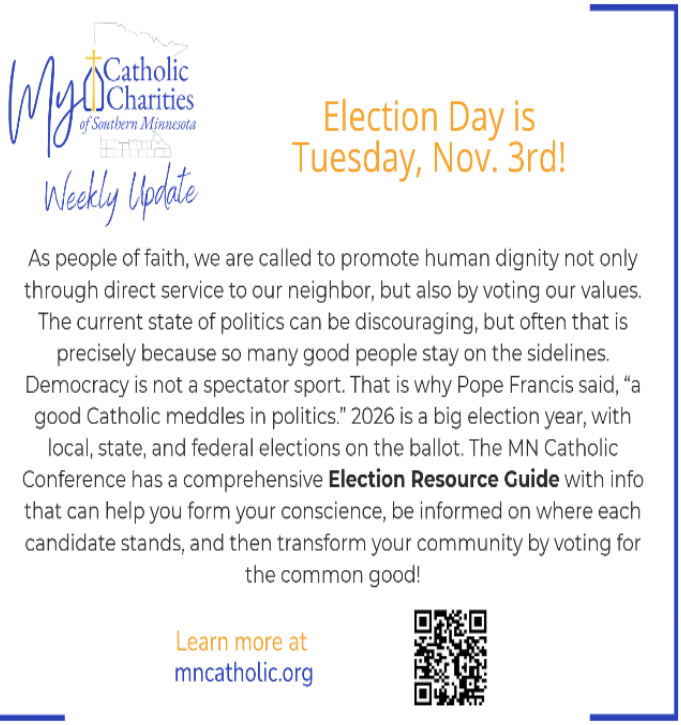
Holy Trinity Cemetery Flowers:
This is a reminder to please remove all plastic flowers from the Holy Trinity Cemetery by December 1st.

St. Rose' News and Notes

St Rose of Lima Cemetery Flowers:
Reminder to please remove all summer flowers from the Cemetery by November 30th.

Community News and Notes

Rib Dinner which supports the Faith Formation program will be Saturday, November 7 5:00-7:30, cost $15.
Advance ticket sales are all sold out.
We need volunteers to help with serving the meal and also making pumpkin bundt cakes. Please contact Yvonne Ruhoff at 507-796-6731 or yrruhoff@gmail.com if you are able to help out in any way.



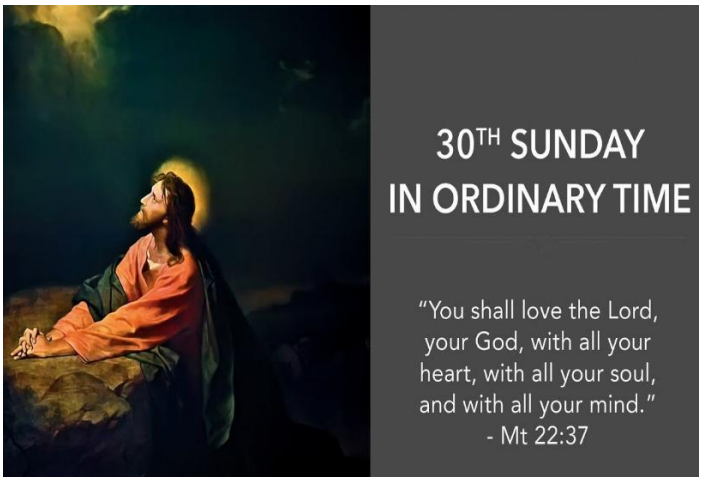


This was in the Courier

St Rose of Lima- Lewiston Celebrates 150 years St. Rose of Lima Parish in Lewiston celebrated its 150th anniversary on October 11th with a special Mass celebrated by Bishop Barron. The milestone marked a century and a half of faith, prayer, and community in the parish. Joining the celebration was the parish's recently installed pastor, Fr. Michael Churchill, who celebrated this special occasion with parishioners.

Music for the Mass was provided by Tony Melendez, a Catholic singer, songwriter, and guitarist known for playing the guitar with his feet. Melendez gained international recognition in 1987 when he performed for Pope St. John Paul II, and he continues to share his faith and message of hope through music.
Following Mass, attendees had the opportunity to enjoy a concert by Melendez at the nearby Crossings Center, extending the anniversary celebration beyond the church and bringing the community together through music and faith.

Pick up a copy and read. God is Good.



From Your Pastor

I am writing this bulletin in advance of my retreat, so by the time you are reading this, I will still be in the midst of my silent retreat. I have done a silent retreat every year since my first year of Seminary and it is always a treasured time of deep, intimate prayer with the Lord. I mentioned last week how everything is done in silence, which means all technology is silenced. In addition, it has been highly recommended or demanded on every retreat I have been on, that we are not to do any additional reading of novels or spiritual and theological reading. The only thing we are supposed to read while on retreat is the Scriptures.

St. Paul says, "All scripture is inspired (more literally breathed), by God and is useful for teaching, for refutation, for correction, and for training in righteousness, so that one who belongs to God may be competent, equipped for every good work (2 Tim. 3:16-17)." We also here in the letter to the Hebrews, "Indeed the word of God is living and effective, sharper than any two-edged sword, penetrating even between soul and spirit, joints and marrow, and able to discern reflections and thoughts of the heart (Heb. 12:12)."

The Scriptures are the very Word of God that has been faithfully handed on to us. It is the self-revelation of God to us, his people. The Scriptures are not primarily our search for God, although we do hear that in the Scriptures, but rather it is primarily God's search for us. Since the fall of Adam and Eve, we have sought to hide ourselves from God. But the Lord seeks us out; he goes after the lost.

Both the Old Testament and New Testament Scriptures remain permanently valuable. We hear from the Second Vatican Council in the document *Dei Verbum*, which speaks about the Scriptures and Divine Revelation, that "God the inspirer and author of both Testaments, wisely arranged that the New Testament be hidden in the Old and the Old be revealed in the New (DV 16)." St. Jermone, speaking in the early centuries of the Church, famously stated, "Ignorance of the Scriptures is ignorance of Christ."

It is the great desire of Vatican II that not only bishops and priests, but all the lay faithful, come to a deeper knowledge, love and appreciation for the Scriptures. That means, in our silent prayer, we are not trying to empty ourselves for the sake of being empty, rather, we empty ourselves, so that we might encounter the Living God. In our silent prayer we create space for that encounter to take place, and in our reading, prayer and study of the Scriptures, we allow the Word of God to take root within us.

Know of my prayers for you. Please pray for me.

Fr. Michael



SCRIPTURE READING IS GOOD FOR THE SOUL.