

**November 2nd, 2025**

**All Souls' Day**

## Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish

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### *The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed*

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### Mass Schedule

#### Sacred Heart

Sunday @ 8:00 a.m.

Friday @ 9:00 a.m.

1st Friday Mass @ 9:30 a.m.

#### St. Wenceslaus

Sunday @ 10 am

Saturday @ 4 pm

Mon-Fri @ 8 am

1st Friday @ 8 am

### Confessions

#### Sacred Heart

Sunday @ 7:30 am or by appt. Saturday 3 to 3:45  
or by appt.

#### St. Wenceslaus

### *From the CCD Program:*

*A HUGE thank you to all that donated baskets and attended the breakfast, it wouldn't be possible without your support! The breakfast was a great success raising \$1800 for Feed My Starving Children and the Thomas Carter Family.*

**Order for Visiting a Cemetery on All Souls Day.** Praying for the dead is one of the Corporal Works of Mercy. November 2, All Souls Day, falls on a Sunday in 2025. Praying in the cemetery Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>-Nov 8<sup>th</sup> can gain a plenary indulgence that can be applied to the souls in purgatory; for the soul of a loved one or a soul with no-one to pray for them. To obtain the indulgence the usual conditions apply: the visitation to a cemetery where souls are buried; Eucharistic Communion; sacramental confession and prayer for the Holy Father's intentions (Our Father, Hail Mary and a Glory be) within a few days before or after the visit; and a detachment from all sins, including venial sin.

### *Mass Intentions*

*Sunday, Nov. 2 All Soul's Day 8 am @ Sacred Heart Intentions of parish  
10 am @ St. Wenceslaus ... Soul of Ron Martin (Roger & Gloria)*

*Monday, Nov. 3 8 am Loyde Beers (Sue)*

*Tuesday, Nov. 4 8 am ... Soul of Kristina Colson (Family)*

*Wed., Nov. 5 8 am ... Soul of Brother James Becwar (Loyde & Penny)*

*Thursday, Nov. 6 8 am Special Intention (Sue)*

*Fri., Nov. 7 8 am Priest and religious who have touched our lives (Gloria W.)  
9 am @ Sacred Heart Intentions of the parish*

*Saturday, Nov. 8 4 pm for Health of Loyde Beers (Ron W)*

*Sunday, Nov. 9 8 am @ Sacred Heart for Wilma Wagner (Sheila S.)  
10 am @ St. Wenceslaus for Deceased of the parish*

### Parish Support

**Sacred Heart Parish** - October 26, 2025 Adult \$205.00, Youth \$1.00, Basket \$36.00, Votives \$6.10, Smorgasbord \$200.00

**St. Wenceslaus** - October 26, 2025 Adult \$906.00, Plate \$274.00, Votive 37.00, World Mission \$30.00

***Thank you for your support!***

## *From the Pastor's desk*

The whole month of November is a special time for us to remember and pray for all who have died. It is a time to think about our loved ones, and all the faithful people who have gone before us. This month helps us remember that our life here on Earth is leading to our final home with God in heaven.

All Saints' Day (November 1st): This is a day when we celebrate all the holy people—the Saints—who are already in heaven. We honor the officially recognized Saints, and the countless others whose goodness is known only to God. They are our role models, showing us how to live a life of love and holiness. They pray for us from heaven. The Apostle John describes this vision in the Book of Revelation: "After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, race, people, and tongue. They stood before the throne and before the Lamb, wearing white robes..." (Revelation 7:9-10). This multitude is the host of all the Saints. Their lives are a reminder of Jesus' call: "Be perfect, just as your heavenly Father is perfect" (Matthew 5:48).

All Souls' Day (November 2nd): This is a day for special prayer for All Souls, especially those who have died and may still be in Purgatory. Purgatory is a state of purification before one can fully enter heaven. Our prayers and Masses for them are a great act of love and mercy, helping them on their journey to be completely with God. This ancient practice of praying for the dead is rooted in Scripture, which states, "It is therefore a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from sins" (2 Maccabees 12:46).

We are united with those in heaven and those being purified. Let us use this month to pray for our departed family and friends. We are all one family in Christ, the Communion of Saints.

May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

The ADRC of Crawford County is bringing a meal site to you! Suggested contribution \$4 to \$6 for those 60+ or spouses regardless of age.

**November 13<sup>th</sup> – Lunch and Bingo at Wauzeka Village Hall. Serving at 11:30 am. Bingo to follow.**

### **Sacred Heart Parish Family Potluck Dinner**

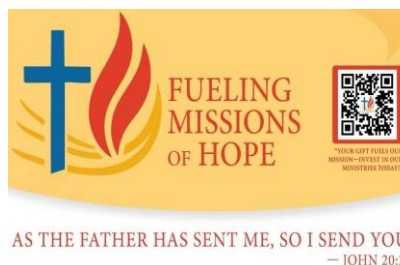
#### **For All Parishioners**

**November 30th immediately following Sunday Mass.**

**Mass time will be changed to 10:00 a.m. for that day only!**

All members of Sacred Heart Parish are welcome! Come celebrate the day and enjoy the fellowship of our parish family!

**Please bring a dish to pass!! Coffee and Milk will be provided**



### **Annual Appeal Kick-off is October 25-26, 2025**

#### **Sacred Heart's allocation for 2025/2026 is \$8,405.00**

This year's theme—Fueling Missions of Hope—reminds us that the Holy Spirit's work among us is "fueled" by the prayers, sacrifices, and generosity of Christ's faithful."

**St. Gabriel's Fall Fest Sunday Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 10:45am-1pm, Cafeteria style Chicken and Ham, Carryouts available, Cafeteria supper @ 4:30pm.** Advance tickets Adult \$13.50, Child 10-under \$6. At door \$14.00. Evening games 4:30pm-6:30pm, Raffle drawing @ 6:30pm, over \$8,000 in prizes. (Mass 10am St. Gabriel's)