

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

“Our Catholic parish family welcomes all to share in Christ and the call to everlasting life through faith, prayer and fellowship.”

ABOUT OUR PARISH

Sacred Heart Catholic Church: 1405 W. Fair Play, Bolivar, 65613 417-326-5596
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PARISH COUNCIL CHAIR: Debbie Thompson, 417-880-9755

FAITH FORMATION COORDINATOR: Darlene Arendt, 417-298-6237

MUSIC MINISTRY COORDINATOR: Carol Divin, 417-326-6576
Practice for the Mass choirs are on the 1st & 3rd Thursday of each month from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in the choir practice room.

PARISH COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN (SH)-Joan Woods, President, 417-777-1694
(StC)-Alice McIntosh, President, 417-754-8447

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Contact Bob Bowes, 417-770-3158

ST. WENCESLAUS CEMETERY: Jim & Jane Otradovec 417-327-5660

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Baptism: Please contact the Pastor for a meeting/class.

Marriage: Please contact the Pastor at least six months prior to the wedding for marriage prep classes.

RCIA Classes: Inquiry classes for adults who are interested in joining the Catholic Church contact Fr. Scott or Deacon Jim.

ADORATION TO THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

First Friday-6:30 PM

Second & Third Wednesday-6:00 PM



PRAYERS FOR THE SICK OR HOMEBOUND:

Please pray for our friends and family: Raeliegh Bess, JJ Bledsoe, (friend of Fr. Scott brain tumor testing), Kevin Breesawitz, Arlene & Charles Burt, Jim Chaney(stroke), John Francka, Michael Lomax. Those in skilled care facilities: Linda Francka, Judy Gailey, Ann Kathka, David Sandgren, Sue Shields, Angeline Stanek, Fr. Pat Wissman, Barbara Wood.

REDISCOVERING GOD'S LOVE & GRACE IN THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION!

Saturday: 3:30 p.m. at
St. Catherine of Siena;
6:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart

Sunday: 7:30 a.m. at Sacred Heart
or by appointment.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE



February 14-ASH WEDNESDAY

8:30a Mass & Ashes Parish Family/SH
11:00a Mass & Ashes Parish Family/StC
6:30p Mass & Ashes Marion Skarvan+/SH

Thursday-February 15

8:30a Mass Mary Rowley (Special Intention/SH

Friday-February 16

6:00p Mass For Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life/SH
Stations of the Cross following Mass

Saturday-February 17

3:30p Stations of the Cross/StC
4:00p Mass Tom Henderson+/StC
6:00-6:15p Confession/SH
6:30p Mass Holly Corrotto Hudspeth+/SH

Sunday-February 18

7:30-7:45a Confession/SH
8:00a Mass Fr. Gregg Petri, OFM+/SH
10:30a Mass Parish Family/SH

SACRED HEART PARISH OUR GIFTS TO GOD @ SACRED HEART

2/4/2024

Env/Cks:	\$ 4,995.00
Plate:	160.00
Maintenance:	875.00
The Mirror:	39.00
Central/Eastern Europe:	10.00
Total:	\$ 6,079.00

HEART TO HEART.....by V. Rev. Scott M. Sunnenberg

Dear Parishioners,

LENT IS COMING HERE'S WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Ash Wednesday is on February 14 (Valentine's Day)

Lent lasts 40 days (excluding Sundays)

The three pillars of Lent are: prayer, fasting and almsgiving.

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fasting (one primary meal and two lesser meals) and abstinence from meat.

All Fridays in Lent are days of abstinence from meat.

We observe the first day of Lent beginning with Ash Wednesday. For us, Ash Wednesday is always a day of fasting and abstinence. This means that we do not eat outside of meals nor do we snack throughout the day. Additionally it means we eat one meal and two smaller meals that added together WOULD NOT equal a regular meal. Abstinence means we do not eat meat on that day. As you probably by now know, ASH WEDNESDAY FALLS ON VALENTINE'S DAY, FEBRUARY 14TH.!! So YES! Valentine's Day is a day of fasting and abstinence. I invite you to give your heart to Jesus by receiving your ashes and attending Mass as your Valentine to the Lord. We can celebrate our sweethearts on Mardi Gras this year.

Beginning on Ash Wednesday we will have QR codes strategically placed throughout the church. Each QR code links to a 2 minute video that can be viewed through your phones QR code reader. The videos

give a self guided tour of the church beginning at the main doors. We invite you, your families, your friends (both Catholic and non-Catholic) and neighbors to drop by after weekend Masses or weekdays (8:00a-4:00p). Additionally there will be a few scheduled tour times for groupings to come with earbuds together at one time. Stay tuned for those opportunities. The tours touch on the practical and spiritual background of the items that make up the Lord's House and our house of worship.

Spiritual vitamins continued: Jittery? Take Vitamin J. Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. (Hebrews 13:8) Know nothing? Take Vitamin K. Know this that the Lord is God, it is He that made us and not we ourselves. (Ps 100:3) Lonely? Take Vitamin L. Lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age. (Micah 6:8)

Please notice elsewhere in this bulletin the information for our Lenten Mini Mission at Sacred Heart February 20th.

Blessings,

Fr. Scott

THANK YOU! I want to thank everyone for the kind words, spiritual bouquet, reception, cards, gifts, and all acts of kindness given to me in celebration of my 30th anniversary of working here at the parish. Special thanks to Fr. Scott for the octave celebrations that were given. 1994 seems like so long ago on paper, but just a blink of an eye in memory. Many blessings have been received over this time and also many stories as well. I have assisted/am assisting with many great pastors. Thank you all for your friendships over these years and to God for the knowledge & strength of my faith. *-Mary Rowley*

LENTEN MISSION NIGHT:

Mark your calendars for Tuesday, February 20th. Sacred Heart will host Fr. Denis Lemieux of Marion Acres/Madonna House, Salem, MO. Dinner at 5:30 p.m. and the mission at 6:15 p.m.

LENTEN SMALL GROUP

ADULT EDUCATION: If you would like to participate in the study of **"No Greater Love" a Biblical Walk through Christ's Passion**, please contact Barbara Ball, 515-480-3545. There will be a morning or afternoon study if enough interest. Check out the bulletin board for details or call Barbara.

ADDITIONAL FEBRUARY

BIRTHDAYS: Here are a few more members that have birthdays this month: Nathaniel Newman 2/7; Craig Robinson 2/12; Dan Kroll 2/28. Happy Birthday everyone!

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA MISSION

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER: Please remember those in our parish who are sick and are unable to be with us especially: Robert Agee, Myrna Bressner, Clara Clements, Kelly Conger, Sienna Cortes, Carol Gorman, Jan & Kenny Holmes, Ann Kathka, Bobette Owens, Annette Petrone, Tony Petrone, Henri Thibault. If you need to call for prayers, please call Alice 754-8447, Paula 754-8067 or Fr. Scott 326-8764.

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