

## 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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**St. Catherine of Siena Mission:** P.O. Box 42, Humansville, 65674 417-754-8825

**The Very Rev. Fr. Scott M. Sunnenberg, Pastor** 417-326-8764(rectory)  
**Rev. Mr. James Farrar, Permanent Deacon** [jfrrr77@gmail.com](mailto:jfrrr77@gmail.com)  
**Mary Rowley, Office Manager** 417-326-5596 (office) **Office Hours:** M-F 8-4

**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, Kevin Breesawitz, Arlene & Charles Burt, Micaylyn Darby, John Francka, George Janzekovich(hip replacement), Michael Lomax, Virginia Sandgren(recovering from surgery). Those in skilled care facilities: Jim Chaney, Linda Francka, Judy Gailey, Ann Kathka, Mary McGinnis, David Sandgren, 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

### **Wednesday-February 28**

8:30a Mass Jake Francka+/SH

6:00p Parish Council/SH



### **Thursday-February 29**

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

### **Friday-March 1**

**5:00-8:00p Benefit Fundraiser for Raeliegh Bess/McKenna Hall**

6:00p Mass Stephanie Aug—PCCW Member/SH

Stations of the Cross following Mass

### **Saturday-March 2**

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-March 3**

7:30-7:45a Confession/SH

8:00a Mass Health of Fr. Scott/SH

10:30a Mass Lisa & Danny Cantrell/SH

### **SACRED HEART PARISH OUR GIFTS TO GOD @ SACRED HEART**

**2/18/2024**

Env/Cks:	\$ 1,748.00
Plate:	194.00
Maintenance:	160.00
The Mirror:	237.00
Masses:	20.00
Votive Candles:	121.41
Total:	\$ 2,480.41

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

Dear Parishioners,

Thank you to our PCCW ladies who served and set up the beautiful light meal that was offered before the parish mission. Many people enjoyed the delicious sandwiches, the tasty chips, the fruit the drinks and especially the cookies! It sure hit the spot.

Thank you to all those who attended our one-night mini-mission for Lent. We had approximately parishioners who came out ready to hear Fr. Denis Lemieux and his message on getting Lent off to a great start and the deeper meaning of our Lenten practice. Thank you to Fr. Denis for not only presenting his talk, but for assisting me in hearing confessions at the conclusion of the talk.

Please remember in your prayers our RCIA participants and their sponsors as they go forward this Sunday, (February 25th) to gather at the cathedral with Bishop Rice and celebrate the Rite of Election. They are: David Dean, James Hash, Kassandra Wildfong, James Long, Keith Pearson, Tyce Archer, and Sam Paris.

Please remember throughout Lent, each Friday, following the 6:00 p.m. Mass we will pray the Stations of the Cross in church. This prayer is an excellent way to live Lent and to spend a bit of time reflecting on the Passion of our Lord and His great love for each of us.

Spiritual vitamins continued: Perplexed or puzzled? Take Vitamin P. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world give. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid. (Jn 14:27) Quitting? Take Vitamin Q. Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be men of courage; be strong. In Quietness and confidence (trust) is your strength. (1Cor 16:13) (Is 30:15) Restless? Take Vitamin R. Rest in the Lord, and wait patiently for Him. (Ps 27:7)

Blessings,

Fr. Scott

**DISCIPLES IN THE SPOTLIGHT:** Those attending 10:30 Sunday Mass this past weekend were able to help me welcome Bolivar FFA and their faculty advisors who were visiting us. What a joy to see these fine young men and women with us at prayer as they kicked off a week of celebrating FFA. Four of our parish family youth were among the FFA faces, Aubrey Funk, Emma Hancock, Madden Ross, and Ellie Samek. The discipleship spotlight falls upon them in this addition. As I received Sunday afternoon a communication from a parishioner who wrote, "Dear Fr. Scott, how proud I am of our young parishioners. I glanced (across the church) and saw the FFA members of our parish explaining to the other visitors what was happening and how to follow. The FFA Catholics are unashamed! Awesome. It really built my faith." Thanks to these four for setting such an example and giving that witness.

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**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S 65TH ANNUAL SPRING ASSEMBLY:** From East to West, all Catholic women are invited to attend the **65th Annual Spring Assembly** sponsored by the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (DCCW) on **Friday and Saturday, April 19-20, 2024, at the Drury Plaza Hotel & Conference Center, 3351 Percy Drive, Cape Girardeau, MO.** If you have never attended the Assembly, this is a nourishing, full of fellowship-treat for your soul. There is a line-up of outstanding speakers, raffle drawings, grab bags, a silent purse auction, vendors, a banquet with our very own Fr. Kelly's private band for entertainment, and many more surprises. Invite your friends and get ready to be filled with Spiritual, Service, and Leadership knowledge to take back to your parishes, homes, and lives. Registration forms are on the bulletin board or in the Parish Office.

**BENEFIT FOR RAELEIGH BESS:** Friday, March 1st, is the benefit fundraiser for 1 year old Raeleigh Bess who has cancer. There will be food, music, auctions, and fun. A love offering will be taken at the door. Come to McKenna Hall from 5:00-8:00 p.m. and help out with a donation and have some fun too.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:** Are you a man age 18 or above and interested in a men's organization? Would you like to meet new people and get involved with family/parish/community activities? If so, consider coming to a Knights of Columbus meeting on the second Wednesday of each month. Dinner at 6:00 p.m. followed by a meeting at 7:00 p.m. in our church hall (McKenna Hall). You can also contact Bob Bowes, Grand Knight for further information, 417-770-3158.

**HOLY ROSARY FOR VOCATIONS:** Join us on the First Sunday of the month at 7:30 a.m. as we pray the rosary for increased vocations.



**SAVE THE DATE:** Mark your calendars for the **Mid West March for Life on Wednesday, May 1, 2024, at the Missouri State Capitol Lawn in Jefferson City.**

### 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.

### ST. CATHERINE MISSION

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