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 Website: www.sacredheartbolivar.org Email: sheartbolivar@gmail.com 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 jfrrrr77@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 meeting day is the 3rd Monday of the month at 5:30 p.m. (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: Paul Bateman, Jeff Bateman, Danni Beer, Raeliegh Bess, JJ Bledsoe, Kevin Breesawitz, Arlene & Charles Burt, Micaylyn Darby, Hugh Dudley, Dcn. Jim Farrar, George Janzekovich, Michael

Lomax, Mary McGinnis, Stacey Sechler, Danny Wolf. Those in skilled care facilities: Jim Chaney, Paula Foster, Linda Francka, Judy Gailey, Ann Kathka, Mary E. 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-April 10 8:30a Mass Parish Family/SH 6:00p Adoration/SH

Thursday-April 11 8:30a Mass Vanna Hillsman+/SH Parish Office Closed today

Friday-April 12 NO MASS TODAY Parish Office Closed today

Saturday-April 13 3:30-3:45p Confession/StC 4:00p Mass Parish Family/StC 6:00-6:15p Confession/SH 6:30p Mass Dorothea C. Westmoreland+/SH

Sunday-April 14 7:30-7:45a Confession/SH 8:00a Mass Fr. Scott Sunnenberg/SH 9:15a PSR 10:30a Mass Richard Luebbering+/SH

SACRED HEART PARISH OUR GIFTS TO GOD @ SACRED HEART

3/31/2024

\$ 4,127.00
451.00
85.00
753-59
\$ 5,416.59
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HEART TO HEART.....by V. Rev. Scott M. Sunnenberg

Dear Parishioners,

Thank you to all those who helped in any way to prepare for our Holy Week and Easter liturgies. Special thanks to Ben Divin and Virginia Sandgren for their work in the sacristy and liturgical environment. Thank you to our excellent and dedicated servers for their assistance. Thank you to Carol Divin and the choir for the musical accompaniment. Thank you to our Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, our Ushers and Greeters, our PCCW (RCIA reception) and our Knights of Columbus (transportation to Easter Mass for David and Fr. Pat) for their contributions in lending a helping hand.

Special thanks to our Easter Bunny helpers who prepared and hid 700 eggs for our kids at the Easter Sunday hunt, following 10:30 a.m. Mass. Fun was had by all and congratulations to "Ostrich Egg" finder Dan Day, who received \$50; and to the two "Golden Goose Egg" finders-the Schick family and the Jackson family who each received \$25. A special word of gratitude to Brenda Patterson for planning the event.

At this writing we are almost through the octave (eight days as if one long day of celebrating) and preparing for Divine Mercy Sunday (first Sunday after Easter) and the rest of the season of Easter. Let us remember that we are a Resurrection people and Alleluia is our song!

In this time of Easter and the season of Easter, we set our sights upon living the resurrection, proclaiming the Alleluia and preparing for the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. We have the space of fifty days. During this time we will be offering the Wild Goose series via FORMED. This is a fourteen part series, featuring Fr. Dave Pivonka, along with various interviews and wide ranging locations, inviting us to a deeper encounter or a renewed encounter with the Holy Spirit. Seven sessions will be in group and seven sessions will be on your own at home with the FORMED app/TV app. Look for the first group meeting date and time in next week's bulletin. All are welcome and I will host.

I'm pleased to announced that the PLT has received a grant in the amount of \$1,500 from the Diocesan Lay Endowment Fund to allow our PLT core team to attend once again, the annual training conference. Thank you to our PLT core team for all of the support and work accomplished in our parish plan and vision.

Please join Bishop Rice throughout this month in praying for his April intention: "Let us pray

for those burdened with sorrow, those facing health issues, those suffering from war, famine, or disease; may the Risen Christ be their hope and their joy!"

Congratulations to our new Catholics, both the baptized and the newly baptized who came into full communion at Easter Vigil. They are: Tyce Archer, Dave Dean, James Hash, James Long, Keith Pearson, Kasandra Wildfong. Thanks also to their wonderful Godparents and Sponsors and to Deacon Jim Farrar for his work in preparing these new Catholics.

In observance of Divine Mercy Sunday (Sunday, April 7th) the faithful are invited to gather at 3:00 p.m. in the main church for a Divine Mercy Holy Hour and chaplet with readings and reflections from St. Faustina's writings.

Blessings,

Fr. Scott



CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY SPRING BBQ: All high school juniors, seniors, and college students are invited to attend the Springfield Catholic Campus Ministry Spring BBQ on Sunday, April 21. Mass at 11:00 a.m. followed by BBQ and yard games. Address is 847 S. Holland Ave., Springfield.

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.

SHARE YOUR CHRISTMAS: Thank you for the donations of socks and hygiene products in March. During the month of April we will be collecting Toothpaste for the SYC gift bags. The Christmas box is located in the gathering space.



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 OUR GIFTS TO GOD @ SACRED HEART

Env/Cks:	\$ 130.00
Plate:	150.00
CRS:	20.00
Masses:	35.00
Total:	\$ 335.00