

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
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, Carol Francka, Linda Francka, Judy Gailey, Ann Kathka, Mary E. McGinnis, David Sandgren, Angeline Stanek, Fr. Pat Wissman, Barbara Wood.

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!”*

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

Tuesday-April 23

5:45p *Wild Goose* Adult Education/SH

Wednesday-April 24

8:30a Mass Jake Francka+/SH

6:00p Parish Council meeting/SH

Thursday-April 25

8:30a Mass Mary Rowley-special intention/SH

Friday-April 26

6:00p Mass Parish Family/SH

Saturday-April 27

3:30-3:45p Confession/StC

4:00p Mass Patrick O’Connor+/StC

6:00-6:15p Confession/SH

6:30p Mass Parish Family/SH

Sunday-April 28

7:30-7:45a Confession/SH

8:00a Mass Judy Chaney+/SH

9:15a PSR

10:30a Mass Brad Wiltse+/SH

SACRED HEART PARISH OUR GIFTS TO GOD @ SACRED HEART

4/14/2024

Env/Cks:	\$ 2,808.00
Plate:	300.00
Maintenance:	65.00
Holy Land:	20.00
Total:	\$ 3,193.00

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

Dear Parishioners,

This weekend is the annual World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Please take a few moments to look over the insert in this bulletin and perhaps share it with your family. As Catholics, we must remember that vocations begin in the family and are encouraged first by the support of parents and then by the support of fellow parishioners, priests, and religious. Let us pray for vocations and be bold in the asking.

Thank you to our parish vocation committee which was formed several years ago when the diocese offered the training workshop through VocationMinistry.com. The committee met this past week and consists of Stephanie Aug, Ben and Carol Divin, John Enderle, Louisa Lomax, and myself. A rosary for vocations was offered at that time, and plans were discussed for parish vocation events in the coming months. If you are interested in being a part of the vocation committee, please contact Fr. Scott.

This past week, Mary and I attended the diocesan workshop for parish staff and pastors in Springfield at the Catholic Center. This day-long event covered many topics involving parish administration and finance, personnel, practices, and church ministry.

Monday evening I was blessed to have the opportunity to speak at the monthly PCCW meeting. I shared with the group the practice of Lectio Divina, which translates to Holy Reading. This is a long practice method within the church for prayer with the scriptures. Many religious, priests, and lay faithful alike use this method daily. While it may sound challenging, it is really quite accessible to all. Lectio Divina can help anyone to more prayerfully and reflectively read the Bible and listen to the voice of God speaking to our hearts.

A thought for the week... Behind every face of every person we can see the face of Jesus and hear Him say, "I died for this person."

In this Easter Season we set our sights upon proclaiming the Resurrection. During this time as we look toward Pentecost, we will be offering the *Wild Goose video/discussion series* via FORMED. This is a fourteen part presentation, featuring Fr. Dave Pivonka, along with various interviews and film locations, inviting us to a deeper encounter or a renewed encounter with the Holy Spirit! We will divide our time with *seven sessions together* in group and *seven sessions on your own* at home with the FORMED app/TV app. Our first group meeting will be Tuesday, April 23, between 5:45-6:45 p.m. in the IHM conference room. Please call the Parish Office or email to let us know you will be attending.

Blessings,

Fr. Scott

SHARE YOUR CHRISTMAS:

During the month of April we will be collecting Toothpaste for the SYC gift bags. The Christmas box is located in the gathering space.



FIRST COMMUNION:

Please pray for the students who will be receiving their First Holy Communion on Sunday, May 5th, at the 10:30 a.m. Mass. They are Blakely Hayter, Andrew Hendrickson, and Ava Wick.

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.

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

04/14/24

Env/Cks:	\$ 68.00
Plate:	24.00
Maintenance:	2.00
Holy Land:	2.00
Total:	\$ 96.00