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

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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: Jeff Bateman, Paul Bateman, Danni Beer, Raeliegh Bess, JJ Bledsoe, Kevin Breesawitz, Arlene & Charles Burt, Micaylyn Darby, Hugh Dudley, George Janzekovich, Michael Lomax, Mary McGinnis, Nick Petri, Stacey Sechler, Sonny Smith (cancer diagnosis), 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**

Wednesday-May 1

8:30a Communion Service/SH

Thursday-May 2 NO MASS TODAY

Friday-May 3

6:00p Mass Nancy Peterson+/SH 6:30p Adoration

Saturday-May 4

3:30-3:45p Confession/StC 4:00p Mass Parish Family/StC 6:00-6:15p Confession/SH 6:30p Mass Dorothea M. Corrotto+/SH

Sunday-May 5

7:30-7:45a Confession/SH 8:00a Mass Knights of Columbus #8931/SH 10:30a Mass Vanna Hillsman+/SH

SACRED HEART PARISH OUR GIFTS TO GOD @ SACRED HEART

4/21/2024

Env/Cks:	\$ 2,537.00
Plate:	163.00
Maintenance:	125.00
Holy Land:	50.00
Mass Offerings:	230.00
Total:	\$ 3,105.00

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

Dear Parishioners.

Please welcome Fr. Allen Kirchner and Fr. Charles Peirano who will assist us with Masses this weekend. Fr. Allen currently serves as chaplain/theology instructor at Springfield Catholic High School and Fr. Charles is Associate Pastor at Immaculate Conception in Springfield. Thank you to them for their assistance.

Please keep in your prayers twenty-eight priests attending the Amazing Parish Pastor Conference in Colorado. This is offered for those pastors currently participating in the Amazing Parish movement and is intended to support and encourage them in their work with their PLT and their parish.

This past week our Parish Council had their monthly meeting. On the agenda was the process of nominations for Parish Council. There are three outgoing members who have completed their three-year term so we will be filling those open slots with new representation. All parishioners, who are confirmed, will have the opportunity to elect our new Parish Council members in August. I'm currently in the process of reaching out to those who received nomination from the Council to request their acceptance. Please pray for those who have accepted already to be on the ballot and those who are in the process of prayerfully considering it. To serve on the Parish Council is both a privilege and an honor as one represents their fellow parishioners in the spiritual and practical matters of parish life. Parish Council members also serve as an advisory role to their pastor in his ministry as the local shepherd of the flock. I personally am always grateful for the insight and expertise, as well as, the depth of prayerful thought and reflection I have found in our Parish Council members.

Please pray for those young parishioners who will be making their First Holy Communion very soon. They are: Blakely Hayter, Andrew Hendrickson, and Ava Wick.

Please make plans now to join us for the First Friday observance in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus on Friday, May 3rd. Mass will begin at 6:00 p.m. followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction to conclude at 7:30 p.m. Families are welcome, children are welcome, and you are welcome! Come let us adore!! Confessions will be available from 6:45 p.m.-7:15 p.m. beginning with this First Friday opportunity and continuing every First Friday going forward.

Recently our parish vocation committee met to discuss some upcoming Vocation events. Committee members are: Stephanie Aug, Ben and Carol Divin, John Enderle, Louisa Lomax, and myself. If you are interested in being a part of the vocation committee, please contact Fr. Scott.

Last week, we began the *Wild Goose* video series with more than ten attendees participating. As we look toward Pentecost, this is a fourteen part presentation, featuring Fr. Dave Pivonka, along with various interviews and invites us to a deeper encounter or a renewed encounter with the Holy Spirit! We will divide our time with *six sessions together* in group and *seven sessions on your own* at home with the FORMED app/TV app. It's not too late to join us. Simply log onto FORMED (or if you have not done so, set up your FREE Formed account) and watch *Wild Goose* sessions 1 & 2. The next time we meet will be Tuesday, May 7, and we will watch session 3 together at that time. Our sessions begin at 5:45 p.m. and end at 6:45 p.m. promptly.

Blessings,

Fr. Scott

CELEBRATING 60 YEARS: Please mark your calendar and join us as we celebrate Fr. Pat Wissman in his 60th Anniversary of Ordination on Sunday, May 19th, at Parkview Care Facility from 2:00-4:00 p.m. More details to come.

2024 DDF WEEKEND: Next week, we will be conducting the 2024 Diocesan Development Fund appeal. We need your help in order to be successful. Please pray about your participation and how you can respond next week.

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 Paula Keller, Bobette Kathka, Owens, Annette Petrone, Petrone, Sonny Smith (cancer diagnosis), 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

04/21/24

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Plate: 216.00 Total: \$ 446.00