

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



**ADORATION TO THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**First Friday-7:00 AM-5:30 PM**

**Second & Third Wednesday-6:00 PM**

*About our Parish*

**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

**Wednesday-March 19**

8:30a Mass Fr. Scott Sunnenberg/SH  
6:00p Adoration/SH

**Thursday-March 20**

8:30a Mass Leann Thornton+/SH

**Friday-March 21**

6:00p Mass Jean Rabe+/SH

**Saturday-March 22**

4:00p Mass Dorothy Babyak+/StC  
6:00-6:15p Confession/SH  
6:30p Mass Parish Family/SH

**Sunday-March 23**

7:30-7:45a Confession/SH  
8:00a Mass Rachel Gabani+/SH  
9:15a Faith Formation  
10:30a Mass Jean Rabe+/SH

**SACRED HEART PARISH**

**OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

**3/9/2025**

Env/Cks:	\$3,187.00
Plate:	272.16
Maintenance:	285.00
CRS:	617.00
Mass Offering:	70.00
Total:	\$ 4,431.16

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK OR HOMEBOUND:** Kevin Breesawitz, John Duque, Christine Emmons, Jim Estes, Fern Griggs, Barb Janzekovich, Michael Lomax, Nathaniel Lyford, Mary McGinnis, Amanda (Foster) Porter, Kathleen Ricke, Sandra Samek, David Sandgren, Stacey Sechler, Bev & Sam Swihart and Fr. Pat Wissman. Those in skilled care facilities: Glenna Daughtrey, Paula Foster, Carol Francka, Judy Gailey, Shirley Harris, Ann Kathka, Mary E. McGinnis, & Barbara Wood.

**MILITARY PRAYER ROSTER:** Please remember those in our parish families serving in the military: Airman Alex Ball, Airman Blane Breth, Airman Blake Gitner, PFC Samuel Wick, 2 Lt. Nick Yocom, PO3 Zack Gorman, and Cpt. Sam Boehmer.

**PARISH INFORMATION**

**Sacred Heart Catholic Church:** 1405 W. Fair Play, Bolivar, 65613 417-326-5596  
**website:** [www.sacredheartbolivar.org](http://www.sacredheartbolivar.org) **email:** [sheartbolivar@gmail.com](mailto: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** [jfarrar@dioscg.org](mailto:jfarrar@dioscg.org)  
**Mary Rowley, Office Manager** 417-326-5596 (office) **Office Hours:** M-F 8-4

**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)-Barbara Ball**, President, 515-480-3545  
**(StC)-Alice McIntosh**, President, 417-754-8447

**PARISH COUNCIL CHAIR &  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:** **Eric Shinault**, 417-350-2686

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

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION!**

**Saturday:** 6:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart

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

**First Friday:** 6:30-6:50 p.m.

**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.

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

Dear Parishioners,

Last Friday we observed First Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 7am –7pm with a break for Mass at 6pm and Lenten Stations of the Cross after Mass. It was a well prayed day for our parish family! Thank you to all who came to Adore Jesus at the altar throughout the day. Remember, you too are invited to spend some time with Jesus in Adoration every First Friday as mentioned above. If you can't make First Fridays, we have Adoration on the 2nd & 3rd Wednesdays of each month from 6-7pm with confessions offered from 6:15-6:45pm! Come, let us adore HIM!

The Lenten Parish Penance Service at Sacred Heart will take place on Sunday, March 23rd at 3 pm. This is an ideal opportunity to attend to our annual Easter Duty as a practicing Catholic, by getting to Confession in preparation for the Easter Celebrations. Several priests will travel to be with us and assist in hearing Confessions, let's make sure they are not traveling in vain!

It's a joy to share with you that Browning Proctor made her Profession of Faith, was Confirmed, and received her First Holy Communion last week at weekday Mass. Together, we extend heartfelt and happy sentiments of welcome into the full life of the parish family and wider Church family!

Congratulations to the OCIA Catechumens (those yet to be Baptized) and Candidates (those already Baptized) who were called to the Easter Sacraments last Sunday afternoon by Bishop Rice while attending the Rite of Election at Saint Agnes Cathedral. Holy Saturday night they will be received into the Catholic Church and into full Communion. Continue to pray for those in this time of final preparation

Through the Hearts of Jesus and Mary,  
Fr. Scott

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**THANK YOU:** The family of Linda Francka would like to thank everyone for the prayers, cards and acts of kindness shown to us during the sickness and passing of Linda. We especially want to thank Fr. Scott, all who helped with the funeral Mass, and the ladies who prepared a delicious lunch for us. We appreciate your kindness and love extended to us. ~ *May God bless you all, the family of Linda Francka*

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** During Lent Sacred Heart Parish is having Stations of the Cross on Fridays after the 6:00 p.m. Mass.

**LENTE PENANCE SERVICE:** Please mark your calendars for Sunday, March 23, at 3:00 p.m. for our parish Lenten Communal Penance service.

**LENTE YOUTH PROJECT:** All children of the diocese are invited to pray, fast, and give alms to help [ELEVATE KIDS](#), a program located in Branson, MO. Elevate Kids assists the needs of children of the working poor. The funds raised for this year's Lenten Youth Project will [help build a playground](#), which adjoins an old motel that Our Lady of Lake Parish, in Branson, is helping to renovate. This motel houses single women and their children.



**EASTER MEMORIALS:** If you would like to make a donation for Easter memorials in memory of a loved one or for special blessings received, please complete the following information and return this to the Parish Office by Sunday, April 13.

INTENTION: \_\_\_\_\_

DONATED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARISH HOMESCHOOL FAMILIES & PARISHIONERS WITH INTEREST IN SUPPORTING THESE FAMILIES:** We have an opportunity to establish a Parish Catholic Homeschool Co-op/Group! This is in the information gathering stage and we are looking for your assistance to ascertain the needs and skill sets available to assist with those needs, within the Parish. Please reach out to Browning Proctor in the coming weeks to share the details as they pertain to your family 417-955-3276 or bnproctor2016@gmail.com

## ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA MISSION

**REMEMBERING IN PRAYER:** We remember those in our mission who are sick or unable to be with us: Robert Agee, Myrna Bressner, Clara Clements, Kelly Conger, Sienna Cortes, Carol Gorman, Ann Kathka, Paula Keller, Matthew Limbrick, Bobette Owens, Annette Petrone, Tony Petrone, Henri Thibault. If you need prayers, please call Alice 754-8447, Paula 754-8067 or Fr. Scott 326-8764.

## ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA MISSION OUR GIFTS TO GOD

3/9/2025

Env/Cks:	\$ 145.00
Plate:	76.00
Maintenance:	3.00
CRS:	105.00
Total:	\$ 329.00