

## About our Parish

### WEEKLY SCHEDULE

#### Wednesday-May 21

8:30a Mass Danny Wolf+/SH

#### Thursday-May 22

8:30a Mass Mary Rowley/SH

#### Friday-May 23

6:00p Mass Jean Rabe+/SH

#### Saturday-May 24

4:00p Mass Parish Family/St C

6:00p-6:20p Confessions/SH

6:30p Mass Amy Hutchison+/SH

#### Sunday-May 25

7:30-7:50a Confession/SH

8:00a Mass Parish Family/SH

10:30a Mass Marcia Bowers+/SH

#### Monday-May 26—Memorial Day

9:30a Mass at St. Wenceslaus Cemetery w/  
Fr. Lewis Hejna celebrant

### SACRED HEART PARISH

#### OUR GIFTS TO GOD

5/11/2025

Env/Cks:	\$ 2,998.00
Plate:	351.00
Maintenance:	520.00
Catholic Communication:	200.00
Total:	\$ 4,069.00

#### ADORATION HOLY HOUR SIGN-UP:

Our next First Friday Holy Hour is Friday, June 6, from 7:00a-5:30p. A sign-up sheet is in the gathering space on the table by St. Wenceslaus. Please stop by and fill in the time(s) you can pray with our Lord.

#### 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.

*"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**

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK OR HOMEBOUND:** Kevin Breesawitz, Jim Estes, Michael Lomax, Mary McGinnis, Kathleen Ricke, Sandra Samek, David Sandgren, Becky Schonert, Stacey Sechler, Bev & Sam Swihart and Fr. Pat Wissman. Those in skilled care facilities: Carol Francka, Judy Gailey, Shirley Harris, Ann Kathka, Mary E. McGinnis, and 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, and Cpt. Sam Boehmer.

### PARISH INFORMATION

**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** [jfarrar@dioscgo.org](mailto:jfarrar@dioscgo.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

### 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

**A LOOK AT LEO:** “The Church is holy, not because of our actions, but because her head is Christ himself. Our task is to live in conformity with Him, not to shape the Church in our own image.” May 11, 2025

Dear Parishioners,

Recently the Parish Office requested notification of those graduating high school seniors. Thank you to those who responded. Congratulations to our high school graduates and their families who we will recognize with a gift and blessing at Masses this weekend. They are: *Thomas Hendrickson, Abigail Schick, Cole Schick, Caroline Wick, and Rayna Wilson.*

In response to the terrible effects of Amendment 3, along with the bishops of the state of Missouri, and all defenders of life, we give thanks to God for the passing of a voter referendum, HJR 73, which, if it passes, would repeal the damage done last November to the child in the womb. The newly proposed constitutional amendment would go back to voters in November 2026 or sooner should Governor Kehoe call a special election. Let us pray for life. Let us pray for Missouri, and Let us pray for babies, mothers, and families in the state of Missouri.

Have you made plans for our parish trivia event to be held after the 10:30 Mass on Sunday, June 1? We also have the meats, you bring your table snacks and we’ll see you there. The categories are: *Music, Cooking, Trivia Pursuit, Saints, Disney, Movies, and History.*

Please plan to join us for our custom of celebrating a Memorial Day Mass at St. Wenceslaus Catholic Cemetery. This year our celebrant will be Fr. Lewis Hejna, a native son of Sacred Heart Parish and Bolivar. The Mass will begin at 9:30 a.m. We hope to see you there.

With Memorial Day travels the sign up sheet for First Friday Adoration, June 6, is available now in the vestibule. Please sign up to spend time with our Lord in prayer.

Alleluia to our Risen Lord!!

Fr. Scott

**DIOCESAN DEVELOPMENT FUND:**

Thank you to all who have pledged for the DDF campaign. We have received \$27,226 from 47 donors. Our goal is \$43,045 and 116 donors.

**ADULT EDUCATION:** On Sunday, May 18th, Deacon Jim will begin a series of Adult Ed classes based on Bishop Baron’s book, *Introduction to Prayer*. This will be between the Masses.

**PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION/ FAITH FORMATION VOLUNTEERS**

**NEEDED:** Our parish is actively seeking volunteers for our faith formation classes for the 2025-2026 year for these grades: 3rd/4th; 5th/6th; 7th/8th (Confirmation program); and High School. We would love to have a few volunteers to help form a youth director team. Anyone who is interested in these positions, please contact Darlene Arendt 417-298-6237, Fr. Scott, or the Parish Office.

**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**

**5/11/2025**

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Plate:	135.00
Total:	\$ 285.00