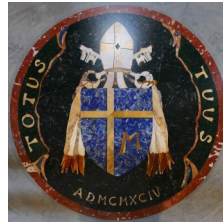


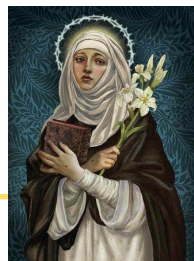


**DEANERY 3 VOCATION DAY UPDATE:** Mark your calendars now for **SATURDAY, MAY 9TH, SACRED HEART CHURCH BOLIVAR from 9:00 A.M.-2:00 P.M.** This will be a Deanery 3 wide Vocation Day held at **SACRED HEART in Bolivar** and will be a first of its kind for us bringing together the deanery as a whole. It will include great guest speakers, a keynote presentation, breakout sessions, prayer and activities for all ages. Mass with Bishop Rice will be celebrated at 10:00 a.m. Each of us has a vocation to serve God as a priest or religious, a married man or woman, or a dedicated single person. To know God's plans for our vocation we must learn to pray and discern asking His will and listening for His voice. Once we have discerned His will, then we must live it and do so with generosity and joyful hearts. This is for everybody, those currently living their vocation, those discerning their vocation, and those who want to learn more about how to discern.



**ATTENTION KIDS IN THE PARISH:** Totus Tuus is coming to **SACRED HEART PARISH** here in **BOLIVAR** on **June 14-19**. Brochures are on the bulletin board. **What is Totus Tuus?** Totus Tuus (*Latin for Totally Yours*) was the papal motto for Pope St. John Paul II who dedicated his life totally to Jesus Christ through Mary. *Totus Tuus is also the name of our fun and energetic summer youth program for all children in elementary, middle school, and high school.* The weeklong program is dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting the Catholic faith through evangelization, catechesis, Christian witness, music, fun activities, Eucharistic worship, and more. Not only will the youth learn more about their Catholic faith, but they will return home excited to live it and share it! Call Browning Proctor, 417-955-3276 bnproctor2016@gmail.com or Renee Schick, 720-628-7067 razberrymamma@yahoo.com for more information or to register your children.

**PURGATORIAL SOCIETY:** Please come join us as we will be praying for our beloved dead, the poor souls in purgatory, and our parish family members who have died. We will pray again for the Holy Souls on Wednesday, April 22, at 1:00 p.m. in the church.



*St. Catherine of Siena Mission*

*Humansville, Missouri*

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

**March 29, 2026**

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:** We remember those in our mission who are sick or unable to be with us: Robert Agee, Myrna Bressner, Sienna Cortes, Carol & Daniel Gorman, Paula Keller, Gary Kirkpatrick, Bobette & Phillip Owens, Annette Petrone, Tony Petrone, Dean Siemer, Henri Thibault, Logan Tillmon, Danny Vasquez. If you need prayers, please call Alice 754-8447, Paula 754-8067 or Fr. Scott 326-8764.

Env/Cks:	\$	160.00
Plate:		49.00
Catholic Charities:		25.00
Total:	\$	234.00



*Sacred Heart Catholic Church*

*Bolivar, Missouri*

**April 5, 2026**



**PARISH INFORMATION**

**Sacred Heart Catholic Church:** 1405 W. Fair Play, Bolivar, 65613 417-326-5596 (office)

**website:** [www.sacredheartbolivar.org](http://www.sacredheartbolivar.org) **email:** [sheartbolivar@gmail.com](mailto:sheartbolivar@gmail.com) **Office Hours:** Monday-Friday 8:00a-4:00p

**St. Catherine of Siena Mission:** P.O. Box 42, Humansville, 65674 417-754-8825

**PASTOR:** The Very Rev. Fr. Scott M. Sunnenberg, 417-326-8764

**PERMANENT DEACON:** Rev. Mr. James Farrar, 417-818-0600 [jfarrar@dioscg.org](mailto:jfarrar@dioscg.org)

**OFFICE MANAGER:** Mary Rowley, 417-326-5596

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

Dear Parishioners,

In order to officially welcome those coming into the Church through the Easter Sacraments we will again host a parish potluck on Sunday, April 19th, after the 10:30 Mass. Bring your favorite dish(es) to share, and let's celebrate the growth of our church family and get to know our new faces among us.

This is the second publication of bands for Cole Schick and Drew Sanders who are currently preparing for marriage. Let us keep them in prayer as they look forward to their nuptial Mass.

Over the past year our parish leadership has been especially focused on recognizing and sharing the grace that comes from living in community as Sacred Heart Parish family and living as individual families our Catholic faith. Our parish family continues to grow as we add new faces, baptize both infants and adults, and come to know and love our Catholic beliefs and practices more and more. Sharing the grace is not just an invitation for a few, but an opportunity for all. Through our liturgies, our common life of prayer, and the help of the sacraments we continue this journey. If you are joining us this weekend for Easter, we welcome you and hope that you will return to share the graces in the days ahead. If you are a regular parishioner who is here every weekend, we hope that this Easter will open your eyes anew to the graces that are present.

Congratulations and blessings to those who through the Easter sacraments are baptized, confirmed, and/or making their First Holy Communion.

On behalf of your Sacred Heart Parish and St. Catherine Mission staff, we wish each and everyone a Blessed Holy Week, Happy Easter Day and a Happy Easter Season. May God bless you and your families and show you His grace and mercy.

*Fr. Scott, Deacon Jim, Mary Rowley, Parish Leadership Team, Parish Council, Darlene Arendt and PSR Teachers*



## ADORATION TO THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

**First Friday-7:00 AM-5:30 PM**  
**Second & Third Wednesday-6:00 PM**  
**Fourth Sunday-between Masses**

### WEEKLY SCHEDULE

#### Wednesday-April 8

8:30a Mass Joe Hubbert+/SH

#### Thursday-April 9

8:30a Mass Gerry Nehl+/SH

#### Friday-April 10

6:00p Mass Georganna Fry+/SH

#### Saturday-April 11

4:00p Mass Sienna Cortes/StC  
6:00-6:20p Confession/SH  
6:30p Mass Barbara Wood+/SH

#### Divine Mercy Sunday-April 12

7:30-7:50a Confession/SH  
8:00a Mass Frances Haralson/SH  
9:00a Faith Formation  
10:30a Mass Becky Schonert+/SH  
3:00p Divine Mercy Chaplet Prayer/SH

### WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

#### OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Sacred Heart Parish

3/29/2026

Env/Cks:	\$2,235.00
Plate:	442.71
Maintenance:	70.00
Easter Memorials:	60.00
Votive Candles:	47.23
Mass Offerings:	10.00
CRS:	100.00
Holy Land:	200.00
Total:	\$3,164.94

#### MARCH ONLINE GIVING

Weekly:	\$2,584.99
Maintenance:	110.20
CRS:	19.42
Holy Land:	9.22
Total Online Giving:	\$2,723.83

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

**Saturday:** 6:00 p.m.

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



**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK OR HOMEBOUND:** Danni Beer, Rick Bigler, Kevin & Donna Breesawitz, Becky Briggs, Ron Dane, Lisa Doyle, Shannon Hancock, Mel Hendrickson, Mary Jane Hubbert, Grace Lafferty, Jackie Lore, Mary McGinnis, Norene Osburn, Jim Otradovec, Kathleen Ricke, Sandra Samek, Mary Lou Sanders, David Sandgren, Linda Smith, Mark Stanek, Jerry Sukovaty, Bev & Sam Swihart, and Fr. Pat Wissman.

Those in skilled care facilities: Elizabeth Bock, Carol Francka, Fern Griggs, Shirley Harris, Ann Kathka, and Don Keiter.

**MILITARY PRAYER ROSTER:** Please remember those in our parish families serving in the military: Navy E3 Fireman Lucas Guynn, Lt. Jenn Jordan, LCpl. Samuel Wick, and 2 Lt. Nick Yocom.



#### HELPING HANDS MINISTRY FOR PARISH SENIOR

**CITIZENS:** Do you have a need for a handyman at your home?

The parish men's Helping Hands ministry are willing to come do some light work for you. For information, call Dave at 509-230-3938 or John at 314-560-7771 or if you would like to be a volunteer.

**YOUNG WOMEN OR YOUNG MOMS???** We have a group of young women and young moms that connect through Facebook and in person. If you are looking for support or a way to connect with others in the parish, call Erin, 816-500-8437 and let's talk.



**WELCOME NEW CATHOLICS:** Join us Sunday, April 19th, after the 10:30 a.m. Mass to welcome our newly received Catholics at a potluck lunch. We are welcoming Tori Wiseman, Nathaniel Curtright, and Mathew Deatherage as our newest Catholics. This will be an old-fashioned potluck, so please bring a meat and side dish, or meat and dessert. Drinks and table service will be provided.