

**Welcome, Fr. Noel Mueller**, who is celebrating Mass at Sacred Heart this weekend. He will share with you the work of AIM USA (Alliance for International Monasticism) and the 400 English-speaking Benedictine and Cistercian monasteries in Africa, Asia, Central and South America and Haiti affiliated with AIM. These men and women form centers of prayer, education, health and agriculture in some of the poorest regions of the world. Please respond to this appeal with openness and generosity.

**Monthly Children's Mass** will be Sunday, Aug. 1, at the 10:30am Mass. Take this opportunity to bring children to this Mass as the young adults in the parish will participate in the ministries and the homily will be centered around the kids.

**R.C.I.A. "Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults" Orientation Meeting** will be Monday, August 2, at 6:00pm in the church lower level. If you know of a family member, a neighbor, or someone who is interested in learning about Catholicism or if they have no church of their own, please let them know. For more information, or to register, please call the parish office at 347.7177. Informational books about the Catholic faith are available.

**Sacristans and volunteers** are needed to help with Mass ministries for the 5:30pm Sunday evening Mass. Please call the church office to be added to the ministry scheduling list 347.7177.

**First Friday Communion** ~ On the first Friday of the month, the parish priest brings communion to parishioners who are homebound or temporarily unable to attend Mass. If you know of someone from the parish who would like to receive communion on Friday, August 6, contact Darlene at the parish office 347.7177.

**Moms-N-More** is hosting a Family Summer Picnic at the Effingham Knights of Columbus Pavilion on Sunday, July 25, at noon. Meat and paper products will be furnished. Guests are asked to bring a side dish to share and drinks for their family. Come and join in the fun!!

**Baptism Class** will be Monday, July 26, at 7:00pm in the Sacred Heart Parish Center. Please call Darlene at the parish office 347.7177 to register.

**Picnic Pool Party** will be at the Effingham Kluthe Pool at Evergreen Park on Saturday, August 7, from 8:30pm to 10:00pm. Lifeguards and pool toys are provided. The parish will provide snacks and refreshments; however, feel free to bring your own. No alcohol is allowed on the grounds. Make plans to enjoy an evening of swimming.

**Pre-Cana** will be Sunday, September 12, from 10:00am to 4:30pm at St. Anthony Parish Center, Effingham. To register, please contact Robin at 217.347.7129.

**Pre-Cana**, hosted by Patrick O'Toole from the Diocese will be held at the Sacred Heart Parish Center on Saturday, September 18, from 9:00am to 4:00pm. Register online at [dio.org/familylife](http://dio.org/familylife).


**17<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration of Perpetual Adoration** at St. Anthony Memorial Hospital Chapel will be held on Thursday, July 29. The rosary will begin at 6:15pm followed by Mass at **6:30pm** (*changed from 7:00pm in last week's bulletin*). Refreshments will be served after Mass in the Hospital Cafeteria. All are welcome. If anyone is interested in signing up for an hour, please contact Lorraine Zerrusen at 857.3153 ext 233 or 857.3220 and Tom & Betty Pals at 342.4764.

*Note from Kate Pruemmer . . .*

**PSR Teachers & Helpers** are needed for the upcoming school year. Please contact Kate Pruemmer at 347.7177 or [k.pruemer@sheff.org](mailto:k.pruemer@sheff.org).

**VBS 2010 "Going for Gold with God"** was a great success! Thank you to all of our volunteers who made VBS possible, to Diana and Jessica Ludwig for attending our closing program on behalf of Special Olympics, and to Culver's for donating free frozen custard! And thank you to all the children who joined us to "Go for Gold" last week and helped us collect money for Special Olympics!

**August 7<sup>th</sup> Inter-parish High School Softball Tournament** ~ St. Isidore Parish has invited us to take part in their Annual Co-Ed Slow Pitch Softball Tournament. We need a team of at least 10 high school students, with an equal number of guys and girls, ages incoming freshmen through outgoing seniors. This is not a competitive tournament, just a fun leisurely one! All skill levels are welcome to join the fun! The tournament is tentatively set to begin at 11:00am and conclude with Mass at 4:30pm. The tournament will take place at the St. Aloysius Church Ball Diamonds at Bishop Creek in rural Dieterich. Food and drinks will be provided and spectators are welcome! Sign up for the team on the sheet in the back of church or contact Kate Pruemmer at 347.7177 or [k.pruemer@sheff.org](mailto:k.pruemer@sheff.org).



Rest in Peace  
*We extend our sympathy to the  
family and friends of* **Gerry  
Clough & Brittany Pritts.**

## Liturgy Schedule

**Monday, July 26**  
**7:15am:** Jean Kuhns *by George Swingler*

**Tuesday, July 27**  
**7:15am:** Kathleen Smethers *by Jim & Jane Wernsing*

**Wednesday, July 28**  
**7:15am:** Bertha T. Ordner *by Linus & Ann Schumacher*

**Friday, July 30**  
**7:15am:** Chris Westjohn *by Sue Westjohn family*

**Saturday, July 31**  
**4:00pm:** Linda Root *by family & friends*

**Sunday, August 1**  
**8:30am:** Mary Willenborg *by family*  
**10:30am:** John Ordner *by Mary Ordner family*  
**5:30pm:** James Tolch *by Paula Tolch*  
**7:00pm Spanish Mass:** Special Intention *by Bernadine Hamilton*

## WEEKLY OFFERING ~ July 17-18

	<u>Weekly Total</u>	<u>Total to Date</u>
Envelopes ~ 275	\$ 11,239.25	\$ 35,518.75
Loose	\$ 1,596.28	\$ 4,406.79
Children ~ 20	\$ 38.77	\$ 82.92
Adopt-A-Student	\$ 10.00	\$ 564.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 12,884.30</b>	<b>\$ 40,572.46</b>
<b>Budget Goal</b>	<b>\$ 15,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 45,000.00</b>
<b>Difference</b>	<b>- \$ 2,115.70</b>	<b>- \$ 4,427.54</b>

### Comparison to 1 Year Ago (YTD)

<u>Total YTD 2010-11</u> <u>07-01-10 to 07-18-10</u>	<u>Total YTD 2009-10</u> <u>07-01-09 to 07-19-09</u>	<u>Difference for YTD</u> <u>09-10 to YTD 10-11</u>
<b>\$ 40,572.46</b>	<b>\$ 41,500.90</b>	<b>- \$ 928.44</b>

**Floyd Hartke Memorial Mass** will be held at St. Isidore Catholic Church in Bishop Creek on Wednesday, July 28, at 7:00pm. All families and friends are invited.

**Mark your calendar ~ Rural King** will run its Church Week Promotion the week of August 22-29. Make your purchases that week, turn in your original receipts to the parish office and Sacred Heart Parish will receive a portion of the receipts collected for those dates.

**FISH & Catholic Charities Benefit** will be August 20, 21, 22 when the St. Isidore Parish Community teams up with FACE to present "Over the River and Through the Woods", a comedy about an Italian family of grandparents. Dinner theatres will be catered by Joe's Pizza and Pasta on August 20 and 21 and a dessert theatre will be Sunday, August 22. Wine is included at all performances. Tickets may be purchased at Donsbach/Meinhart during regular business hours at 8:30am to 4:30pm or call 217.342.0465 for complete information.

**21st Annual Family Camp/Renewal Days** for family and friends of persons with special needs will be Sept. 25-26 at Lake Williamson Christian Center, Carlinville, IL. Early bird registrations are due by Sunday, August 8. For a registration form, contact Elaine Vonderheide ~ email mewv23@consolidated.net or call 342.2718.

## Sponsor of the Week

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## School News . . .

**Kings Kids & Son-Shine Preschool Programs** have a few openings on Monday/Wednesday session for the 2010-11 school year. Registration forms are available on [www.sheff.org](http://www.sheff.org) or call Jill Dust at 347.5368 or the parish office 347.7177.

**Registration for grades K-8** at Sacred Heart School is still open. Call the parish office 347.7177 to register.

**Baseball** ~ There will be a 7th and 8th grade parent meeting for baseball on Monday, July 26, at 5:30pm at Sacred Heart Grade School. There will be baseball conditioning and baseball field maintenance for all 7th and 8th grade boys from Sacred Heart and St Michael, July 28 thru July 30 from 4:30-6:30pm. Baseball practice will be Aug. 2 thru Aug. 6 from 4:30-6:30 pm.

**Sacred Heart CCW** is needing volunteers to work at the Effingham County Right to Life booth at the Fair on Tuesday, August 3, from noon to 9:00pm. Sign up sheet is in the back of church.

**Mark your calendar ~ St. Anthony Parish Picnic** will be August 14 & 15 on the St. Anthony High School grounds. Raffles, food, and games for every age.

**Bulldog Challenge** ~ 10K run, 5K run/walk and 2 mile fund walk, in memory of Colin Woods, will be Saturday, August 14, starting at 8:30am at St. Anthony High School. Advance registration is \$20 (by July 28) ~ \$25 after that. A registration form is available at [www.stanthony.com](http://www.stanthony.com).

**Family Life Center Cookbook** is available for purchase for \$10 at the Family Life Center, Mon.-Thurs, 9:00am to 5:00pm or stop by the parish office to pick up a copy. They are also needing a **Prayer Partner** from Sacred Heart who would commit to pray for the center for a year. Contact the parish office at 347.7177 to volunteer.

## Prayer List

*Please pray for the sick and convalescing:* Corky Bock, Lisa Crosson, Ava Gass, Leo & Helen Haarmann, Deanne Huey, Jeanie Meyers, Ada Mae Moran, Brian A. Niebrugge, Barb Sims, Larry Weber, Rebekah Volk, Judy Reardon, Jesse Ketteman, Melissa Fiscus, Tena Behrman, Janet Knabe, Amanda Swan, Quade Aldrich, Mark Rogers, Michael Platz, Jodi Waymoth, Mirta Donnelly, Evelyn Krone, Jeanie Knabe, Phyllis Stock, Charlie Meyers, Jackie Luchtefeld, Shannan Miner, Joyce Westjohn, Kathy Smith, Nicholas Rhodes, Dorothy Levitt, Mardell Weis, Adeline Bailey, Kenneth Buening, Fred Tanner, Ellie Flack, Shannon Harris, A. Wm "Bill" Dasenbrock, Fay Ujichldi, Gary Andes, Lisa Rexroat, Marie Pike, Gina Hargis, Ken Birch, Kim Cummins, Stephanie Smith, Sr. Ann Fearday, Mildred Tegeler, Dustin Doedtman

