

# Welcome!



**SACRED HEART**  
Catholic Parish & School



## The Epiphany of the Lord - January 5, 2025

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### Mass Schedule:

Monday-Thursday 8:30am

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00pm

Sunday Masses: 8:30 & 10:30am,

La Misa en Español 7:00pm

### Reconciliation:

30 minutes before weekday Masses

Saturday: 3:00pm-3:45pm

### Liturgy of the Hours:

7:45am Sunday-Friday

### Chaplet of Divine Mercy:

3:15pm Monday-Friday

3:00pm Saturday

### Healing Rosary:

Mondays at 9:00am

### Eucharistic Adoration:

Monthly on First Monday

9:00am-8:00pm

Reconciliation 7:00-8:00pm

**This Sunday we celebrate the Epiphany of the Lord.** The Epiphany celebrates the adoration of Jesus by the Magi, also known as the Three Kings or Three Wise Men, when they followed the star and visited baby Jesus after He had been born. The young Messiah is revealed as the light of the nations. In recognition of the Epiphany and as you remember the Three Kings' visit to the home of Jesus, take the time to bless your own home! Epiphany Home Blessing packages are available in the narthex.

**Please join us for Adoration on Monday, January 6, anytime between 9:00am-8:00pm. Reconciliation will be held from 7:00pm-8:00pm.**

Sacred Heart School is hiring a

## Grade School Principal

*Grounded in the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church, Sacred Heart Catholic School strives for excellence in education while preparing our students for a saintly life of service, leadership, and compassion for all.*

Applicants should:

- Possess at least a Master's degree and have 3-5 years of relevant experience.
- Be a practicing Catholic with good moral character, enthusiastically living out the teachings of the Catholic Church.
- Have a deep knowledge of various instructional methods and strategies.
- Be knowledgeable, professional, hard-working, and student-centered.

Position includes benefits & pension package

**With strong enrollment, robust fundraising, and engaged faculty, now is an exciting time to join the Sacred Heart School family!**

Qualified candidates should submit a letter of interest, copy of transcript, & resume to:

Sacred Heart Church, Attn: Billi Jansen,  
405 S. Henrietta St., Effingham, IL 62401  
or email: [b.jansen@sheff.org](mailto:b.jansen@sheff.org).



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All servers are asked to attend a server meeting on Wednesday, January 8 at 5:33pm in the church.

The parish office will be closed from 11:00am-1:00pm on Monday, Jan. 6 for a staff luncheon.

Mrs. Sheehan, our Sacred Heart School principal, will be retiring at the end of this school year. In preparation for this, we are looking for a new principal for the 2025-26 school year.

**Prayer List:** Britney (Walters) Chester, Carolyn Ordner, Tom Hewing, Bill Foreman, David Dow, Avery Gardewine Braunecker, Bill Frese, Linda Frese, Sister Pat Thies, Lucinda Herboth, Cindy Rogger, Bill Weis, Mary Jane Behrman, Sara Bernhard, Pat Stockman, Marilyn Langhorst, Bernard Will, Mary Jo Pemberton, Maria Dolores Kingery, Dennis Willenborg, Rob Grupe, Vicki Will, Richard J. Feldhake, Cassie Worman, Charlie McWhorter, Sister Ann Fearday, Karly Brummer, Brenda Harris, Cis Ozenkoski

**There will be no morning Masses the week of January 20th (Monday) thru January 23rd (Thursday).** Father Michal will be attending an Evangelical Conference for Priests that week.



**Please join us in praying for the friends and family of our SHS alumni who have recently passed away.** If we have missed anyone for this list, please contact the parish office to let us know. Thank you.

- †Teresa (Cornell) Miller, Class of 1943 - 9/19/23
- †DeAnn (O'Donnell) Pomelow, Class of 1968 - 1/5/24
- †Edward Peter Koester, Class of 1953 - 2/4/24
- †Cletus J. Koester, Class of 1950 - 2/24/24
- †Mary Ann (Springer) Parker, Class of 1957 - 6/16/24
- †Jane M Cornell, Class of 1973 - 9/20/24
- †Thomas "Tom" Cornell, Class of 1956 - 9/23/24
- †Michael B. Willenborg, Class of 1958 - 9/24/24
- †Wilma K. (Pals) Buhnerkempe, Class of 1948 - 10/22/24
- †James Poynter, Class of 1949 - 12/12/24
- †Marlene (Fuesting) Unkraut, Class of 1948 - 12/27/24

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

**Once A Shamrock, Always A Shamrock**

BLOOD DRIVE

SCAN ME! ➔

Sacred Heart Church

Sunday, January 12  
10:00 am - 1:00 pm  
Parish Center  
405 S. Henrietta

To schedule an appointment, scan QR code, call ImpactLife at 800.747.5401 or online at [#70742](http://bloodcenter.org/group;grp)

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SACRED HEART CHURCH & SCHOOL CALENDAR

✠ Parish Event   ☺ School Event

**Monday, January 6**

- ☺ School Resumes;
- ✠ Eucharistic Adoration 9:00am—8:00pm;
- ✠ Pray the Healing Rosary in the church 9:00am;
- ✠ Parish Office Closed for Staff Lunch 11:00am-1:00pm;
- ☺ Boys' BB Home vs. St. Elmo-Brownstown 6:00pm;
- ✠ Reconciliation 7:00-8:00pm

**Tuesday, January 7**

- ✠ Study Group in church narthex 9:15am;
- ✠ Finance Council Meeting in church office 5:30pm

**Wednesday, January 8**

- ✠ Server Meeting 5:33pm;
- ✠ PSR Classes at Sacred Heart School 6:30pm

**Thursday, January 9**

- ☺ Boys' BB Home vs. Dieterich 6:00pm;
- ✠ Men's Prayer Group in church narthex 7:00pm

**Sunday, January 12**

- ✠ Blood Drive in parish center 10:00am-1:00pm

MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, January 6**

- 8:30am:** †Ralph Perri,  
Cassie Worman, Anne Imburgia

**Tuesday, January 7**

- 8:30am:** †August & †Marian Schultz

**Wednesday, January 8**

- 8:30am:** †Rich Rieman

**Thursday, January 9**

- 8:30am:** †Dave Worman

**Saturday, January 11**

- 4:00pm:** †Dave Worman

**Sunday, January 12**

- 8:30am:** For Our Parishioners

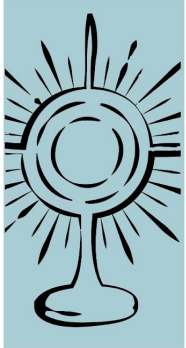
- 10:30am:** †Irene Niemerg

- 7:00pm:** La Misa en Español

**Effingham Catholic Young Adults**

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14TH  
@7PM**

**HOLY  
HOUR  
HAPPY  
HOUR**



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WILL BE  
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**FOR  
YOUNG  
ADULTS  
AGES 21-35**

**HOLY HOUR** 7-8pm @ Sacred Heart Church  
405 S Henrietta St, Effingham

**HAPPY HOUR** 8-9pm @ Effingham Event Center  
1501 W Fayette Ave, Effingham



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**Our Stewardship of Treasure**

**Sunday, December 29, 2024**

Envelopes:	\$ 9,001.00
Loose Collection	\$ 3,307.97
<u>Christmas</u>	<u>\$ 11,983.00</u>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 24,291.97</b>

*“As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God’s varied grace.”  
(1Peter 4:10)*

***Thank you for sharing your “Treasure”  
with Sacred Heart Parish***

**St. Mary's, Shumway CCW invites the ladies of St. Anthony, Sacred Heart and St. Mary Green Creek to their annual Casserole Dinner at 6:00pm on Tuesday, January 14. Mass is at 5:15pm, followed by dinner.**

**The 49th annual Pro-Life Breakfast will be held on Sunday, January 19 from 7:00am-Noon at the Teutopolis Banquet Hall.** Free-will donations accepted. Breakfast includes whole hog sausage, eggs, and a variety of home-baked breads, along with juice, milk, and water. There will be a 50/50 drawing and raffle. Volunteers are needed. Please text Susan at 217-663-2084 to sign up for a shift. Donations of breads, rolls, donut holes, & muffins are needed, and can be dropped off on Saturday, January 18 from 12-4:00pm at the Teutopolis Banquet Hall. This is the primary fundraiser for Effingham Area Right to Life. If you're unable to attend the breakfast, please consider sending a donation to PO Box 861, Effingham, IL 62401. Learn more by visiting “EffinghamAreaRightToLife” on Facebook.

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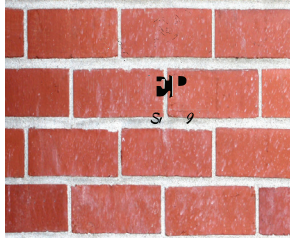
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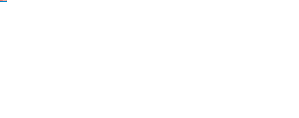


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