

# Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 16, 2023



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A note from Fr. Michal . . .

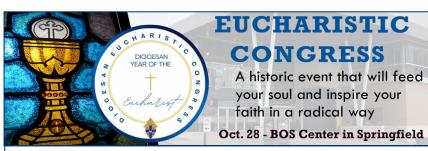
I would like to thank everyone for the wonderful celebration as I became a United States citizen! This past week, I also celebrated my birthday and would to thank you for the warm wishes and cards.

This has been a very busy summer with the pilgrimage to Poland, our annual picnic, and now preparing for another SHS school year, PSR, and RCIA. If you know of anyone who would like to join our parish school family, register for PSR classes, or become a Catholic through our RCIA program, please call the parish office and the staff will provide you the information.





All stand chairs and their families are invited to a cookout in Fr. Michal's backyard this Sunday, July 16, at 4:00pm. Bring a dish to share and enjoy the evening. We will have a brief update on the picnic results and ask for suggestions for next year.



You are invited to a historical diocesan-wide celebration on October 28 at the BOS Center in Springfield to celebrate the Year of the Eucharist and the 100th anniversary of the transfer of the See city of our diocese. Doors open at 10:30am with the first speaker starting at 1:00pm, and Mass begins at 4:00pm. There will be no Masses at Sacred Heart Church on that day. A link was sent via Constant Contact on Saturday, July 1, to all parishioner emails with ticket information. Any questions, please call the parish office at 217.347.7177.

Welcome to Sacred Heart - we're glad that you're here!



#### Sacred Heart School is hiring a Junior High Teacher.

- Various Subjects Possible
- Applicants should have high energy and a passion for education and children.
- Applicants should demonstrate a strong commitment to teaching in a Christ-centered environment and promoting Christian values and development amongst their students.
- This full-time position includes benefits and pension package.
- Qualified candidates should submit a letter of interest, copy of transcript, and resume.

Sacred Heart School, Attn: Mrs. Angela Sheehan 407 S. Henrietta St., Effingham, IL 62401 Email: a.sheehan@sheff.org; Call: 217.342.4060

Sacred Heart School is looking for someone who is able to lead, develop, and supervise our cross country team. These duties should be completed in a manner that is consistent with the core values of SHS. Our cross country team consists of around 5 to 10 students. The season runs from August through mid-October. This position is paid via a stipend.

The Prayer Vigil for Life will be held at Sacred Heart Church, Effingham, on Monday, July 17. Praying the rosary will



begin at 6:00pm. Fr. Michal Rosa will be the celebrant for the 6:30pm Mass. The business meeting will be held in the church narthex after Mass. Refreshments will be served while current pro-life issues are discussed.



Our Young Hearts Potluck is Tuesday, July 18, at noon, in the Sacred Heart Parish Center. Meat is furnished, so bring your favorite side dish and enjoy the fellowship.

Would you like to learn how to make rosaries? Please meet in the church narthex on Saturday, Aug. 5, at 8:30am, to learn. Supplies will be provided.

Registration for Sacred Heart PSR is now open! The link is shared on the Sacred Heart's Facebook page or pick up a registration form in the parish office. Please register by Aug. 1. Contact Jill Feldhake at psr@sheff.org with any questions. The first class is Wednesday, Aug. 23, at 6:30pm.

#### ~ Prayer List ~

Tom Hewing, Bill Frese, Linda Frese, Marilyn Lane, Pat Prichard, Britney (Walters) Chester, Barb Hoefft, Carolyn Ordner, Avery Gardewine Braunecker



Flowers were donated in memory of Karlene Frese by Pete Frese. If you would like to donate flowers, call Vicki Walker at 217.821.6179.

#### Rest in Peace

Our sympathy to the family and friends of **†Thomas E. McDevitt** 

#### Sacred Heart Church Calendar

#### Monday, July 17

6:00pm Prayer Vigil for Life Rosary; 6:30pm Mass @ Sacred Heart Church

#### Tuesday, July 18

9:15am: Study Group @ Church narthex

12:00pm: Young Hearts Potluck

@ Sacred Heart Parish Center

#### Thursday, July 20

7:00pm: Real Men Pray the Rosary Prayer Group

@ Church narthex

#### **Sacred Heart Mass Schedule**

#### Monday, July 17

8:30am: †Duane Sanders

6:30pm: Prayer Vigil for Life Mass (Rosary at 6:00pm)

Tuesday, July 18 8:30am: †Dorothy Kade

Wednesday, July 19

8:30am: †Hubert Weis Family

#### Thursday, July 20

8:30am: Living & Deceased Members of the †Harold &

†Penny McCullough Family

#### Friday, July 21

8:30am: Living & Deceased Members of the Catholic

**Daughters Court Columbus** 

Saturday, July 22 4:00pm: †Clark Wise

Sunday, July 23

**8:30am:** For Our Parishioners

10:30am: †Bob Cohorst

Sigel St. Michael Annual Church Picnic will be held on Sunday, July 16, starting at 11:00am. Join them for a terrific home-cooked chicken & ham dinner in the airconditioned school gym from 11:00am to 7:00pm. Check out the Bargain Barn for a super hot deal and the Country Store for fresh produce and home baked goods. Raffles, games, cake walk, and refreshments will be on the grounds. FACE will be performing from 4:00pm to 5:00pm under the shade trees.



Effingham K of C Council 665 is planning a live Exemplification Third-Degree Initiation prior to the Council meeting on Wednesday,

July 19, at the Effingham Event Center. Registration will begin at 6:15pm and the Exemplification will start at 6:30pm. If you know of anyone who would be a good member and is interested in being a Knight, please contact Bob Utz at 217.994.4140.

The Mattoon Deanery Council of Catholic Women meeting is Thursday, August 3, at St. Mary's Church and Parish Center at 528 N.



Main St. in Paris. Registration begins at 9:00am, Holy Mass at 9:30am followed by a meeting, lunch, and a white elephant auction (wrapped gift)! For more details, contact Jody Secondino-Crandell, Mattoon DCCW President at 812.208.4293 or jscrandell@yahoo.com.



Please return your baby bottles (with or without a donation) to the church narthex. Family Life Center distributes them each year on Mother's Day.

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**Sunday, July 9, 2023** 

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"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



The Austin Luckett Memorial Golf Tournament will be Friday, August 4, at the Cardinal Golf Course, 15737 N. Beach Road, Lake Sara, Effingham. The schedule is 11:00am registration & lunch;

noon shotgun start. The format is four person scramble; no handicaps used. Hole sponsorship is \$125.

#### Team & Sponsor Package: \$400 (\$445 value)

Includes a 4 person team & a hole sponsor sign

#### Player \$80 (per person)

Includes green fees, cart rental, pork burgers, OMG sausage, chips

Pre-register at cc.dio.org by August 1 (required).

As we enjoy the summer, may we reflect on our many blessings, and tune into Covenant Network



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