# Welcome!



Catholic Parish & School



## Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 20, 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 5:00pm

#### **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



# Strengthen &Secure

Sacred Heart Catholic Parish & School

### **Campaign Update**

The footings have been poured for the new

water feature! We are so excited about this phase of the project. It will be a beautiful tribute to the nostalgia of our original fountain, with updates and enhancements to create a stunning fixture for the north side of the church. We continue to be grateful for the state settlement we have already received, which has allowed us to get started on these exterior enhancements. We are also excited about the possibilities presented by the campaign and the additional opportunities it can provide!

Campaign prayer cards are now available in the pews. Please reference them in the hymnal as we pray this special prayer during Mass.

As you are thinking and praying about how to participate in the Strengthen & Secure Campaign, please take a pledge card from the pews. In order to have a successful campaign that uplifts our parish, we ask that every member of our church prayerfully consider giving a gift to the campaign. No matter the size, every gift helps this effort.

All of our picnic stand chairpeople are invited to an appreciation dinner on Sunday, July 20, at 6:00pm in the parish center. Meat and drinks will be provided; please bring a side dish to share. We will also have a short meeting to discuss the successes and challenges of the 2025 picnic. Spouses and families are welcome.

## Flame of Love Rosary Prayer Group Wednesdays from 3:30-4:10 Sacred Heart Church, Effingham

Start Date July 30

No commitment - come when it works for you
Introduction and prayer sheets available
Please join us - everyone is welcome!
www.flameof love.us



Our Tuesday morning study group will start a new book study on Tuesday, August 5, featuring Foundations of Faith: A Journey Through the Catechism of the Catholic Church. The cost for the class is \$40, which includes the series' book study set. Please contact Michelle Kruger (217-342-5477) or the parish office (217-347-7177) right away if you would like to join the class. Books will be ordered soon.

Next weekend, we welcome Father Andrew Mlele, a diocesan priest from the Archdiocese of Tabora-Tanzania in East Africa. Father Andrew will celebrate all 3 weekend Masses at Sacred Heart and will appeal to our congregation to help his diocese's efforts in Tabora. Their focus this year is on the education and protection of albinos, orphans, and children from poor families and improvements of water and sanitation.



The flowers by the tabernacle were donated by Carol Toney in memory of Dusty and Adele Rhodes. If you would like to donate flowers for an upcoming weekend, please contact Vicki Walker at 217-821-6179.

#### SACRED HEART CHURCH & SCHOOL CALENDAR

⊕ Parish Event ⊕ School Event

#### Sunday, July 20

⊕ Post-picnic Dinner and Meeting for picnic stand chairpeople & families in parish center 6:00pm

#### Monday July 21.

- ₱ Pray the Healing Rosary in church 9:00am
- ₱ Millions of Monicas Prayer Group in church 6:00pm

#### Tuesday, July 22

#### Wednesday, July 23

- ⊕ Deanery Prayer Vigil for Life
  - Rosary 6:00pm, Mass 6:30pm, Meeting 7:30pm

#### **SAVE THE DATE:**

August 3: Blood Drive in parish center

August 13: First Day of School, 2:00 Dismissal

August 17: Back to School Mass (10:30am)

with Potluck following in the parish center

<u>Prayer List:</u> Nicole Bishop, Bill Weis, Mary Jane Behrman, Maria Dolores Kingery, Karly Brummer, Tom Palmer, Alice Wines, Kenneth Kreke, Brenda Harris, Cody Strohl, Trevor Roy, Jaclyn Rhodes, Jeannie Funneman, Marge Denton, Cis Ozenkoski.

Names will be kept on our prayer list for 1 month and then removed. If you or your loved one would like to remain on the list for another month, simply call the parish office at 217-347-7177 and we will be happy to renew your name.  $\blacktriangledown$ 

Millions of mothers have watched their children abandon their Catholic faith in a chaotic, stressful, and struggling world. Join with other Catholic women to pray for our children's return to the practice of their Catholic Faith. Millions of Monicas meets on the 3rd Monday of each month at 6:00pm at Sacred Heart Church. The next meeting is Monday, July 21. All mothers are invited.



The Austin Luckett Memorial Golf Tournament will be held on Friday, August 8, 2025 at Cardinal Golf Course in Effingham. Registration and lunch will be at 11:00am with a shotgun start at

noon. If you would like to sponsor a hole, sponsor a team, or play in the tournament, call 217-857-1458 or email mkingery\_cceff@cc.dio.org. Proceeds go to Effingham Catholic Charities. Austin Luckett was a long-time devoted Sacred Heart parishioner and an avid supporter of Catholic Charities.

The 35th annual Family Camp is September 20-21, for those with intellectual and/or physical disabilities, along with their family and friends. Registration forms are available at www.sheff.org.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday, July 21

8:30am: †Bob Cohorst, †Warryn Miller

Tuesday, July 22 8:30am: †Clark Wise

Wednesday, July 23

8:30am: †Karlene Frese

Thursday, July 24

8:30am: †Fred Schaefer

Saturday, July 26

4:00pm: †Patricia Braun

Sunday, July 27

8:30am: For Our Parishioners

10:30am: †Nyal Palmer

5:00pm: La Misa en Español



Mid-life Singles: Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging? Register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend retreat at the Pallottine Renewal Center, Florissant, MO (30 min from downtown St. Louis), on August 15-17, 2025. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Cost is \$290 including meals.

For details, visit www.ReflectRetreat.com, e-mail reflect.stlouis@gmail.com, or call (630) 222-8303.



Sunday, July 13, 2025

Envelopes: \$ 9,655.04 <u>Loose Collection</u> \$ 972.00 Total: \$ 10,627.04

"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 4th Degree of assembly 0196 in Teutopolis is pleased to announce that there will be an exemplification on Sunday, September 7. The 4th Degree Knights is a Catholic men's organization that fosters patriotism and responsible citizenship. Sir knights can participate in honor or color guards at celebrations, funerals, and civic events. They also support veterans and seminarians preparing to become military chaplains. Everyone who is a 3rd Degree knights member and interested in becoming a sir knight is encouraged to contact the Faithful Navigator, Dan Dust, at 217-690-3124 or call the Faithful Scribe, Leon Gobczynski at 217-343-2112.

Everyone is welcome to attend the Deanery Prayer Vigil for Life to pray for the protection of all life at Sacred Heart Church in Effingham on Wednesday, July 23. Praying the rosary will begin at 6:00pm. Fr. Michal Rosa will be the celebrant for the 6:30pm Mass. The business meeting will follow in the church narthex. Refreshments will be served while current pro-life issues and events are discussed.





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