

Sixth Sunday of Easter May 22, 2022



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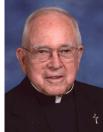
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Message from Fr. Michal . . .

Thank you to Fr. Michael Berndt and Msgr. David Hoefler for celebrating our weekend Masses. I will be back next weekend and look forward to sharing information about my trip and on the Ukraine relief efforts that Sacred Heart Parish supported with donations.





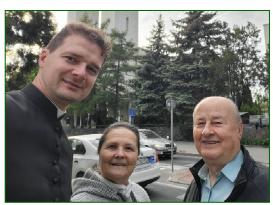
Fr. Carl Schmidt, a long-time Effingham retired priest, passed away on Thursday, May 12. His funeral was at the Cathedral in Springfield this past Friday with burial on Saturday at St. Anthony Cemetery. Fr. Carl was a very faithful friend who assisted at Sacred Heart with reconciliation, Masses, and attended many of our events. He will be dearly missed. May he rest in peace.

Please mark your calendar for Adoration on Monday, June 6, from 9:00am until 8:00pm. Sign-up sheets are in the church narthex or use the sign-up genius at signupgenius.com/go/904054faea723a0f58-adoration1.



The week before I left to visit my parents, there were many special events happening at Sacred Heart. It was wonderful celebrating our last school Mass for the year, our PSR closing Mass, Michael & Bali's wedding, and our SHS graduation Mass. To add to the excitement, our SHS scholar bowl team went to state along with several of our track team qualifying for state. And, I want to personally congratulate Ms. Vicki Niemerg on her retirement after 39 years at Sacred Heart School.

This weekend, I celebrate the 17th anniversary of my priest ordination. I appreciate your kindness and support and truly enjoy being your pastor.





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

Parish News



Picnic packets are available in alphabetical order in the church narthex. Please help by selling the raffle tickets and quilt chances to your family, friends, and co-workers. More tickets are available in the parish office.

Stand workers are needed! We have several openings in the various stands. Sign-up sheets will be in the church narthex or call the parish office at 217.347.7177 and your name will be forwarded to the stand chair.

Get creative with items for the Fancy Works stand. There are great ideas on pinterest for making homemade items, floral arrangements, decorative boxes, etc.

Mystery boxes are needed for the Fancy Works stand. Mystery boxes should be wrapped and marked with the gender, age group (i.e. 2-4 yr, 8+, teen), and cost (\$3.00 or less). If you have items you would like to donate and don't have time to wrap them, just drop them off in the box in the church narthex or at the parish office. Thank you!

We are in need of bottles of wine (between \$10-\$100 value) for the Wine Pull. Please drop them off at the church office before June 13. At the Wine Pull, a guest donates \$10 to select a cork that correlates to a specific bottle of wine on the display. The guest then gets to take home that bottle of wine. Special thanks to Village Wine & Spirits / Bonutti family for sponsoring our Wine Pull event! Wine can be purchased at Village Wine & Spirits with a special 10% discount, and they'll even hold your purchased wine! Call Christy Hakman at 217.821.5287 with questions or to arrange pickup.

Quilt tickets for a Cardinals quilt and a Cubs quilt for the Fancy Works stand are being sold after Masses and in the parish office. You can purchase a chance and have the choice of quilts to take a chance on to win.

Flea Market items can be dropped off at the maintenance building. Items that sell quickly are toys, knickknacks, glassware, books, jewelry, seasonal items, etc. No clothes, box televisions, or monitors. The Flea Market stand is needing paper jewelry display boxes.

Our online auction will go live at noon on Friday, June 10, until 10:00pm on Sunday, June 26.

Our annual Race to the Cross will be on Saturday, June 25! Registration forms are available in the church narthex on the counter under the television and also on the website www.sheff.org. Register by May 27 to receive a shirt.

Liturgical Ministers for May 28-29, 2022			
Ministry	4:00pm Mass	8:30am Mass	10:30am Mass
Sacristan	Carol Rohr Carol Toney	Bob & Laurel McIvor	Leon & Terri Hillyer
Lector	Madalynn Bond	Lou Viverito	Alex Ritz
ЕМНС	Joyce Stock Sandy Kreke	Bob McIvor George Wenthe	Derek Kruger Mary Pat Wood
Ushers	Dennis Carie Tony Hakman Jim Hecht Bob Utz	Mark Gibson Randy Haarmann Scott Mosher Gerald Will	Andy Hanfland Chuck Keller, Jr. Greg Koester Brett Wilson
Greeter	Needed	Jason Albert Family	Billi Jansen Family
Gift Bearers	Needed	Jason Albert Family	Billi Jansen Family
Servers	Asha W. Needed	Madeline G. / Olivia G. Logan M. /Philip G. Colton M. / Reuben J.	Miley W. / Brady W. Logan R. / Jack G.

School News

Parish News

The Sunday 8:30am Mass and weekday Masses are available on our YouTube page: "Sacred Heart Effingham".



Recently, we hosted liturgical ministry meetings. If you were unable to attend a workshop and would like to participate in a

ministry, please contact the following leaders or the parish office for more information.

The Ministry Leaders are . . .

Sacristans: Carol Toney Ph. 217.821.7607 Ph. 618.554.2997 Lectors: Cindy Goddard EMHC: Christy Hakman Ph. 217.821.5287 Ushers: Jerry Steppe Ph. 217.343.1042 Servers: Shauna Albert Ph. 217.821.1996 Gift Bearers: Church Office Ph. 217.347.7177 Greeters: Billi Jansen Ph. 217.347.7177

~ Prayer List ~

Britney (Walters) Chester, John William Miller, Fred Schaefer, Adam Wiedman



Sacred Heart Church Calendar

Tuesday, May 23

9:15am: Pray like Mary Study Group @ Church Narthex



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on Monday, May 30, at 9:30am, at St. Anthony Cemetery. In the event of rain,

Memorial Day Mass will be celebrated

Rest in Peace

Our sympathy to the family and friends of †Bernice E. Tucker

Sacred Heart Church Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm; Sunday: 8:30am and 10:30am 7:00pm (Misa en Español)



3:00pm on Saturday and 30 minutes prior to weekday Masses or by appointment

Mass will be at St. Anthony Church. Everyone is invited.



Zach Samples will celebrate his Ordination to the Priesthood Saturday, May 28, 2022, at 10:00am, at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Springfield, IL. If you are

unable to join in person, the Ordination Mass will be livestreamed at dio.org/live. God Bless!

Readings for the Week

Monday, May 23: Acts 16:11-15; Jn 15:26-16:4a

Tuesday, May 24: Acts 16:22-34; Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday, May 25: Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Jn 16:12-15

Thursday, May 26: Acts 18:1-8; Jn 16:16-20 Friday, May 27: Acts 18:9-18; Jn 16:20-23

Saturday, May 28: Acts 18:23-28; Jn 16:23b-28

Sunday, May 29: Acts 7:55-60; Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20; Jn 17:20-26; Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28;

10:19-23; Lk 24:46-53

Sacred Heart Mass Schedule

Monday, May 23 through May 27 No Weekday Masses

Saturday, May 28

4:00pm: †Mary K. Wiedman

Sunday, May 29

8:30am: †George Westjohn 10:30am: For Our Parishioners

7:00pm Spanish Mass: Special Intention

School Heart School Gr. 5-8 Academic Awards

National Anthem Sung By: Jr. High Girls

<u>American Legion Award</u>: The American Legion Award is a prestigious award given to 1 or 2 eighth grade students who have demonstrated leadership, academic excellence, courage, patriotism, respectfulness, honesty, and integrity. This year, the award goes to **Alec H.** and **Audrey L.**.

<u>Presidential Academic Award</u>: This award is given to each student in grades 6-8 who has been on the Honor Roll at least 3 quarters this school year and scored 95% or higher on the MAP Test in either Math, Reading, or Language Arts.

Grade 6: Isaac T.

Grade 7: Isabella K., Mara B.

Grade 8: Ronan B., Derek D., Audrey L.

<u>Honor Roll Award</u>: This award is given to students in grades 6-8 who were on the Honor Roll at least 3 quarters this school year. (Names in italics indicate High Honors all 3 quarters)

Grade 6: Jonathan B., Lucy C., Taylor F., Lena H., Freddie J., Joey L.,

Daegan M., Owen S., Isaac T., Nash W., Dom W.

Grade 7: Will A., Avery A., Mara B., Page B., Lena G., Elisabeth G., Isabella K,

Avery L., Kaylee S., Taylor T., Jude T., Jacob W., Brylee W.

Grade 8: Ronan B., Austin B., Derek D., Gracie H., Alec H., Noah J.,

Chloe K., Oliver K., Audrey L., Jack S., Bryar W., Michael W.



<u>Top Accelerated Reader Award</u>: The Top Accelerated Reader Award is given to the students with the highest number of Accelerated Reader points earned in their grade. Their overall test average has to be 85% or higher.

Grade 5: Logan R. with 675 Points
Grade 6: Lucy C. with 275 Points
Grade 7: Page B. with 452.4 Points
Grade 8: Gracie H. with 343.5 Points

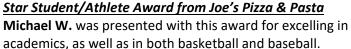
<u>Super Reader Award</u>: This award is the runner up for the Accelerated Reader Award and follows the same criteria.

Grade 5: Ethan P. with 212 Points
Grade 6: Jonathan B. with 222 Points
Grade 7: Elisabeth G. with 386.1 Points
Grade 8: Derek D. with 309.8 Points



Student Council

Members: Avery A., Mara B., Page B., Gracie H., Chloe K., Jack S., Taylor T.



(Athletic Awards will be in next week's bulletin)

Congratulations to the 2022 Sacred Heart School 8th grade graduates.



School Heart School Gr. 5-8 Academic Awards

Academic Awards:

The Academic Awards go to the student(s) with the highest average per subject in each grade.

RELIGION:

Grade 5: Cora B.
Grade 6: Isaac T.
Grade 7: Isabella K.
Grade 8: Audrey L.

MATH:

Grade 5: Cora B.
Grade 6: Isaac T.
Grade 7: Isabella K.
Grade 8: Audrey L.

SOCIAL STUDIES:

Grade 5: Cora B.
Grade 6: Isaac T.
Grade 7: Isabella K.
Grade 8: Ronan B.

SCIENCE:

Grade 5: Cora B.
Grade 6: Isaac T.
Grade 7: Isabella K.
Grade 8: Michael W.

TECHNOLOGY:

Grade 5: Ethan P. Grade 6: Nash W. Grade 7: Lena G.

Grade 8: Derek D. & Noah J.

BAND:

Director: Ms. Majors

Grade 5 Top Student: Cora B.
Grade 6 Top Student: Daegan M.
Grade 7 Top Student: Avery A.
Grade 8 Top Student: Ronan B.

Members: Avery A., Lydia A., Ronan B., Cora B., Jonathan B., Derek D., Lena G., Rory G., Madeline G., Mara G., Olivia G., Colt H., Brooklynn I., Freddie J., Nora J., Oliver K., Keaton K., Daegan M., Paige P., Daniel R., Juluis R., Kaylee S., Addy V., Michael W. **SPELLING:**

Grade 5: Cora B. & Rory G.

Grade 6: Owen S.
Grade 7: Isabella K.
Grade 8: Ronan B.

LITERATURE:

Grade 5: Cora B.

ENGLISH:

Grade 5: Cora B.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS:

Grade 6: Isaac T.
Grade 7: Isabella K.
Grade 8: Audrey L.

ART:

Grade 5: Ashlynn W.
Grade 6: Lena H.
Grade 7: Mara B.
Grade 8: Audrev L.

CHRISTIAN ATTITUDE:

Grade 5: Karter F.

MUSIC:

Grade 5: Keaton K.
Grade 6: Lena H.
Grade 7: Page B.
Grade 8: Oliver K.

Eighth Grade Virtue Awards

The following is a list of special virtues awarded to our graduating eighth graders based on character, scholarship, and service:

Ronan B.—Wisdom (St. Thomas Aquinas)

Austin B.—Gentleness (St. Frances de Sales)

Derek D.—Intelligence (St. Joseph of Cupertino)

Connor F.—Patience (St. Bonaventure) **Gracie H.**—Kindness (St. Veronica)

Alec H.—Positivity, Laughter, and Joy (St. Philip Neri) **Noah J.**—Honorable (St. Michael the Archangel)

Chloe K.—Brave and Courageous (St. Joan of Arc)

Oliver K.—Confident (St. Anthony of Padua)

Audrey L.—Creative & Imaginative (St. Catherine of Bologna) **Juluis R.**—Contemplative, Thoughtful (St. John of the Cross)

Jack S.—Enthusiasm (St. Peter)

Bryar W.—Hard-Working (St. Joseph)

Michael W.—Self-Discipline (St. Basil)

Sacred Heart School News

The Grade 2-4 Award Ceremony was held on Tuesday, May 17, in the school gym, with the following awards presented to the students:

Top Accelerated Reader Award:

This award is given to the students with the highest number of Accelerated Reader points earned in their grade. Their overall test average has to be 85% or higher.

Grade 2: **Grace G.** (63 points)
Grade 3: **Haylie R.** (332 points) and **Treyton S.** (329 points)
Grade 4: **Kaden P.** (259 points)

Super Reader Award:

This award is given to the runner(s) up for the

Accelerated Reader Award and follows the same criteria.

Grade 2: **Landon B.** (57 points) Grade 3: **Odyssia M.** (269 points) Grade 4: **Will M.** (234 points)

Music:

This award goes to the student who has excelled greatly in music class.

Grade 2: Jill M.

Grade 3: Korie-Lynn R.

Grade 4: Ava D.

Art:

This award goes to the student who has excelled greatly in art class.

Grade 2: Landon H. Grade 3: Haylie R. Grade 4: Margo C.

Saints in Training Awards:

The following students were recognized throughout the year for displaying saint-like qualities:

St. Augustine of Hippo: Ellie D., Odyssia M., Kaden P.

Perseverance & GRIT: Miles K., Lillian R.,

Logan M.

St. Joseph: Lincoln D., Bentley E.,

Reuben J.

Mary, Mother of God: Jill M., Korie-Lynn R.,

Ava D.

A note from Mrs. Angela Sheehan . . .

On behalf of the Sacred Heart School staff, I would like to take this time to thank all of our parents and parishioners for their support and partnership during this memorable school year. As we were able to slowly return to our Sacred Heart traditions, activities, and events, the fun and success just kept building! That Shamrock spirit was evident in a big way!

We are so grateful for your endless hours of volunteering, coaching, chaperoning, organizing, donating, and doing whatever was necessary to support our students and our outstanding school. Special thanks to our PTA and Booster Club who, as usual, went above and beyond the call of duty to provide whatever was necessary to add to our students' already rich school experience.

May God bless you with a safe enjoyable summer.

A note from Ms. Vicki Niemerg . . .

Thank you to everyone for all the wonderful well wishes you have extended to me on my retirement from teaching at Sacred Heart Parish School. Each of you have made my retirement a memorable occasion, the cards from all the school children, the kindness shown



to me by the Sacred Heart School teachers and staff, all the wonderful cards and words of kindness from past students, the school families, and Sacred Heart parishioners is truly heart-warming.

Thank you to those of you who planned the open house in my honor and to all those who came. It was truly humbling to see and visit with each of you. Your well wishes are greatly appreciated.

I am so very proud to be a part of the Sacred Heart School family. May God's blessings be upon each and every one of you always.



Congratulations to our Sacred Heart School track team who competed at state! Thank you to our coach Chuck Keller.

Juluis R. - 2nd place in 800 and 3rd place in 1600 Audrey L. - 8th place in 200

7th grade

Jude T. - 1st place in shot put and 1st place in discus
William H. - 3rd place in high jump and 6th place in 400
The 7th grade boys also claimed the 3rd place team trophy!

Community News



The Baby Bottle project is being hosted by the Family Life Center. Baby bottles are in the church narthex. Please take a bottle home, fill it with your loose change (or dollar

bills), and return it on Father's Day to the church.

Cassie Campton works locally with the Newman Ministry to help high school graduates get connected to



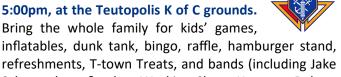
their college campus minister by using the Newman Students can download Newman Connect App! Connect on their iPhone or Android device and find their college campus ministry. For more information, contact Cassie at 866.815.2034, ext. 708.



St. Francis Church, Teutopolis, is presenting a FREE concert on Sunday, May 22, from 2:00pm to 3:00pm, in St. Francis Church. They are featuring some of their music ensembles, guitar group, children's & adult

choir, and the Brass ensemble. Everyone is invited to join them for an hour of uplifting music!

Teutopolis Knights of Columbus Picnic will be Friday, June 10, beginning at 5:00pm, at the Teutopolis K of C grounds.



inflatables, dunk tank, bingo, raffle, hamburger stand, refreshments, T-town Treats, and bands (including Jake Schumacher & the Working-Class Heroes, Dakota Danielle Band, and Flight Fifty).



Our Stewardship of Treasure

Sunday, May 15, 2022

\$ 7,645.00 Envelopes: Loose Collection: \$ 1,160.00 Total: \$ 8,805.00

"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



Catholic Times' Build a Church Lego Contest! - To celebrate the first year of the nationwide Eucharistic Revival starting in June, Catholic Times is hosting a free contest to see what young architect/builder can create the most impressive church from scratch out of Legos! Winners receive \$100! Go to dio.org/buildachurch for more information, the rules, and how to submit pictures of your creations. Sponsored by O'Shea Builders of Springfield. A great activity for the summer!





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