



SACRED HEART
Catholic Parish

**Thirty-Second Sunday
in Ordinary Time
November 10, 2024**



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*Lord God Almighty, as we are ever mindful of the cost paid
for the liberty we possess, we ask you to bless our veterans and
all who serve our nation defending our freedom.*

For those who bravely gave their lives, grant them eternal rest.

For those who are serving, give them courage.

For those who served, we offer our gratitude.

*For those who have been wounded, be it in body, mind, or soul,
may they experience your firm support, gentle love,
and compassionate healing.*

*We pray for all members of our armed forces - past, present and future -
that You grant them courage, hope, and strength.*

*Be their power and protector, leading them from darkness to light.
Amen.*

**The parish office closed will be closed
Monday, November 11 in recognition of Veteran's Day.**
We will reopen at 8:00am on Tuesday, November 12.

Sacred Heart Parish

**Ministry
Mixer**

**All adults who serve in a Mass
ministry are invited to a
Ministry Mixer on
Monday, November 25 at 6:00pm.**

The evening will consist of a short
meeting followed by a Mixer
in the narthex. The Ministry Mixer will include snacks, drinks,
games, and prizes! ALL ADULT ministries are invited!
Ushers, EMHC, Lectors, Music Ministry, Live-Streamers,
Sacristans, etc. Please join us for an evening of fellowship.

Also ~ if you would like to JOIN a Mass ministry,
please come and there will be signup sheets available.

*As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another
as good stewards of God's varied grace.*

(1 Peter 4:10)

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

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, Rick Manson, Sara Bernhard, Pat Stockman, Marilyn Langhorst, Bernard Will, Mary Jo Pemberton, Maria Dolores Kingery, Dennis Willenborg, Rob Grupe, Vicki Will, John Miller, Richard J. Feldhake, Cassie Worman

ADVENT ANGELS: On the Feast of St. Nicholas on December 6th, our Advent Angels will be delivering holiday gift bags to the homebound and those living in nursing and assisted living homes. If you would like to donate things to this program, you can drop items off to the parish office or place them in the basket in the narthex. Suitable items are soaps, lotions, air fresheners, socks, small religious statues, picture frames, or doilies. Please no candles or food. If you prefer to make a cash donation, place the donation in the weekend Mass collection and mark the envelope, "Advent Angels. Thank you in advance!"

SACRED HEART CHURCH & SCHOOL CALENDAR

✝ Parish Event ☺ School Event

Monday, November 11

- ✝ Parish Office Closed—Veteran’s Day
- ☺ No School—Veteran’s Day;
- ✝ Pray the Healing Rosary in the church 9:00am

Tuesday, November 12

- ✝ Study Group in church narthex 9:15am;
- ☺ Meyer Twins Art 3:00-5:00pm;
- ☺ Girls’ BB Home vs. Cumberland 6:00pm...
Eighth Grade Recognition Night
- ☺ Boys’ BB at Windsor 6:00pm

Wednesday, November 13

- ☺ Second Quarter Midterm;
- ✝ Parish Choir Practice 5:30pm;
- ✝ PSR Classes in Sacred Heart School 6:30pm

Thursday, November 14

- ☺ Girls’ BB at Effingham Jr High 6:00pm
- ☺ Boys’ BB Home vs. South Central 6:00pm
- ✝ Men’s Prayer Group in church narthex 7:00pm

Friday, November 15

- ☺ PTA Art & Talent Show 6:00pm

Saturday, November 16

- ☺ Girls’ BB Seventh Grade Regionals TBD
- ✝ Young Women’s Group (age 20s-40s) in narthex 7:30am



The flowers by the tabernacle were donated by Ed and Jane Kistner for the living and deceased members of the Frank and Mildred Wendt family. If you would like to donate flowers for a weekend in 2025, call Vicki Walker at 217-821-6179.

Mass intentions are \$10 and can be scheduled in the parish office Monday through Friday, from 8:00am to 4:30pm. Any questions or if you would like additional information, please call the parish office at 217-347-7177.

**Ladies of Sacred Heart,
YOU ARE INVITED**

To the Council of Catholic Women’s
Christmas Party

Tuesday, December 3, 2024 at 6:00pm in the
Parish Center; a catered meal will be provided.

Please bring an item for the Silent Auction
(baked goods, bread, candle, wine, craft item,
Christmas item, etc). All proceeds will go to a
Sacred Heart family in need, to make to
make their Christmas a little brighter.
HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

Sacred Heart Mass Schedule

- Monday, November 11**
8:30am: ✝Zita and ✝Lisa Reis, Cassie Worman
- Tuesday, November 12**
8:30am: ✝Patricia Fuesting
- Wednesday, November 13**
8:30am: Living and Deceased Members of the
✝Earl and ✝Jerry Vonderheide Family
- Thursday, November 14**
8:30am: ✝Angela Jansen
- Saturday, November 16**
4:00pm: Dave & Joyce Traub Wedding Anniversary
- Sunday, November 17**
8:30am: For Our Parishioners
10:30am: ✝Harry and ✝Susan Schmidt
7:00pm: La Misa en Español



Girls' Basketball Team

We invite you to join us Tuesday, November 12 as we recognize our eighth grade girls' basketball players and their parents! Game time is 6:00pm against Cumberland. The recognition ceremony will take place between the seventh and eighth grade games. This is our last home game of the season. We would love to pack the gym with Shamrock fans! All students wearing green will get free admission.

Special thanks to Dr. Mandy Bierman for coaching the girls.

Go Shamrocks!



New Scoreboards
We are so excited about our new score boards! They look great and are a beautiful addition to our school gym.

Special thanks to Jansen's Heating & Air and Washington Savings Bank for their donations which sponsored the scoreboards.



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There were many people who braved the cold and wet weather this week to join Fr. Michal at the cemetery to pray for plenary indulgences. Thank you to everyone who came to pray!



We are honored to continue our two beautiful November traditions: The Book of Remembrances and Jacob's Ladder

Jacob's Ladder is the colloquial name of a bridge between the earth and heaven that the biblical Patriarch Jacob dreamt about. Origin explains there are two ladders in the life of a Christian: the ladder we climb on earth to grow in virtue and the ladder we travel after death, climbing up to the heavens towards the light of God. Each November we set up our own 'Jacob's Ladder' and display photos of parishioners and friends/family of parishioners who have passed away in the past year. If you have a picture of a friend or family member who died this year, we encourage you to place it on the ladder where we all can keep the memory of your loved one alive in thought and prayer.

The Book of Remembrances, also known as the "Book of Life," gives us an opportunity to record the names of our deceased loved ones for the parish to remember in prayer during the month of November. It will be placed near the Jacob's ladder in the church. We invite you to take some prayer time, approach the book, and write the names of family and friends who have died since November of 2023. During November, at all the Masses, we will pray for those "whose names are recorded in our Book of Remembrances." For those we have loved in life will remain in our hearts forever.



Congratulations to Bob Utz for being inducted into the Knights of Columbus Hall of Fame last weekend! Bob was recognized for many years of extensive work and dedication with the Knights of Columbus. Bob is shown here with Bishop Thomas John Paprocki and Lloyd Reinkensmeier, the Knights of Columbus State Secretary.

Bob and his wife, Tammy, are both lifelong Sacred Heart Parishioners and Sacred Heart School alumni. Their four daughters: Jaclyn, Casey, Kourtney, and Kelli, are also SHS alumni. In addition to Bob's work with the Knights of Columbus, he and Tammy are both very active in our parish and school.

#OnceAShamrockAlwaysAShamrock
#OurShamrockFamily



Effingham Knights of Columbus Council 665 will hold their annual Memorial Mass at Sacred Heart Church, Effingham, on Wednesday, November 20, at 6:30pm. Seventeen Brother Knights who have died in the past year will be remembered. Mass will be concelebrated by Chaplain Rev. James Flach and Rev. Michal Rosa. Families and friends of the deceased as well as all Council Brothers are encouraged to pray for them. The Mass will be livestreamed on YouTube at "Sacred Heart Effingham" for those who cannot attend in person. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the church narthex.

The Youth Group at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Shumway is hosting a fall breakfast on Sunday, November 10 from 7:00-11:00am at the Shumway Kluthe Building (199 Front St.). Menu is pancakes, sausage, fruit, and sweet breads. The cost is a free will donation. Proceeds will benefit the youth group trip to the 2025 National Catholic Youth Conference.

On Thanksgiving Day (November 28), FISH will offer a FREE meal to all of Effingham County and their families. A congregate meal will be held at 12:30pm at Cornerstone Christian Church (3600 N. Banker). Curbside pickup is available from 11:00am to Noon at the church. Meal delivery is available also. Call 217-821-4387 before November 21 to reserve meals. Donations are always greatly appreciated and can be sent to: FISH at P.O. Box 473, Effingham, IL 62401.

Upcoming Natural Family Planning Classes:

Saturday, December 14

8:00-9:30am at St. Francis Church in Teutopolis

Saturday, February 15

9:30-11:00am virtual class on WebEx

To register, please call, text, or email Kate Pruemmer, CFCP at 217-821-1840 or kpruemmer@gmail.com.

SCRIP cards are great for the holidays! They can be given as gifts or used to make every day purchases. Purchase SCRIP cards in the narthex after Masses, in the church office, or online at www.raiseright.com/shop. Questions, email shscrip@sheff.org, or call 217-347-7177.

Our Stewardship of Treasure

Sunday, November 3, 2024

Envelopes:	\$ 14,831.00
Loose Collection:	\$ 1,626.00
Total:	\$ 16,457.00

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Thank you for sharing your "Treasure" with Sacred Heart Parish

Effingham Catholic Young Adults

NOV. 12TH @7PM

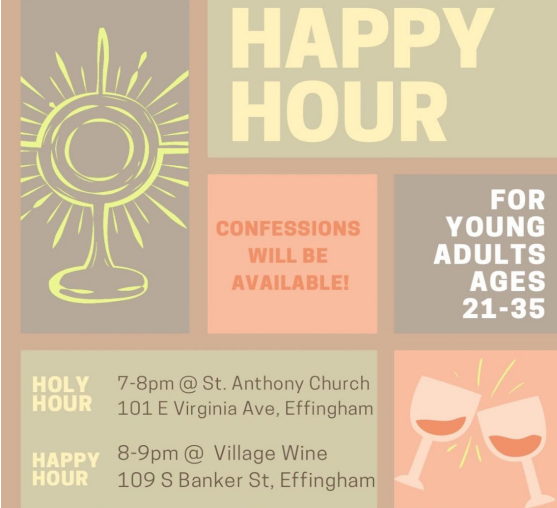
HOLY HOUR HAPPY HOUR

CONFESSIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE!

FOR YOUNG ADULTS AGES 21-35

HOLY HOUR 7-8pm @ St. Anthony Church
101 E Virginia Ave, Effingham

HAPPY HOUR 8-9pm @ Village Wine
109 S Banker St, Effingham




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