Welcome!



Catholic Parish & School



Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time - September 7, 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 We will have Eucharistic Adoration on Monday, September 8, in the church. We hope you can join us for this special time of prayer! Adoration will be held from 9:00am-8:00pm with Reconciliation from 7:00-8:00pm.

Special Note: During the school year, our school classes will be coming to Adoration at various times throughout the day. This is a great opportunity for prayer and spiritual growth for our young people, just like it is for adults! Please note that the students may pray quietly or the teachers may share short instructional lessons/instructions while they are there (how to pray at Adoration, what Adoration means, etc). We encourage and invite all parishioners to continue to sign up and come to Adoration when you can... just be aware that you might see/hear students there learning and growing in faith alongside you. 😊 🕆



This past Wednesday was our first PSR Family Night of the year. It was a great night of faith! We had approximately 80 people in attendance. The group listened to a presentation about Mass ministries, what they mean, and why it is

important to be part of a Mass ministry. The hour concluded with "Ask Fr. Michal" and the students had an open forum to ask questions.



Our Symbolon OCIA classes begin this Sunday, September 7, following 10:30am Mass. OCIA stands for Order of Christian Initiation for Adults. Please keep the

class attendees in your prayers as they embark on this faith journey. If you would like to enhance your own faith life, or if you know of anyone who would like to become Catholic, please talk with Father Michal ASAP to join the class. They will meet weekly after Sunday 10:30am Masses.

All teens in 9th-12th grades are invited to our new E.T.C. group which starts this Wednesday, September 10! They will meet on Wednesdays at 7:00pm in the lower level of Sacred Heart Church. Check out the insert in this bulletin for more details!



The flowers by the tabernacle were donated by Hal and Penny Wiedman in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary. If you would like to donate flowers for an upcoming weekend, please contact Vicki Walker at 217-821-6179.

* * * <u>Congratulations!</u> * * *

Happy 50th Anniversary to Hal and Penny Wiedman!

Happy 40th Anniversary to Mike & Cyn Depoister!

Rosary Making Group: Please join us to make rosaries for the missions! We will meet in the narthex on Saturday, September 13, from 9:00-10:30am. It's easy to learn and a fun way to spread devotion to the rosary. Everyone is welcome.

SACRED HEART CHURCH & SCHOOL CALENDAR

⊕ Parish Event

□ School Event

Monday, September 8-Friday, September 12

© Grades 2-5 MAP Testing

Monday, September 8

- ₱ Pray the Healing Rosary in church 9:00am
- ⊕ Eucharistic Adoration in church 9:00am-8:00pm
- © Baseball Home vs. Sigel 4:30pm
- ⊕ Cemetery Board Meeting 5:30pm
- ₱ Reconciliation 7:00pm-8:00pm

Tuesday, September 9

- ⊕ Study Group in church narthex 9:15am
- © Meyer Twins Art 3:00-5:00pm
- © Baseball Home vs. CHBC 4:30pm

Wednesday, September 10

- ₱ Pray the Flame of Love Rosary in church 3:30pm
- ₱ PSR Classes at Sacred Heart School 6:30pm
- ⊕ E.T.C. Effingham Teen Catholics Group in church lower level 7:00pm

Thursday. September 11

- © Baseball Regionals
- ⊕ Men's Prayer Group in church narthex 7:00pm

Friday, September 12

© First Quarter Midterm

Saturday, September 13

₱ Rosary Making in narthex 9:00-10:30am

----- <u>SAVE THE DATE</u> ------

September 15: One Year Celebration for Millions of Monicas 6:00pm

March 14, 2026: St. Pat's Bash

We are Hiring

School Custodian

- Primary job function is to clean the school
- Position is year-round and can be full-or part-time
 - Afternoon/evening hours
- If full-time, benefits include paid vacation & sick days, health insurance, and pension

Volleyball Coach

- Part-time
- Must be at least 18 years old
- Must have fundamental knowledge of volleyball
 - Prior experience preferred but not required



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Submit letter of interest & resume to:

Sacred Heart School Attn: Mrs. Charlotte Habing 407 S. Henrietta St., Effingham, IL 62401 or email: c.habing@sheff.org

<u>Prayer List:</u> Nicole Bishop, Bill Weis, Mary Jane Behrman, Maria Dolores Kingery, Karly Brummer, Tom Palmer, Alice Wines, Brenda Harris, Trevor Roy, Marge Denton, Cis Ozenkoski, Bill Hardiek, Bob Hille, Carol Perkins, Doris Sieler, Cheryl Rentfrow.

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. ♥

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, September 8

8:30am: †Susan Schmidt, Special Intention

Tuesday, September 9

8:30am: Poor Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, September 10

8:30am: †Carol Rohr

Thursday, September 11

8:30am: †Simon Michael Tays

Saturday, September 13

4:00pm: †Marilyn, †Jack, & †Jim Michaelree

Sunday, September 14

8:30am: †Jane Wernsing

10:30am: For Our Parishioners **5:00pm:** La Misa en Español

f Effingham Catholic Young Adults





7pm @ St. Anthony 101 E Virginia Ave, Effingham 8pm @ Orchard Inn 800 N 3rd St, Effingham





The Family Life Center will host its annual Vision Dinner on Thursday, September 11. Seating begins at 6:30pm with dinner and program from 7:00-9:15pm. The meal is free, but all attendees are asked to make a

donation to the Family Life Center. We would love to have a table or two of Sacred Heart parishioners to attend this event. If you would like to come, please contact Cindy Goddard or the parish office to RSVP.

Our Stewardship of Treasure

Sunday, August 31, 2025

Envelopes: 14,421.25 **Loose Collection** 1,385.00 Total: 15,806.25

> "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

Come hear Catholic comedian and radio host, Josh Harris, LIVE at the T-Town KC Hall on Thursday, September 25. Doors open at 6:00pm with a \$10 entry fee. The opening act is oldies band, Solid Gold, performing from 6:00-7:45pm. Josh Harris will perform from 8:00-9:15pm. Event sponsored by Knights of Columbus.

A first-class relic of Saint Charbel is being brought to the USA for the first time, directly from Lebanon. It will be at the Sanctuary of the Sorrowful Mother (318 N. 8th, Vandalia, IL) on October 7th and 8th. Mass will be held at 5:00pm each day. Doors will open at 4:00pm and Veneration will be held following Mass until 8:00pm. Don't miss this chance for prayer, hope, and miracles! There will also be first-class relics of Blessed Anna Marie Taigi, Blood of Padre Pio, Fr. Peter Rookey's Cross with a piece of the true Cross, St. Andre Bessette, the 3 Fatima children, and Carlo Acutis. Questions, contact keckvanessa7@gmail.com or visit OSMM.org.





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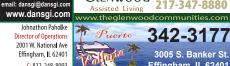
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Starting this Wednesday, September 10! ----

E.T.C.

Effingham Teen Catholics



Open to all teens in 9th through 12th grades

Meeting on Wednesdays (beginning Sept, 10, 2025)

7:00pm in the lower level of Sacred Heart Church (enter through parish office)

Join us for an evening of fellowship, lesson via the "SYMBOLON FOR TEENS" program, games, and PIZZA. Program led by Jonathon & Liz Rodgers



Sacred Heart of Jesus, pray for us.

