

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord – Sunday, April 9, 2017
MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, Apr 10
6:00 p.m.

Oconee –Sharon Fitzpatrick

Tuesday, Apr 11
8:00 a.m.

Rosemary Voudrie
By Bill & Kathi Beyers

9:30 a.m. – Heritage Health

Catherine Scherzer
By Bill & Kathi Beyers

Wednesday, Apr 12
8:00 a.m.

Phyllis Holthaus
By Jack & Doris Nollman

Thursday, Apr 13
Mass of the Lord's Supper
6:00 p.m.

Clara Borgic
By Rick & Amanda Lehn

Friday, April 14 – Service
Passion of the Lord
6:00 p.m.

Saturday, Apr 15
Easter vigil
8:45 p.m.

Mike Pastor
By Dennis & Vicki Pastor

Sunday, Apr 16
Easter - Resurrection of the Lord
7:30 a.m.

Oconee –Catharine Beyers

9:00 a.m.

James “Zip” Dudra
By Rhoda Dudra

10:30 a.m.

Parishioners

SERVERS

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| Tues & Wed. | 8:00 a.m. | Lydia McFarland & Delaney Epley |
| Thursday | 6:00 p.m. | Alivia Reed & Sam Holthaus |
| Friday | 6:00 p.m. | Sydney Maton & Zachary Maton |
| Saturday | 8:45 p.m. | Sam Nollman & Cole Nollman |
| Sunday | 9:00 a.m. | Elizabeth Epley & Madyson Butkauskas |
| | 10:30 a.m. | Alivia Reed & Sam Holthaus |

GIFT BEARERS

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| Saturday | 8:45 p.m. | Pastor Family |
| Sunday | 9:00 a.m. | Rhoda Dudra Family |
| | 10:30 a.m. | Volunteers |

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Commentators

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| Sunday | 9:00 a.m. | Chris Butkauskas |
| | 10:30 a.m. | Vacant |

Extraordinary Ministers

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| Thursday | 6:00 p.m. | Kevin Duez, Cindy Duez, Kayla Duez |
| Friday | 6:00 p.m. | Georgeann Henschen |
| Saturday | 8:45 p.m. | Leland Schmitz, Melvin Green, Marie Weddle, Lucy Weddle |
| Sunday | 9:00 a.m. | Chris Butkauskas, Marty Cerven, Eric McMillen |
| | 10:30 a.m. | Derek McFarland, Nancy Michael, Gina Kuhn |

Lectors

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| Thursday | 6:00 p.m. | Kevin Duez |
| Friday | 6:00 p.m. | Tom Latonis (Narrator), Phil Begole (Voice) |
| Saturday | 8:45 p.m. | Dick Moss |
| Sunday | 9:00 a.m. | Eric Schafer |
| | 10:30 a.m. | Gracie McFarland |

HOMEBOUND

Barb Kook

NOTICE

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO BE A GIFT BEARER, EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER, LECTOR, HOMEBOUND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OR SERVER AT YOUR ASSIGNED TIME, PLEASE GET A REPLACEMENT.

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

SWENNY'S FAMILY CHIROPRACTIC

On the back page of our bulletin is a suggested Business Directory. Please consider these businesses for their products or services. Because of them, this bulletin is cost-free to the Parish. When you patronize one of them, tell them you saw their ad on our bulletin.

Weekly Contributions

April 1, 2017 – April 2, 2017

We Need \$6,500 Each Week

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| Regular | \$6,673.00 |
| School Fund | \$480.00 |
| Needy | \$51.00 |
| Major Repairs | \$521.00 |
| Easter | \$35.00 |
| Easter Flowers | \$120.00 |
| Catholic Home Missions | \$5.00 |
| Buildings & Grounds | \$70.00 |
| Holy Thursday | \$5.00 |
| Good Friday | \$5.00 |
| Seminarians | \$5.00 |
| Loose | \$463.00 |

CALENDAR WINNERS

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| 4/3 | Ron & Jodi Smith | Oconee, IL | \$25 |
| 4/4 | Zach & Blair Angel | Pana, IL | \$25 |
| 4/5 | Bonnie Miller | Pana, IL | \$25 |
| 4/6 | Amanda Cunningham | Ramsey, IL | \$25 |
| 4/7 | Brad & Gina Kuhn | Pana, IL | \$25 |
| 4/8 | Rosalie McLeod | Pana, IL | \$25 |
| 4/9 | Rosemary Horsthemke | Pana, IL | \$75 |

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary Candle, *the Eternal Light*, will be lit the week of April 9 for Raymond Ruhl by Bill & Rosie Parkinson.

MEETINGS

R.C.I.A. –Monday, April 10 at 7:00 p.m., Rectory Basement.

P.S.R. –Wednesday, April 12 with Grades K-6 from 3:30-4:30 p.m. and Grades 7-8 from 7:00-8:00 p.m., Parish Hall.

PANA MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION LENTEN LUNCH-TIME SERVICES Wednesdays from Noon – 1:00 P.M.

Join together with other believers during Lent and find a place at the table of grace with Christ Jesus our Lord.

Date Location/Host Church

Apr. 12 United in Faith – 609 Fairgrounds Road

A FREE WILL offering will take place during these services. Money donated will benefit the “Servants Fund” which have both been blessing many people in our community in multiple ways.

SACRED HEART SCHOOL PRE-SCHOOL REGISTRATION FOR 2017-2018

Sacred Heart Pre-School registration will be held on Thursday, April 20th from 8:30-3:30 and Friday, April 21st from 8:30-3:30. Please go to the parish office (562-5396) first to see Chrisy for tuition, then come to the school office (562-2425) and register with Teresa.

Please bring the following to the school office if you have them, if not please bring by the first day of school:

1. Copy of birth certificate
2. Physical
3. Copy if immunizations
4. Copy of lead screening

If your child was in our Pre-School program last year, the school office has the above forms on file, and you do not need to bring them again. **Any parents can download the registration forms for new and returning students at www.shspana.com.** If you have any questions, please call Teresa at the school office 562-2425.

NOTICE
CEMETERY RULES & REGULATIONS

Ground decorations, when allowed, shall be in unbreakable and shatterproof containers. The use of wire to secure decorations of any kind will not be permitted.

YEARLY SCHEDULE OF GRAVE DECORATIONS

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| April 1 thru April 30 | No Ground Decorations Permitted |
| May 1 thru June 15 | Decorations Permitted For Memorial Day |
| June 16 thru October 1 | No Ground Decorations Permitted |
| October 2 thru March 31 | Ground Decorations Permitted |

The planting of trees, shrubs and flowers shall not be permitted. The use of stone and decorative edging will not be allowed. The use of statues and votive candles is discouraged. The use of temporary grave markers will not be allowed, or any grave marker made of wood, steel or other materials that have a short life span.

THE RULES AND REGULATIONS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED SO ANY GROUND DECORATIONS THAT ARE NOT REMOVED WILL BE DISCARDED.

LOAVES & FISHES FOOD PANTRY

The Loaves & Fishes Food Pantry will be collecting food and nonperishable items **EVERY** Saturday and Sunday. Baskets will be left in the vestibule of the Church for your convenience. Please remember those who have very little. One canned good/item from each family one weekend a month can make a difference. Food Pantry is open on Mondays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and Fridays 3:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Next working day is Friday, April 28th.

ENCOUNTER OUR NEIGHBORS

We encounter Jesus this week in Jerusalem, a community he knew well. We prayerfully enter into our own communities too, encountering those who are hungry and thirsty, and others who need our help. How does our Lenten journey motivate us to serve those we meet in our daily lives? Visit csrricebowl.org for more.

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN CLASS

A Protecting God's Children class will be held on Sunday, April 23rd at 6:00 p.m. in the Sacred Heart School 8th grade classroom. Please call the parish office at 562-5396 to register for the class.

ACSA 2016-17 UPDATE

Our goal for the current Annual Catholic Services Appeal (ACSA) is \$29,462. To date 134 families have generously donated \$21,668.70. That leaves \$7,793.30 yet unpaid. If the remaining 316 families were to pay \$25 each, our goal would be achieved. Please consider donating!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

With the St. Patrick Church CCW group recently dissolved, and some of the women no longer able to help with the services they provided to the Church, we are in need of volunteers for Labor of Love. This service provides the washing and ironing of the linens used at the church Mass. Right now, we only have 5 women, each one taking their turn every 5 weeks. It is not a huge task, but a necessary one. The more volunteers we have, less time will be required of each one. Please call the church office at 562-5396 if you can help.

PARISH OFFICE NOTICE

The parish office will be closed Thursday, April 13-Monday, April 17 for Easter break. Happy Easter!

BAPTISMAL SESSIONS

According to Canon Law, parents are asked to attend a Baptismal Session prior to their child's Baptism. We at St. Patrick's offer parents the opportunity to attend a Baptismal preparation session six times throughout the year. **If you are expecting a child and anticipate Baptism, you are urged to attend a session as soon as possible. There is no need to wait until the child is born.** Please call the parish office at 562-5396 to register and attend a session that is most convenient for you. **ALL SESSIONS ARE HELD IN THE RECTORY BASEMENT, Immediately** after the 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass on the appointed date. The schedule for the next sessions will be **Sunday, May 21, 2017.** **REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED AND MUST BE DONE NO LATER THAN THE FRIDAY BEFORE THE CLASS.** If no one registers for a class then that class will be cancelled.

CONGRATULATIONS

We wish to congratulate Ashley Florey for buying the winning ticket for the Cardinals/Cubs Raffle. The auction was once again a huge success this year. Thank you to all who attended and supported this fundraiser for the benefit of Sacred Heart School.

HORSESHOE DINNER

Nokomis K of C is sponsoring their 2nd Annual Horseshoe Dinner on Saturday, April 22nd at the St. Louis Parish Center. Menu includes hamburger horseshoe or hamburger and fries, brownies, and lemonade or coffee. Serving is from 4:00 – 7:00 p.m. A 50-50 drawing will be held as well. A free will donation will be accepted.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER BELLEVILLE/SPRINGFIELD ENCOUNTER

“The Lord God is my help, therefore I am not disgraced.” Enjoy the help of God in making your good marriage better by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on April 21-23, 2017. To register or for more information call 314-649-7317 or go online to www.stl-wwwme.org.