

**21<sup>st</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time – Sunday, August 27, 2017**  
**Mass Intentions**

**Monday, Aug 28**  
**6:00 p.m.**

Oconee – Greg Holthaus

**Tuesday, Aug 29**  
**8:00 a.m.**

Frank Roth  
By Rita Roth

**Wednesday, Aug 30**  
**8:00 a.m.**

John Fitzpatrick  
By Rosemary Horsthemke

**Thursday, Aug 31**  
**8:00 a.m.**

Frances Baga  
By Gilbert Baga

**Saturday, Sept. 2**  
**4:00 p.m.**

Riley, Sarver, Vandenberg, &  
Weddle Families  
By Family

**Sunday, Sept. 3**  
**7:30 a.m.**

Oconee – Randy Sims

**9:00 a.m.**

Phyllis Holthaus  
By Ruth Vail

**10:30 a.m.**

Parishioners

**SERVERS**

**Tues. – Thurs. 8:00 a.m.**  
**Saturday 4:00 p.m.**  
**Sunday 9:00 a.m.**  
**10:30 a.m.**

Max Lynch & Sam Holthaus  
Zachary Maton & Monte Weddle  
Cole Nollman & Lane Funneman  
Colin Schmitz & Brenden Schoonover

## **GIFT BEARERS**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	Sarver Family
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Volunteers
	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	Glick Family

## **MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

### **Commentators**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	Tom Latonis
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Chuck Decker
	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	Phil Begole

### **Extraordinary Ministers**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	Tom Latonis, Naomi Gorenz, Marie Weddle
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Dave LeDuc, Eric McMillen, James LaMarche
	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	Tom Cross, Ann Cross, Gina Kuhn

### **Lectors**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	Dick Moss
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Eric Schafer
	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	Regina Hilbert

## **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**

**DR. JOSEPH T. MARCIN**

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**  
**Aug 19, 2017 – Aug 20, 2017**  
**We Need \$6,500 Each Week**

Regular	\$6,226.00
School Fund	\$100.00
Needy	\$65.00
Parish Major Repairs	\$5.00
Building & Grounds	\$35.00
Assumption of Mary	\$902.00
Loose	\$425.75

**CALENDAR WINNERS**

8/21	Bob & Delores Schafer	Pana, IL	\$25
8/22	Lisa Budds	Pana, IL	\$25
8/23	Tiffany Ashcraft	Pana, IL	\$25
8/24	Jacob Hubbart	Pana, IL	\$25
8/25	Rosemary Horsthemke	Pana, IL	\$25
8/26	Sean Nashland	Springfield, IL	\$25
8/27	Roger Ryan	Taylorville, IL	\$75

**SANCTUARY CANDLE**

**The Sanctuary Candle**, *the Eternal Light*, will be lit the week of August 27<sup>th</sup>  
For John Beyers by Tom & Amy Funneman.

**BAPTISMS**

Baptized in Christ: We welcome into the Family of St. Patrick's Parish and the Universal Church, Abileene Christine Clavin, daughter of Joseph & Brittany Clavin, who was Baptized August 20. May her life as a Catholic be richly blessed by God.

**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, September 8.

## **BAPTISMAL SESSIONS**

The next Pre-baptismal session is set for Sunday, September 17 immediately following the 10:30 Mass in the RECTORY BASEMENT. These sessions are required by Canon law for all parents wishing to have a child baptized. Registration is required, so please call the parish office 217-562-5396 to sign up no later than Friday, September 15.

Who is Jesus? There is Gospel discussion today on who the Messiah is. Peter finally says: Jesus, it is you; “you are the Christ, the Son of the Living God.” Jesus responds: You are right. Now, don’t tell! Really? Keep it quiet? It was true then because Jesus was still on route to his destiny in Jerusalem. But today we are post-death-and-resurrection people. We not only know who Jesus is, we can now tell others about him.

- Who do I say Jesus is?
- How is Jesus important for my life?
- Who will I tell? How will I do it?

## **R.C.I.A**

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process whereby an adult becomes a full, participating member of the Catholic Church. We have begun planning for our fall class. It is open to any unbaptized person, those who have been baptized in another faith, or those baptized Catholic but never received further training or sacraments. It is also open to those who wish to learn more about the Catholic faith, whether Catholic or not. Our RCIA process will begin September 11, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. in the rectory basement. If you or someone you know is interested in learning about the Faith, please call the parish office to register. Everyone is welcome!

## **SUNDAY BRUNCH FOR SHS**

A Sunday Brunch will be held August 27, 2017 at Mulligan’s Restaurant at Oak Terrace from 10:45 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Cost is \$10.95 Adults, \$5.95 kids 6-12, kids under 5 free. Reservations are preferred – please call 800-577-7598. A portion of the proceeds will benefit Sacred Heart School!

## **MAX DOLLARS FOR EDUCATION**

Help SHS earn Max Dollars by using your Max Card each time you shop at County market from August 1 – December 31, 2017. Registration forms are available in the school or church office. Fill out and return to the School or Church office, church collection basket, or County Market. The maximum amount, \$5,000, was earned last year through this program. We have that same opportunity again this year to raise funds for Sacred Heart School.

## **NATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE**

A memorial service will be held in Springfield in conjunction with the National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children on September 9, 2017 from 10-11:00 a.m. in front of Planned Parenthood, 601 Bruns Lane, Springfield. 100 crosses will be placed in stands on city property between the sidewalk and street in front of Planned Parenthood in remembrance of the 100 children killed every hour in this country by abortion. Please join us. Bottled water will be provided. You may bring lawn chairs if you'd like. For more information, call Terri at 217-685-3413, or e-mail her at [teverett62@hotmail.com](mailto:teverett62@hotmail.com).

## **PSR REGISTRATION**

The **first day of classes** for PSR will be on Wednesday, September 6. Kindergarten - 6<sup>th</sup> grade will meet in the Parish Hall from 3:30-4:30 p.m., and 7<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade classes will meet in the Parish Hall from 7:00-8:00 p.m. **Registration** will be on the first day of class beginning one half hour prior to the start of classes. If you are unable to come at that time, a form will be sent home with your student(s). Form will also be available online at the St. Patrick's website, [www.shspana.com](http://www.shspana.com). Our parish generously supports our PSR program. The parish purchases textbooks, supplies, provides photocopies, etc. We ask that parents also contribute to the cost of religious education for their children. At this time our tuition is \$25/student. This is about enough to cover the cost of 1 textbook. Please make checks payable to St. Patrick's. All checks are turned in to the Parish Office. If you are unable to pay or need extra time, please contact Cindy Duez to make arrangements.

### **SPY**

SPY will have their first meeting Wednesday, September 6 from 6:45-8:00 p.m. at the Parish Hall. Pizza will be served. Future meetings will continue on Wednesdays at the same time and place.

### **WORLWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**

#### **Belleville/Springfield**

Help discover the keys to your marriage by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. The next weekend is on September 22-24, 2017. To register or for more information call 314-649-7317 or go online to [www.stl-wwme.org](http://www.stl-wwme.org).

### **SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION**

Ballots will be available in the pews on September 16-17. Please fill out and put in the collection baskets. Only registered, adult parishioners allowed to vote. No mail-in ballots will be accepted. Non-parishioner school families will vote through the school office. Look for candidates' biographies in next week's bulletin.

### **VIRDEN FRIED CHICKEN DINNER**

Sacred Heart Church in Virden will be holding its 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Fried Chicken Dinner on Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m. at the K of C Hall at 1320 N. Dye St. in Virden. Menu: fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, applesauce, slaw, rolls, homemade dessert, and a beverage. Adults and carry-outs \$10, children 5-12 years \$5, and children 4 years and under, free. A 50/50 drawing held at 2:00 p.m. Holy Mass at 10:15 a.m. at Sacred Heart Church. We are renovating our 100-year-old church building – come and see our progress and plans!

**NOTICE**

The Church Office will be closed Monday, September 4<sup>th</sup> for Labor Day. Have a safe weekend!

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