20th Sunday in Ordinary Time, August 18, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, August 20 – St. Bernard

8:30 a.m. Hickory Estates – + Phil Begole

by Robert & Laura Schmitz

6:00 p.m. Oconee – + Margaret & Charles

Schmitz

Wednesday, August 21 – St. Pius X

8:00 a.m. + Sandy Spinner

by Sue & Cheryl Oller

Thursday, August 22 – The Queenship of Mary

8:00 a.m. + Bob Zueck

by Greg & Janeen Gruber

Friday, August 23 – St. Rose of Lima

8:00 a.m. + Wilma Stuller-Motes

Saturday, August 24 – Vigil of the XXI Sun. in Ord. Time 2:45-3:25 p.m. Confession

4:00 p.m. Deceased Members of the Kook &

Munie Families

Sunday, August 25 – XXI Sun. in Ord. Time

7:30 a.m. Oconee – + Audrey & Ralph

Chamberlain

9:30 a.m. + Bob Schafer

by Dean & Vicki Burrus

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

August 24-25

SERVERS

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Ethan Lehn

Sunday 9:30 a.m. Cash Lynch, Cash Pollman

August 24-25

Extraordinary Ministers

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Dennis Pastor Sunday 9:30 a.m. Marty Cerven

August 24-25

Lectors

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Tynlee Lehn Sunday 9:30 a.m. Rye Bliler

August 24-25

Security Schedule

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Greg Gruber, Gary Henigman

Sunday 9:30 a.m. Eric McMillen, Shannen Schoonover, Eric

Holthaus

NOTICE

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

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

CHERYL SWENNY & ASSOC. COUNSELING CENTER

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. 10 - Aug. 11 We Need \$10,363 Each Week

Church Operations

| Regular | \$4,786.50 |
|---------------------------|------------|
| Buildings & Grounds | \$55.00 |
| Major Repairs | \$145.00 |
| Assumption of Mary | \$90.00 |
| Loose | \$447.00 |
| School (Church's Support) | \$2,259.00 |
| Needy | \$140.00 |
| Cemetery | \$30.00 |

LOAVES & FISHES FOOD PANTRY

Please continue to support our local food pantry, Loaves & Fishes. Donations of food and nonperishable items may be dropped off in baskets located in the church vestibule. 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.-12:00 noon and Fridays 3:00-5:30 p.m. St. Pat's next working

days are Monday, September 9th & 30th. If anyone is interested in helping out on our designated days, please call the parish office at 217-562-5396.

"Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him." John 6:56

This line from Scripture is what ultimately separates Catholics from our Protestant brothers and sisters. Jesus is really present in the bread and wine that are consecrated at Holy Mass. It is His actual body and blood that we consume. This is the greatest gift that we can receive. The Eucharist shows us how great of love that Jesus has for each of us.

BAPTISMAL SESSION

The next Pre-baptismal session is set for Sunday, November 17 immediately following the 9:30 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.

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary Candle, *the Eternal Light*, will be lit the week of August 18 for Jim Kinderman by Family.

2024-2025 ADOPT-A-CLASS NEWS

Sacred Heart School is looking for Sponsors for the Adopt-A-Class program. If you would be interested in sponsoring a class, call the school office at 217-562-2425. Cost is \$600.

| Pre-K | . Janet Dahler and Lila Stumpf |
|-----------------------|--|
| Kindergarten | . Dennis & Vicki Pastor |
| 1st Grade | . McMillen Builders |
| 2 nd Grade | . Nancy Brachbill |
| 3 rd Grade | . Rick & Kathy Vits and Connie & Scott Fribley |
| 4 th Grade | |
| 5 th Grade | . Mark & Lori Magnussen |
| 6 th Grade | . Fitzpatrick Farms |

| 7 th Grade | . Liz Jackson |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------|
| 8 th Grade | . Pete & Diane Scherzer |
| Technology | . Jacob Latonis |
| Art Class | . Brett & Beth Henschen |
| Music Class | . Rosemary Horsthemke |
| P.E | . Mike & Linda Beyers |
| School Office | . Dr. & Mrs. Quizon |
| PSR | |
| SPY | . Pana Knights of Columbus #896 |
| Cafeteria | |
| Web Page Hosting | . Dr. Bill Beyers |

SACRED HEART SCHOOL AUCTION

Please join us for the SHS Annual Auction this coming Saturday, August 24 from 5:30-11:00 p.m. at the Pana Fairgrounds Beer Tent. Come for food, music, and live auction. Bidding on our online auction runs August 19 – 23 at AumannAuction.com. Follow us @SacredHeartSchoolAuction on Facebook. Monetary donations can be sent via Venmo to @stpatrickschurch. Email shspanafundraising@gmail.com if interested in donating an item. Donations can be dropped off at the parish office. We appreciate your continued support and hope see you at the Pana Fairgrounds on August 24!

PSR REGISTRATION

P.S.R. Registration will be held on Wednesday, September 4 in the Parish Hall from 3:30-4:30 p.m. Parents will have the opportunity to meet their child's teacher and see their classroom during this time.

RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

From Fr. Joseph...If I could ask a few favors...

- 1) If you receive on the tongue, please fully open your mouth; fully extend your tongue; and don't close your mouth until my fingers are away from your mouth. This should be self-explanatory.
- 2) If you receive in the hand, please place your right hand <u>under</u> your left hand; use your right hand to place the Sacred Host in your mouth or vice versa (the point is to have one hand under the other and not together to receive the

- Eucharist); and don't pull back until the Sacred Host has been placed on you hand. Please do not "pluck" the Sacred Host; wait to receive it.
- 3) If you receive in the hand, please step up close enough. I do not have long arms. (Neither do some of our other Communion Ministers).
- 4) Please speak audibly with your "Amen" after the words, "The Body of Christ" have been spoken to you.

THANK YOU! This will help me and the Communion Ministers serve everyone in a better way.

FAMILY FUNDAY

St. Mary's in Assumption is **Celebrating the Feast of the Assumption** with a **Family Funday** on Sunday, August 18 from 11am-4pm. Many activities are planned such as a 4-Acre Corn Maze, Corn Pit, Kiddie Tractor Pull, Homemade Ice Cream Tractor, Selfie Wall, Cake Walk, and much more. Food available for purchase, including Home Pie. Please like their Facebook Event for more information.

MEETINGS

SCHOOL BOARD – Tuesday, August 20 – 6:00 pm – Rectory Basement

WELCOME TEACHERS

I would like to take this opportunity to **WELCOME BACK** the staff and students of Sacred Heart School. We are so fortunate to have a staff that is dedicated and gives 110% to each of our students. I would also like to **WELCOME** our 'newbies' to our SHS Family: Erika Crawford, Preschool; Leandra Bumgardner, Preschool aide; and Drew Hackler, P.E. instructor....Principal Deb Zueck

WEEKDAY MASS TIME CHANGE

Beginning Tuesday, August 27 our weekday Mass time will change to 8:15 a.m. School Masses will continue to be held on Tuesday and Thursday. All Masses will be held back in church.

IN MEMORIUM

Please remember in your Prayers, Robert "Bob" Sarver, husband of Angie Sarver and brother-in-law of Tom Rakers and Mark (Jackie) Rakers, parishioners of St. Patrick's Church. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed by the mercy of God rest in peace.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Nokomis St. Louis Church has the following positions available:

Part-time Secretary – Individuals must have skills in communication, relationships, and an ease with digital technologies (Office software, webpage maintenance, and other church and school management software.)

Part-Time Faith Formation Coordinator – Responsibilities would include organizing children and adult faith formation opportunities, review of religious curriculums, coordinate compliance with safe environment regulations, and overseeing sacramental records.

An invitation to any couple married 50 years (or more): There will be an "Anniversary Mass" on Sunday, Sept. 22 at 2:00 p.m. in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Springfield. If you have been married 50 or more years, please consider joining other couples from our diocese for this celebration! Register at dio.org/events or contact Gracie Ortiz at the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois at gortiz@dio.org or call 217-698-8500.