

I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven; whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.

MATTHEW 16:19



SACRED HEART CHURCH
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Reverend William D. Debo

“Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time”
August 23, 2026

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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

August 25 Tuesday **7:45 AM** † Megan Boehm
August 26 Wednesday **NO MASS**
August 27 Thursday **7:45 AM** † Paul & Millie Schnieders
August 28 Friday **NO MASS**
August 29 Saturday **4:00 PM** † Grace Radmacher
August 30 Sunday **7:45 AM** † The People of the Parish

	MONTHLY	OFFERINGS		
AUGUST	ENVELOPES	“LOOSE” OFFERING	ELECTRONIC OFFERING	SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OFFERING
8/2	\$14,622.00	\$265.00	\$507.65	Mission Special Collection \$60.00
8/9	\$4,337.00	\$166.00	\$1,577.65	Picnic Envelopes \$920.00
8/16	\$3,542.00	\$139.00	\$432.65	Fall Festival \$25.00
				Maint/Repairs \$225.00 Fuel/Heat \$30.00
				Good Shepherd Food Pantry \$654.00

Monthly Total of ALL Offerings: \$27,502.95

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, August 29 4:00 p.m.
Greeters: Tyler & Lindsey Van Gerpen
Servers: Alex Frank, Jude Sallin
Lector: Sharon Thomas
Ushers: John Lehmen, Rob Eisterhold
Gifts: Mark & Sandy Schanzmeyer
Com: Bob & Karen Goodenough, JoAnn Rudroff

Rosary: Karen Goodenough
Music: Nancy & Dennis
Sacristan: Janie Wallace

Sunday, August 30 7:45 a.m.
Greeters: Derek & Kaitlyn Holtmeyer
Servers: Sean Luebbert, Tucker Lehmen
Lector: Sandra Lehmen
Ushers: Andy Lehmen, Derek Holtmeyer
Gifts: Terry & Karen Mebruer
Com: Dana Bexten, Rene Haller, Megan Markway

Rosary: Holly Neuner
Music: Lisa & Doug
Sacristan: John & Joan Neuner
Money: Charlene Eisterhold, Holly Neuner

SACRED HEART PARISH ACTIVITIES

ROSARY DEVOTION – 25 minutes before the weekend masses.
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is available 30 minutes prior to each weekend mass or by appointment.
August 26th – Wednesday – **Pre-Fall Festival Meeting @ 6:30 p.m.** in the school cafeteria
August 27th – Thursday – **Shepherds of Christ Prayer Group @ 6:30 p.m.**
August 30th – Sunday – **“Fifth Sunday Coffee & Doughnuts”** (Knights of Columbus)
September 3rd – Thursday -**Anointing of the Sick** during 7:45 a.m. mass and **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION** immediately after mass with **BENEDICTION** at 3:00 p.m.

OUT OF TOWN ACTIVITIES

August 25th - Tuesday - Knights of Columbus **4th Degree Meeting/Dinner @** Westphalia KC Hall
6:00 PM Social 7:00 PM-Dinner 7:30 PM-Meeting
August 27th – Thursday – **Deanery Meeting for the Southeast Deanery @** Holy Family 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
September 2nd – Wednesday –**Blood Drive @** Paul A. Hasenbeck American Legion, Freeburg 2:00—6:00 p.m.
September 6th – Sunday – **Holy Family Parish Picnic** serving 11:30-7:00 p.m. fried chicken and roast beef
carry outs at the school or drive thru 11:00-4:00 p.m. **@** American Legion Hall \$16
Raffle, bingo, country store, live music, quilt auction **@ 5:00 p.m**

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus! I Place My Trust in You.

PRAYER LIST

May the healing power of God's love be with you and restore the blessings of good health.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: George Grellner, Marsha Stegemann, John Neuner, David Debo, Kelly Schrum, Toni Dudenhoeffer, Jim L. Schmitz, Mike Thomas, Irene Strobe, Judy Redel, Robert Massman, Betty Frank, Joe Frank, AnaLee Sanners, Teresa Luebbert, Craig Stephenson, Helen (Bob) Grellner, Marie Scherf, Kathy Scherf, Lorraine Rehagen, Donna Plassmeyer, Mary Berhorst, Marcella Bax, Archie Jaegers, Dale Kramer, Don Krattli, Sharon Cardwell, Marlene Haller, Melissa Koenigsfeld.

*****Sacred Heart School News from your Principal*****

- ♥ Bus service will begin on Tuesday August 25th.
- ♥ Classroom Parent Meetings will be held on September 3rd from 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM. This is a great way for parents to learn about the classroom rules and procedures for their children as well as ask any questions that they may have.
- ♥ The Southeast Deanery Meeting will be held at Holy Family school on Thursday August 27th. Members of the Sacred Heart School Advisory Council as well as the Home & School Association are asked to be in attendance.
- ♥ Friday August 28th will be Spirit Wear Day. Students may wear a spirit wear t-shirt with either spirit wear shorts or their uniform shorts.

PARISH NEWS AND INFORMATION

PARISHIONER REGISTRATION FORM

If you are a member of Sacred Heart Parish and move from your parent's home into your own home, or you have "married" into our Parish, or have moved to the area and wish to be a part of our parish, please complete the "NEW PARISHIONER FORM" found on our webpage: www.sacredheartpf.com/resources/parishforms The form is also in the back of church.

TO BE AN ACTIVE STEWARD MEANS TO:

PRAY: That is, attend Mass faithfully in the parish on weekends and Holy Days
PARTICIPATE: That is, use one's time and talents to strengthen the Parish community.
SACRIFICIALLY GIVE: That is, pledge and remain current on a tithe of financial first fruits to support the ministries of the Parish. The goal is 8% to the Parish and 2% to other worthy charities.

Volunteer for Eucharistic Adoration

On the 1st Thursdays of September through May if you are available to give one hour of adoration in church the hours are 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., please prayerfully consider volunteering and you pick the time. At least one person should always be in church during this time frame.
The next ADORATION at Sacred Heart will be September 3, 2026. .
~~~There will be a sign-up sheet at the back of church.~~~

## DEANERY MEETING For "Southeast Deanery"

Will be held at Holy Family Parish on Thursday, August 27<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Registration and official agenda will be announced soon.

### **PRE FALL FESTIVAL MEETING**

Will be held Wednesday, August 26<sup>th</sup> in the school cafeteria.

### **SHEPHERDS OF CHRIST PRAYER GROUP --August 27<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00 PM**

—thankful—  
and  
—grateful—

I want to say **THANK YOU** to Pat & Jamie Fick, and Tony & Beth Brune, our Picnic Chairs, and their family members for all the time and effort they put toward the parish picnic. I want to mention all those who helped set up and take down tents, tables/stands. The volunteers who stayed after mass and helped with the stands for the quilt display. Thank you to ALL kitchen workers, chicken fryers, pot roast cooks, carry-out workers sandwich stand workers—the food was once again fabulous! Thank you to the beer/margarita and soda stands for our refreshing drinks. Thank you to the workers of the games, the bingo stand, and the raffles. Thank you to those parking the cars. Thank you to the country store workers and to all parishioners for the MANY wonderful home baked goodies/crafts, etc. that were donated to the country store! Thank you to all those involved with the quilt action, before/during/after! Thank you to the money counters. Thank you for all of those who did "yardwork" to make our parish grounds beautiful. Our Parish is truly blessed to have committed workers that make our picnic a tremendous success! If I have failed to mention anyone, please know your help in any way was genuinely appreciated.

*May God Bless You Always, Fr. Debo*



We wish to thank everyone for generously supporting our annual parish picnic Quilt Auction, which grossed \$54,375. Auction details are attached to this

bulletin. Your interest has helped make this cherished tradition a huge success, and we are truly grateful for your continued enthusiasm and generosity. Your attendance and bidding not only provided an opportunity to take home a one-of-a-kind quilt or auction item but also helps sustain the ministries and programs of our parish. A heartfelt thank you goes to the buyers, bidders, and those who came to view our auction items. It takes a village to make this happen, and we are truly grateful for you being a part of it.

God Bless!

Sacred Heart Quilting Club

FORMED

This is a very informational website!

Please take advantage of it. Visit the Sacred Heart Website under the tab RESOURCES to find instructions on how to sign up for your free FORMED membership.

FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 23-29:

**The Confessions of St. Augustine | Littlest Saints:** A child, a sinner, a saint. Join us as we share the story of St. Augustine, tailored to our children, as he wrestles with God and comes to the faith.

<https://app.formed.org/app/videos/3279961/>

**Feast of Saint Monica | Catholic Saints:** Throughout her life, St. Monica constantly prayed for the conversion of Augustine, her beloved son. In a moment of desperation, she even asked for the bishop's help. In response, he said, "the son of those tears surely will not perish." Truly, as this bishop remarked, Monica's tearful prayers helped build her son into the Doctor of Grace. In this video, join Dr. Gray and Dr. Sehorn as they discuss this great Saint.

<https://app.formed.org/app/videos/1050277/>

**Restless Heart:** This film on the life of St. Augustine offers a message of conversion and redemption. It is the story of a gifted man who pursues fame and fortune without a moral compass - and the dramatic changes that occur in his soul when challenging events lead him to see the light of truth.

<https://app.formed.org/app/videos/587031/>



God Loves me

Any K-8<sup>th</sup> grade students who would like to participate in **Religion classes** this school year need to contact the parish office, 573-744-5987 or [shrf1838@sacredhearttrf.com](mailto:shrf1838@sacredhearttrf.com) before Sunday, September 13<sup>th</sup>, as books will need to be ordered. Classes will begin on Wednesday evening **September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 6:00 p.m.** at Sacred Heart School.

FATIMA CARING CLOSET

St. Anne's Sodality is collecting items for the **Fatima Caring Closet** to assist those students in need with personal hygiene products as well as nutritious snacks. The list of needs is on the Cry Room window. Please take tabs and return your donations to the boxes in the vestibule. We will be collecting in August and September. Thank you for helping our young people



Coalition Mass Schedules

Supporting each other to be communities of love and mercy in Christ

|                 | Sacred Heart                                                        | Holy Family | St. Alexander | St. Aloysius      | St. Boniface | Visitation | Guardian Angels |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|---------------|-------------------|--------------|------------|-----------------|
| Saturday        | 4:00 PM                                                             | 5:30 PM     | -             | 4:30 PM           | -            | -          | 6:30 PM         |
| Sunday          | 7:45 AM                                                             | 9:30 AM     | 8:30 AM       | -                 | 10:00 AM     | 8:00 AM    | -               |
| Monday          | -                                                                   | -           | -             | -                 | -            | -          | -               |
| Tuesday         | 7:45 AM                                                             | -           | -             | -                 | 6:00 PM      | -          | -               |
| Wednesday       | -                                                                   | 7:45 AM     | -             | 8:00 AM           | -            | -          | -               |
| Thursday        | 7:45 AM                                                             | -           | -             | -                 | -            | 8:15 AM    | -               |
| Friday          | -                                                                   | 7:45 AM     | -             | -                 | -            | -          | 8:00 AM         |
| Prayer Services | -                                                                   | -           | -             | Mondays - 7:30 AM | -            | -          | -               |
| Reconciliation  | All parishes - 30 minutes prior to weekend Masses Or by Appointment |             |               |                   |              |            |                 |



The Missouri Catholic Conference issued a statement urging support for **“Pro-life Amendment 3”** to restore safeguards around abortion, protect women’s health, and uphold the dignity of human life. The bishops call on Missourians to support the amendment through prayer, fasting, and civic engagement.

BLOOD DRIVE - FREEBURG

The Paul A. Hasenbeck American Legion is hosting a blood drive on Wednesday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 pm. All blood types are needed. Please help us reach our goal!

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