

SACRED HEART CHURCH
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RICH FOUNTAIN, MO 65035
Reverend William D. Debo

"Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time"
October 11, 2026

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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

October 13 Tuesday **NO MASS † Hubert & Rita Holtschneider**
October 14 Wednesday **NO MASS**
October 15 Thursday **7:45 AM † Norine Sestak**
October 16 Friday **NO MASS**
October 17 Saturday **4:00 PM † Mark Schnieders**
October 18 Sunday **7:45 AM † Jon Paul Scheulen**

	MONTHLY	OFFERINGS			
October	ENVELOPES	"LOOSE" OFFERING	ELECTRONIC OFFERING	SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OFFERING	
10/4	$10,783.00	$527.00	$462.65	Maintenance & Repair	$110.00
				Fall Festival	$310.00
				Good Shepherd Pantry	$510.00

Monthly Total of ALL Offerings: $12,702.65

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 17 4:00 p.m.
Greeters: Sharon Voss
Servers: Gavin Kempker, Jude Sallin
Lector: Debbie Boehm
Ushers: Jim Boehm, Kaiden Boehm
Gifts: Jim & Debbie Boehm
Com: JoAnn Rudroff, Melissa Koenigsfeld Debbie Boehm
Rosary: Pat Philbert
Music: Patty & Doug
Sacristan: Bob Goodenough

Sunday October 18 7:45 a.m.
Greeters: Billy & Sheldon Redel
Servers: SHS Students
Lector: SHS Students
Ushers: SHS Students
Gifts: SHS Students
Com: Rick Brune, Megan Markway, Peg Brune, Karen Goodenough
Rosary: Holly Neuner
Music: SHS Student Choir
Sacristan: Holly Neuner
Money: Charlene Eisterhold, Dianna Neier

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.
ANOINTING OF THE SICK – first Thursday of the month at the 7:45 a.m. Mass
EUCHARISTIC ADORATION – first Thursday of the month October thru May following the 7:45 a.m. Mass

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October 14th – Wed. - **Rosary Group** @ 6:30 PM in the Quilter's Room St. Margaret Mary Alacoque Annex
October 18th – Sunday – **Bake Sale** Sponsored by Sacred Heart School Student Council after 7:45 a.m. Mass
October 18th - Sunday – **4-H Meeting** 8:45 – 10:00 AM School Cafeteria
October 25th – Sunday – **Fall Festival @ Sacred Heart,** 11:00 AM-6:00 PM Whole Hog Sausage, German Pot Roast $16/Adults, $10/5-10, FREE/4 & Under 3:00 pm-Auction 11:00 am-Shotgun & 22 Rifle Shooting Match

OUT OF TOWN ACTIVITIES

October 11th – Sunday **- Belle Breakfast** 7:00 a.m. – 11:00 AM $12.00
October 11th – Sunday – **Fall Dinner Guardian Angels Brinktown,** 11:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Fried Chicken, Whole Hog Sausage $16/Adult $8/6-12 FREE/5 & Under Country Store, Raffle, Kiddie Tractor Pull 3:30, Quilt & Dessert Auction @ 2:30
October 11th – Sunday – **Fall Supper St. Stanislaus Wardsville**, 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Fried Chicken, Rope Sausage, $17/Adult (carryout & dine-in) $12/5-12 (dine-in only) Country Store, Bingo, Raffle, Kids Games, Vintage Market, Live Music
October 11th – Sunday – **Fall Dinner St. George HERMANN,** 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Fried Chicken/Sausage $16/Adults $8/6-10 FREE/5 & under, Country Store, Harvest Raffle, Quilt Raffle

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PRAYER LIST

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

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Ann Crowner, Jeannie Oltmer, Will Norris, Marsha Stegemann, John Neuner, David Debo, Kelly Schrum, Toni Dudenhoeffer, Jim **L**. Schmitz, Mike Thomas, Irene Strope, 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*****

- Students in grades 3-8 will finish up their achievement testing this week. Please be sure students are getting enough rest each evening and have a nutritious breakfast to ensure they are well prepared for each day of testing. Thank you!!
- The end of the 1st quarter will be on Thursday, October 15th. This will be the last day that students are able to take an Accelerated Reading test.
- Sacred Heart's Children's Liturgy will be held at the 7:45 A.M. Mass on Saturday, October 18th.
- The Sacred Heart Student Council will be having a bake sale following the 7:45 A.M Mass on Saturday, October 18th.
- Students in grades PS-1 will take a field trip on Wednesday, October 14th to Fischer Farms and the Fire Museum in Jefferson City.
- Employment Opportunity - Sacred Heart School is looking for a person to help with the After School Caree Program. This would be for two hours a day on the days that school is in session. If you are interested, please contact Debbie Reinkemeyer at **dreinkemeyer@schoolsacredheartrf.com.**

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.sacredheartrf.com/resources/parishforms** The form is also in the back of church.

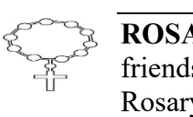
TO BE AN ACTIVE STEWARD MEANS TO:

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.

SACRIFFICIALLY 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% for the Parish and 2% for other worthy charities

Online banking will simplify your Sacred Heart contribution**.** Scan this **QR Code** to make your secure, one-time or **re-occurring** online contributions. Sign up for *Weekly or Monthly ACH deductions* using the form on our website: **www.sacredheartrf.com** or pick up the form from the bulletin board slots of church. Complete the form and drop it in the collection basket or bring it to the Parish Office. Call the Parish Office with any questions you may have.



ROSARY GROUP - Join us for friendship, good conversation, and the Rosary on Wednesday, **October 14th at 6:30 p.m**. in the quilters' room in the St. Margaret Mary Alacoque Hall. Everyone is welcome!

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FOR THE WEEK OF OCT. 11 – OCT. 17

An Ardent Heart: This film tells the dramatic story of Lupe Valdes, a best-selling writer who investigates the apparitions of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in search of inspiration for her next novel. Guided by an expert in sacred mysteries, she discovers the historical evidence of the mystical revelations of the Sacred Heart to St. Margaret Mary
https://app.formed.org/app/videos/4052976/

St. Teresa of Avila: A powerful epic mini-series shot on location in Spain that tells the story of one of the most amazing women in history, St. Teresa of Avila. With meticulous attention to detail and historical accuracy, this acclaimed major film production is the definitive film on the life of this great saint.
https://app.formed.org/app/videos/914915/

St. Ignatius of Antioch: Learn about St. Ignatius of Antioch, a remarkable saint who died a martyr for his fidelity to Christ in this episode of Catholic Saints with Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp.
https://app.formed.org/app/videos/2394226/

DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE AWARD

It is that time again to nominate a distinguished graduate of Sacred Heart School. Nomination forms can be found at the back of church and also attached to the weekly bulletin e-mail. Forms are due into the school office by Monday, October 19th.

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CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL 2026

As we heard in today's readings, God continually invites us into a deeper relationship with Him. Yet with the busyness of everyday life, it can be easy to allow our schedules, responsibilities, and worries to crowd out what matters most.

As we prepare for our upcoming **Catholic Stewardship Renewal commitment weekend October 24-25**, every parishioner and family is invited to begin praying and discerning how God is calling you to respond to the many gifts He has entrusted to you.

Stewardship is not simply about filling out a commitment form. It is about recognizing that everything we have as far as our time, abilities, resources, and our very lives are *gifts from God!* Our response is one of gratitude.

Over the coming weeks, prayerfully consider:

- **How is God inviting me to spend more time with Him in prayer?**
- **What talents has He given me that I can share in service to others?**
- **How is He calling me to give generously and sacrificially from the treasure He has entrusted to me?**

Like the guests invited to the banquet in today's Gospel, each of us has received an invitation from the Lord. May we not become so busy with the things of this world that we miss His invitation.

Begin your discernment today. Ask the Lord in prayer: **"God, what have You given me, and how are You calling me to give back?"**

Together, may we **"Serve the Lord with Gladness"** by gratefully sharing our time, talent, and treasure.

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MASS ATENDANCE INITIATIVE

The annual October Mass attendance will be taken at each weekend mass to support the ongoing pastoral planning and outreach for the Diocese.

NEIGHBORHOOD QUILT

The Sacred Heart Quilting Club has begun working on quilts for the upcoming year. This is the time of the year that we purchase quilt tops and materials. There is a green envelope marked **NEIGHBORHOOD QUILT** in your recent package of envelopes. We are asking for $25. Your donation can be dropped in the weekly collection basket. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



COATS-HATS-GLOVES-SCARVES DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus and Sacred Heart Student Council are working together to help those in need for the upcoming winter weather. They are collecting winter coats, hats, gloves, and scarves for all ages but especially children. Monetary donations accepted as well and those can be placed in an envelope marked "COAT DRIVE DONATION" and dropped in the collection basket. If you are able to help, please place your items in the box located at the back of church. We will be **collecting items through the month of October. Thank you!!**

October Birthright Collection

(information has been updated)

St. Anne's Sodality is coordinating a collection for Birthright in October. Birthright has been helping women with unplanned pregnancies for over 50 years. Some of the items they currently need are Size 2 boy's clothing/coats; diapers size 4, 5, and 6; baby care items and liquid laundry detergent in small sizes. They also accept new or gently used baby or maternity items. Please see the display of post-it-notes on the cry room window for suggested items needed. Donations should be left in the box at the back of church. If you would like to donate cash, please place it in an envelope marked "Birthright" and place it in the collection basket. Thank you for your support.

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Our parish now has an email/text platform that will help us communicate more effectively! You have already been enrolled if you have received a text or email about it. All parishioners who provided contact information for the Parish Directory were added to the platform. If you did not receive a message or want to verify that your contact information is correct, simply go to this link and type in your information:
https://SacredHeartParish9.flocknote.com
Here you can also select parish groups you want to join. If you have other family members who want to join, they can use this link to add themselves. If you have a group you would like to add to the platform or see a group that has already been added that you lead, we can add you as an administrator. Please reach out to the Parish Office or contact Kristen Bexten at (573) 415-6508 for support with this or any other questions. Thanks so much!

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.
**For More information: https://diojeffcity.org click on Monday Morning Memo.

2026 DIOCESAN YOUTH RALLY

The Youth Rally will be held at Helias Catholic High School on Sunday, November 22nd from 10:00 a.m. – 4:15 p.m. For 7th – 12th Grade and the cost is $10 per youth which includes lunch. Mass with Bishop O'Donnell and the Speaker is Meg Hunter-Kilmer. Concert by the Scally Brothers. For more information and **to register: diojeffcity.org/diocesan-youth-rally**

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					



BREAKING THE SILENCE OF ABUSE

As a diocese, we are committed to breaking the silence of abuse. When someone is reporting abuse, we must acknowledge their pain and how difficult it is to talk about it. False allegations are very rare. Our initial response to someone who is disclosing abuse for the first time must be compassionate. For those who need to report abuse, encourage them to contact our Victims Assistance Coordinator, Jacqueline Baldwin, (573-694-3199) and to make use of the appropriate State of Missouri hotline (1-800-392-3738) or the Attorney General's clergy abuse online form. All this information is also on our website, under the 'report abuse' tab. For those who want information or want to convey a message to Bishop O'Donnell please encourage them to write to us at reportabuse@diojeffcity.org