"YOU SHALL LOVE THE LORD, YOUR GOD, WITH ALL YOUR HEART, WITH ALL YOUR SOUL, AND WITH ALL YOUR MIND."

SACRED HEART CHURCH
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"Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time" **October 25, 2026**

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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

October 27 Tuesday **7:45 AM † Mark & Jonathan Schnieders**
October 28 Wednesday **NO MASS**
October 29 Thursday **7:45 AM † Rose Rufi**
October 30 Friday **NO MASS**
October 31 Saturday **4:00 PM † Ruth Rudroff**
November 1 Sunday **7:45 AM † Ed & Ann Linnenbrink** **"All Saint's Day"**

	MONTHLY	OFFERINGS			
October	ENVELOPES	"LOOSE" OFFERING	ELECTRONIC OFFERING	SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OFFERING	
10/4	$10,783.00	$527.00	$462.65	Maintenance & Repair	$320.00
10/11	$7,232.00	$235.00	$1,707.65	Fall Festival	$640.00
10/18	$4,115.00	$185.00	$512.65	Fuel & Heat	$30.00
				Good Shepherd Pantry	$510.00

Monthly Total of ALL Offerings: $27,259.95

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 31 4:00 p.m.
Greeters: Doug & JeNae Frank
Servers: Vincent Troesser, August Sallin
Lector: Renee Haller
Ushers: John Lehmen, John Schulte
Gifts: Randy & Geralyn Kleffner
Com: Jean & Bob Fick, Karen Goodenough
Rosary: Karen Goodenough
Music: Nancy & Julie
Sacristan: Randy Kleffner

Sunday, November 1
Greeters: Tony & Beth Brune
Servers: Sean Luebbert, Mia Nenninger
Lector: Paul Krieg
Ushers: Tony Brune, Chris Plassmeyer
Gifts: Tony & Beth Brune
Com: Shelly Zeilman, Rick & Peg Brune
Rosary: Lisa Krieg
Music: Nancy & Miriam
Sacristan: Linda Neuner
Money: Linda Fick, Cat Scheulen

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 September thru May following the 7:45 a.m. Mass

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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
October 29th – Thursday – **Shepherds of Christ Prayer Group** at 6:00 p.m.
October 29th – Thursday – **Pastoral Council Meeting** at 7:00 p.m. in the School Cafeteria
November 2nd - Monday – **St. Anne's Sodality Meeting- Salad Supper** @ 6:00 p.m. followed by the meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the Quilter's Room.
November 2nd – Monday – **K of C Council #10690 Monthly Mtg/Dnr** 6:30 pm Social/Dinner 7:30 pm Mtg
November 7/8 - Catholic Stewardship Commitment Weekend at Sacred Heart
November 14/15 – Sat/Sun – **Bake Sale – St. Anne's Sodality** after weekend masses
WORK GROUP 3 (Shelly Zeilman/Debbie Mebruer)

OUT OF TOWN ACTIVITIES

October 23 – Friday – **K of C Council 2027 Fish Fry**, Loose Creek School 4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. DRIVE THRU ONLY! $14/MEAL
October 25th – Sunday - **Linn Craft & Vendor Show** 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.& Bake Sale, @ Linn High School
October 25th – Sunday - **Fried Chicken Dinner**, **Argyle VFW,** 11:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. $15/dinner
October 27th – Tuesday - Knights of Columbus **4th Degree Meeting/Dinner** @ Westphalia KC Hall 6:00 PM-Social 7:00 PM-Dinner 7:30 PM-Meeting

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

November 1st – Sunday – **Fall Supper @ St. Francis Xavier, Taos** serving 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Turkey and Pork Rope Sausage, $17/Adult $10/6-12 Free/5 & Under, Bingo, Co. Store, Games
November 8th – Sunday – **Breakfast @ St. Alexander, Belle** 7:00-11:00 AM $12

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.

PARISH NEWS AND INFORMATION

CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL 2026

As we continue our prayerful discernment for the **Catholic Stewardship Renewal commitment weekend November 7-8**, our readings today remind us what stewardship is truly about: ***LOVE***.

Jesus tells us to love God with all our heart, soul, and mind, and to love our neighbor as ourselves. Stewardship is one way we put those two great commandments into action. May we make our commitments with grateful hearts and together ***"Serve the Lord with Gladness."***

CSR COMMITMENT WEEKEND
November 7-8

Please prayerfully discern your Time, Talent & Treasure commitment to our Parish family and **RETURN YOUR FORMS to the Parish Office by the weekend of November 21-22.**

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Dear Heavenly Father,
My parish is composed of people like me; I help make it what it is.

It will be friendly,
if I am.
Its pews will be filled,
***if I help fill them**.*
It will do great work,
if I work.
It will make generous gifts to many causes,
***if I am a generous giver**.*
It will bring other people into its worship and fellowship,
***if I invite and bring them**.*
It will be a parish of loyalty and love, of fearlessness and faith, and a parish with a noble spirit,
if I, who make it what it is, am filled with these same things.

Therefore, with Your help, O God,
I shall dedicate myself to growing our faith by being all things that I want my parish to be. ***Amen.***

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:

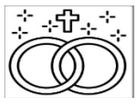
PRAY: That is, attend Mass faithfully in the parish on weekends and Holy Days
PARTICIPATE: That is, use one's time and talents to strengthen the Parish community.
SACRIFFICIALLY GIVE: That is, pledge and remain current on a tithe of financial first fruits to support the ministries of the Parish. The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

OCIA Classes

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a program for people who want to learn about the Catholic faith and join the Catholic Church. If you are interested in this program or have questions, please contact Fr. Bill. Classes have started but it is not too late to join!



CONGRATULATIONS TO:
Henry Joseph Wibberg, son of Matthew and Kelley-Marie (Aubuchon) Wibberg, on his Baptism on Sunday, October 18, 2026, at Sacred Heart Church. "Lord Jesus Christ watch over and cherish this child whom You have blessed with the grace of Baptism.



CONGRATULATIONS TO:
Jacob Peters and Andrea Haller who were married on Saturday, October 24, 2026, at Sacred Heart Church. May the presence of God always remain in their relationship, and they seek God's wisdom and will through prayer.

FORMED

Visit formed.org/signup and enter Sacred Heart Parish, click "NEXT" and enter your name and email. Click "SIGN UP". Visit sacredheartrf.com for more information or how to download the APP.

FOR THE WEEK OF OCT. 25 – OCT. 31

What Catholics Believe About Halloween: Is Halloween really a pagan holiday—or is it deeply Christian? In this episode of What Catholics Believe, Dr. Ben Akers explains the Catholic roots of Halloween, its connection to All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day, and how Catholics can celebrate it faithfully. Discover the history of trick-or-treating, the dangers of the occult, the meaning behind costumes, and even the Catholic perspective on vampires and zombies.
https://app.formed.org/app/videos/3835217/

Eternal Rest: We all have very real questions about death. What happens when we die? What does Scripture teach about death? How do we prepare for the life to come? Explore the mystery of death, dying, and everlasting life through Eternal Rest, a new offering of the Augustine Institute.
https://app.formed.org/app/videos/2381581/

Who is St. Jude? | Catholic Saints: Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. James Prothro discuss this lesser-known apostle St. Jude. https://app.formed.org/app/videos/1137605/

SHEPHERDS OF CHRIST PRAYER GROUP --October 29th @ 6:00 PM



As we give thanks to God for this harvest season, we would also like to express our thanks to our generous Sacred Heart Parish benefactors. Indeed, all the fresh fruits and vegetables that you share with us are deeply appreciated and are helping to keep us healthy! May God reward you for your many kindnesses.
Blessings always*, Sister Mary Ann and Sister Linda*

FLOCKNOTE

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!

OCTOBER BIRTHRIGHT COLLECTION

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!



Thank you for all the pull tabs! Please CONTINUE to save them! These tabs go to helping the Ronald McDonald house. Place tabs in the back of church or in the container on the front porch of the Convent**.**

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!!**

NEW!! NEW!! NEW!!

There are now Mass booklets for children to better participate at Mass! Feel free to borrow one for use. They are available in the back of church.



May the Fall Festival Day Start Faithfully, Have Favorable Weather, Good Food, Fellowship and Fun!

AMENDMENT 3

The Missouri bishops are urging Catholics to **vote YES** on pro-life Amendment 3. In a statement published on October 5, they acknowledged their "solemn duty to defend the dignity of every person and to stand for those whose lives and well-being are most vulnerable, including pregnant women, unborn babies, and children." The bishops encourage Catholics to heed our baptismal call to bear public witness to the defense of human life.

The statement points out that "Amendment 3 would restore meaningful protections for women and unborn babies" by allowing Missouri to "require basic health and safety standards for clinics, safeguard parental rights, and substantially limit abortion in our state, while also ensuring that women continue to have access to medical care for emergencies, ectopic pregnancies, and miscarriages." The statement also notes that the amendment "would permanently protect boys and girls by prohibiting destructive gender-transition procedures, including surgeries, puberty blockers, and cross-sex hormones, in the state constitution."

The bishops state, "We cannot be indifferent when our own state constitution fails to safeguard those who most need its protection. We urge you to pray and fast, to speak with your family and friends, and to continue working to **pass Amendment 3."**

VETERAN'S DAY ASSEMBLY

Fatima's Annual Veterans Day assembly will be on Wednesday, November 11th , at 1:00 p.m. in the old High School gym. Send pictures of veterans to Tracy Murphy by Wednesday, November 4th . Include the name of the veteran, years served, and a way to return the picture. All pictures will be returned after the assembly. Send to: Tracy Murphy, P.O. Box 37, Westphalia, MO 65085 or **murphyt@fatimacomets.com**

Sacred Heart School News from your Principal

♥ Sacred Heart School will not be in session on Monday, October 26th – Fall Break.

♥ 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**

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**

Visit Helias Catholic

Interested in learning more about Helias Catholic High School and experiencing life as a student? Visit the school as a Crusader for a Day! Eighth grade students are invited to attend classes, meet teachers, tour the school and have lunch while partnered with a current student on any regular school day Monday through Thursday. Sign up by clicking Admissions/Visit Helias Catholic at **www.heliascatholic.com** and completing the Crusader for a Day form.

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					

OCTOBER MASS COUNTS

10/3 – 142
10/4 – 194
10/10 – 102
10/11 - 133
10/17 - 175
10/18 - 184