

Blessed Sacrament

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Custodian: Rick Epping

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Thursday: 8:15 a.m. (School Year)

Saturday: 8:30 a.m. (Spanish)

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION:

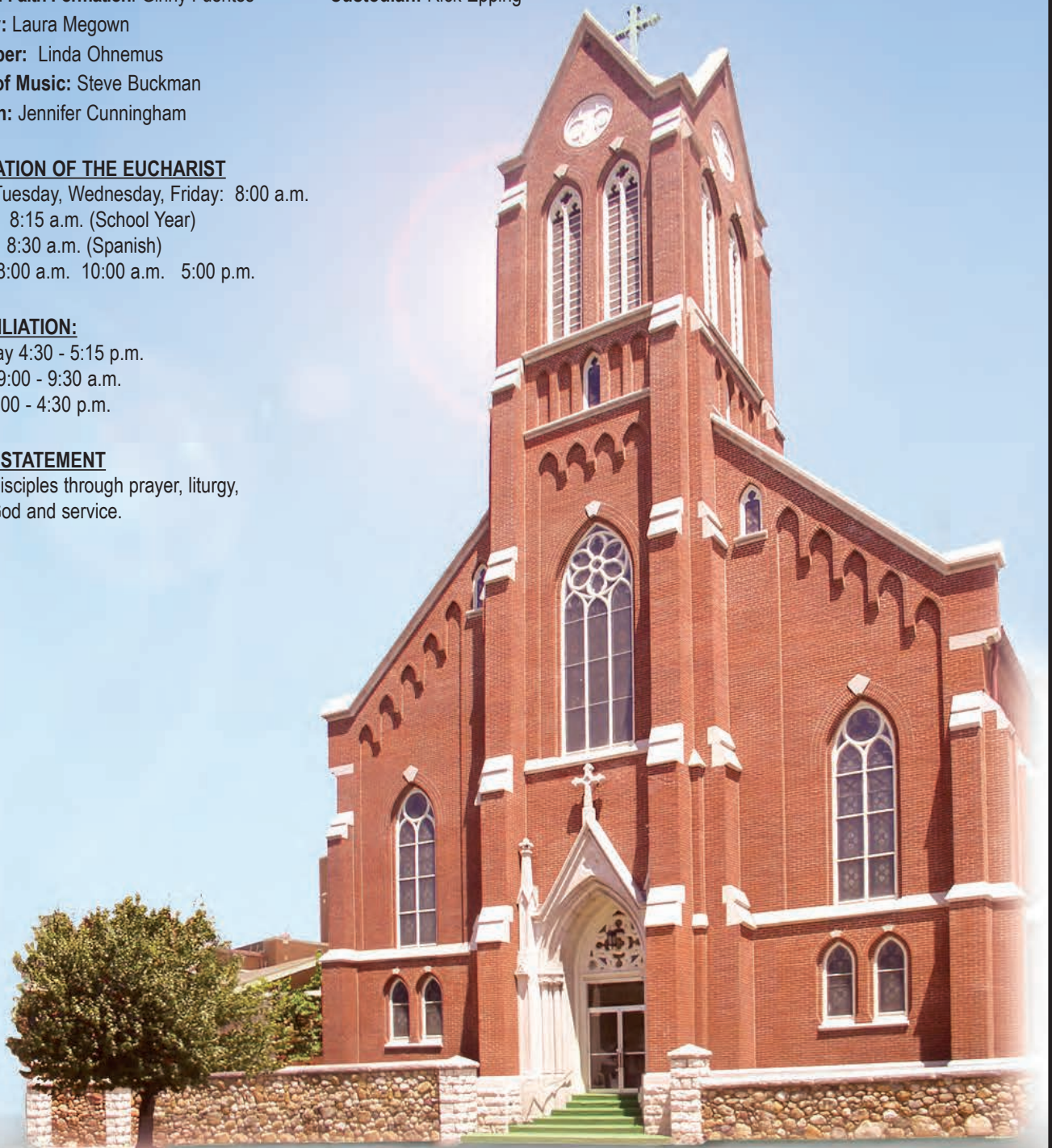
Wednesday 4:30 - 5:15 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 - 9:30 a.m.

Sunday 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

MISSION STATEMENT

Forming disciples through prayer, liturgy,
Word of God and service.



Prayer...Liturgy... Word of God...Service

Thank You

Dear Friends and Family

There are not enough words to express our heartfelt thanks for the kindness that you have extended to our family during this difficult time.

Whether you kept us in your thoughts and prayers, sent a lovely gift, gave a monetary donation, brought dinner to the family, or helped out in any other way, please know that your love has brought us great comfort.

Your thoughtfulness, generosity, and support is very much appreciated and will always be remembered.

Please keep praying.

Lots of love,

The Moore Family



**Blessed Sacrament Parish
34th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

From the Pastor's Desk

Monday 8:00 a.m.	November 21, 2022 Communion Service
Tuesday 1:30 p.m.-School	November 22, 2022 Klene Family
Wednesday 8:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	November 23, 2022 Communion Service Communion Service
Thursday 8:15 a.m.	November 24, 2022 No Mass
Friday 8:00 a.m.	November 25, 2022 No Mass
Saturday 8:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m.	November 26, 2022 No Mass People of the Parish
Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	November 27, 2022 Richard Hummel Ron Hinkamper

Today we celebrate the **34th (and Final) Sunday of Ordinary Time**. We celebrate on this Sunday the *Solemnity of Christ the King*. Jesus' words of coronation are written above him as he dies upon the cross, "This is the King of the Jews." If we choose to share in Christ's Kingship – which is what awaits us in Heaven - then we must also choose to share in his cross.

We have concluded the count for "**Vote with our Feet**," and it is clear that the Saturday evening Mass has the higher numbers. **This Sunday will therefore be our final Sunday evening 5:00 p.m. Mass.** We encourage parish members who occasionally need a Sunday evening Mass to attend the **Sunday evening 6:00 p.m. Mass at QU Chapel**. Thanks to everyone who voted.

Wkd.	Sat. 4:30 p.m.	Sun. 5:00 p.m.
Oct. 1-2	159	82
Oct. 8-9	121	84
Oct. 15-16	119	70
Oct. 22-23	136	85
Oct. 29-30	117	76
Nov. 5-6	112	89
Nov. 12-13	119	69

Sunday, November 13, 2022

Regular Collection:	\$ 8,276.50
Electronic Giving:	\$ 1,080.00
Total Collection	\$ 9,356.50
Weekly Support Needed:	\$ 12,013.00
Deficit/Surplus:	(\$ 2,656.50)
Regular Support Actual (YTD)	\$196,280.22
Regular Support Needed (YTD)	\$ 240,260.00
Regular Deficit/Surplus: (YTD)	(\$ 32,200.38)
Total School Collection	\$ 2,686.00
Haiti	\$ 314.00

This weekend (November 19-20) is our **Annual Presentation for our St. Vincent De Paul Society**. This parish charitable organization disburses funds to help those in need throughout our parish and local community. St. Vincent De Paul will also provide their annual financial report in next weekend's bulletin.

This Sun. November 20 we will celebrate our **RCIA Rite of Acceptance and Welcome** for our RCIA members who have been journeying with us in anticipation of joining or completing initiation in the Catholic faith. The Rite of Acceptance is for the unbaptized who officially enter the catechumenate in this ritual and become catechumens. The Rite of Welcome is for 2 groups: (1) those already baptized in another Christian tradition, and (2) those Catholics who have not been catechized beyond the sacrament of Baptism. At this Sunday's 10:00 a.m. Mass we will celebrate this combined Rite of Acceptance and Welcome.

I would like to wish everyone a **Happy Thanksgiving**, as our nation celebrates this holiday on this upcoming Thur. November 24. May we continue to place in our hearts an expression of gratitude to our Lord for the many blessings which He continues to bestow upon each and every one of us.

Finally, this upcoming Jan. 21/22 (3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time) the Universal Church celebrates the "**Sunday of the Word of God**." In 2019 Pope Francis proclaimed this annual celebration to highlight the importance of the Word of God in the lives of Catholics. As a way for Blessed Sacrament Parish to celebrate this day here locally, we would like to present on that day the gift of a brand new "**Great Adventure Catholic Bible**" to each of our **8th Grade students**. This gift will be their permanent Bible to keep as they move into high school and young adult life. For the parish to be able to provide this gift, I am looking for 24 donors willing to sponsor one Bible by making a **\$36 donation**. Simply place your check in an envelope entitled, "Sponsor a Bible." Thank you so very much for your generosity in helping provide these Bibles to our 8th Grade students this upcoming January.

This Week in Our Parish

Sunday Adoration-Church	November 21, 2022 3:50 p.m.—4:50 p.m.
Monday RCIC-GS Quincy Spirit Group-GS	November 22, 2022 3:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.—8:00 p.m.
Tuesday Legion of Mary-GS	November 22, 2022 1:15 p.m.—2:45 p.m.
Wednesday- NO Adoration	November 23, 2022
Thursday Office Closed	November 24, 2022
Friday Office Closed	November 25, 2022

May the Peace of Christ be with you all,

Fr. Tom



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GIFTS FOR HER

Devotionals & Journals

Give the gift of aid in her spiritual life. Beautiful Devotionals and prayer journals are an excellent way to stay consistent and focused in prayer. Here are a few recommendations:

“Dwell // Blessed Conversations Study on the Eucharist.”
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“Every Sacred Sunday Mass Journals”
\$44.00 Everysacredsunday.com



Jewelry & Rosaries

Nothing beats beautiful jewelry or Rosaries handcrafted by Catholic craftsmen with the best quality materials.

The Little Catholic

Check out a variety of jewelry with options for all price ranges. All products are crafted in the USA.



Sacred Art

Consider checking out art from Catholic artists to adorn her spaces and give a daily reminder of God’s plan for our life. Check out prints from the following artists.



Leanne Bowen



Jose Luis Castrillo



Legacy Icons

GIFTS FOR HIM

Catechism for Catechism in a Year

If you were a fan of Father Mike’s Bible in a Year, stay tuned for his new series “Catechism in a Year” that begins January 1, 2023. Fr. Mike Schmitz will walk participants through the Catechism of the Catholic Church in small, daily chunks.

Ascension Press is selling a special version of the Catechism, that Father Mike will be using along with a study journal to accompany this year’s podcast.



Ascension Press Catechism \$64.95

Ascension Press Catechism in a Year Notebook \$15.95

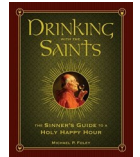
Devotionals & Books

Is your guy an avid reader or looking to grow his prayer life? There are great devotionals and novelty books written for Catholic Men.

Drinking with the Saints // amazon.com // \$15.96

A cocktail recipe books with specialty recipes for each holy day and Saint feast days.

Be Not Afraid: A Book of Quotes for Catholic Men
Amazon.com// \$7.00



Sleeping St. Joseph Statue

catholicssupply.com // \$24.95

St. Joseph is a great rolemodel for Catholic men—especially husbands and fathers. Pope Francis advised people to leave a "note" under the image of the saint for help whenever they have a problem.



GIFTS FOR THE KIDS

Shining Light Dolls

Plush Saint Dolls // shininglightdolls.com // \$24.99

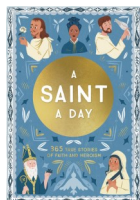
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My Pop-Out Mass Kit

Amazon.com // \$26.88

Kids use this fun activity kit to learn about the Mass and potentially ponder a future vocation!



A Saint a Day Book

amazon.com // \$15.29

A Saint a Day includes fascinating historical stories as it introduces young readers to over 300 saints who did extraordinary things for God.



Wooden Puzzles

beaheart.com// \$21.99

Support a small Catholic business by purchasing one of these beautiful puzzles for your little one.

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Circle of Caring

If you know of anyone who could use a helping hand after returning home from the hospital, please contact Sharolyn Rice at 217-653-3834 during the month of November 2022. The Circle of Caring is for anyone who has just had a baby, returned home from the hospital or is unable to drive. Volunteers will carry in meals, provide rides, do housekeeping tasks or just lend a helping hand.

Remember the Sick in Your Prayers...

Please pray for parish family members: Doris Hildebrand, Tom Liesen, Betty Wiewel, Allan Harvey, Robin Cimera, Barb Peters, Maggie Kistner, Robert Conover, Linda Anemone, Anna Mae Timpe, Dan and Sandy Meade, Monica Mast, Carl Nieders & Charlie Helmer & T. J. Nelson.

Prayer Chain

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, call Carol Price to add their intentions to the Prayer Chain: 217-223-8881.



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Anselm & Clara Blickhan*

Christmas Cards for the Homebound


We will be collecting Christmas Cards for the homebound again this year. There will be a decorated box in the Gathering Space for you to drop them in beginning November 27 through December 11, 2022.

We will deliver to only the names on the list below:

Teresa Vahlkamp, Linda Anamone,
Mary Bradfield, Marilyn Ridder, Bob Orr,
John & Annette Sloup, Betty Wiewel,
Ken Unmisig, Dan & Sandy Meade,
Joseph Meyer, Faye Orr, Mary Downing,
Harold & Dorothy Zopf, Joan Cook, Carlene Cane,
Tom Glosemyer, Toby Elsenpeter,
Carole Glosemeyer, Winnie Beckman, Rita Brod,
Barb Peters, Sylvia Peters, Barb Dance,
Tom Liesen, Alberta Twedell, Carol Geers,
Phillip Elam, Barb Bax, Roger Brod, Tom Roberts,
Marie Rose, Doris Hildebrand, Joan Olps,
Norma Ancell, Flo Freels, and Pauline Richmiller.

Septemberfest Success Report

Thank you to everyone who helped with the Septemberfest. From those who took time to take care of the booths, bake goods, or get the prizes for our auction items, thank you. A special thank you goes out to our sponsors whose financial support is appreciated. Our net profit for this year is approximately **\$18,200.00!** Wow! Congratulations to the *Big Raffle* winners: Robin Reis \$50; John Bozarth \$100; Austin Schlueter \$250.00; Kory Huner. \$500.00

On Friday, November 11, Veteran's Day, Blessed Sacrament sponsored a Red Cross blood collection in the Gathering Space. We are pleased to announce that we surpassed our goal of 23 units. A **Help Save a Life!** big THANK YOU goes to all who donated that day! Your effort and donation will aid those urgently needing blood! 

Council of Catholic Women's Christmas Dinner

All ladies of the parish are invited to the annual Christmas Dinner on Friday, December 4, 2022 at 5:30 p.m. in the Gathering Space. The dinner is being catered and the cost is \$12.00 per person and can be paid that evening. Also we are asking all ladies to bring a wrapped \$5.00 gift for a game and gift exchange.

RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BY FRIDAY, December 9. To make a reservation call the Parish Office 217-222-2759.



Socks, Underwear, Mittens, Hats, gloves, & Scarfs Collection Sponsored by the CCW

Winter weather gear will be collected for children and adults in need in our community. Look for the large tub in the Gathering Space to place your donations in. The collected items will be divided between Ladies of Charity and Catholic Charities here in Quincy to help those who need to stay warm.

Thank you in advance for helping



LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Saturday, November 26, 2022

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Saturday, 4:30 p.m.	Maddie Maas	Marie John	Greg & Mary Schoenekase (GS)	Bill Schodroski	Jim Schrand
	Emmy Kistner	Kevin Phillips	Paulette Bozarth (WD)		Gary Beckman
	Kyra Brandon	Nancy Schodroski			Lee John Mary Lynn Tucker

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Sunday, November 27, 2022

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Olivia Young	Deacon Terry	Brian & Jean Brod (GS)	Pam LaTour	Frank Flesch
	Allison Lenane	Steve Schlueter	The Mark Reuschel Family (WD)		Ted Johnson
	Logan Lenane	Chris Wegs			Ed Lohman Mike McHale
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Cecelia Coval	Deacon Terry	Cory Vogel Family (GS)	Patty Adam	Bill Averkamp
	Emma McDowell	Colleen Maalouf	Greg & Cheryl Wittland (WD)		Ron Kelly
	Elie Miller	Donna Vogel			Marvin Schrecke Greg Young

SERVERS Week of November 21, 2022

Monday, 8:00 a.m., November 21- & -Communion Service

Tuesday, 8:00 a.m., November 22-NO MASS

Tuesday, 1:30 p.m., November 23- Olliver Hendrian, Dawson Stafford & Ryan Turn baugh

Wednesday, November 23, 8:00 a.m.- & 5:30 p.m.-Communion Service

Thursday, November 24, 8:15 a.m.- NO MASS

Friday, November 25, 8:00 a.m.- NO MASS

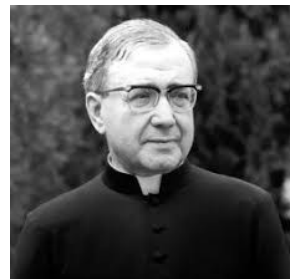
Saturday, November 26. 8:30 a.m.- NO MASS

November is Diabetes Awareness Month.

JoseMaria Escrova is the patron Saint of Diabetes. After suffering with Type I Diabetes for over 10 years, he was miraculously cured of the disease. He died June 26, 1975 and was canonized on October 6, 2002.

Prayer to Saint JoseMaria Escriva

Saint JoseMaria Escriva, you are honored as the patron Saint of those who suffer from Diabetes. God choose you to live on this earth as an example for all mankind. Strengthen my faith and put me on the path to recovery. I ask you to intervene and grant that I receive the favor for which I now ask through Christ Our Lord. Amen. *-Brought to you by your Health & Wellness Council*



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Prayers of Thanksgiving

Thank God in prayer for the many blessings He grants us: our life, family, health, and salvation through Jesus Christ! "Giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ" ([Ephesians 5:20](#)).

Thanksgiving Day is a beautiful reminder to stop and give thanks for our blessings - and a great way to do that is through prayer. Whether you are gathering around the dinner table with friends and family or the holiday is months away, thanksgiving prayers are a beautiful way to focus your mind and heart on what matters most.

Let's make Thanksgiving Day and every day of the year more meaningful by focusing on what God has done, is doing, and will do for us. If you're looking for prayer ideas for giving thanks, below is a collection of prayers you can use to show gratitude, inspire gratefulness, and give thanks before the holiday dinner and throughout the year!

Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus

for you. ~ [1 Thessalonians 5:18](#)

Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever! ~ [Psalm 107:1](#)

This year may have been filled with new anxieties and worry but pausing to give thanks allows us to focus on what matters in life. Scripture tells us in [Philippians 4:6-7](#) that the peace of God guards us when we pray with thanksgiving. May these thanksgiving prayers enrich your life as you turn your focus to God's many promises and blessings. Giving thanks through prayer can turn anxiety into peace, sadness into joy, and grief into comfort.

A Simple Prayer of Thanks

Dear God, on this Thanksgiving Day, I want to pause and thank you for the blessings surrounding me. For another day, for family, friends, for food on the table. You are the source of all good things and we praise you for the simple things that bring us joy. Help us keep our eyes on you this day and every day, so our lives may be filled with praise and joy. Amen.

Psalm of Thanksgiving

Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth. Worship the LORD with gladness; come before him with joyful songs. Know that the LORD is God. He made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture. Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name. For the LORD is good, and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations. Amen. ([Psalm 100](#))

Psalm of Praise

Praise the LORD, my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. Praise the LORD, my soul, and forget not all his benefits— who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion, who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagles. The LORD works righteousness and justice for all the oppressed. Amen. ([Psalm 103](#))

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Missie Ohnemus Moore	Charlie & Scott Roan
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Josie & Eva Knuffman	Living & Deceased members of Peters & Maguire Families
Kuse & Schmidt Families	Living & Deceased Members of the Schulte family
Goehl & Koetters Families	Bill Wegs
Living and Deceased Members of the Hull, Dempsey and Kelly Families	J.R. & Alta Rosenkoetter
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