# Blessed Sacrament

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Blessed Sacrament Parish Phone: 222-2759

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Pastor Emeritus: Monsignor Michael Kuse Permanent Deacon: Deacon Terry Ellerman Director of Faith Formation: Audreana Derhake

Secretary: Laura Megown Bookkeeper: Linda Ohnemus Director of Music: Steve Buckman Custodian: Jennifer Cunningham

#### **SCHOOL**

Blessed Sacrament School Phone: 228-1477

Principal: Lisa Berhorst

School Administration Manager: Kailee Flesch

Secretary: Lori Quevillon Technology: Dottie Buckman Custodian: Rick Epping

#### **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

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

Thursday: 8:15 a.m. (School Year) First Saturday of the month: 8:30 a.m.

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m., 11:10 a.m. (Spanish)

#### **RECONCILIATION:**

Wednesday: 4:30 - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday: 7:30 - 8:30 a.m. (First Saturday)

3:30 - 4:15 p.m.

#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

Forming disciples through prayer, liturgy,

Word of God and service.



#### Blessed Sacrament Parish 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time October 1, 2023

Monday	October 2, 2023			
7:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer			
8:00 a.m.	Shelia Hugenberg			
Tuesday	October 3, 2023			
8:00 a.m.	Russ Borman			
Wednesday	October 4, 2023			
8:00 a.m.	John Maguire			
5:00 p.m.	Evening Prayers (Vespers)			
5:30 p.mRespect Life Mass Rita Walker &				
	the Souls of Purgatory			
Thursday	October 5, 2023			
8:15 a.m.	William & Myrtle Timpe			
3:00 p.m.	Klene Family			
Friday	October 6, 2023			
8:00 a.m.	First Friday Memorials			
Saturday	October 7, 2023			
8:30 a.m.	First Saturday Mass			
4:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer (Vespers)			
4:30 p.m.	For the People of the Parish			
Sunday	October 8, 2023			
8:00 a.m.	Elaine Hall			
10:00 a.m.	Tom Glosemeyer			

## Sunday, September 24, 2023

11:10 a.m.-Spanish

Suzanne Willer

Regular Collection:	\$ 6,144.00
Electronic Giving:	\$ 5,520.00
Total Collection	<b>\$ 11,664.00</b>
Weekly Support Needed: <b>Deficit/</b> Surplus:	\$ 12,013.00 <b>(\$ 349.00)</b>
Regular Support Actual (YTD)	\$121,304.81
Regular Support Needed (YTD)	<u>\$156,169.00</u>
Regular <b>Deficit</b> /Surplus: (YTD)	<b>(\$ 34,864.19)</b>
Total School Collection	\$ 3,927.00
Haiti	\$ 830.00

## From the Pastor's Desk

Today the Church celebrates the 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time. In the Gospel today Jesus tells the Parable of the Tenants. The landowner plants a vineyard and sends two groups of servants to obtain the produce. The tenants in charge of the vineyard reject and do violence to these servants. The landowner finally sends his own son, thinking that the tenants will show the rightful respect due a son. The tenants show the evilness of their hearts by putting the landowner's son to death. Jesus quotes the Scriptures, "The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone." In this parable Jesus has predicted his own execution at the hands of the chief priests and elders. The vineyard (the house of Israel) will be taken from these men and be "given to a people that will produce its fruit." The vineyard is still among us today in the presence of the Church. The Lord continues to invite workers who will obtain its fruit.

Today is **Respect Life Sunday**. Today the Church celebrates Respect for all Human Life from conception until natural death. Sins that are contrary to basic human dignity include murder, abortion, embryonic stem-cell research and cloning, euthanasia and

## From the Pastor's Desk Cont.

assisted suicide, and the death penalty. Bishop Paprocki and our US bishops point out that for American voters there are many important issues that require our attention at election time; however abortion is the preeminent issue. May we continue to defend the dignity of all human life.

This weekend our parish Finance Council will present the **Annual Financial Report for Fiscal Year 2022-23.** Members of the Finance Council are making a brief presentation at each of our Sunday Masses. We thank the Finance Council for their good work in overseeing the financial operations of our parish.

At our recent September Pastor's Cabinet meeting, we agreed that Blessed Sacrament Parish would take up the following monthly collections/donations:

1st Sunday of the Month: 2nd Collection for Haiti: In an effort to further assist our Sister Parish of St. Antoine in Haiti, we will take up a 2nd Collection after Holy Communion for our Sister Parish. Monthly envelopes can be found in your Envelope packets.

Donations for Mini Food Pantry: In order to assist in filling our Mini Food Pantry across from the church on 7<sup>th</sup> Street, we ask parish members to bring non-perishable food donations on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of every month. (This will be distinct from the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday food donations we receive for Catholic Charities/Ladies of Charity.) These food donations can be placed in the Gathering Space area. Our Vincent De Paul volunteers will store these non-perishable items, and disburse them into the pantry throughout each month.

This month we begin our **October Count** of all persons attending Mass on the weekends of October. These numbers assist the Springfield Diocese in their continued efforts of pastoral planning.

Next weekend we will hear our annual Lay Witness Talk from Audreana Derhake, in preparation for our annual Stewardship Sunday (October 21/22). We thank our parish members for their courage and witness that inspire us in our own journey of discipleship and stewardship.

Please mark your calendars for two upcoming October liturgies: Wednesday, October 4 @ 5:30 p.m.: Respect Life Mass. Throughout the day (8:30-5:00 p.m.) Eucharistic Adoration will be offered for the Special Intention of Respect for all Human Life. Parish members and parish groups are encouraged to spend 30 minutes or an hour in prayer sometime throughout the day. At 5:30 p.m. we will have Mass with the special intention of praying for respect and defense of all Human Life.

Wednesday, October 18 @ 5:30 p.m.: Health Care Mass. Traditionally known as the White Mass, this Mass is celebrated to honor doctors, nurses, medical technicians, hospital administrators, and emergency personnel in appreciation for their service to the local community. This Mass will be a wonderful opportunity for our parish community to thank the members of our Healthcare community for the tremendous work they do.

Finally, next **Sunday, October 8 at 6:00 p.m.** is our **Musical Concert with Donna Cori Gibson**. She is a Catholic vocal artist from St. Louis, and we are happy to have her with us in two weeks for the entire weekend. Please plan to join us!

May the Peace of Christ be with you all, Fr. Tom



**2 kids. 1 faith. An inspirational interview** – Sometimes you don't need a priest, a theology professor, or even your spouse to get you inspired about our Catholic faith. You can look to children who are excited to live out our faith. But why do they live it joyfully? How do they get this way? What suggestions do they have for parents?

Matthew and Thomas of Springfield join Dive Deep to inspire us. Go to dio.org/podcast or search "Dive Deep" on all the major podcast platforms to listen and subscribe

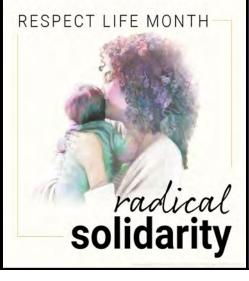


## The World Needs Fatima Rosary Rally

Saturday, October 14 2023 @ Noon Sharp
2702 N 24th St Quincy IL 62301
Join Us! Help us spread Our Lady's Fatima message:
Prayer, Penance, Conversion!

## **GIFT begins October 9!**

Our first formation session will take place in Blessed Sacrament School <u>Cafeteria</u> from 6-730. If you have any questions please call the parish office or email faithformation@blessedscs.org



#### Respect Life Essay Contest -

The American Life League is having an essay contest for middle and high school students. For essay prompts and information to submit essays go to: <a href="https://www.all.org/clsp/2023-pro-life-essay-contest">www.all.org/clsp/2023-pro-life-essay-contest</a>.

Essays must be submitted by November 6.

#### October 1, 2023 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary <u>Time</u>

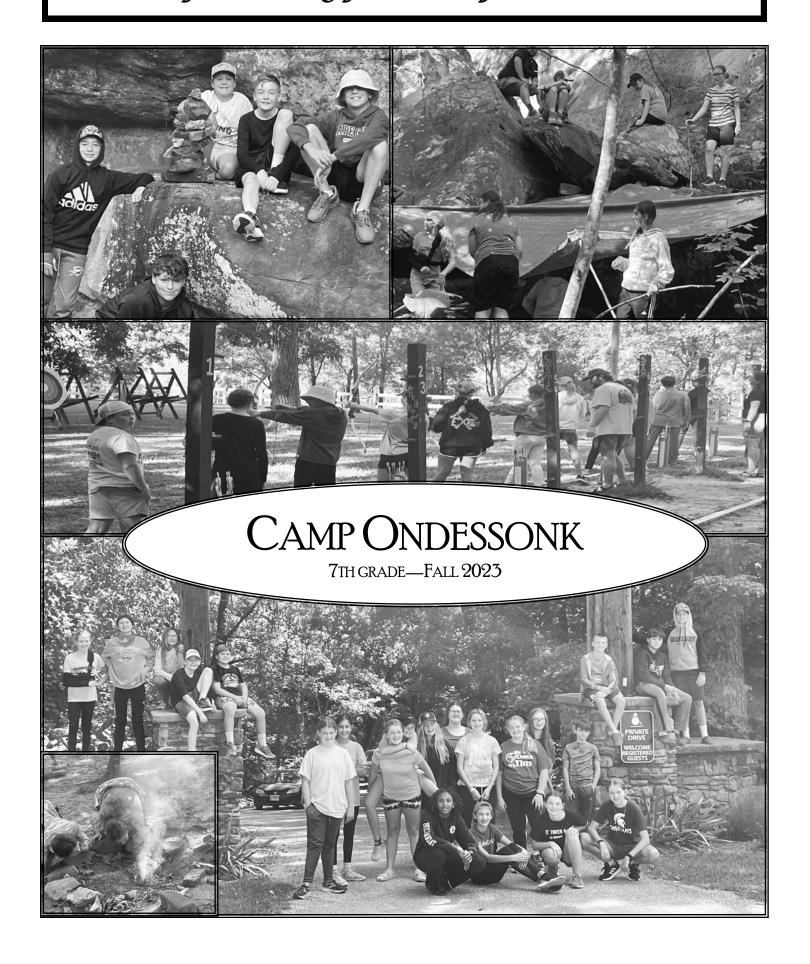
"Do nothing out of selfishness; rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves..." Philippians 2:3

Pride and ego are hard things to control. We see how others act or dress and think we are superior to them. We idolize our own self-image. But, if we truly believe everything is a gift from God, we recognize all the people that God has put in our lives as gifts! We are grateful for how they enrich our lives. Pray every day for the people in your life: your family, your friends and those who make you angry.

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to be courageously pro-woman, promoting a choice that truly protects, accompanies, and supports women and their children

## Prayer...Líturgy...Word of God...Servíce



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## 2023 Life Chain

Sunday, October 1 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

South Side of Broadway between 14th & 18th Streets, Quincy, IL

Right to Life supporters will again join with pro-lifers in hundreds of other U.S. cities in a nationwide observance of the sanctity of life at the 2023 Life Chain. Life Chain is a peaceful and respectful public witness by pro-life Americans standing for one hour praying silently for our nation and for an end to abortion. (Those not able to stand for one hour may bring lawn chairs) Please join the pro-life community in making a visual statement of pro-life solidarity.

YOUR participation is crucial.

HIGH VISIBILITY--A great opportunity to impact thousands of passers-by with the pro-life message. Please stand two arm-lengths apart.

Pick up your sign at the SW corner of 16th and Broadway between 2:00 and 2:30 p.m.

The National Life Chain signs are provided for each participant by the Right to Life of Adams County.

## Respect Life Dinner

Right to Life of Adams County again offers you the opportunity to hear a great speaker and to support the pro-life cause.

The 2023 annual Respect Life Dinner will feature Steve Karlen, who has had much pro-life success in the use of both prayer rallies and the media, and is Communications Director for 40 Days for Life. Steve wrote the book This Is When We Begin to Fight and co-authored, with Shawn Carney, the bestselling book, What to Say When: The Complete New Guide to Discussing Abortion.

Date: Thursday, October 12, 2023

Time: Doors open, 5:30 p.m.;

Dinner, 6:00 p.m.;

Guest speaker, following dinner

Location: Holiday Inn, 4821 Oak Street, Quincy IL

Price: \$25 per person;

\$40, 2 persons; \$150, table of 8

By reservation only; no tickets available at the door. Reservations must be made by Sunday, October 8. Call or text Lyn Schlipmann, 217-653-0075 for reservations and information.

FYI...While it may seem far off given the weather, furnaces are gonna be firing up soon. Now is a good time to get it checked by a certified professional. This is all because of CO or Carbon Monoxide. CO is colorless, odorless, and deadly. Make sure your appliances are running properly, and above all else maintain or purchase two Carbon Monoxide alarms for your household.

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## St. Peter Adoration Chapel Needs Adorers

OPEN Hours that are available are:

Tuesday: 2 p.m.

Wednesday: 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 a.m., 11 a.m. on the

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> weeks of the month **Thursday:** Midnight 2<sup>nd</sup> week of the month

**Friday:** 1 a.m., 11 p.m.

Saturday: Midnight, 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 p.m. on the 1st, 5<sup>th</sup> weeks of the month, 5 p.m. on the 2nd week of

the month.

Please call Mary Voorhis at 217 653 3127 or call or text Gina Wolf at 217 257 9966 with questions or to fill an hour.

### 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.

#### Remember the Sick in Your Prayers...

Please family pray parish members: Doris Hildebrand, Tom Liesen, Állan Harvey, Robin Cimera, Barb Peters, Maggie Kistner, Robert Conover, Linda Anemone, Sandy Meade, Monica Mast, Ken Nelson, Eric Strunk, Lori Massey, Carl Nieders, Paulette Vahlkamp, Mary Bradfield, Rosie Meyer, Carol Price. Linda Hinkamper, & Dave Terwelp.

> 14 Day Candle Burns in Memory of Charles & Betty Luther



## Calling All Crafters!!! Blessed Sacrament Bazaar Needs You!

We are looking for vendors to sell at the bazaar on December 2. If you are interested or know anyone who is interested please have them contact Karen Cawthon. Cell # 217-242-1505 or email cawthon.mark@comcast.net

If you are a crafter, but do not want to be a vendor, the Blessed Sacrament ladies have a booth. We welcome all donations. Please contact Karen or Anna Marie Bentele. We can pick up items you have to sell or they can be brought to the K of C on December 1.

Again this year we will have the gift card raffle and the silent raffle. Donations are needed for both raffles and can be dropped off at the parish office.

#### LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Saturday, October 7, 2023 Communion **Mass Times** Servers Greeters Usher Lectors Minister Gary Beckman Sub. Requested & Blake Myers Deacon Terry Debbie Smith (GS) Jim Schrand

Bonnie Cook (WD)

Kari & Travis Shull

Pam LaTour

Lee John

Jo Casper

## LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Sunday, October 8, 2023

(SD)

Ruth Bange

Teresa Zaerr

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Hadley Garner Asher Richards Ava Beswick	Kailee Flesch Sub. Requested Kevin Steinkamp	Pat & Sue Ann Gerveler (GS) Sub. Requested (WD) Mary Lynn Tucker (SD)	Jeff Brandon	Jean Brod Brian Brod Danielle Weise Andy Weise
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Riley Grant Sub. Requested Haley Terwellp	Jennifer Dickerman Sub. Requested Maggie Reis	Cory Vogel Family (GS)  Blake & Jordyn Haubrich (WD)  Henry Wilson Family (SD)	Mike Young Amanda Young	Ron Kelly Marvin Schreacke Sub. Requested Patrick Kistner

#### SERVERS Week of October 2, 2023

Monday, October 2, 2023, 8:00 a.m. & Tuesday, October 3, 8:00 a.m.: Brinna Stafford & Vivi Wilson Wednesday, October 4, 8:00 a.m.: Olivia Young & Abram Hendrian Thursday, October 5, 8:00 a.m.: Olivia Young, Abram Hendrian & Allison Lenane Friday, October 6, 8:00 a.m.: Allison Lenane & Olivia Young

## This Week in Our Parish

Vivi Wilson

Leah Terwelp

Saturday,

4:30 p.m.

#### Tuesday October 3, 2023 GriefShare-GS 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. Legion of Mary-GS 1:15 p.m.-3:00 p.m. Junior Legion of Mary-GS 3:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. Bazaar Planning Mtg.-GS 6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m.

#### Wednesday October 4, 2023 Adoration-Church 8:30 a.m.— 5:10 p.m. 1:00 p.m.- 2:30 p.m. Bible Study-GS 4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Reconciliation St. Vincent DePaul-GS 6:00 p.m.- 7:15 p.m. Pastoral Council-GS 7:15 p.m.

#### Thursday 33 Days to Morning Glory-TL 6:00 p.m.- 6:45 p.m. RCIA-GS

October 5, 2023 6:00 p.m.

## St. Anthony Ladies Society Fall Craft/ Vendor Show

Saturday, October 7, 9:00 a.m. -2:00 p.m. in the parish hall at St. Anthony Church. The St. Dominic School 8th graders will be holding a bake sale and the St. Anthony Quilters will be selling chances for a quilt to be given away later in the year. The St. Anthony Ladies Society will be kicking off a RADA Cutlery fundraiser at the event.

Vendors will be selling handcrafted jewelry, rosaries and memorial items, Tupperware, Pampered Chef, wooden handmade cutting boards, ceramics, wreaths, crocheted & knit hats, gloves, scarves, painted signs, lighted glass florals, handmade fabric purses, wine caddies and fabric tote bags, dog treats, t-shirts, tumblers, embroidered kitchen towels, baby blankets, jean aprons, and many more handmade items! Get a start on your holiday shopping and decorating! There will be food, including homemade cinnamon rolls, so bring your friends, shop, and have lunch!









#### First Friday Memorials 2023-2024

Flaiz & Lohman Families & Nick Miller

William & Esther Bergman Les Duesterhaus Charlie & Scott Roan Living & Deceased Members of Lawrence & Marie Klauser Family Living & Deceased Members of Schulte & Kroeger Families Goehl & Koetters Families Parker & Mildred Gates Barbara Gerdes & Mary Gerdes Harold & Virginia Hartman Marian & Virgil Terwelp Richard & Helen Lukeman Dick Iseminger & Families Mike & Laura Rokita & Liz Galloway

Madalon Elam, Marshall & Mildred Campbell, Hamil & Hilda Elam, John & Delores Peterson, John Peterson Jr.

Carl & Margaret Spettnagel Cook, Gallaher & VandenBoom Families

Sage Moore Mary & Greg Wellman Kenneth & Joan Steinkamp Selby & Meier Families Tracy Dede & the Families of Mary

& Jerry Lovell Jeffrey & BJ VandenBoom

Fr. Don Everett & Mary Knuffman The Hessling Family Larry & David Steinkamp Virginia & Francis Liesen Michael G. Liesen Bill Wegs

Milkint & Weede Families William Hughes Bange & Benz Families

Frank & Elsie Olps Family Robert & Viola Klingele Families Henry & Regina Geschwandner **Families** 

Louis & Laura Holtschlag & Family Louis J. Frese & Walker Morrison Families

Kathleen Cain

Franke & Smith Families Living & Deceased Members of Peters & Maguire Families Kuse & Schmidt Families A.B. Blickhan & H.B. Schuering

Families Missie Ohnemus Moore Living & Deceased Members of Penie & Emma Vahlkamp Albright & Havermale Families

Deceased Members of Fenwick & Schinderling Families Berter & Smith Families

Maas & Doyle Families Frank & Joyce Kroeger & Mary A. Meyer

Ted Peters, Vern, Rose & Gerald Zimmerman

Living & Deceased Members of the Sacred Heart League Deceased Members of the Haugh

& Jochem Families Living & Deceased Members of Dempsey, Hull & Kelly Families Clarence & Evelyn Genenbacher

Family Deceased & Living Members of the Community of Catholic Women Living & Deceased Members of Rita Walker Family

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