

Blessed Sacrament

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PARISH

Blessed Sacrament Parish Phone: 222-2759

Pastor: Fr. Tom Meyer

Pastor Emeritus: Monsignor Michael Kuse

Permanent Deacons: Deacon Terry Ellerman, Deacon Mike Ellerman

Director of Faith Formation: Audreana Derhake

Secretary: Laura Megown

Bookkeeper: Linda Ohnemus

Director of Music: Steve Buckman

Custodian: Ted Hea

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.

Wednesday: 5:30 p.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)

EUCHARIST ADORATION

Wednesday: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION:

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

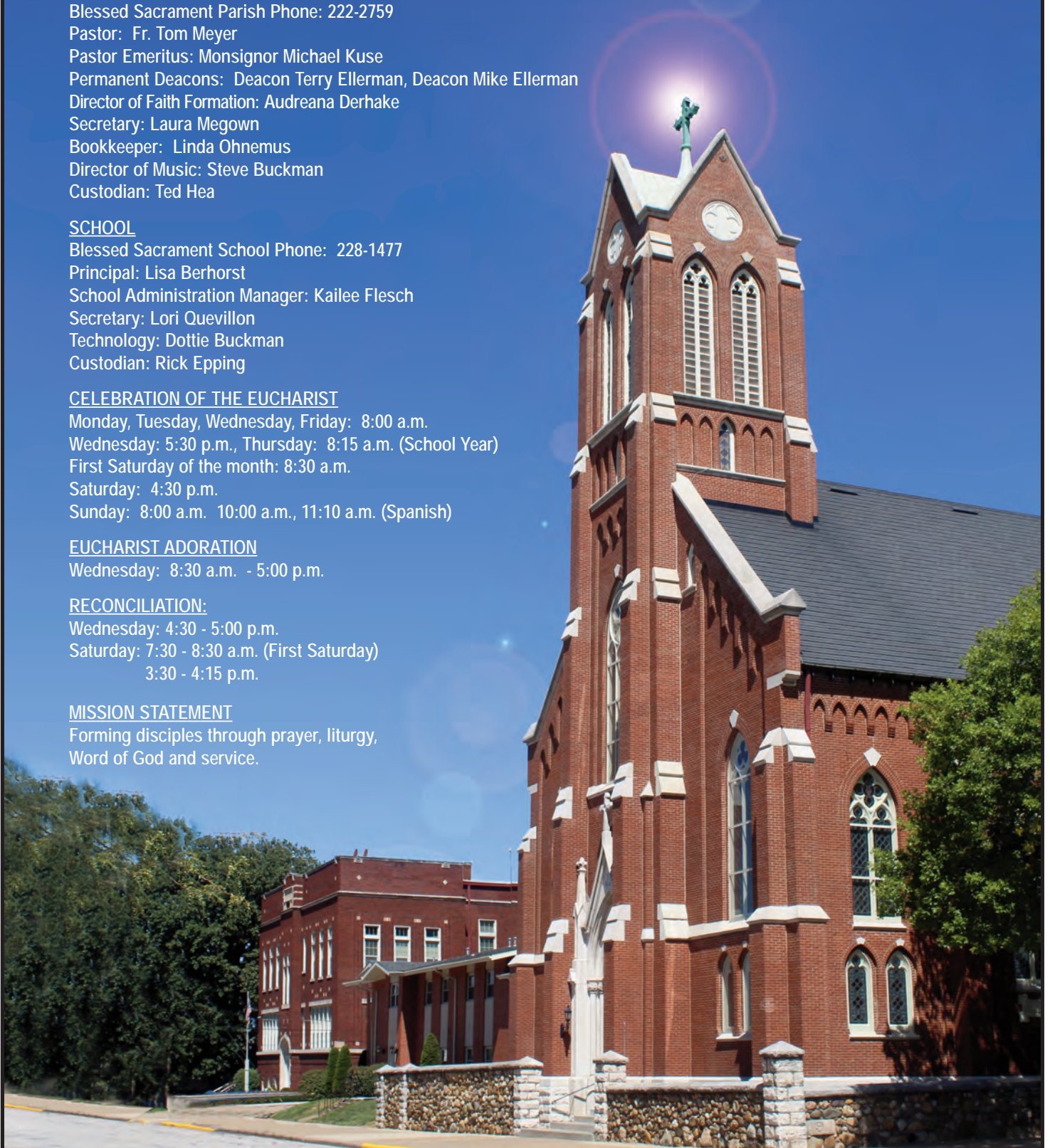
Saturday: 7:30 - 8:30 a.m. (First Saturday)

3:30 - 4:15 p.m.

MISSION STATEMENT

Forming disciples through prayer, liturgy,

Word of God and service.



Blessed Sacrament Parish
Solemnity of Pentecost
 May 19, 2024

Monday	May 20, 2024
8:00 a.m.	Mary Janz
Tuesday	May 21, 2024
8:00 a.m.	John Sloup
Wednesday	May 22, 2024
8:00 a.m.	Jeff Umsar
5:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer (Vespers)
5:30 p.m.	Klene Family
Thursday	May 23, 2024
8:15 a.m.	Gary Reis
Friday	May 24, 2024
8:00 a.m.	John Allen
Saturday	May 25, 2024
4:30 p.m.	Wm. & Myrtle Timpe Family
Sunday	May 26, 2024
8:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
10:00 a.m.	Elaine Hall
11:15 a.m.-Spanish	Jim Winking

Sunday, May 12, 2024

Regular Collection:	\$ 8,002.00
Electronic Giving:	\$ 940.00
Total Collection	\$ 8,942.00
Weekly Support Needed:	\$ 12,013.00
Deficit/Surplus:	(\$ 3,071.00)
Regular Support Actual (YTD)	\$ 517,465.36
Regular Support Needed (YTD)	\$ 552,598.00
Regular Deficit/Surplus: (YTD)	(\$ 35,132.00)
Total School Collection	\$ 3,517.00
Haiti	\$ 1,035.00

This Week in Our Parish

Tuesday	May 21, 2024
GriefShare-GS	10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.
Legion of Mary-GS	1:15 p.m.–3:00 p.m.
Jr. Legion of Mary-GS	3:00 p.m.–4:00 p.m.
Pre-K Graduation-Church	6:00 p.m.
Pre-K Graduation Reception-GS	6:45 p.m.
Mysteries of the Rosary-School	6:30 p.m.
Wednesday	May 22, 2024
Adoration-Church	8:30 a.m.– 5:00 p.m.
Bible Study-GS	1:00 p.m.–2:30 p.m.
Reconciliation-Church	4:30 p.m.–5:00 p.m.
Evening Prayer/Benediction	5:00 p.m.–5:20 p.m.
Adoration Resumes-Church	6:00 p.m.– 9:30 p.m.
Building & Grounds Comm.-GS	6:00 p.m.–7:15 p.m.
Thursday	May 23, 2024
RCIA-GS	6:30 pm–8:00 p.m.
Saturday	May 24, 2024
Health & Wellness Comm.-GS	9:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m.

From the Pastor's Desk

Today we celebrate the **Solemnity of Pentecost**. We celebrate today the Descent of the Holy Spirit on the Apostles whereby the Church was officially born. We also celebrate the Holy Spirit's descent into our lives through the sacraments of baptism and confirmation. The gifts of the Holy Spirit are at our disposal for building up the Church and transforming us in holiness. What are the unique gifts of the Holy Spirit that I have been given? And how is the Lord calling me to use them for His Church?

Today (Sunday, May 19) at 10:00 a.m. Mass we will honor all **Parish Graduating H.S. Seniors from the Class of 2024**. A small reception will be held for them in the Gathering Space following our 10:00 a.m. liturgy. Congratulations to our Graduating Senior Class of 2024!

This upcoming Tuesday, May 21 at 6:00 p.m. we celebrate our **BSS PreK Graduation**. We honor our PreK students who are now preparing for Kindergarten. We thank PreK teacher Lori Moore for her continued fantastic leadership of our BSS PreK program.

Next Monday, May 27 we will have our annual **Memorial Day Mass at Calvary Cemetery @ 9:00 a.m.** Please join us for our Memorial Day Masses as we honor the memory of our faithful departed. In event of rain, we will have Mass at St. Anthony's Church.

This month of May we encourage members to give to our semi-annual Collection for our **Quincy Catholic Cemeteries**. Monies from this collection help provide ongoing care and support to our parish cemeteries. Please place your contributions in the Cemetery Care envelope found in your monthly packet.

Next week on Wednesday, May 29 we are organizing a **Server Appreciation Outing to Siloam Springs State Park**. This is an opportunity for us to express our appreciation for our altar servers for their dedication and wonderful care they give to this ministry. We will have opportunities for hiking and fishing, followed by a picnic lunch and an outdoor Mass. I thank Andy Flachs and Kailee Flesch in helping to organize this event.

Vacation Bible School will soon be here. The dates for this year's **VBS is June 10 -14 @ 6:00-8:30 p.m.** each evening. Please contact VBS Coordinator Allison Menz if you would like to volunteer or sign up.

Our **Wednesday evening 5:30 p.m. Mass has transitioned to a more "Traditional Liturgical Style."** This will include chanting the Entrance & Communion antiphons, priest/people sung dialogue, and Ad Orientem ("facing East") direction of priest facing in the same direction with the people. If you have an interest in this liturgical style, please "**Vote with your Feet**" by attending Wednesday evening 5:30 p.m. Mass.

Finally, on Sunday, June 2 after the 10:00 a.m. Mass we will have a **Corpus Christi Procession to QND High School** as part of our celebration of the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ. A sub-committee chaired by Mandy Young has been formed to plan this liturgical event. Please let us know if you are interested in helping with this event.

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

WALK WITH JESUS ON OUR CITY STREETS IN UNPRECEDENTED EXPERIENCE – You are invited to join the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage, coming to seven cities in our diocese July 8-12! This is a once-in-a-lifetime experience in which Catholics will pray and publicly follow Jesus through Eucharistic processions. Cities include Collinsville, Alton, Quincy, Girard, Springfield, Effingham, and Teutopolis. Mass, adoration, potluck dinners, and powerful witness talks are also part of the experience. **BE THERE WHEN GOD MOVES IN YOUR COMMUNITY!** Go to dio.org to learn more and register.

Pentecost Sunday

“There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone.” – 1 Corinthians 12:4-6

All of us are blessed, regardless of our own individual circumstances. God has given each of us many gifts. How we use those gifts is our gift back to God. For God’s plan to work, each must do what we are called to do. Guess what? We are not all called to do the same thing! For God’s plan to work you have to do what God is calling you to do and I have to do what God is calling me to do.

Adams County Catholic Summer Faith Opportunities!

June 9-10th - St. Anthony/St. Dominic VBS

June 10-13 - Blessed Sacrament VBS

June 16-21 - St. Francis & St. Peter Totus Tuas

June 24-27 - St. Brigid, St. Joseph, & St. Edward VBS

July 11-13 - St. Thomas VBS

Please contact any of these parishes for more information about their programs!

*“Let the children come to me, and do not prevent them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.” - Jesus
Matthew 19:14*

Blessed Sacrament Legion of Mary

invites you to the

**Alliance of Two Hearts
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June 7th 7:30pm - June 8th 12:30am

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More information to follow



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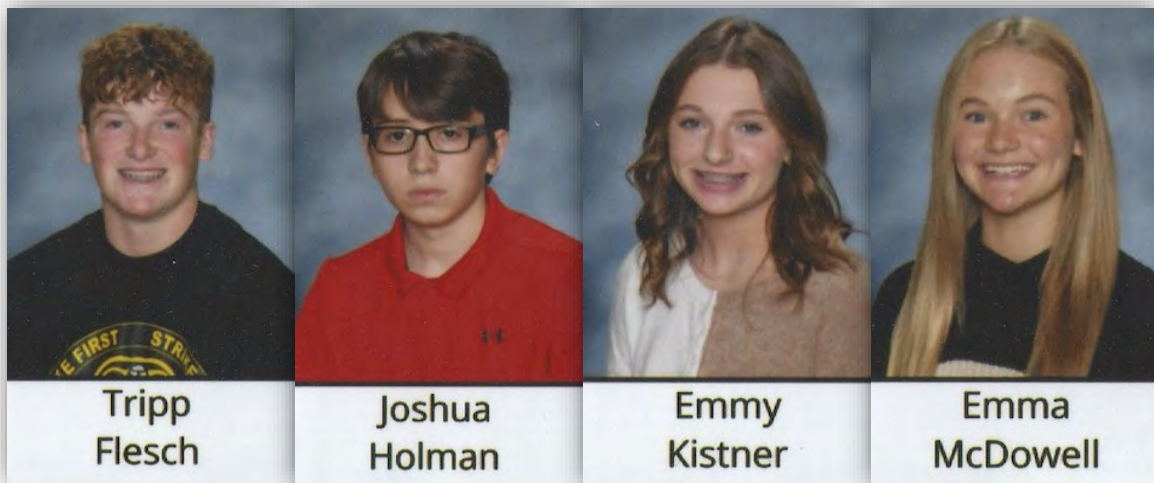
In the Gospel of John, we see the powerful scene in which Jesus gives to the Church his final gift: “Behold, your mother!” (John 19:27). Here we see Jesus inaugurating Mary’s role as mother of the Church. Therefore, it should be no surprise that from the very earliest time of the Church, Christians have turned to Mary as their spiritual mother for her prayers and her motherly help.

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CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES



Area Church Events

Junefest will be Saturday, June 1, 5 pm-midnight at St. Dominic School, 4100 Columbus Road! There will be Mass at 4 p.m. in St. Dominic School gym. (No 4 or 6:30 p.m. Mass at St. Anthony on June 1 but there will be a 6:30 p.m. Mass on Sunday June 2 at St. Anthony). The band will be *Raised on Radio* and will be playing 7:30-11:30 p.m. There will be food, drinks, games, entertainment, youth talent performances, bingo, kiddieland, raffle, basket raffle, and silent auction. Come out and join the fun.

MEMORIAL DAY MASS CEMETERY CHAPEL

MONDAY, MAY 27, 2024 AT 9:00 a.m.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO SOCIAL DISTANCE
BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR IF POSSIBLE.

ST. ANTHONY'S CHURCH WILL BE HOSTING
THIS YEAR, IN CASE OF RAIN THE SERVICE
WILL BE HELD AT ST. ANTHONY'S CHURCH

Sacred Heart League Breakfast

The Sacred Heart League will gather for Mass, adoration and breakfast on Friday, June 7, 2024 at 8 a.m., on the *Feast of the Sacred Heart*. Everyone is welcome to come & share in this special devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus!

The Mega Raffle

Time is running out! The time is now to get your tickets purchased for the Everybody Wins Mega Raffle. With more than \$140,000 in cash prizes available, this could be your year! Tickets are available at QuincyMegaRaffle.org or at the parish and school offices.

welcome!

WELCOME TO THOSE THAT
JOINED OUR PARISH IN
MARCH & APRIL!

Jeffrey & Sarah Harsell & Family
**Christopher & Maria Hillebrenner
& Family**
**Cameron & Jacqueline Cain &
Family**
Kevin & Ashlen Carder & Family

We are so glad you're here!

Circle of Caring

If you know of anyone who could use a helping hand after returning home from the hospital, please contact the Parish Office at 217-222-2759. 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, Allan Harvey, Robin Cimera, Barb Peters, Robert Conover, Monica Mast, Erik Strunk, Lori Massey, Carl Niders, Mary Bradfield, Rosie Meyer, Gene & Rita Esselman, Phyllis Feld, Dan Meade, Kristin Adams, Billie Alonzo, Sandy Mead, Jane Lester, & Dorothy Zopf.



14 Day Candle
Burns in Memory of
Madalon Elam



BLESSED
SACRAMENT
PARISH INVITES
YOU TO VACATION
BIBLE SCHOOL
2024!

When: June 10-14 from 5:30-8:00pm

Where: Blessed Sacrament Catholic School

Who: 3 years old to 5th grade (grade entering
fall 2024 school year)

Cost: \$20 per child or \$50 for family of 3 or
more (includes t-shirt and snack nightly)

Registration: Scan the QR code to register and
pay online! Or visit the Parish Facebook page to
click the registration link

Volunteers: Adults and 6th-12th grade
students that would like to volunteer, scan
the QR code for volunteers or contact Allison
Menz. (Can earn service hours!)

Questions: Contact the parish office or Allison

Menz (allisonmenz@blessedscs.org)



SCAN ME

STUDENT
REGISTRATION
HERE!

VOLUNTEERS
SIGN UP
HERE!



SCAN ME

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Saturday, May 25, 2024

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Saturday, 4:30 p.m.	Reagan Luchetti Kerrylee Rosson Jocelyn Weise	Deacon Terry Joe Casper Katrina Casper	Paulette Bozarth (GS) Steve Myers (WD) Diane Butler (SD)	Jeanne Smith	James Smith Jim Schrand Melissa Daggett John Daggett

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Saturday, May 26, 2024

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Olivia Young Stone Flesch Hadley Garner	Deacon Terry Colleen Maalouf Mary Lynn Tucker	Brett & Stephanie Niemann (GS) Caitlin Deskins (WD) Brian & Jean Brod (SD)	Gayle Tenhouse	Jeff Goerlich Ed Lohman Ted Johnson Kevin Steinkamp

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Alijah Dawson Riley Grant Lillian Hendrian	Deacon Mike Jill Kelly Jennifer Dickerman	Kim Vogel & Sub. Requested (GS) Shawn & Kristen Buehler (WD) Karen Kalberer (SD)	Kathy Xamis Mike Grant	Marvin Schreacke Ron Kelly Greg Young Cory Vogel

SERVERS Week of May 20, 2024

Monday, May 20, 8:00 a.m.: Alek Coronado & Katelyn Dance

Tuesday, May 21, 8:00 a.m.: Alek Coronado & Katelyn Dance

Wednesday, May 22, 8:00 a.m.: TBA

Thursday, May 23, 8:15 a.m.: Abram Hendrian, Allison Lenane & Quinn Feldner

Friday, May 24, 8:00 a.m.: TBA

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS – WE HOPE YOU FIND A HOME HERE!

We are glad that you are here! We pray that through our worship, you may experience the depth of God's love for us. If you would like to register as a member of Blessed Sacrament Parish, please complete the form below and drop it in the collection basket, or email the rectory office at: parishoffice@blessedscs.org Or if you prefer, scan the below QR code and complete the form online. Once received, someone from parish office will contact you for additional information.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Date: _____ Phone: _____



If you have not been active in the practice of the Catholic faith, we encourage you to return. If a previous marriage has kept you from receiving the Sacraments, we invite you to contact our pastor. In many cases, we can work with you toward a favorable solution so you can again receive the Sacraments in the Catholic Church.

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FREE SUMMER LUNCHES
Beginning June 3 thru July 19

Blessed Sacrament School
1117 South 7th
(In the alley between the school and the church)

Monday thru Friday
11:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.
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NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED!

To volunteer visit:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040B48A9A82DA6F85-49693463-summer>

St. Louis Cardinal Baseball...

Friday, July 26, 2024

7:15 p.m.

Cards vs. Washington Nationals

Free Cardinal Bobblehead Giveaway!!!

Tickets \$95.00 including transportation.

Please pay for tickets when ordering.

Checks are to be payable to Blessed Sacrament Church and paid at the

Blessed Sacrament Church Office,

1119 South 7th St., Quincy, IL

Call 217-222-2759 for more information.

Bus will load at 3:00 p.m. from Blessed Sacrament School parking lot off South 8th Street

Food and drinks will be allowed on the Bus

Seats: Section 268, handicap Accessible area. Food, drinks & bathrooms close by.

Stadium does not accept cash!



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 William & Esther Bergman
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 Charlie & Scott Roan
 Living & Deceased Members of Lawrence & Marie Klauer 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
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 Jeffrey & BJ VandenBoom
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 Bill Wegs
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 Norbert & Viola Klingele Families
 Henry & Regina Geschwandner Families
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Kathleen Cain
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 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
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 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
 Deceased & Living Members of the Community of Catholic Women
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 Irene Rossmiller
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