Blessed Sacrament

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PARISH

Blessed Sacrament Parish Phone: 217-222-2759

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

Blessed Sacrament Society of St. Vincent de Paul: 217-430-3723

SCHOOL

Blessed Sacrament School Phone: 217-228-1477

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., 11:30 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,

Vord of God and service.



Blessed Sacrament Parish 18th Sunday of Ordinary Time August 4, 2024

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	Monday	August 5, , 2024
	8:00 a.m.	James Johnson
	Tuesday	August 6, 2024
	8:00 a.m.	Virginia Schuering
	Wednesday	August 7, 2024
	8:00 a.m.	John Maguire
	5:30 p.m.	Klene Family
	Thursday	August 8, 2024
	8:00 a.m.	Bill Casper
	3:00 p.mSunset Home	Fr. Steve Sotiroff
	Friday	August 9, 2024
	8:00 a.m.	Kenny Nelson
	Saturday	August 10, 2024
	4:30 p.m.	Mary Lou Petes
	Sunday	August 11, 2024
	8:00 a.m.	Max Kine
	10:00 a.m.	Darlene & Brad Heckenkamp

Sunday, July 28, 2024

People of the Parish

11:30 a.m.-Spanish

Regular Collection: Electronic Giving: Total Collection	\$ \$	6,257.00 5,010.00 11,267.00
Weekly Support Needed: Deficit/ Surplus:	\$ (\$	12,013.00 746.00)
Regular Support Actual (YTD) Regular Support Needed (YTD) Regular Deficit /Surplus: (YTD)	\$ <u>\$</u> (\$	39,784.10 48,052.00 8,267.90)
Total School Collection Haiti	\$ \$	3,565.00 745.00

This Week in Our Parish

Tuesday Legion of Mary-GS Wednesday Adoration-Church Reconciliation-Church Evening Prayer/Benediction St. Vincent DePaul-GS Thursday	August 6, 2024 1:15 p.m 3:00 p.m. August 7, 2024 8:30 a.m5:00 p.m. 4:30 p.m5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m5:20 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
RCIA-GS	6:30 p.m.
Saturday	August 10, 2024
Drop Your School Supplies	4:00 p.m.–4:30 p.m.
in Classroom	
Mass in the Grass	4:30 p.m.
Back-to-School Bash	After Mass

From the Pastor's Desk

Today we celebrate the 18th Sunday of Ordinary Time. We continue our 5-week Gospel short course on the Eucharist from John's Chapter 6. Jesus says, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst." Jesus invites us to "come" and "believe". May we continue to seek the Lord who satisfies the desires of our hearts.

Our Stewardship Committee has scheduled two upcoming **Fellowship Opportunities** for our parish members who attend Saturday 4:30 p.m. Mass and Sunday 8:00 a.m. Masses:

(next) Sunday, August 11 after 8:00 a.m. Mass: Coffee and Donuts

Saturday, August 17 after 4:30 p.m. Mass: Wine and Cheese

It is time to begin thinking about RCIA. In a few weeks we will return to weekly sessions of RCIA for those considering entrance into the Catholic faith. The first several months of RCIA are considered a period of "Inquiry" when participants have a chance to learn more about the Catholic faith without making any specific commitments. If you or someone you know are interested in starting in the RCIA, please contact Deacon Terry or Ann Gage.

Finally, next Saturday evening, August 10 we will celebrate our 4:30 p.m. Mass as an outdoor "Mass in the Grass," in the grassy area on the west side of 7th Street. We will have picnic tables to sit on, and we will have a large tent over us to protect us from the sun. After Mass we will have grilled hot dogs and bratwurst to eat, in addition to side items that parish members will be bringing. Blessed Sacrament School families will be bringing their "Stop and drop" items before and after Mass. I would like to thank our parish Pastoral Council for envisioning and executing this event. We welcome our parish members to come enjoy next Saturday our 2nd annual "Mass in the Grass!"

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

To report allegations of sexual abuse of a minor by clergy or other church personnel -- even if it is in the past -- individuals are encouraged to call the Diocese's Child Abuse Reporting and Investigation number at 217.321.1155. Individuals may also contact Illinois Department of Children and Family Services Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.25.ABUSE.



Discover Community and Faith: Join A Church Small Group!

Are you looking to deepen your faith and build lasting connections? Church Small Groups offer a warm and welcoming environment where you can grow spiritually and personally alongside fellow parishioners.

Why Join a Small Group?

- . Nurture Your Faith: Engage in meaningful discussions and explore the teachings of the Church in a supportive setting.
- Build Stronger Connections: Forge friendships with like-minded individuals who share your values and interests.
- Support and Encourage Each Other: Share your journey, celebrate milestones, and find encouragement through life's challenges.
- Serve Together: Get involved in community service and outreach projects that make a difference.

Special Study Opportunity This Fall: "A Biblical Walk Through the Mass"

We are excited to offer a new study called "A Biblical Walk Through the Mass." This enriching series, guided by renowned author Edward Sri, delves into the profound significance of the Mass. Through this study, you will:

- . Understand the Mass More Deeply: Gain insight into the biblical roots and historical background of the Mass.
- . **Enhance Your Worship Experience:** Discover how each part of the Mass connects to Scripture and the Church's traditions.
- . **Strengthen Your Faith:** Experience a more profound appreciation for the sacrament and its transformative power in your life.

How to Get Involved:

- Check out the Study: Stop in the Gathering Space after Mass beginning 8/11 and flip through the study book
- . **Connect with Us:** Reach out to our Director of Faith Formation to find the perfect group for you or to start your own.
- . **Sign up:** Scan the QR code, send an email or call the parish office to sign up as a group member, leader or host! Opportunities for in person sign up available after Mass over the month of August.

Join us and be a part of a vibrant community dedicated to faith, friendship, and service. Let's grow together in Christ and make a positive impact both within our parish and beyond!

Audreana Derhake
Director of Faith Formation
faithformation@blessedscs.org
217.222.2759





Please join us for a Back to School Bash! Saturday, August 10 at 4:30 for Mass in the Grass followed by a potluck dinner. Students may also "Stop & Drop" off their school supplies in their classrooms before Mass from 4-4:30.

Grass Lot on 7th Street Saturday, August 10 @ 4:30 Mass

#beasaint

<u>Parish Families with school aged children:</u> be sure to stop by the cafeteria for a special gift from Blessed Sacrament Parish and The Family Dinner Project!

Blessed Sacrament Parish First Friday Memorial September 2024-August 2025

It's Time to Renew or Add New Names to our First Friday Memorial. The Memorial is a special offering made by parishioners of Blessed Sacrament Parish through which your intentions are remembered at a Mass to be celebrated each First Friday throughout the entire year. The members of the Memorial are printed each week of the year in our parish Sunday Bulletin. Blessed Sacrament parish requests a yearly donation of \$70 for the intentions to be remembered at this monthly Mass. Call the office at 217-222-2759 for more information.

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.



14 Day Candle Burns in Memory of Chad Herring

Please Pray for Parish Family Members: ...

Doris Hildebrand, Tom Liesen, Allan Harvey, Robin Cimera, Barb Peters, Robert Conover, Monica Mast, Lori Massey, Carl Nieders, Mary Bradfield, Rosie Meyer, Gene & Rita Esselman, Phyllis Feld, Dan Meade, Kristin Adams, Billie Alonzo, Jane Lester, Mary Goodwin, Donna Rudicle, Alla Strunk, Deloris Lumpkins & Julie Yepsen.

Birthright Bake Sale at K of C BBQ

Our Bake Sale has become extremely popular and a wonderful support to Birthright, so we are asking again for each Catholic Church in Adams County to participate by donating baked goods (homemade or store-bought) for the Bake Sale.

Blessed Sacrament's day to provide baked items for the event Saturday, August 10, 2024. The booth opens from Noon to 10:00 p.m. Items can be brought to our booth on the K of C grounds or arrangements can be made with your parish for a pick up time. For questions or to set up a pick up time please call Patty at 217-577-8558.

The wonderful variety in the past couple of years has been amazing. Thank you for your continued support of Birthright Quincy! May God Bless You!!!!

Birthright Annual Raffle at K of C BBQ

Quilt or Dining Out Package to choose from!

The raffle is free but suggested donations are 1-ticket for \$1.00 or 6 tickets for \$5.00

For more information contact
Patty Adam at 217-577-8558

WHITE HOUSE MEN'S AND WOMEN'S ANNUAL RETREAT SEEKING GOD

"Come away by yourselves to a deserted (quiet place) and I will give you rest." Mark 6:31.

The Men's 2024 Annual Silent Retreat, White House Retreat Center in St. Louis: starting Monday, September 30, 12 p.m. to Thursday, October 3 12 p.m. Men: call John Venegoni at 217-430-2234 or

jvenegoni6808@comcast.net; Deadline is August 15, 2024

THE Women's Annual Silent RETREAT will be begin Monday, October 7 to Thursday, October 10. Call or email your name and phone # for your reservation NOW. For women: Call Debra Schulte at 217-4305144 or dschulte2424@gmail.com; Deadline is August 17, 2024.

K of C News

Make plans to attend this year's Knights of Columbus barbeque in Quincy August 9, 10 and 11. Visit <u>quincykofc.org</u> for all the details. Our Thursday night raffle jackpot is up to \$18,840. Tickets are sold from 6-7:45 p.m. with the drawing at 8.

Are you looking for an uninterrupted quiet hour alone with the Lord once a month or every week? Doesn't everyone need an hour with the Lord? We need you and are asking for your assistance in getting the hours below filled!

OPEN Hours that are available are:

Wednesday: 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 a.m.

Thursday: Midnight (week 2,4,5), 1 a.m. (weeks 2,4,5)

Friday: 1 a.m., 2 p.m. (weeks 1,2) 6 p.m. every

other week

Saturday: Midnight (week1), 1 a.m., 2 a.m.,

8 a.m. (weeks1,3)

<u>Please</u> consider an hour in the St. Peter's Adoration Chapel. Contact Mary at 217 653 3127 or Jean Anne at 217 430 6967

GreifShare Sessions St. Anthony's Church Hall

Thursday evenings August 15–November 14, 2024

All are welcome! For more information Call Jim Liesen at 217-577-6664



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Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Saturday, 4:30 p.m.	Blake Myers Vivi Wilson Reagan Lucchetti	Deacon Mike Doug Luther James Smith	Joe & Katrina Casper (GS) Justin & Megan Hale (WD) Steve Myers (SD)	Pam Luther	Jim Schrand Sub. Requested Sara Cramer Ted Johnson

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Sunday, August 11, 2024

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Katelyn Dance Hadley Garner Ellie Reuschel	Deacon Terry Kevin Steinkamp Sara Reuschel	Ferd & Barb Niemann (GS) Devon & Erin Stegeman (WD) Robert & Mary Kay Brown (SD)	Colleen Maalouf	Jean Brod Brian Brod Gerry Salfen Mike Moenning
Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Addie Dawson Landon Bordewick Divya Sangoi	Jill Kelly Mike Boll Patty Adam	Shawn & Kristen Buehler (GS) Greg & Mary Beth Young (WD) Jane Grant (SD)	Mike Grant Audreana Derhake	Marvin Schreacke Ron Kelly Ed Dawson Mark McDowell

SERVERS Week of August 5, 2024

Monday, August 5, 8:00 a.m.- Hunter Buehler & Katelyn Dance Tuesday, August 6, 8:00 a.m.- Hunter Buehler & Katelyn Dance Wednesday, August 7, 8:00 a.m.- Hunter Buehler & Katelyn Dance Thursday, August 8, 8:00 a.m.- Benjamin Genenbacher & Karson Huner Friday, August 9, 8:00 a.m.- Benjamin Genenbacher & Karson Huner

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.

additional information.		
Name:		Welcome to Blessed Sacrament Parish
Address:		
Email:		
Date:	Phone:	(Citamber)

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.

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

It's Almost That Time Again...

Septemberfest Silent Auction Donations

Septemberfest, Saturday, September 7 After Mass

As everyone knows, one of the most popular things at the **Septemberfest** is the **Silent Auction!**

To help make the Silent Auction a huge success again, we are in need of items for the **Silent Auction**.

To donate, please contact Lori Quevillon at 217-228-1477 or 217-316-1299 by August 15, 2024





Your Invited...

The Stewardship Committee is hosting a **Hospitality Gathering** on August 11 immediately following the 8:00 a.m. Mass. They will be serving coffee, donuts, and orange juice.

Come back on Saturday, August 17, wine, cheese, and crackers will be served immediately following the 4:30 p.m. Mass.

Hang around and get to know your fellow parishioners!









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 Norbert & 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 & Janet 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 Deceased & Living Members of the Community of Catholic

Women Living & Deceased Members of Rita Walker Family Jack Souders J. R. & Alta Rosenkoetter Evelyn Duesterhaus Irene Rossmiller Dietrich & Johnson Families

Clarence & Evelyn Genenbacher Family

Patrick J. Dolan Bill Junkerman Lawrence & Catherine Frese Joe Altgilbers VanMarter & Meade Families Living & Deceased Members of Kelly & Bozarth Families Kenneth Geschwandner Josie & Eva Knuffman Nick Schulte & Living & Deceased Members of Schulte/Grawe Families

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