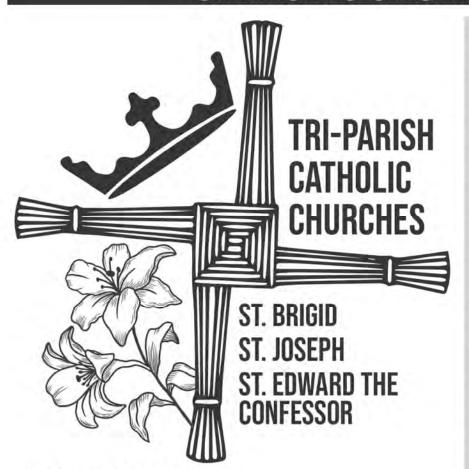
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CATHOLIC CHURCHES



TRI-PARISH MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.—St. Brigid Sunday: 7:30 a.m.—St. Brigid

> 9:00 a.m.—St. Joseph 10:30 a.m.—St. Edward

Monday: 6:30 p.m.—St. Brigid Tuesday: 8:00 a.m.—St. Edward Wednesday: 8:00 a.m.—St. Joseph Friday: 8:00 a.m.—St. Brigid

First Friday ONLY: 8:00 a.m. St. Edward

w/ Adoration to follow

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:45 p.m.—4:15 p.m. @ St. Brigid **Tuesday:** 7:15 a.m.—7:45 a.m. @ St. Edward **Wednesday:** 7:15 a.m.—7:45 a.m. @ St. Joseph

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Pastor's Letter

October 20, 2024—29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Church Family,

In our Gospel reading for today the disciples James and John make a bold request of Jesus, asking to be allowed to sit at his right and left in glory. Jesus warns them that getting to heaven has a price and it does not come cheap. He asks them if they can drink the cup that he will drink and be baptized with the baptism with which he will be baptized. Do you remember another time that Jesus talks about a cup? It's in the garden of Gethsemane, when Jesus asks the Father to take this cup, the cup of his suffering and death on the cross, away from him. But Jesus accepts the cup in obedience to the will of the Father. James and John must also be ready to give themselves over to the will of God, even to the point of death, if they want to experience the life of heaven.

Jesus constantly reminds his disciples that to experience real and eternal life we have to give our lives in service to God and our fellow human beings. Greatness is found in those who serve and the greatest joy comes to those who give joy to others. When we accept the call to discipleship we recognize that our lives are no longer about us. It is no longer us who lives but Christ Jesus who lives in us. But in forgetting ourselves we find our truest, best and highest selves. Our lives are the most full and rich when we give ourselves to something bigger than our own interests and there is nothing bigger or better that we can give ourselves to than sharing the good news that God is at work in the world and spreading his love around in acts of loving service. The cost of discipleship is great, but the reward is infinitely greater both now and in the life to come. May God give us the courage to give our lives away for the sake of the kingdom of God so that he can pour his life into us.

Blessings, Fr. Scott





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Calendar

Saturday, October 19

3:45 p.m.-4:15 p.m. Reconciliation @ St. Brigid

4:30 p.m.-Mass @ St. Brigid

Sunday, October 20

7:30 a.m. Mass @ St. Brigid

9:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Joseph

10:30 a.m. Mass @ St. Edward

Monday, October 21

6:30 p.m. Mass @ St. Brigid

Tuesday, October 22

7:15 a.m. - 7:45 a.m. Reconciliation @ St. Edward

8:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Edward

6:00 p.m.—3rd Grade Confirmation Meeting @ St. Joseph

7:00 p.m. St. Joseph Finance/Pastoral Council Meeting

Wednesday, October 23

7:15 a.m.—7:45 a.m. Reconciliation @ St. Joseph

8:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Joseph

3:10 p.m.—4:30 p.m. PSR (K-4) @ St. Edward

6:30 p.m.—7:45 p.m. PSR @ St. Brigid

Friday, October 25

8:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Brigid

Saturday, October 26

3:45 p.m.—4:15 p.m. Reconciliation @ St. Brigid

4:30 p.m.—Mass @ St. Brigid

Sunday, October 27

7:30 a.m. Mass @ St. Brigid

9:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Joseph

10:30 a.m. Mass @ St. Edward

11:00 a.m.—1:30 p.m. Turkey Dinner @ St. Edward

4:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m. Trunk or Treat @ St. Brigid Parking Lot

Monday, October 28

6:30 p.m. Mass @ St. Brigid

7:00 p.m. The Catholic Funeral: Sign of Hope @ St. Edward

Tuesday, October 29

7:15 a.m.—7:45 a.m. Reconciliation @ St. Edward

8:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Edward

Wednesday, October 30

7:15 a.m.—7:45 a.m. Reconciliation @ St. Joseph

8:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Joseph

3:10 p.m.—4:30 p.m. PSR (K-4) @ St. Edward

6:30 p.m.—7:45 p.m. PSR @ St. Brigid

Friday, November 1—First Friday & ALL SAINTS DAY

8:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Edward

7:00 p.m. Mass @ St. Brigid

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19

4:30 p.m.—St. Brigid: +Robert Richmiller

+Raymond Maas Sr.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20

7:30 a.m.—St. Brigid: +Marilyn Barry

9:00 a.m.—St. Joseph: + Ron Wiewel

10:30 a.m.—St. Edward: +Edward Blickhan

+Norma Hildebrand

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21

6:30 p.m.—St. Brigid: For the People of the Parish

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

8:00 a.m.—St. Edward: +Greg Howe

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23

8:00 a.m.—St. Joseph: +Ron Wiewel

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25

8:00 a.m.—St. Brigid: +Barb Hilgenbrinck

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26

4:30 p.m.—St. Brigid: +Bernice Mowen

+Ribert Richmiller

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27

7:30 a.m.—St. Brigid: +Jason Hummel 9:00 a.m.—St. Joseph: + Earl Huber 10:30 a.m.—St. Edward: +Ron Valeu

Parish Support: October 13

St. Brigid \$ 5,023.00

St. Edward \$ 2.496.00

St. Joseph \$ 2,018.25

Thank you for your generous support!



The Mass of Remembrance will be November 2 & 3. Tables will set up in the vestibules of the churches starting October 26 for you to bring a picture of your deceased loved ones. All are welcome to participate. Picture pick up will be November 30/December 1.

QCES Mass Attendance Cards

Mass attendance cards are available at the back of church.

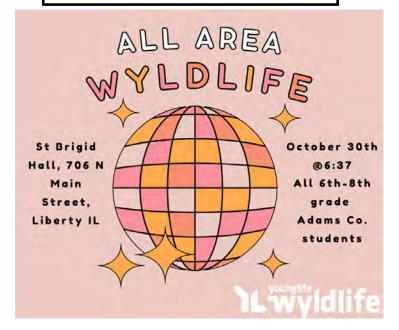
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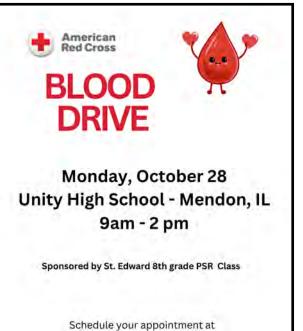
All information must be submitted by noon on Tuesday.

Submit to: **church@stsbej.org**









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If you have attended a Cursillo, can you even imagine those who had a part in starting the Cursillo Family 50 years ago?

St. Joseph has a member who was there when the planning began! Earl Rossmiller was on the parish

council when asked by Fr. Robert Leonhart to build the foundation for Cursillo. Earl said YES and he and the others started the planning!

Sue and Earl continue to be strong pillars at St. Joseph's Church!

Thank you, Earl, for saying yes 50 years ago to build and attend Cursillo #1 and to Sue Cursillo #2 so that Cursillo could still be going strong in 2024.

Cursillo Weekends Are Powerful!

Women's Cursillo #372 will be held November 7 - 10 at the Quincy University Retreat Center. On a Cursillo you will be guided by a priest, deacon and trained laity, in a prayerful and sacramental environment, to evaluate yourself, your relationship with God, to discern how God is calling you to influence your family, your work environment, your neighborhood and the world. There are registration forms in the back of church. For more information please contact Connie Bealor 217-440-6886.

Please Remember to Pray For:

Daran Knuffman	Linda Windoffer	Clari Dees
Zoey Obert	Monica Mast	John Blickhan
Julia Winfield	Bonnie Johnson	Ryan Wiemelt
Haddlei Burnett	Leo Bauer	Scottie Bastert
Jim Steinkamp	Elizabeth Leonard	Bernice Dittmer
Kayle Sheely	Ben Venvertloh	Linda Howe
John Kroner	Ripken Rangel	Joann Walton
Marvin Meyer	Jim Wilson	Amy Ohnemus
Carl Schisler	Maurie Koch	Stephen Sorrells
Rachel Cramsey	Tony Peters	Allison O'Donnell
Ginny Brinkman	Joy Huebotter	Kent Hilgenbrinck
Denny Meyer	Raleigh Bess	
Rosie Miller	Karen Woodworth	

For all undergoing surgery, undergoing cancer tests or therapy, for world peace, mental or difficult issues and for all victims of sexual abuse and violence and for their families, for conversion of hearts, and for all in danger due to acts of violence, for our own special intentions we hold in our hearts and for an end to abortions and wars.

Doug Woodworth

Joe Rice

Please contact us, if we need to remove your name from our prayer list. Thanks to all for your continued prayers, as they are needed and greatly appreciated.

Stewardship Reflection

"For the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many." (Mark 10:45)

If you held a mirror up to your life, would it reflect God's love and mercy? If you are struggling with this, try changing your attitude from "I want more" to "thank you God for everything you have given me, I have enough to share". This change in perspective will bring you joy through service to others. Pray daily to become less self-centered and to become more God-centered.

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Food Pantry Donations

Collection of nonperishable items are being donated to Quincy Catholic Charities and Liberty Food Pantry. You may drop your items in the church vestibule. Items will be taken on the second Sunday every month. Thank You for your generosity!

TEC (Teens Encounter Christ!)

In the three-day weekend of TEC, you can experience being part of a vibrant, loving, and supportive faith community in which the friendship of Jesus Christ becomes a real possibility that makes sense. For more information go to greatrivertec.org

TEC weekends are held at the Franciscan Retreat Center of Quincy University, 18th & Seminary Road, Quincy, IL 62301. The weekend begins Saturday morning at 9:30 a.m. and ends Monday evening 6:00-6:30 p.m. Candidates ages 16-21 --there is a fee for this retreat, but St. Brigid, St. Edward, and St. Joseph have funds available to cover this cost! Please contact Emily Wellman at 217-257-3536 if you are wanting to go on a weekend, and our awesome churches will pay for you to go!

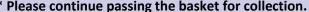
Other TEC Dates for 2024: November 2-4

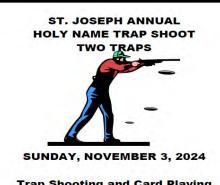
Ministry Schedules

ST. BRIGID CHURCH						
October 26 & 27	Altar Server	Communion Minister	Usher	Lector	Greeter /Hospitality	Gift Bearer
4:30 p.m.	Bryce Mixer Miles Mixer	Robin Mowen Stacy Clark	Eric Barry Dave Obert Kristin Obert	Rich Cramsey	Dan Kramer	Norma Neisen
7:30 a.m.	Dylan Hocking Mason Hocking	Brandy Hocking Norm Boone	Kyle Leonard David Dodd Lucy Mewes	Justin Mewes	Greg & Nancy Obert	Gene & Lorrie Klauser

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH						
October 27	Altar Server	Communion Minister	Usher	Lector	Greeter /Hospitality	Gift Bearer
9:00 a.m.	Andrea Moore Maddy Ohnemus Lane Ohnemus	Jeanne Cramsey Brenda Siebers Pat Genenbacher	Jim Brinkman Shane Brinkman	Billie Huebotter		Brinkman Family

ST. EDWARD CHURCH						
October 27	Altar Server	Communion Minister	Rosary	Lector	Greeter /Hospitality	Gift Bearer
10:30 a.m.	Olivia Shaffer Henry Bealor Ben Bealor	Donna Voss Susan York	Susan York	Jennifer Knox	NEED	Josh Venvertloh Family
* Please continue passing the basket for collection.						





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If you are interested in this part-time position please send a resume to church@stfrancissolanus.com or mail it to the parish office.

ST.BRIGID - ST. EDWARD - ST. JOSEPH PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR)



PSR DATES TO REMEMBER:

October 22: 3rd Grade/Confirmation Parent/Sponsor Meeting at St. Joseph 6-7 p.m.

October 28: St. Edward's 8th Graders Blood Drive at UHS from 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

November 1: Holy Day of Obligation, ALL SAINTS DAY! November 20: Decorate Jesse Tree Ornaments at St. Brigid

& St. Edward K-4 PSR (ALL ARE WELCOME!)

November 24: Decorate Jesse Tree Ornaments at St. Joseph & St. Edward 5-8th PSR (ALL ARE WELCOME!)

November 27: NO PSR, Thanksgiving Break **December 1:** NO PSR, Thanksgiving Break

December 15: St. Joseph Christmas Play, directly after

9 a.m. Mass. Lunch to follow

December 18: St. Edward's K-4 Caroling during PSR December 18: St. Brigid Christmas Program 6 p.m.,

Dinner to follow.

Children's Masses

THANK YOU to everyone who participated in the Children's Masses this past weekend! All of the students did a fantastic job!

Wyld Life

Wyld Life from Quincy will be joining St. Brigid 6-8th Graders at PSR on October 30. Please send in your permission slips!

Sacraments!

All 3rd graders and PSR students who will be receiving the sacraments of Holy Communion and/or Confirmation this year will have a Parent/ Sponsor/ Candidate meeting on TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22 from 6-7 p.m. at St. Joseph Hall. Sponsors must be chosen by this date. Information on sponsors was sent home – please contact Emily if you have any questions and/or need another copy!

SAINT OF THE WEEK St. John Paul II

St. John Paul II was a Pope! He was the shepherd of the Catholic Church. He lived at a time when there was a lot of fighting and sadness in the world. He told people to "Be not afraid" because he wanted the world to see how Jesus loved them and would take care of them.



Sunday, October 20 Readings - FOR YOUTH!

Mark 10:35-45

Jesus said that whoever wishes to be the greatest must be the servant of all.

In today's Gospel reading, Jesus tells us that the people who are really great are those who serve. Here are some really great people:

Mary, the Mother of Jesus - God asked her to be the mother of His Son. Our Lady spent her whole life caring for Jesus, and now she watches over us and helps us. She is the greatest saint of all.

The pope has a very big job - looking after the whole Church. Did you know that the pope is called, "The servant of the servants of God?" He is great because he is using his life to take care of God's people.

But who do you think is the best example of all? JESUS! He helped people all His life and then He died

so that everyone would have the chance to go to Heaven.



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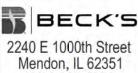


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