

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)

EUCCHARIST ADORATION

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

RECONCILIATION:

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

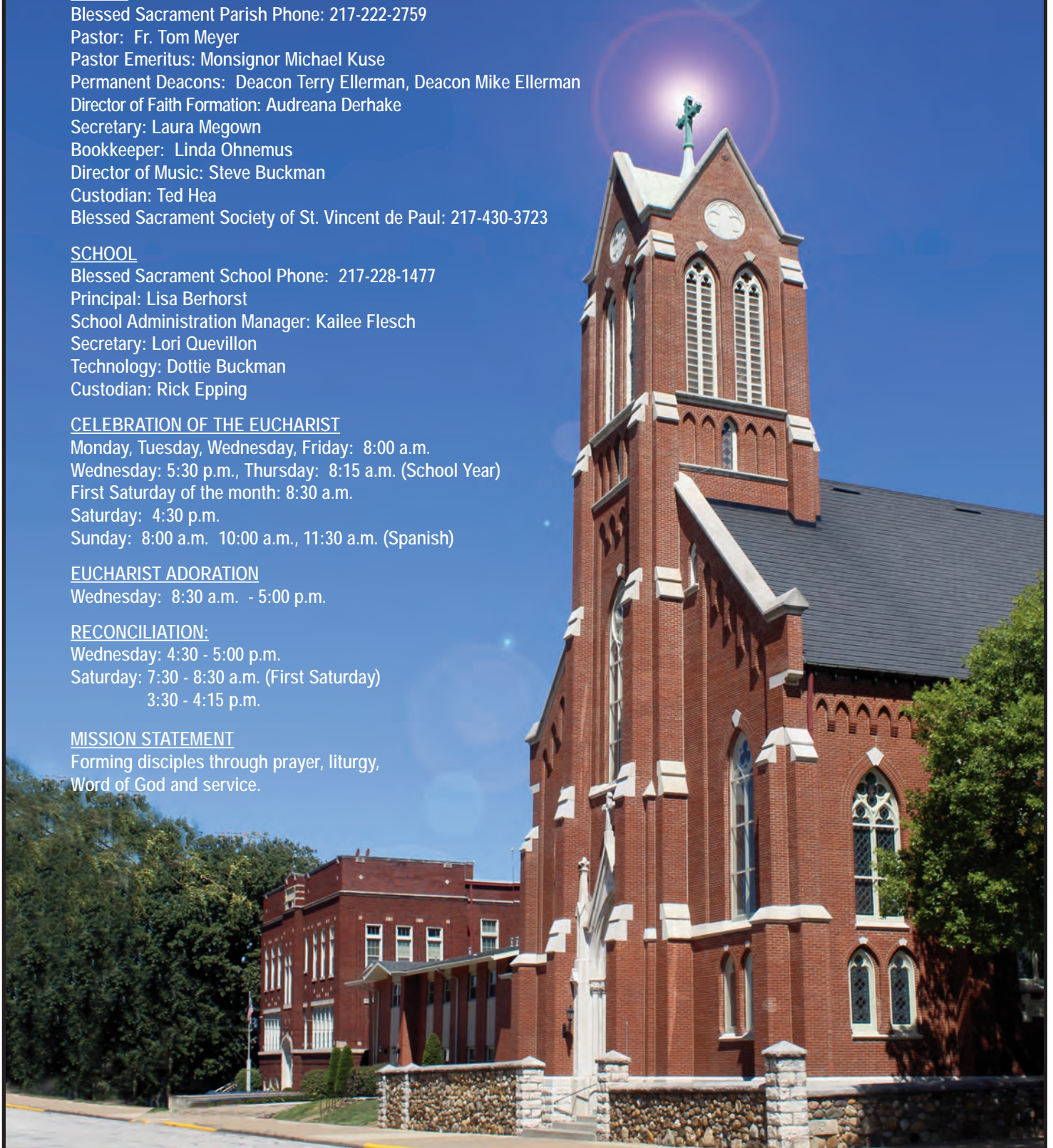
Saturday: 7:30 - 8:30 a.m. (First Saturday)

3:30 - 4:15 p.m.

MISSION STATEMENT

Forming disciples through prayer, liturgy,

Word of God and service.



**Blessed Sacrament Parish
Solemnity Of Saints Peter & Paul Sunday
June 29, 2025**

Monday 8:00 a.m.	June 30, 2025 Ken Unmisig
Tuesday 8:00 a.m.	July 1, 2025 Sharon Herron
Wednesday 8:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	July 2, 2025 Adriene Meckes John Maguire
Thursday 8:00 a.m.	July 3, 2025 Klene Family
Friday 8:00 a.m.	July 4, 2025 1st Friday Memorials
Saturday 8:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m.	July 5, 2025 For the Reparation of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Bob Burghart
Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.-Spanish	July 6, 2025 Sally Gehring Darlene & Brad Heckenkamp People of the Parish

Sunday, June 22, 2025

Regular Collection:	\$ 5,518.25
Electronic Giving:	\$ 805.00
Total Collection	\$ 6,323.25
Weekly Support Needed:	\$ 12,013.00
Deficient/Surplus:	(\$ 5,689.75)
Regular Support Actual (YTD)	\$ 557,338.33
Regular Support Needed (YTD)	\$ 612,663.00
Regular Deficit/Surplus: (YTD)	(\$ 55,324.67)
Total School Collection	\$ 640.00
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This Week in Our Parish

Monday Mysteries of the Rosary-GS	June 30, 2025 6:00 p.m.—7:30 p.m.
Tuesday Legion of Mary-GS Theology on Tap-Fuzzy Bubbler	July 1, 2025 1:15 a.m.—3:00 p.m. 6:15 p.m.
Wednesday Adoration-Church Reconciliation-Church Evening Prayer/Benediction Capital Campaign Mtg.-GS	July 2, 2025 8:30 a.m.—5:00 p.m. 4:30 p.m.—5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.—5:20 p.m. 6:15 p.m.
Friday Office Closed	July 4, 2025

From the Pastor's Desk

Today we celebrate the **Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul**. The Church this day honors the Fathers of the Church of Rome. Jesus says to Simon, "You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my Church." We honor these apostles, and their successors - the Pope and Bishops of the Church - who continue to provide the foundation upon which Christ continues to build his Church.

This upcoming **Tuesday, July 1 at 6:00 p.m.** is our monthly **Theology on Tap** discussion at the Fuzzy Bubbler. This month Fr. Ken from St. Francis will be speaking on the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Please come join us for good spiritual food and a fun time with other members of faith in our Quincy community.

This weekend is our **5th Sunday Collection for St. Vincent De Paul Society**. Four times each year we take up a special collection to help with those in need within our own parish and Quincy community. Please consider a gift to this quarterly collection.

Next weekend (**July 5-6**) **Holy Land Arts** (Ward Qumsieh) will be returning to sell their hand crafted olive wood pieces made in the Holy Land. Due to declining tourism in the Holy Land, many Catholic artisans face economic hardship. Holy Land Arts mission is to support these skilled craftspeople by providing a marketplace for their beautiful, hand-carved works in the United States. When you purchase one of these unique art pieces, you directly support Catholic families in Bethlehem and the surrounding region. This helps preserve a vital Christian presence in the birthplace of Jesus Christ, ensuring the future of holy sites like the Nativity Church. To learn more and view our products, please visit

www.theholylands.org

Please consider purchasing one of their items when Ward comes to visit here in two weeks.

Finally, on this upcoming 4th of July Holiday... **Happy Independence Day!!!** Blessed Sacrament will celebrate with a **8:00 a.m. Mass** on Friday morning. We hope to see you here.

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



Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

"I have competed well; I have finished the race; I have kept the faith." (2 Timothy 4:7)

How many of us can say this? St. Teresa of Calcutta said, "God doesn't call us to be successful, he calls us to be faithful." How many times have we been blinded by the success of the world at the expense of our faith? Matthew Kelly says, "Take one minute each day to remind yourself that you are just passing through this life and will die one day; you will live more intentionally with a passion and purpose."

Attention college students! Take your faith with you to school! The Newman community at your school would love to connect with you and help you continue your faith journey while away at college. To find out more about the Newman program at your school, visit newmanministry.com/.



Dive in to the Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary Mondays @ 6 p.m. in the Gathering Space! Beginning June 30 for 7 consecutive Mondays. No Cost to attend. Join us!

QUINCY CATHOLIC YOUTH

Bowling Night

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We want your talent!

Our middle school youth group is launching this fall and will meet weekly on Sunday evenings—and we're looking for high school students to serve as small group leaders! It's a fun, faith-filled way to earn service hours, grow as a leader, and make a real impact in the lives of younger students. Come share your faith and be part of something meaningful!

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES TO HELP AVAILABLE!

INTERESTED? REACH OUT TO:
faithformation@blessedscs.org

Bring the Blessed Mother into Your Home!

Our parish Legion of Mary is offering the opportunity to host the *Traveling Virgin Mary Statue* in your home for a week. This beautiful tradition invites families and individuals to welcome Our Lady, spend time in prayer, and grow closer to Jesus through Mary. A prayer booklet will be provided to guide your time with her. To sign up contact Terry Duesterhaus at 217.209.9163 to reserve your week. Let Mary bring peace, prayer, and blessings into your home!

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

END OF YEAR HOUSE KICKBALL TOURNAMENT





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**JOIN US IN A PILGRIMAGE PROCESSION TO THE GRAVE
OF THE VENERABLE SERVANT OF GOD AUGUSTINE TOLTON
ON THE 128TH ANNIVERSARY OF HIS DEATH**



Wednesday, July 9, 2025

5:30 p.m.: Procession forms at
St. Peter's Church
2600 Maine Street

6:30 p.m.: Evening Prayer and Benediction
St. Peter's Cemetery
3400 Broadway Street

Those unable to partake in the procession may gather
at the grave. Please, no parking in the cemetery due to
lack of space.

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, or just lend a helping hand.

Please Pray for Parish Family Members:

Doris Hildebrand, Tom Liesen, Robin Cimera, Robert Conover, Rita Esselman, Kristin Adams, Alia Strunk, Delores Lumpkins, Joe Conover, Evelyn & Jerry Gengenbacher, Dustin Houston, Jeff Lewis, Barb Bax, Sandy Krueger, Greg Schoenekase, Debra Powell, Susan Peters and Joseph Meyer.

Please remember Sally Gehring, who passed away earlier this week, in your prayers. Her funeral was celebrated Thursday, June 26, 2025 here at Blessed Sacrament. May she rest in Christ's peace.



The QCES Foundation is Hiring!

The Quincy Catholic Elementary Schools Foundation is seeking an Executive Director. This flexible full- or part-time role leads fundraising, donor relations, and community engagement efforts to support Catholic education in Quincy. Responsibilities include overseeing the tuition assistance and teacher grant programs, managing all aspects of fundraising, supporting marketing initiatives, and partnering with the Board on strategic planning and goals. More details and how to apply can be found at www.bit.ly/QCESD

Holylands Arts

Holylands Arts is visiting our parish next weekend, July 5 & 6, 2025. Due to declining tourism in the Holy Land, many Catholic artisans face economic hardship.

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RETURN TO YOUR FIRST LOVE

Join Father Kenneth Ahanonu
as he speaks about the Sacred Heart of Jesus
as the manifestation of God's immense love for us.

Tuesday, July 1st

The Fuzzy Bubbler
111 Jail Alley, Quincy

Doors open at 5:30 p.m.
Talk begins at 6:35 p.m.



LITURGICAL MINISTRIES Saturday, July 5, 2025

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Saturday, 4:30 p.m.	Kinsley Adams Michael Wilson Vivi Wilson	Katrina Casper Doug Luther Joe Casper	Dana & Heather Stafford (GS) Tanner & Elizabeth Terwelp (WD) Danielle Weise(SD)	Pam Luther	Andy Weise Greg Wittland Lee John James Smith

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Sunday, July 6, 2025

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Quinn Feldner Sylvia Feldner Allison Lenane	Diana Finlay Laura Peterson Karen Finson	Mark & Judy Schulte (GS) Conrad & Lorraine Dvorak (WD) Sub. Requested (SD)	Chris Wegs	Brett Niemann Jean Brod Brian Brod Jeff Goerlich

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Olivia Bailey Jace Sheely Landon Bordewick	Deacon Terry Amber Hendrian Jennifer Dickerman	Joe & Amber Bordewick (GS) Nathan & Nichole Holtschlag (WD) Paulette Bozarth (SD)	Mike Young Mandy Young	Ron Kelly Marvin Schreacke John Bozarth Shawn Dickerman

SERVERS Week of July 7, 2025

Monday, July 7, 2025, 8:00 a.m. — Jocelyn Weise & Riley Grant
Tuesday, July 8, 2025, 8:00 a.m. — Jocelyn Weise & Riley Grant
Wednesday, July 9, 2025, 8:00 a.m. — Jocelyn Weise & Riley Grant
Thursday, July 10, 2025, 8:00 a.m. — Haley Terwelp & Kamdyn Peters
Friday, July 11, 2025, 8:00 a.m. — Haley Terwelp & Kamdyn Peters

Freedom in Christ, Freedom to Give

As we celebrate our nation's independence, we're invited to consider a deeper freedom—the freedom we have in Christ. This freedom isn't about doing whatever we want; it's the freedom to live for something greater than ourselves. It's the freedom to give.

Stewardship flows from that freedom. When we offer our time, our talents, and our treasure to God through the parish and school, we are exercising spiritual freedom. We are saying, "My life is a gift—and I want to use it to serve."

Our Catholic school teaches students this very lesson. As they grow in knowledge, they also grow in understanding their God-given dignity and purpose. Through daily prayer, weekly Mass, service projects, and Catholic teaching, students learn that they were made to give, to love, and to live for Christ.

Your support makes this possible. Your sacrifices—whether seen or unseen—form the next generation of faithful citizens and servant leaders.

This month, as we honor the gift of national freedom, let's also recommit ourselves to spiritual freedom through stewardship. Thank you for giving freely, lovingly, and joyfully.



Let us welcome
Mekhi Grant
who was baptized, received his
First Communion, and was
Confirmed here at
Blessed Sacrament on
Saturday, June 21, 2025.
Mekhi is the son of
Brian Grant and Mary Blevins.
May God bless and keep Mekhi
and his family close to Him.



Let us welcome
Estelle Joan Tutt
who was baptized here
at Blessed Sacrament
on Sunday, June 22, 2025
Estelle is the daughter of
Alexzander Tutt and Ashley Tutt.
May God bless and keep
Estelle and her family close to Him.



Let us welcome
Ryker Nathaniel Tutt
who was baptized here
at Blessed Sacrament
on Sunday, June 22, 2025
Ryker is the son of
Alexzander Tutt and Ashley Tutt.
May God bless and keep
Ryker and his family close to Him.



Let us welcome
Savanna Annette Stafford
who was baptized here
at Blessed Sacrament
on Sunday, June 22, 2025.
Savanna is the daughter
Brian Stafford and Ashley Tutt.
May God bless and keep
Savanna and her family
close to Him.

Join us the 1st weekend of the month!

Saturday - wine - cheese



Sunday - donuts - juice

First Friday Memorials 2025

Nick Schulte & Living & Deceased Members of Grawe & Schultz Families
Roehling & Doellman Families
Eiers & Herold Families
Frank & Elsie Olps Family
Dietrich & Johnson Families
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Louis J. Frese & Walker
Morrison Families
Bill Junkerman
Lawrence & Catherine Frese
Joe Altgibers
Parents of Jan & Toot Ewalt
Living & Deceased Members of Rita Walker Family
Maas & Doyle Families
Sage Moore
Haugh & Jochem Families
Cook, Gallaher & Vandon Boom Families
Charlie & Scott Roan
Living & Deceased Members of Lawrence & Marie Klausner Family
Living & Deceased Hull, Dempsey & Kelly Families
Living & Deceased Members of the Schulte & Kroeger Families
Madalon Elam, Marshall & Mildred Campbell, Hamil & Hilda Elam, John & Delores Peterson & John Peterson Jr.
Selby & Meier Families
Missie Ohnemus
Milkint & Weede Families
Franke & Smith Families
Deceased Members of Fenwick & Schinderling Families
A.B. Blickhan & H.B. Schuerling Families
Kenneth & Joan Steinkamp
Mary & Greg Wellman
Gale & Annette Hill Family

Living & Deceased Members of CCW
Tracy Dede & the Families of Mary & Jerry Lovell
Bill Wegs
Ken Moenning
Patrick Dolan
Richard & Helen Lukeman
The Hessling Family
Albright & Havermale Families
William & Esther Bergman
Living & Deceased Members of Penie Emma Vahlkamp Families
Living & Deceased Members of Peters & Maguire Families
Bange & Benz Families
Flaiz Lohman Families & Nick Miller
Goehl & Koetters Families
Clarence & Evelyn Genenbacher Family
Jeffery & B J Vanden Boom
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Everett & Mary Knuffman
Larry & David Steinkamp
Virginia & Francis Liesen
Michael G. Liesen
Norbert & Viola Klingele & Families
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Ted Peters; Vern, Rose & Gerald Zimmerman
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