

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: Scott Wymer
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

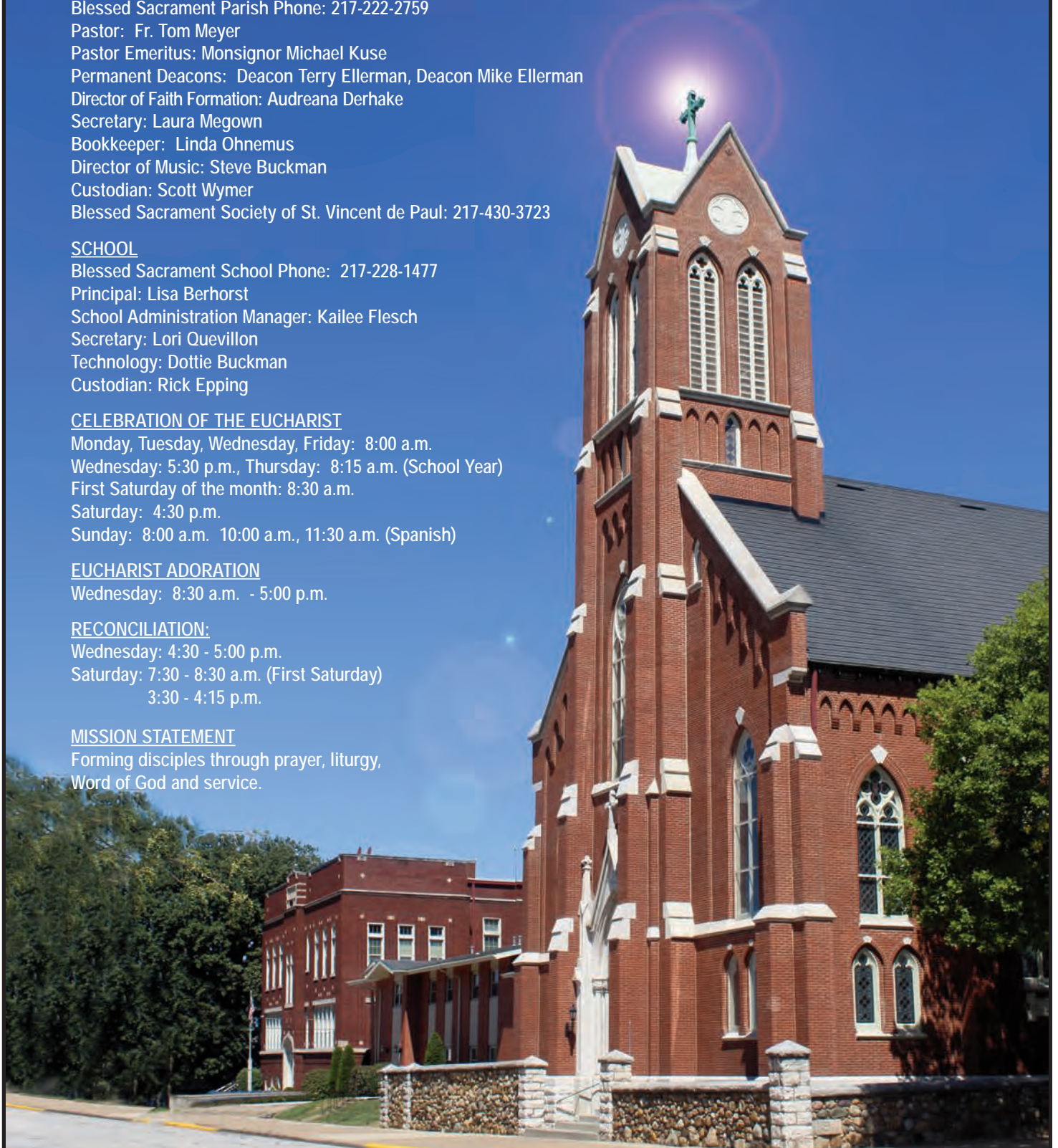
Wednesday: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 26, 2025**

Monday 8:00 a.m.	October 27, 2025 Marilyn Schafer
Tuesday 8:00 a.m.	October 28, 2025 Dan Meade
Wednesday 8:15 a.m.-(K-8) 5:30 p.m.	October 29, 2025 Klene Family Yvonne Lohman & Vivan Wooten
Thursday 8:00 a.m.	October 30, 2025 Joseph Meyer
Friday 8:00 a.m.	October 31, 2025 Mark Hughes
Saturday 8:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m.	November 1, 2025 People of the Parish Carol Dietrich
Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.-Spanish	November 2, 2025 Byron & Barb Davis John Sloup People of the Parish

Sunday, October 19, 2025

Regular Collection:	\$ 6,661.00
Electronic Giving:	\$ 640.00
Total Collection	\$ 7,301.00
Weekly Support Needed:	\$ 12,013.00
Deficient/Surplus:	(\$ 4,712.00)
Regular Support Actual (YTD)	\$ 162,859.09
Regular Support Needed (YTD)	\$ 192,208.00
Regular Deficit/Surplus: (YTD)	(\$ 29,328.91)
Total School Collection	\$ 165.00
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This Week in Our Parish

Sunday Edge Youth Group-LL	October 26, 2025 6:00 p.m.–7:30 p.m.
Tuesday GriefShare-GS Legion of Mary-GS Jr. Legion of Mary-GS CCW-GS Marion Consecration-TL	October 28, 2025 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. 1:15 a.m.–3:00 p.m. 3:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.–7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Adoration-Church Bible Study-GS Evening Prayer/Benediction	October 29, 2025 8:45 a.m.–5:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m.–2:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m.–5:20 p.m.
Thursday OCIA-GS Choir Practice-Church	October 30, 2025 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Saturday Wine & Cheese after Mass-GS	November 1, 2025 5:30 p.m.
Sunday Coffee & Donuts After All Masses	November 2, 2025

From the Pastor's Desk

Today we celebrate the **30th Sunday of Ordinary Time**. In the gospel today we hear the parable of the Pharisee and the Tax Collector. Both went to the temple to pray. The Pharisee exalted himself in prayer, while the tax collector pleaded for mercy. Only the tax collector walked home justified because of his humility. We thank the Lord for the good we do, while seeking His mercy for the broken areas of my life that still need conversion.

Next Saturday, November 1 the Church celebrates the **Solemnity of All Saints**. The US Bishops have dispensed the obligation to attend this Mass this year as it falls on a Saturday. Yet for those who would like to celebrate this Holy Day, we will offer Mass at the following time:

**Solemnity of All Saints:
Saturday, November 1 @ 8:30 a.m.
(Non-Obligatory)**

In one week - **Monday, November 3 at 6:00 p.m.** - we will celebrate our annual **Mass of Remembrance**. We invite parish members to attend who have lost a loved one during the past year. We ask the Lord to bring the fullness of eternal life to all who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith.

Finally, we continue our **Capital Campaign: "Honoring our Past, Strengthening our Future!"** Please continue to pray for the success of our upcoming campaign. And please read through the information we have sent you by mail. May the Lord guide us in building momentum for some neat things that the Lord may wish to have for us here at Blessed Sacrament Parish and School.

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



A Campaign for Blessed Sacrament Parish

CALENDAR OF SAINTS AND FEASTS

FOR WEEK OF

OCT 26-31ST

OCT 26TH - ST. PETER OF ALCANTARA

OCT 28TH - STS. SIMON AND JUDE

OCT 29TH - ST. NARCISSUS OF JERUSALEM

OCT 30TH - ST. ALPHONSUS RODRIGUEZ

OCT 31ST - ST. WOLFGANG OF REGENSBURG

Retreat for married couples offered – Worldwide

Marriage Encounter presents weekend experiences for married couples to rekindle romance, enhance meaningful communication, and deepen and renew commitment. Sign-up now! For more information or to apply, go to wwme.org or call Terry & Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317. Next ones:

12/5/2025 – 12/7/2025, St. Peters, MO

Community of Catholic Women Meeting (CCW) - Join us

Monday Oct 28 at 6:00pm in the **Gathering Space** for our next CCW meeting! We'll enjoy a fun interactive session with **Mindy Entrup**, who will be teaching us some simple **chair exercises** to keep us moving. A brief meeting will follow, along with **snacks and fellowship**. All women of the parish are welcome - come for faith, friendship and a little fitness!

CATECHETICAL CORNER

Welcome to the Catechetical Corner! Each week, we explore a truth of our Catholic faith — a small seed of understanding meant to help our love for Christ and His Church grow.

Why we pray for the dead

“It is therefore a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from their sins.”

— 2 Maccabees 12:45

Praying for the dead is one of the most ancient and compassionate Christian practices. We believe that God's mercy continues to purify souls who die in His grace but still need healing before entering heaven. Our prayers, Masses, and sacrifices offered for them are acts of love that help bring them closer to eternal joy. One beautiful way to remember our loved ones is by having a Mass offered for their intention — a quiet, powerful gift of faith and remembrance. Mass intentions for the deceased may be arranged through our parish office. Each prayer we offer reminds us that the bonds of faith and love are stronger than death.



#BEASAINTE Sunday

ROSARY & Bonfire



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



2025 QND Raider Roadshow at BSCS



BSCS Alumni in the QND Raider Roadshow



All men of the Quincy Deanery discerning a vocation to the permanent diaconate are invited to a *Come and See Info Dinner* on Sunday, November 16, 2025, at 6 p.m. at Saint Francis Solanus Parish. Wives are also invited and encouraged to attend. The evening will begin with prayer followed by dinner and conversation. You will hear deacons tell of their journey through discernment of entering and throughout formation and life after ordination. Wives of deacons will also tell of their journey and discernment throughout the formation process. There will also be plenty of time for questions during the conversations.

If interested, please tell your pastor of your desire to attend and [Register for Andrew Dinner here.](https://form.jotform.com/252935939904168)

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Save the Date.....All Are Invited!

Dying Without Fear

A talk with Deacon Dennis Hollbrook
Monday, November 17, 2025

6:30 p.m.

St. Thomas Parish Hall
Camp Point, IL



This photo is this year's Men's White House Retreat participants. Ask them about their experiences and how it renewed their relationship to Jesus! "Come away by yourselves to a deserted (quiet place) and I will give you rest" Mark 6:31.

Please keep Joseph Meyer, father of our pastor, Fr. Tom Meyer, and his family in your prayers. He died October 12, 2025. His funeral was held here on October 17, 2025. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.

May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



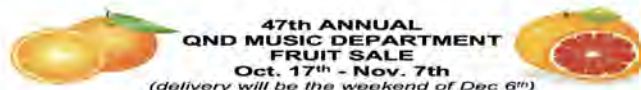
Mass of Remembrance

November 3, 2025

Barb Peters - October 13, 2024
Teresa Robinson - October 20, 2024
Carl Nieders - December 6, 2024
Joan Olps - December 10, 2024
Joyce Peters - January 10, 2025
Steve Reis - January 18, 2025
Sharon Herron - January 20, 2025
Jane Flachs - January 25, 2025
Ken Unmisig - January 31, 2025
Gene Esselman - February 21, 2025
Robert Burghart - March 8, 2025
Dan Meade - April 21, 2025
Julie Yepsen - May 31, 2025
Dorothy Zopf - June 3, 2025
Sallie Gerhing - June 21, 2025
Marilyn Ridder - June 25, 2025
John Lugering - July 12, 2025
Lloyd Peters - July 29, 2025
Sherrie Lohman - September 1, 2025
William Birchfield - September 13, 2025

Please Pray for Parish Family Members:

Doris Hildebrand, Robin Cimera, Rita Esselman, Kristin Adams, Delores Lumpkins, Joe Conover, Jeff Lewis, Barb Bax, Sandy Krueger, Greg Schoenekase, Debra Powell, Susan Peters, Mary Neuser, Linda Anemone, Lori Bastean, Maddie Maas, Sophia Fletcher, Fr. Tom, Fr. Mike & Phillip Holt.



47th ANNUAL QND MUSIC DEPARTMENT FRUIT SALE

Oct. 17th - Nov. 7th

(delivery will be the weekend of Dec 6th)

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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.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES Saturday, November 1, 2025

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Saturday, 4:30 p.m.	3- St. Faustina House Members	James Smith Ceil Dix Ruth Bange	2-St Faustina House Members (GS) 2-St Faustina House Members (WD) 2-St Faustina House Members (SD)	1-St Faustina House Member	4- St. Faustina House Members

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Sunday, November 2, 2025

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Stone Flesch Asher Richards Bryson Shull	Laura Peterson Kailee Flesch Ed Lohman	Mindy & Brian Richards (GS) Judy & Mark Schulte (WD) Cheryl Thevil (SD)	Ruth Felker	Kevin Steinkamp Frank Flesch Larry Jochem Robert Brown

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Kerrylee Rosson Olivia Walker Alek Coronado	Deacon Milke Nancy Schodroski Patty Adam	Debra & Richard Schuering (GS) John & Paulette Bozarth (WD) Karen Kalberer (SD)	Bill Schodroski Mike Grant	Ron Kelly Marvin Schrecke Ed Dawson Mark McDowell

SERVERS Week of November 3, 2025

Monday, November 3, 2025, 8:00 a.m. – Ethan Arens & JD Bailey

Tuesday, November 4, 2025, 8:00 a.m. – Mia Baker & Ethan Arens

Wednesday, November 5, 2025, 8:15 a.m. – Ethan Arens, JD Bailey & Mia Baker

Thursday, November 6, 2025, 8:00 a.m. – Elijah Hendrian & Grant Holtschlag

Friday, November 7, 2025, 8:00 a.m. – Elijah Hendrian & Grant Holtschlag

October – Stewardship Commitment Month

October is Stewardship Renewal Month—a vital time when we ask every parish and school family to reflect on how they will share their time, talent, and treasure in the coming year.

Stewardship isn't just a box to check—it's a spiritual practice. It's the intentional offering of ourselves back to God, recognizing that everything we have is a gift. When we complete a stewardship commitment form, we are making a prayerful promise to participate in the life of the Church—not just as observers, but as contributors to the mission.

This is especially crucial for our Catholic school. Our school depends on the stewardship of the whole parish—not only financially, but through time and presence. We need volunteers, mentors, advocates, and prayer partners. We need generous donors who believe in the power of faith-based education.

This month, we ask you to complete your stewardship form and return it by the end of October. You can find it in the bulletin, on our website, or at the back of the church. Talk as a family about where God is calling you to give. Consider how your gifts can shape our future.

Together, let us renew our “yes” to the mission. Let us build a strong, faith-filled parish and school that stands as a beacon of Christ's love in the world.

Blessed Sacrament Parish First Friday Memorial 2026

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 an annual donation of \$70 for the intentions to be remembered at this monthly Mass.

You are all welcome to attend this Mass. You may list your intentions as one individual name: Mary Jones, or you may list family groupings: The Jones Family. You may **NOT** submit a litany of individual names or multiple families; space will not permit. If you wish to continue having your intentions remembered at these Masses, we ask you to renew your donation each year. Fill out this form below, and return it to the Parish Office as soon as possible with your donation. Feel free to call the Parish Office at 222-2759 during business hours from 8:00 am – 12 noon and 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm. We will be happy to answer any questions you have regarding the Memorial. **Please clearly mark your envelope or the memo line on the check – First Friday Memorials; and please return by October 30, 2025.**

NEW OR RENEWAL (CIRCLE ONE)

APPLICATION FOR FIRST FRIDAY MEMORIALS

CHECK # _____ CASH _____ AMOUNT \$ _____

YOUR NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PERSON(S) YOU WANT REMEMBERED: _____

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 Deceased Members of Fenwick & Schinderling Families
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 Kenneth & Joan Steinkamp
 Mary & Greg Wellman
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 Tracy Dede & the Families of Mary & Jerry Lovell
 Bill Wegs
 Ken Moenning
 Patrick Dolan
 Richard & Helen Lukeman
 The Hessling Family
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 Living & Deceased Members of Penie Emma Vahlkamp Families
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