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Pastor Emeritus: Monsignor Michael Kuse
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Director of Faith Formation: Audreana Derhake
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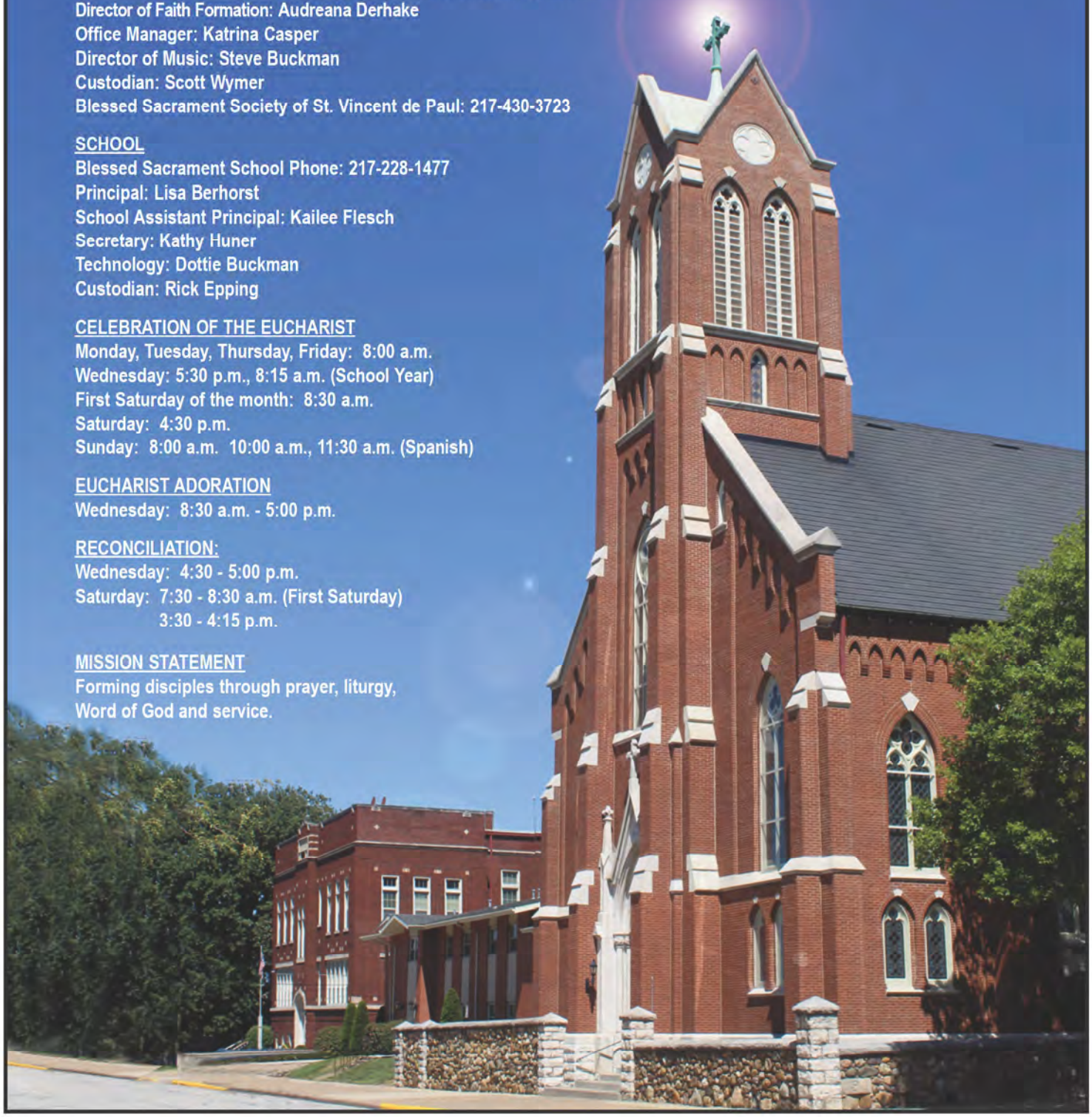
SCHOOL
Blessed Sacrament School Phone: 217-228-1477
Principal: Lisa Berhorst
School Assistant Principal: Kailee Flesch
Secretary: Kathy Huner
Technology: Dottie Buckman
Custodian: Rick Epping

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:00 a.m.
Wednesday: 5:30 p.m., 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,
Word of God and service.



Mass Intentions

Monday	**November 23, 2026**
8:00 AM	Joyce Reiter
Tuesday	**November 24, 2026**
8:15 AM	Chad Lightfoot
Wednesday	**November 25, 2026**
8:00AM	James E Johnson Sr
5:30 PM	Toot Ewalt
Thursday	**November 26, 2026**
9:00 AM	Klene Family
Friday	**November 27, 2026**
8:00 AM	Joyce Blickhan
Saturday	**November 28, 2026**
4:30 PM	Pat Lawrence
Sunday	**November 29, 2026**
8:00 AM	Lori Porter
10:00 AM	Gary Reis
11:30 AM	People of the Parish

This Week in Our Parish

Sunday	**November 22, 2026**
Edge Youth Group	6:00 - 8:00PM
Tuesday	**November 24, 2026**
Legion of Mary - GS	1:15 pm
Quincy Spirit - GS	6:30 PM
Wednesday	**November 25, 2026**
Adoration	8:30 am - 5:00 pm
Reconciliation	4:30 - 5:00 pm
Parish Office Closed	All Day
Thursday	**November 26, 2026**
Parish Office Closed	All Day
Friday	**November 27, 2026**
Parish Office Closed	All Day

Sacrificial Giving

November 15, 2026

Regular Collection:	$6,845.00
Online Giving:	$1,165.72
Total Collection	**$8,010.72**
Weekly Support Needed:	$14,192.00
Difference:	-$6,181.28
Year- To - Date	
Received:	$224,051.95
Needed:	$283,840.00
Difference:	**-$59,788.05**
School Collection:	$9,260.00
Haiti:	$129.00

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From the Pastor's Desk

Today the Church celebrates the **Solemnity of Christ the King**. On this 34th and final Sunday in Ordinary Time, the Church officially concludes the liturgical year of 2020 and anticipates the arrival next Sunday of the season of Advent. In the Gospel this Sunday Jesus describes for us the **Final Judgment**. The Son of Man will separate the sheep (the blessed) from the goats (the accursed) by evaluating them on the Corporal Works of Mercy: (1) Feeding the hungry, (2) Giving drink to the thirsty, (3) Welcoming the stranger, (4) Clothing the naked, (5) Caring for the ill, and (6) Visiting the imprisoned. Whenever we did these works for another, we did them for Jesus. Lord, help us to see these opportunities you give us to serve you in your need.

As an update this weekend (Nov. 21-22) on our **Capital Campaign: "Honoring our Past, Strengthening our Future,"** we would like to show all of our parish members the **Painting Renderings** of our upcoming Church Painting Project. Our Church Painting Committee (chaired by Mike Grant) has been meeting over the last several months and has come up with two Renderings in consultation with our Painting and Design company – **Church Interiors, Inc**. - which we would like to share with you. Please join us in the Gathering Space after each of this weekend's Masses, and we will be happy to share with you the Renderings of our upcoming painting project.

This weekend (Nov. 21-22) is our **Annual Presentation for our St. Vincent De Paul Society.** This parish charitable organization disburses funds to help those in need throughout our parish and local community. St. Vincent De Paul will also provide their annual financial report in this weekend's bulletin.

This upcoming Jan. 23/24 (3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time) the Universal Church celebrates the **"Sunday of the Word of God."** In 2019 Pope Francis proclaimed this annual celebration to highlight the importance of the Word of God in the lives of Catholics. As a way for Blessed Sacrament Parish to celebrate this day here locally, we would like to present on that day the gift of a brand new **"Great Adventure Catholic Bible" to each of our 4th and 8th Grade students**. This gift will be their permanent Bible to keep as they move through grade school, high school, and into adult life. For the parish to be able to provide this gift, I am looking for donors willing to sponsor one Bible by making a **$36 donation**. Simply place your check in an envelope entitled, "Sponsor a Bible." Thank you so very much for your generosity in helping provide these Bibles to our 4th and 8th Grade students this upcoming January.

Finally, I would like to wish everyone a **Happy Thanksgiving** that our nation celebrates this upcoming Thur. Nov. 26th. We will have Mass here at Blessed Sacrament at 9:00am that morning. May we take this opportunity on Thursday to reflect on the many things for which we are grateful.

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

Living Our Catholic Faith

Your Calendar of Saints and Feasts for the week of Nov 23rd – Nov 29th (patronage)

Nov 23rd – **Pope St. Clement I** (Marble workers), **St. Columban** (Mortorcyclists), **Bl. Miguel Agustin Pro**
Nov 24th– **St. Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions** (Vietnam)
Nov 25th– **St. Catherine of Alexandria** (Students, apologists, & librarians) **Bl. Luigi Beltrame Quatrocchi & Maria Corsini** (Married couples & families)
Nov 28th- **St. Catherine Laboure'** (Miraculous Medals)

"One must see God in everyone."
~ St.Catherine Laboure'





Help Stock Our Mini Pantry!

Our outdoor mini pantry, maintained by the St. Vincent de Paul Society, provides food assistance to anyone in our community who may need a little extra help. We invite parishioners to donate nonperishable food items to help keep the pantry stocked. Donations may be dropped off in the Gathering Space. Thank you for helping us share Christ's love by caring for our neighbors!

Consider donating stock to our parish – Visit our secure stock giving site at dio.org/stock which makes stock giving easy and secure by providing the correct transfer form, helping you fill out the necessary fields, and providing clear instructions for submitting the form to your brokerage. Your financial advisor may also complete the form on your behalf to access necessary account information. For specific questions about how stock giving may your personal situation, consult a financial or tax advisor.

Celebrating Sunday's for Catholic Families

Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Matthew 25:31-36

Refelecting on the Word

In the Gospels, Jesus often shows his love for the poor and reveals his desire for his followers to love the poor. But in today's Gospel, Jesus takes this a step further. He tells his followers to see *him* in the poor and the outcast. He wants us to to love and care for the poor the way we would love and care for him if we were to see him in prison or hungry or without clothes. We could never pass Jesus by if he were in need, and so he wants us to meet those who are most vulnerable with the same compassion, love and mercy we would meet him with if we were to see him hurting.

Living the Word

This week, find an unused cardboard box. On the box, have your child(ren) write "Love Box". Next, make a list of items from the grocery store that cost one or two dollars. Make a commitment to add one of those items to your cart every time you go to the grocery store for the next few weeks. Put that item in your family's "'Love Box". When your box is full, donate the items to your local food bank.

On the way home from Mass, talk about it...

Why do you think Jesus has a special kind of love for those who are hurting most?

In preparation for next weeks Gospel reading....

What are important events in your family life that you must prepare for?

Blessed Sacrament Catholic School



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7th grade retreat









📰 Parish News

Bring a Rose for Mary! 🌹

As we prepare to celebrate two beautiful Marian feast days, we invite all parishioners and students to bring **red roses** to either **Immaculate Conception of Mary Mass on Tuesday, December 8, at 8:15 AM or 5:30 PM.** Vases will be placed by the altar for you to place your roses.

The roses will remain at the altar throughout the week and will also be used for our **Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass celebrated on Friday, December 11, at 10:00 PM.**

We warmly encourage our entire parish family to attend both celebrations! What a beautiful opportunity to bring our whole community together, including our Spanish-speaking parishioners, in our shared love and devotion to our Blessed Mother.

Thank you for helping us connect these two special Marian celebrations and celebrate the unity of our parish family through faith and tradition! ❤️🌹

2027 STEWARDSHIP FORMS – IT'S NOT TOO LATE! 💙

We're still working toward our goal of 100% participation, and we need every household! Your form helps us keep parish records up to date and gives you an opportunity to share your time, talents, and treasure.

📱 Online: Visit blessedsacramentqcy.org → Ministries & Outreach → 2027 Stewardship Form.

📄 Paper: Return your completed form to the box in the Gathering Space or place it in the basket at Mass.

Haven't turned yours in yet? There's still time!
Every form counts!
Thank you for being part of our
Blessed Sacrament family!

The parish Office will be closed November 25th, 26th & 27th for the Thanksgiving Holiday

🙏 Prayer & Faith

Please Pray for Parish Family Members

Robin Cimera, Kristin Adams, Delores Lumpkins, Jeff Lewis, Debra Powell, Mary Neuser, Linda Anemone, Robert Conover, Bill Timmerwilke, Ceil Duesterhaus, Lisa Wright, Alberta, Paul German, Lee John, Dawn Heints, Karen Freels Throgmorton, Nancy Zanger, Bonnie Cook Carolyn Koetters, Hermes Alonzo, Sr., Fran Georges, Phyllis Cameron, Susie (Weise) Job, Mary Murphy, Sally Kroner, Tim Lenane, Pam Luther, Jane Mead & Marg Kinne

Cut out this week's prayer list and keep it nearby as a reminder to pray throughout the week.

There's still time to complete this week's **Mary Challenge**!

Sometimes, we don't need to find Mary hiding to be reminded that she is always near, guiding us closer to her Son.

As our parish family continues to mourn the loss of two beloved priests, Monsignor Mike Kuse and Monsignor Leo Enlow, let's turn to our Blessed Mother for comfort, strength, and peace.

Our Weekly Challenge: Pray a Rosary this week for the repose of their souls and for all those grieving their loss. May we find comfort in prayer and draw closer to Christ through Mary.

Mary, Our Mother, pray for us. ❤️

Pope's Prayer Intention

November 2026

For the Proper Use of Wealth

Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that, not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of the common good and solidarity with those who have less.

Want to Join Our Parish?
We would love to welcome you to the Blessed Sacrament Parish family!
Register by calling the Parish Office at 217-222-2759
or visit blessedsacramentqcy.org and select Connect/Join → Become a Parishioner.
There's a place for you here!

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES November 28th & 29th, 2026

Mass Time	Servers	Communion Ministers	Greeters	Lectors	Ushers
4:30 PM	Karson Huner Haley Terwelp Dax Kistner	Mike Bernhardt Nancy Bernhardt Deacon Mike	Dylan & Amy Aden (GS) Mary Hartman (WD) Leonard & Donna Decker (SD)	Jeanne Smith	Gary Beckman Dean Herring Mark Ohnemus Jim Schrand
8:00 AM	KerryLee Rosson Sylvia Feldner Olivia Pruett	Brian Brod Jean Brod Deacon Terry	Robert & Mary Kay Brown (GS) Pat & Sue Ann Gerveler (WD) Bryan & Amber Feldner (SD)	Ruth Felker	Michael Moenning Gerry Salfen Matt Schmidt Chris Wegs
10:00 AM	Landon Bordewick Emma Vogel Oliver Derhake	Laurie Brink Jill Kelly Deacon Terry	Joe & Amber Bordewick (GS) Richard & Debra Schuering (WD) Tyler & Allie Durst (SD)	Elzabeth Bozarth Jessica Genenbacher	Matt Bozarth Dan Brink Nathan Holtschlag Marvin Schreacke



Servers Week of November 30, 2026

Monday, Nov 30 - Lucas Selby & Bryson Shull
Tuesday, Dec 1- Lucas Selby & Bryson Shull
Wednesday, Dec 2 - Lucas Selby, Bryson Shull & Owen Weise
Thursday, Dec 3- Owen Weise & Raelynn Williams
Friday,Dec 4 - Owen Weise & Raelynn Williams



Stewardship Reflection - November 22, 2026

"...whatever you did for one of the least of my brothers, you did for me." – MATTHEW 25:40

Most of us are generous when it's convenient for us. We are generous when we have the time or the money. But, real generosity is the opposite of that. It means giving of one's time, money, compassion, forgiveness or mercy when it's not convenient to us, when it's not on our schedule, but on the other person's timeline.

This Week's Challenge: Have you turned in your 2027 Stewardship Form yet? If not, take a few minutes to complete and return it! As you fill it out, spend some time in prayer and ask God to show you one NEW way you can get involved, share a talent, serve others, or support our parish.

Already turned yours in? That's wonderful! Encourage a friend, family member, or fellow parishioner to complete theirs, too. Sometimes a simple reminder or invitation can make all the difference!

Maybe it's volunteering for a ministry, helping at an event, sharing a special skill, or finding a new way to give. Don't just check a box—make a commitment to grow in your faith and be an active part of our parish family!

Every gift matters. Every person makes a difference. 💙

St. Vincent de Paul Second Collection
November 28–29

Our next St. Vincent de Paul Second Collection will take place the weekend of November 28–29. This fifth-weekend collection helps provide assistance to individuals and families in our community facing difficult times.

Annual Appeal: An envelope is also attached to this bulletin for the St. Vincent de Paul Annual Appeal. Please prayerfully consider making a separate contribution to support their ongoing mission of helping our neighbors in need.

Thank you for your generosity and for putting our faith into action!

From Longing to Hope: Taizé Prayer at Sacred Heart Convent Chapel

Join us at Sacred Heart Convent for an afternoon of Taizé prayer—simple songs, steady rhythms, and time to center your heart.

Come as you are—all are welcome.

From Longing to Hope: Taize Prayer is at 3:30 p.m. **Sunday, December 6** at the **Sacred Heart Chapel, 1237 W. Monroe St., in Springfield.** No charge; free off-street parking, fully accessible facility. All are welcome.





St. Anthony Church Pancake & Sausage Breakfast

Join St. Anthony Church on **Sunday, December 13, 2026**, for a delicious breakfast!

Serving: 7:00 AM – Noon

Adults: $14 | Children: $7 | Under 5: Free

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Link & Bulk Sausage, Ribs, Chops: 5 lbs. – $25

Cooked Links (pre-cooked weight): 5 lbs. – $30

Come enjoy a great breakfast and support St. Anthony Church! Bring your family and friends!

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Holtschlag Family
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