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The doors of the church are open Wednesday from 9 am to 6 pm for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and will be held in the Main Sanctuary



We shall love the Lord our God with all our heart, all our soul, and with all our strength.

And we shall love our neighbor as we love ourselves. - Mission Statement

Liturgy

Saturday Mass: 5:00 pm Sunday Mass:

9:00 am (English) 12:00 pm (Spanish)

Weekday Mass:

Monday & Thursday 9:00 am Tuesday (Silver Mass) 9:00am Wednesday 6:00 pm First Friday 9:00 am other Fridays 9am Communion Service

Adoration

Hours of Exposition **Wednesday** 9:00 am - 6:00 pm *Church Sanctuary*

Come and Pray

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday

8:30 am - 1:30 pm Church Sanctuary

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:45 pm - 4:45 pm



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Call the parish office to set up an appointment with father Paco if you are wishing to schedule a sacrament/celebration.

The church office and food pantry will be closed and no Masses on days of bad weather (if Webb City Schools cancel).

SACRED HEART NEWS

We celebrate the Epiphany of the Lord. First, I would like to thank everyone for the prayers, support and assistance during our Advent and Christmas seasons. I think it was a remarkable year and we tried our best. I am open to any ideas or recommendations for this new year so we can have spiritual and meaningful celebrations.

I would like to express my gratitude also for the numerous cards, emails, notes, and gifts I received for Christmas. Your kindness and generosity are much appreciated.

Also, I am so grateful for your warmth and welcoming hearts with my family. They enjoyed their visit and asked me to tell you how grateful they are to everyone for your friendship. A BIG THANK YOU!

It is a great celebration in our Church this weekend, THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD. The message is simple, JESUS IS FOR ANYONE AND EVERYONE. It means that Jesus can be revealed in different times, cultures, places, and ways. He is present and we cannot restrict His love and presence to a particular time or culture. Jesus is for everyone and anyone who accepts Him and welcomes Him.

Jesus is revealed and manifested to all of us, but it is up to us to accept His gift. I heard a phrase that says: "UNEXPECTED STRANGERS BROUGHT THE UNEXPECTED."

The Epiphany is so important for our Catholic tradition but also a universal lesson and invitation. It is by reflecting on the star, the magi, and the witnesses that we can get a better sense of what the Epiphany means for all of us. A professor told us at the seminary: LOOK BEHIND THE STAR.

I read an article that mentions this important clue: "In his book "Jesus of Nazareth: The Infancy Narratives," Pope Benedict XVI observed that it was not the star that determined the child's destiny but the child who directed the star."

The CCC # 528 says: "The Epiphany is the manifestation of Jesus as Messiah of Israel, Son of God and Savior of the world" and that the magi's coming to Jerusalem, in order to pay homage to the king of the Jews, shows that they seek in Israel, in the messianic light of the star of David, the one who will be the king of the nations."

The Epiphany invites us to seek the Lord, to help those in search of Jesus, to adore Him, to bring the gift of yourself to Jesus, and to return changed and transformed after your personal meeting with Jesus.

The Epiphany invites us to search for Jesus constantly and to allow Him to change us. To present ourselves and our brokenness with a humble heart. But I think the most important lesson for us today is that we must follow God's way, God's direction so we can arrive safely to our destination.

Let us ask the Lord to help us to remain focused following the true LIGHT, our Lord Jesus Christ.

Happy and blessed 2024...Happy and blessed FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY. Father Paco

Sacred Heart of Jesus Prayer Box

Do you have a special intention or someone for whom you want to pray? Then put your request into the Sacred Heart of Jesus box. There are small prayer request papers on the gift table at the back of church. The box is carried up to the altar with the Gifts; an offering of our prayers. One prayer card is sufficient for each situation. Your intentions are remembered at each Mass. All intentions will be burned at the beginning of the Easter Vigil Mass. May God continue to bless you, your family, and your friends through the power of prayer. This tradition started in our church in 2015 when the box was created and painted by students/teachers at WCHS.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Prayer Shawl Ministry supply is running extremely low. Please consider helping make shawls or lap blankets for those who are battling illness or in need of a loving embrace. Contact LeAnn Wilson for details at 417-529-6863 or fbwido@gmail.com

Let us pray for our Sacred Heart shut-ins:

Those not able to attend Mass

Jean & Julio Arteaga
Edwina Bock
Steve Bock
Ed & Gisele DesAutels
Charimonde Heger
Donna Kadolph
Yen Pham
Cynthia Perez
Magdalena Ramos
Dorothy Schmidt
Rhonda Seils

Actively Serving Military:

Petty officer Charles Bock III, USN PO3 Judson Russell, USN

PLEASE NOTE!

If you want a shut in or Actively serving military to this list, email the bulletin at sacredheartbulletinwc@gmail.com

Scripture Study

The group will take a break & will resume meetings on January 8th when we will begin a study of the Mass and the Eucharist based on a series of talks given by Bishop Robert Barron. No book will be required. All are welcome!

Hearing Assistance

For those of you that have a hard time hearing during mass, we have 4 assisted hearing headsets available in the sacristy. If you need assistance with hearing during mass please notify one of the ushers or Tom Cushing and they will help you with a headset. These should be able to be worn over most hearing aids.

O Sacrament Most Holy

O Sacrament Most Holy, O Sacrament divine, All praise and all thanksgiving, be every moment thine.

Sacred Heart Food Pantry

Donations can be placed in the baskets at the church entrances. THANK YOU!

THIS WEEK AT SACRED HEART

| | Daily Readings | Mass Intentions | Happening Today | |
|----------------------------|--|---|--|--|
| Saturday | 1 Jn 5:5-13 | 5:00pm: (+) William P. Hamilton, MD | • Mass 5:00pm | |
| Jan 6 | Gospel Mk 1:7-11 | By: Stephanie Attaway | 2nd Collection—Building & Maintenance | |
| Sunday Jan 7 | Is 60:1-6 Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6 Gospel Mt 2:1-12 | 9:00am: (+) Dominick (6 souls) & Maria (5 souls) By: Pham Family 12:00am: (+) Elena Maturino By: María Maturino | Masses 9:00am, 12:00pm (Spanish) 2nd Collection—Building & Maintenance PSR Classes 10:30am First Reconciliation Retreat 2-4pm | |
| Monday Jan 8 | Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11 or Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9 <i>Gospel</i> Mk 1:7-11 | 9:00am: (+) All Souls By: Joseph Nguyen and Nga Do | Mass 9:00amScripture Study following morning Mass | |
| Tuesday Jan 9 | 1 Sm 1:9-20 Gospel Mk 1:21-28 | 9:00am: (+) Arnold Crihfield By: Joplin Assembly 578 | Mass 9:00amFood Pantry 9-12pm | |
| Wednesday Jan 10 | 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20 Gospel Mk 1:29-39 | 6:00pm: (+) Denny Smith By: Morning Mass Group | Mass 6:00pmAdoration 9am-6pmNo YOSH | |
| Thursday Jan 11 | 1 Sm 4:1-11 Gospel Mk 1:40-45 | 9:00am: (+) Francis and Mary By: Nguyen Family | Mass 9:00amFood Pantry 9-12pmRosary 7pmRCIA 7pm | |
| Friday Jan 12 | 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a <i>Gospel</i> Mk 2:1-12 | | | |
| Saturday Jan 13 | 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1 Gospel Mk 2:13-17 | 5:00pm: (+) Margaret Harvey By: Steve & Kelly Reddin | • Mass 5:00pm | |
| Sunday Jan 14 | 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20 <i>Gospel</i> Jn 1:35-42 | 9:00am: For the Intentions of Fr. Paco By: Seven Sisters 12:00am: (+) Jhonny Elizardo Escobar López By: Saíra López | Masses 9:00am, 12:00pm (Spanish)PSR Classes 10:30am | |

Happy Birthday!

Jan 7 **Mark Herbert**

Jan 8

Jan 9

Jan 10 Sonora Drake. Sydney Surgi

Jan 11 Wendy Alvarado, Kiara Ramirez

Jan 12 Debra Streeter, Alfredo Urbina

Jan 13



Mass Collections 12/30/23 & 12/31/23

Weekend Masses \$7,802.00 Solemnity \$300.00 Misc \$661.01

TOTAL Collected \$8,763.01

Thank you for your Support!

Sacred Heart Prayer Chain

If you want to submit a prayer request or be added to the emails to offer prayers, contact Tim at prayerchainshwc@gmail.com

| | 1/6/24 | 1/7/24 | 1/13/24 | 1/14/24 |
|---------|--|--|--|--|
| Lectors | Volunteer Volunteer | Volunteer Volunteer | Volunteer Volunteer | Volunteer Volunteer |
| Body | Volunteer Volunteer | Volunteer Volunteer | Volunteer Volunteer | Volunteer Volunteer |
| Blood | Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer | Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer | Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer | Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer |
| Servers | Tom Cushing | Kevin Pliler | Steve Reddin | Mike Wilson |
| Ushers | Volunteer Volunteer | Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer | Volunteer Volunteer | Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer |
| Music | | | | |

SACRED HEART NEWS







NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

7-21 July 2023 – Indianapolis, IN – Lucas Oil Stadium

Have you thought about going?

costs for planning travel, lodging, meals, schedule Visit https://www.eucharisticcongress.org/ to see



REVIVAL IMPACT SESSIONS

Encounter – Jesus is calling you deeper

Encuentro – Jesus te llama mar adentro

Empower - Practical tools for evangelization

Renewal - Revive your spiritual life and Apostolates

Awaken – Empower young Catholics disciples Cultivate – Become a family on mission

Revival Schedule

_ Reinvigorate Worship pillar #1 Day 1 – From the Four Corners – Pilgrims arrive & are welcomed

Day 2 & 3 & 4-

- Morning Impact Sessions choose theme:
 - Encounter
 - Encuentro
- Empower Renewal
 - Cultivate
 - Awaken
- Afternoon Breakout Sessions
- Evening Revival Session everyone invited

Day 4 - add

 Afternoon Eucharistic Adoration

Day 5 – To the Ends of the Earth

- Revival Closing Session
- Closing Mass

What Intrigues you?

"Real" of personal Encounter

- ^{Catholics} 80 forth as Missionaries Presence?

_ Create Moments

pillar #2

parishRevival

READ - Beautiful Eucharist - LOVE

The perfect companion for the National Eucharistic Revival called for by the United Whether you need to repair a broken relationship, long for peace, hope to reignite States Bishops, Beautiful Eucharist will help you encounter Jesus like never before. your faith, or want more joy in everyday life, this book will bring you face-to-face with the one person who has all the answers.

Eucharist to transform families, Churches, communities, and the culture as a whole. The world needs the healing and hope only Jesus can provide. He is waiting in the And all of that begins with your own life-changing encounter with him today.

Beautiful Eucharist is an invitation to encounter the life-giving presence of Jesus in the Eucharist so you can be a life-giving presence in the world.

Cup of Salvation

Parish Revival

Pillar #3

"My flesh for the life of the world."

Faith Formation

Parish Revival

Pillar #4

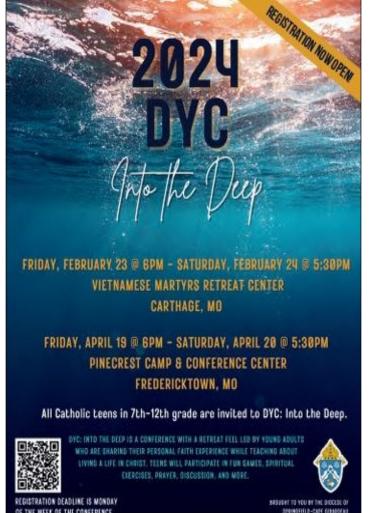
regulations ensure that Christ's Blood has to the Last Supper, when Jesus instituted such as gold or silver. If the chalice is not chalice must be consecrated by a bishop chalice is the new covenant in my blood. remembrance of me" (1 Cor 11:25). The among all liturgical vessels. Dating back gilded. This serves both a practical and and made of a hard, precious material, reverential purpose making the chalice gold, then the inside of the cup which surface from tarnishing and the Blood Precious Blood, but also prevents the not only a worthy receptacle for the from soaking into the chalice. These holds the Precious Blood should be The Chalice takes the highest place the Eucharist with the words, "This a vessel which is both practical and Do this, as often as you drink it, in -Engage in Robust



What do you notice in our chalices?





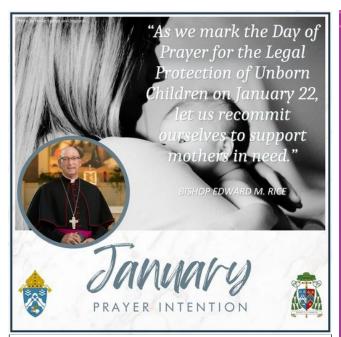




Parish Council update on Parish Survey

Due to low responses especially from the Hispanic Community that we have not reached at least 50% of the parish population, we need to continue with the survey until we get at least more than 50% of the parish members responses. Until then we will have a valid survey.

For those who have not done yet, please do by either the paper survey (English or Spanish) at the parish hall and leave the completed survey in the basket provided or you can scan the QR provided and do it online.



<u>Pope Francis'</u> <u>January Prayer Intention</u>

For the gift of diversity in the Church

We pray that the Holy Spirit may help us to recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community and to discover the richness of different traditions and rituals in the Catholic Church.



Men's Discernment Opportunity

All Men ages 18-35 interested in learning more about seminary life are invited to register for the Men's Discernment Retreat at Kenrick-Glennon Seminary in St. Louis, the weekend of February 9-11, 2024. The retreat will focus on seminary formation, prayer, and discerning one's call. For more information or to register, please visit **www.stlvocations.org/retreat**.

JOPLIN AREA CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

JACS is hiring part time bus drivers: The part-time driver will drive for field trips, activities and sporting events as needed. A current Class B CDL license with passenger and school bus endorsements are required. If you have any questions, please contact Darren Cook at dcook@jacschools.org or at (417) 624-5003.

McAuley Homecoming: Mark your calendar for McAuley Catholic's Homecoming festivities on Friday, January 26. Additional details to come!

Auditions: Auditions for the spring performance of *Mary Poppins, Jr.* will be January 9 from 3:15-4 p.m. at St. Mary's and January 10 from 3-4 p.m. at McAuley Catholic. Auditions are open to parishioners ages 7-18. Performances are either March 8 and 9 or April 13 and 14. Contact Mrs. Kristen Stremel—<u>kstremel@iacss.org</u> for more information.

Joplin Area Catholic Schools Fund- End of Year Giving: Our students and families are Living a Legacy of Mercy each day. We ask that you consider the gift of prayer, time, or a monetary donation toward The Joplin Area Catholic Schools Fund and for the students attending the Joplin Area Catholic Schools. Visit https://tinyurl.com/JACSDonation to donate online, mail in a check to JACS Office of Advancement, 930 S. Pearl Ave., Joplin, MO 64801 or contact development@jacss.org for questions. Thank you for your support.

Mercy Meals: Need a meal? McAuley Catholic and St. Peter's Middle School students prepare Mercy Meals for those in need. If you know someone who may need a meal or if you yourself need a meal, please contact the development office at development@jacss.org to make arrangements for a meal. Students have made a number of homemade meals for individuals and families in need.

Sick, homebound or in need of a meal?

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ANUARY 22: Day of Prayer

for the Legal Protection of Unborn



HOLY MASS & ROSARY

Mon., January 22, 2024

5:30 p.m. Mass, Rosary (and Hot Chocolate afterward) St. Agnes Cathedral, Springfield

Fri., January 26, 2024

5:15 p.m. Mass, Rosary (and Hot Chocolate afterward) St. Mary Cathedral, Cape Girardeau

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