

SACRED HEART OF JESUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Deacon Larry Lipsmeyer 501 922-3283
Deacon B.J. Bowen 501 831-1742
Deacon Gary Christoff 573 645-6814

MASSES

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday.....	09:00 a.m.
Wednesday.....	04:00 p.m.
First Saturday.....	09:00 a.m.
Saturday Anticipated	04:00 p.m.
Sunday	08:00 a.m.
.....	10:00 a.m.
Holy Day Vigil (with obligation)	as announced
Holy Day.....	09:00 a.m.

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Eucharistic Adoration	All hours
.....	7 days a week

CONFESSION

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday	08:40 to 08:55 a.m.
Wednesday	03:30 to 03:50 p.m.
Saturday	03:15 to 03:45 p.m.

OR by appointment with the Pastor

NOVEMBER 3, 2024

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PARISH EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday	Nov 4
09:00 am	Mass
09:45 am	LOSH Board Meeting, Upper Hall
10:00 am	LOSH Baked Goods Drop, Classroom C
10:00 am	Bereavement Session, Classroom D
01:00 pm	WWP Coffee connect, Upper Hall
01:00 pm	WWP Bible Study, Classrooms A, B & D
06:00 pm	WWP Bible Study, Classroom A
Tuesday	Nov 5
09:00 am	Mass followed by Patriotic Rosary
10:00 am	Fit 'n Go Fitness, Lower Hall
11:30 am	Chair Stretch & Balance, Lower Hall
11:30 am	Mat Stretch, Strength & Balance, Upper Hall
01:00 pm	Shawl Ministry, Classroom D
05:00 pm	Mass followed by Council 10208 Widow's Dinner, Lower Hall
Wednesday	Nov 6
09:45 am	COR Group, Classroom D
10:00 am	Book Reflection, Classrooms A & B
01:00 pm	Singles Hand & Foot, Upper Hall
01:00 pm	Spades and Table Games, Upper Hall
03:00 pm	Book Reflection, Classrooms A & B
Thursday	Nov 7
09:30 am	Rosary Makers, Classroom B
10:00 am	Fit 'n Go Fitness, Lower Hall
11:30 am	Chair Stretch, & Balance, Lower Hall
11:30 am	Mat Stretch, Strength & Balance, Upper Hall
01:00 pm	Guild 6 Social Game Day, Classroom D
06:00 pm	COR Group, Classroom D
Friday	Nov 8
Saturday	Nov 9
04:00 pm	Mass
Sunday	Nov 10
08:00 am	Mass
10:00 am	Mass
11:15 am	Youth Faith Formation, Classroom D

A CHRISTMAS CAROL

The HSV Players are presenting "A Christmas Carol - A New Musical" at the Woodlands Auditorium November 21/22 at 7:00 pm and November 23/24 at 2:00 pm. Familiar carols such as "O Come All Ye Faithful" and "God Rest Ye Merry Gentleman" honoring the Christ-Child will take you back to Victorian England. General Admission tickets which are \$30 for adults and \$15 for students can be purchased at www.hsvplayers.com.

SATURDAY ANTICIPATED MASS

Please remember that from this Saturday forward Mass each Saturday will be at 4:00 pm with confession offered from 3:15 - 3:45 pm. Also, Wednesday Masses change to 4:00 pm beginning November 6.



ANNUAL THANKSGIVING DINNER

Sacred Heart will once again offer a traditional Thanksgiving feast on Thursday, November 28. Details and sign up sheets will be available soon.



MEN'S CLUB NOVEMBER MEETING

The November meeting for the Sacred Heart Men's Club will be on Tuesday Nov. 12 at 5:00 pm in the Lower Hall. All men or male spouses of a parish member are welcome to attend. Name badges are available for \$12. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will take place at 5:00 pm followed by social time. The Refreshment Center will open upon the Chaplet's completion. The 5:45 pm dinner, catered by Chef Johnna, will be a traditional Thanksgiving meal. Cost is \$15. The program Guest speaker, Dennis Simpson, is an HSV resident who does podcasts and radio programs and will focus on IT the local real estate issues and market trends. Please call [501 922-1767](tel:5019221767) or email your meal reservation to russharrison68@gmail.com by **5:00 pm Sunday, November 10**. Please be aware that if you cancel or no show after the deadline you are still responsible for the meal cost.

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP



The Caregiver Support Group meets once a month on the second Wednesday of each month in Classroom D from 11:00am - 12:30pm. A light lunch is provided. You are welcome to attend even if you do not have the care receiver living in your home. We also have trained men and women from our parish who will come to your home in order for you to attend the meeting. Call **Evelyn 501 204-4134** or **Maureen 228 342-0491** for information.



2024 BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Baby bottles can be returned to the church at any time and placed in the crib in the Narthex on or before Sunday, November 10. If you did not yet pick up a bottle, there are additional empty bottles on top of the cabinet in the Narthex hallway. The goal this year is to continue to provide funds to three area pregnancy resource centers and the Arkansas Right to Life organization in Little Rock. The New Beginnings Pregnancy Resource Center in Benton, Change point Pregnancy Center in Hot Springs and the Arkansas Pregnancy Resource Center in Little Rock all do amazing work caring for new mothers, their babies and counseling young women who need guidance during and after their pregnancy. What a great feeling to know that you have helped to save and nurture a life! Please open your heart and be generous for these unborn children of God. If you write a check, please make it out to Knights of Columbus. Thank you.



PASTORS COLUMN

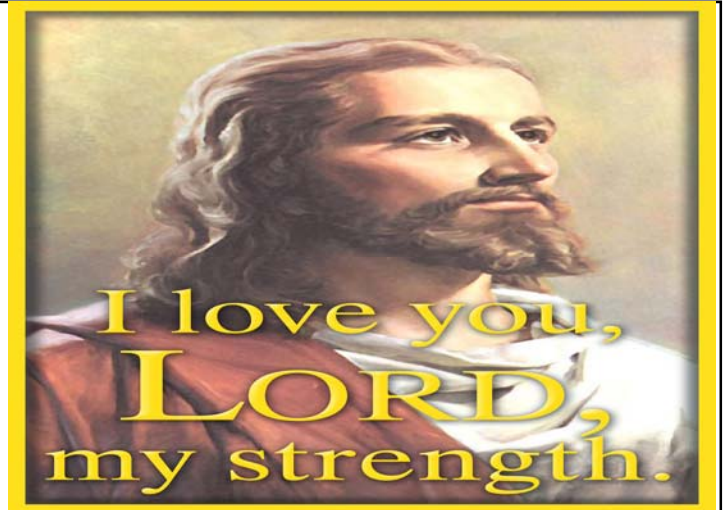
I'm sure that many of you are like me when it comes to "relief" that election day is almost here (November 5). I hope the electorate as a whole has truly come to know where all the candidates for elected office stand on important issues and their record on what they have done when they have served in an elected or appointed office in the past. There is no doubt that emotions are high and sadly are anything but Christ-like in their verbal expression, especially when it is against a candidate or candidates.

One thing to keep in mind is that we all need to be diligent long after the election is over in standing up for the teachings and values that come from the bible and the Tradition of the Catholic Church and be involved in the public arena in the ways we can to influence the decisions that are made on the local, state and national level that have an impact on people's lives in our country and around the world.

In addition to praying continually for our Church's leaders (the pope, bishops, and clergy) which we do during the Prayer of the Faithful at Mass, the Church urges us to pray at Mass and other times for our elected and appointed leaders that they will serve with integrity and promote policies that will benefit the common good, with special concern for the poor, the vulnerable, and those who struggle to care for themselves and their families.

I want to urge you to consider joining us not only on election day, Tuesday, November 5 for Mass followed by the "Patriotic Rosary", but also join us throughout the year whenever we offer the patriotic rosary (usually on civic holidays) to pray for our country's public leaders on the national, state and local levels as well as citizens in every state in our country!

While there many things that have the potential to divide us when it comes to the public arena (and in the Church itself), I hope we would all agree that prayer is something that always unites us as we ask for the Lord's unfailing help to make us what he wants us and everyone to be .



ADORERS NEEDED

At this time we have the following hours unfilled. These hours need at least one adorer assigned:



Sunday 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Monday 2:30 am - 4:00 am
Wednesday 2:30 am - 4:00 am

Contact Mike Ritch regarding PEA [832 231-7469](tel:832-231-7469)

FORMED

The Knights of Columbus has created a gift for us on Formed. It is a video series called "Into the Breach: The Mission of Family". It is a five episode series that explores God's incredible design for marriage and family in the modern world. Be inspired by the encouraging stories of spouses and families living out the Lord's plan for their holiness in a chaotic, post Christian world. Episode one "The Mission of the Family" is only 13 minutes long and will make you desire to watch the other short but dynamic videos in the series. Go to FORMED.org. to register for your free SHJ subscription.

A NOTE OF THANKS

I would like to sincerely thank Fr. Bill, the Knights of Columbus, the Men's Club, LOSH, St. Anthony Guild, the Subiaco Monks, individual parishioners, prayer warriors and the First Christian Church in the Village for their prayers, cards, meals and well wishes during the last few months of my cancer treatment. This is truly a testament to the power of prayer as my cancer is currently in remission. And so I pray:

Help us Father, help us all in our hour of need. Amen

Evelyn Donnelly



LADIES OF SACRED HEART CORNER

Upcoming Events General meetings: Nov 11, Jan 17, Feb 10, Mar 10, Apr 10 & May 12

- ◆ Nov. 4 Board Meeting 9:45 am, Upper Hall
- ◆ Nov. 4 Drop off Baked goods for St. John's Bazaar 10:00 am - 12:00 pm, Classroom C
- ◆ Nov. 5 9:30 am Patriotic Rosary led by LOSH
- ◆ Nov. 11 LOSH General Meeting 9:45 am (after Mass), Lower Hall. Guest speaker is Cynthia Hall from Hammer and Stain, Hot Springs

** Something extra: Items for Oaklawn workers (men & women)

ALTAR FLOWERS

The beautiful altar flowers this weekend are donated by:



- * Bob Bowman & Barbara Sweeney IMO Walter, brother
- * Jim & Pookie Dixon, 22nd Anniversary
- * Children & Grandchildren of Judy Gallagher, IHO 80th birthday

Your parish appreciates your donations of flowers for the altar. Sign-up in the white binder on counter in the Narthex. Questions, call **Judy Gordon**, at 719-930-1121.

HAPPY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY



- ♥ John & Judith Gallagher, 59 years on Nov. 6
- ♥ Brett & Nancy George, 5 years on Nov. 8
- ♥ Lance & Gekka Farrar, 44 years on Nov. 10
- ♥ Don & Jean Combs, 51 years on Nov. 10
- ♥ Ed & Sarah Aucoin, 21 years on Nov. 10

* Call the church office to provide your anniversary date.

GIFT BEARERS

The following parishioners have volunteered to bring up the gifts this weekend at 8:00 am:



Walt and Rita Miller

Sign up in the white binder located in the Narthex or call **Marian LaVelle** at 501 209-2435.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CORNER



- ◆ Nov. 5 Monthly Council Mtg. 5:00 pm, Lower Hall
- ◆ Nov. 5 Memorial Mass & Dinner
- ◆ Nov. 5 Bimonthly Blood Drive Village United Methodist 8:00 am - 2:00 pm
- ◆ Nov. 10 Baby Bottle Campaign ends
- ◆ Nov. 11 Veteran's Day, Flags, Rosary & Mass
- ◆ Nov. 11 St. Francis House Holiday Meal, Little Rock 3:30 pm
- ◆ Nov. 20 O & D Meeting 2:30 pm, Classrooms A & B
- ◆ Nov. 23 Fall Fest Dinner/Auction 5:00 pm, Lower Hall

K OF C BLOOD DRIVE



The next Arkansas Blood Institute Blood Drive supported by the K of C and hosted by Village United Methodist Church, 200 Carmona Rd., is 8:00 am -2:00 pm Tuesday, November 5, 2024. **There is an urgent need for blood at this time.** Previous donors with emails have been sent an email reminder. New donors may contact **Debbie** at 913 209-8571. Thank you in advance for your "gift of life."

NEW ADDRESS

After living in the village for the past 30 years, I have recently moved back to the Chicago area to be close to family. I will dearly miss my Sacred Heart friends but will always be with you in spirit. My new address is:

Mary Costello

1665 Oakton Place, Apt. 521

DesPlaines, IL 60018

501 209-0008

costello14hsv@protonmail.com

K OF C MEMORIAL MASS & DINNER

The Knights of Columbus are hosting our annual dinner for the widows of past Knights on Tuesday, November 5, 2024. The event will begin with Mass at 4:00 pm. Our Assembly Color Corps will help to honor SHJ Knights who have passed. Following Mass, the Council will have a meal catered by Chef Johnna. The menu is: green salad, rolls and butter, Rosemary apple cider glazed pork tenderloin, apple and pecan wild rice stuffing, buttered carrots and streusel pumpkin spice cake for dessert. Invitations to widows have been sent, but if we missed anyone please call **Mark Leslie** 501 226-0074 ASAP.

IMPORTANT CONTACT INFORMATION

Bereavement Support	Gary Christoff	573-645-6814
Caregiver Support	Evelyn Garrison	501-204-4134
	Maureen Halloran	228-342-0491
Columbarium	Gary Wolfer	501-204-1192
Eucharist: Homebound	Rose Farrell	860-208-9813
Helping Hands	Cathy Wedwick	501-915-8456
	Pat Widlowski	501-922-1395
Perpetual Adoration	Mike Ritch	832-231-7469
Youth Faith Formation	Lou Ann Kemper	469-323-2505



PARISH FINANCE & ADMINISTRATION COUNCIL			PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL		
David Witchger	Grounds, Chair	501-922-9058	Deb Troxel	Education	515-314-6955
Carolyn Bowers	Administration	501-915-8022	Lou Ann Kemper	Education	469-323-2505
Bob Honzik	Stewardship	501-922-2702	Sandy Darnell, Chair	Liturgy	602-418-3414
Murray Claassen	Stewardship	501-908-4346	Marian LaVelle	Liturgy	501-209-2435
Pat Kalisz	Building Complex/ Equipment	630-926-6637	Mark Leslie	Parish Life	501-226-0074
Russ Harrison	Cemetery/ Columbarium	501-922-1767	Becky Jordan	Parish Life	901-605-0333
Larry Lipsmeyer	Cemetery/ Columbarium	501-922-3283	Marge Newburn	Social Justice	501-922-9047
Larry Stein	Finance	501-226-5105	Pietro Tomassi	Social Justice	501-282-4427
			David Witchger	Finance Council	501-922-9058

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Effective immediately, the deadline for submitting bulletin announcements is the **Friday** one week prior to the weekend the bulletin is to be distributed. The deadline time is **12:00 pm**. Please submit announcements to hvsacredheart@gmail.com

Sick List - Names in bold italics have been recently added. A * next to last name Indicates non-parishioners.

Parishioners will be placed on the Sick List when a request has been made. To ensure privacy, remember to ask the person needing prayers if (s)he would like to be included in the listing. Recipients will remain on the Sick List for 60 days unless asked to be removed sooner or a request to stay on has been received.

Lew Ake
Nick Amrhein*
Dennis Becker
Tony Bertrand*
William J. "Bill" Butler
Evelyn Donnelly
Tom Donnelly

Theresa Drumwright
Mary Gerau*
Tim Gray*
John Guida
Joan Hardt
Betty Hoepner
Georgia Janush

Alice Justus
Diane Prescott
Don Prescott
Kenny Seghers
Audrey Sitkowski
Jeffrey Smith*
Mary Szczepaniak*

Robert Steinpreis
Tillie Tylka
Darin Wells*



PRAYER WARRIORS

PRAYERS NEEDED?

We all need a prayer warrior in times of crisis, a critical or dangerous situation that needs serious attention, including emergencies, surgery, imminent death or the loss of a loved one. Our Parish Prayer Warriors are ready to help. Some ninety Parish Prayer Warriors will offer intercessory prayers to God for you and your loved ones at these and other critical times. Please call: **Jim Goodson 204-2494, Lucy or Marvin Young 915-8028; or Chris Stein, 226-5105** to get your prayers started. They will continue for 30 days, unless cancelled by you, and may be continued by request. You too may become a member of our Parish Prayer Warriors by calling Jim, Lucy, Marvin or Chris.



Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you... Jeremiah 29:12

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Nov	2	5:00 pm	PAT AKE	LEW AKE
			FRANK NAHLEN	DENISE ROMAGNANO NAHLEN
Nov	3	8:00 am	WALT/RITA MILLER**	RITA MILLER
		10:00 AM	SHJ PARISHIONERS	FR. BILL ELSER
Nov	4	9:00 am	CARLOS VINCENT D'ORAZIO	JUNE LAMOUREUX
Nov	5	9:00 am	KIP KEENAN**	PHIL/KATERI AMRHEIN
Nov	6	4:00 pm	JAN LIPSMEYER	DC. LARRY LIPSMEYER
Nov	7	9:00 am	WALTER BOWMAN	BARB SWEENEY & BOB/ANN BOWMAN
Nov	8	9:00 am	NO MASS	
Nov	9	4:00 pm	ALBERTINE LUYET	TOM/LINDA LUYET
Nov	10	8:00 am	WENDY ROBINSON	KAREN/RICK MEYERS
		10:00 am	SHJ PARISHIONERS	FR. BILL ELSER