



# Sacred Heart Catholic Church

614 S. Bridge Street, PO Box 10, Manawa, WI

## Administrator

Father Matthew Rapp

## Mass Schedule

### Saturdays

SS Peter & Paul 4:30pm

### Sundays

**Sacred Heart** 8:00am  
SS Peter & Paul 10:30am

### Weekdays

**Sacred Heart**  
Wednesdays & Fridays 9:00am  
SS Peter & Paul  
Tuesdays & Thursdays 9:00am

**Confessions:** Sundays 7:15-7:45am

### First Friday Devotions

Beginning at 8am and ending before the 9am Mass

### Diocesan Holy Hour of Prayer

Third Wednesday of the month after the 9am Mass

### Mission Statement

As friends and followers of Jesus, we are devoted to fostering households and communities of discipleship through the mission and ministry of the Catholic Church.

PLEASE REMEMBER Sacred Heart in your Will & Estate Planning.



25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“No servant can serve two masters.”  
- Lk 16:13

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The Church is open daily from 8am-9pm for personal prayer.  
*Come and spend some quiet time with the Lord truly present in the Tabernacle.*

SEPTEMBER 18, 2022 • Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## DIRECTORY

### Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday ..... 8:00am—1:00pm

**Administrator** ..... Fr. Matthew Rapp  
 ..... 920-460-9981  
 SS. Peter & Paul ..... 920-867-2179

**Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper &  
 Religious Education Coordinator** ..... JoAnn Schuelke  
 Parish Office & Religious Education ..... 920-596-3323  
 Fax Number ..... 920-596-3323

**Cemetery** ..... Call the Parish Office  
 ..... 920-596-3323

**Parish Council Chairperson** ..... Ken Groholski  
**Finance Council Chairperson** ..... Jim Quinn  
**Parish Trustees** ..... Amy Dean  
 ..... Mary Johnson  
**St. Vincent de Paul** ..... 920-739-1679  
**Musician** ..... Jeanne Bauer  
**Email Address** ..... shmanawa@wolfnet.net

### Weekend and Weekday Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass ..... 8:00am  
 Wednesday & Friday Mass ..... 9:00am  
**Parish Website** ..... www.sacredheartmanawa.org

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Sunday, September 18, 2022

Confessions 7:15am-7:45am, Rosary at 7:35am, Mass at 8am  
 Faith Formation Kick Off with Parents/Meet the Teacher  
 Parish Potluck Breakfast after Mass

### Wednesday, September 21, 2022

Rosary at 8:40am, Mass at 9am  
 Monthly Holy Hour of Prayer at 9:30am

### Friday, September 23, 2022

Rosary at 8:40am, Mass at 9am

### Sunday, September 25, 2022

Confessions 7:15am-7:45am, Rosary at 7:35am, Mass at 8am  
 Faith Formation Classes after Mass until 10:30am



### Manawa Community Blood Drive

**Monday, September, 19**

11:30am-5pm

500 S. Bridge St. Manawa

Mobile Unit will be parked in front of City Hall

## STEWARDSHIP OF SHARING for September 11th

Praying at Mass ..... 84  
 Adult Envelopes ..... \$626.00  
 ACH Offering ..... \$165.00  
 Loose Offering ..... \$43.00  
 Children ..... \$2.00  
 Total Weekly Collections ..... \$836.00

**Fiscal Year to Date Income:** \$26,316.29

**Fiscal Year to Date Expenses:** \$27,316.29



## MASS SCHEDULE

For the week of September 18, 2022-September 25, 2022

### Sunday, September 18, 2022

8:00am                    †Ray & Julie Patton

### Wednesday, September 21, 2022

9:00am                    †Donald & Carol Dion

### Friday, September 23, 2022

9:00am                    †Paul & Gary Gehrke

### Sunday, September 25, 2022

8:00am                    †Jim Buschke  
 10:30am                  Mass at SS. Peter & Paul

## LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

### TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Sunday, September 25, 2022

Servers:                  Ellie Stroesenreuther, Madison Levezow  
 Lector:                    Floyd Gerl  
 Greeters:                Donna Simons  
 Ushers:                    Michael Boissonnault, Reed Meyer  
 Sacristan:                Amy Dean



### Catechetical Sunday: Be the Light!

#### Prayer for Catechists

Heavenly Father, today we mark Catechetical Sunday, the day our volunteers recommit themselves to teaching and forming disciples to continue your work in this world. Give them wisdom to hand on to the next generation the love you freely give us. We ask all that is good to come upon our catechetical leaders and the people whom they lead to the faith. We ask all this in the name of the primary teacher of the faith, Jesus the Christ. Amen.

**The 2022-2023 Teaching Team:** Michelle Kowalczyk, Nicole Starr, Amy Dean, Diane Teuscher, Jeni Mursau, Amy Starr & Megan Schuelke.



### Please remember in your prayers those who are sick.



Karen Hoffmann, Mary Yahr, Blake Gonnering, Garret Darling, Victoria Bocik, Dominic Commisso, Ty Mursau, Wally Surma, Jim Borlen, Sandy Levezow, Anna Roberts, Salli Carew Bunno, Mark Zellmer, Bill Levezow, Brent VanBoxtel, Haley Raisler, Noah Prentice, Elizabeth VanHoff, Alen Jones, Gene Griffin, Cole Stoffel, Diane Treuber, Eugene Vosters, Meggen Burkard, John Levezow, Stella Cornelius, Jill Mauss, Lauren & Aspen Sheperd, Annabelle Hauser, Jim Besaw, Tom Zellmer, Matthew & Lukea Gasque, Jacob Kinney, Ahna Groholski and Janice Steffek.

**Prayer for the sick:** Dear God, we place our worries in your hands. We place our sick under your care and humbly ask that you restore your servants to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge your will and know that whatever you do, you do for the love of us. AMEN.

### Mass Appeal Today for the Faith Formation Program

To help offset the cost of the textbooks and program supplies, we will have a special Faith Formation collection. We like to keep the cost down for families to send their children to our program and feel other members of the parish may want to contribute to the program even if they don't have children. Donation envelopes are at the entrances of church for anyone wishing to make a contribution.

### Make A Difference Day Projects Needed

Do you have projects around the house that you just don't have time for? Need a little extra help? **Make a Difference Day at Sacred Heart will be October 16, 2022!** Youth and adults from the parish would like to help others with yard or household projects. Allowing us to serve you is a gift you can give the youth and adults. Please call the parish office at 920-596-3323 to let us know how we can help you (garden/yard clean up, windows washed, painting etc). If you are interested in being part of the team to serve, please call the office.

### Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"You cannot serve both God and mammon." Merriam-Webster defines mammon as material wealth or possessions, especially having a debasing influence. While God does not take issue with our need to use money for the business of our lives, there can be a problem with the attitudes we bring to it. We can easily become so preoccupied and obsessed with money that it becomes the real "god" we worship. Do we serve mammon instead of God? In their book, *Wealth, Riches and Money*, Craig Hill and Earl Pitts outline symptoms of mammon's influence in our lives. Some of these are worry and anxiety over money, money mismanagement, fear over "never having enough," an "I can't afford it" mentality, impulse buying, stinginess, greed, debt, and discontent.

Many of the things on that list can consume us to the point that we are distracted from what we really need to be doing. Many people spend an inordinate amount of time worrying about money and it becomes the source of their worst fears. If we are honest with ourselves, we need to admit that we place far more emphasis on our material securities than we ought. In fact, we have actually convinced ourselves that we cannot live without it. Are we that certain about the presence of God? Many of the world's problems, especially those involving inequity and injustice, result from conflicts about money. Many equate money with happiness. Those successful in accumulating large amounts of it quickly realize just how wrong they are.

"Your ultimate allegiance is not to the government, not to the state, not to nation, not to any man-made institution. The Christian owes his ultimate allegiance to God, and if any earthly institution conflicts with God's will it is your Christian duty to take a stand against it. You must never allow the transitory evanescent demands of man-made institutions to take precedence over the eternal demands of the Almighty God (Martin Luther King, Jr.)." This is the point Jesus is trying to make. Unfortunately, when we look around our man-made kingdoms are far more prevalent than God's kingdom. When we start seeing greater evidence of justice, equity, dignity, respect, opportunity, gentleness, holiness, solidarity, honesty, simplicity, care for creation, and a decrease in ambition, then we will know that God's kingdom is being served. We will be doing what we are supposed to do. ©LPI

### Catechetical Sunday

The word "catechesis" means "to echo." Literally, we are to echo the good news of Jesus Christ to the world. This is not a suggestion; it is a command of our Lord. Some people are called and set apart in our communities as catechists, those formally trained and charged with passing on the Gospel to children and adults, inside and outside of our communities. On Catechetical Sunday, we acknowledge them and remind ourselves of the need for formation and growth in all of us. To be a catechist is a privileged calling, and today be sure to say "thank you" to one in your community.

However, it would be wrong on this day to only look to those bearing the NAME of catechist for an echoing of good news. ALL of us are called to echo and share the Gospel message. Parents are the first and primary catechists in a child's life. But we also are important catechists in the lives of our coworkers, our spouses, our relatives, and our friends. Some say catechesis begins in the home, and while that is true, it carries with it a parent/child connotation. But where does catechesis really begin? It begins in the HEART. This year on Catechetical Sunday, may your heart be moved to motivate you to share with others the good news of Jesus Christ.

### "Sponsor of the Week"

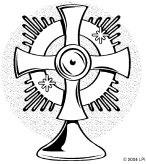
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### Monthly Holy Hour of Prayer

Wednesday, September 21st after the 9am Mass

Eucharistic Adoration & Confessions

*Come and spend some quiet time with the Lord.*



### Calling all bakers!

The Social Concerns Committee is partnering with Neighbor to Neighbor Meals program to provide cookies to go along with the meals that are handed out. **Since April 2021, the Sacred Heart bakers have donated over 470 dozen cookies.** If interested in donating 2 dozen home-made cookies, on either the second or fourth Monday of the month, please call the parish office at 596-3323. For more information on the Neighbor to Neighbor Meal program, please see the bulletin boards.

### Pope Francis' September Intention

We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.

### Bishop Ricken's September Intention

For all students, that they may grow as missionary disciples of Jesus Christ who share their faith with others.

### Readings for the week of September 18, 2022

**Sunday:** Am 8:4-7/Ps 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8/1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 16:1-13

**Monday:** Prv 3:27-34/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5/Lk 8:16-18

**Tuesday:** Prv 21:1-6, 10-13/Ps 19:1,27,30,34,35, 44/Lk 8:19-21

**Wednesday:** Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Mt 9:9-13

**Thursday:** Eccl 1:2-11/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-14 and 17bc/Lk 9:7-9

**Friday:** Eccl 3:1-11/Ps 144:1b and 2abc, 3-4/Lk 9:18-22

**Saturday:** Eccl 11:9-12:8/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-14, 17/Lk 9:43b-45

**Next Sunday:** Am 6:1a, 4-7/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 [1b]/1 Tm 6:11-16/Lk 16:19-31



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