Most Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE SUN. JAN. 29 AFTER 11:30AM MASS

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Loved by God ... We love this world



Weekend Masses

Saturday	5:00 pm
Sunday	7:30 am
-	9:30 am
	11:30 am
Daily Masses	

Daily Masses

Monday - Friday	
Friday	

7:30 am 8:15 am



Weekday Masses

Jan 30, 7:30 am – Ed/Eddie Devine Jan 31, 7:30 am – Jim Wolaver Feb 1, 7:30 am - Matt Hilmer Feb 2, 7:30am - Donald Griese Feb 3, 7:30 am - Steve Hrin 8:15 am – Michael Waldy

Saturday - Feb 4 5:00 pm – Ethel Fendler

Sunday - Feb 5

7:30 am – Brenda George 9:30 am – Eric Romero 11:30 am – MSH Parishioners



Saturday 3:30-4:15pm In Father Dowling Hall



For information about scheduling a Baptism Class or Baptism, call or email the Parish Office at 636-938-5048 ext.100 or parishsecretary@sacredhearteureka.org

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

1/8/23 Collection

Envelopes	\$ 8,462.00
Loose	\$ 637.00
Online	\$ 7,453.50
Other	\$ 542.00
TOTAL	\$ 17,094.50

We each give financially as God asks of us: For the physical and spiritual needs of all who would ever come here; For the needs of those who suffer; and, For our own spiritual well-being and growth.

Thank you for your generosity!

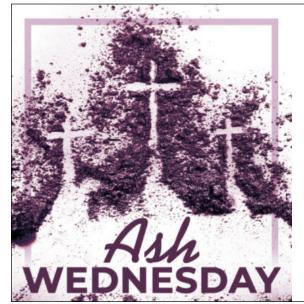
Online giving is available at sacredhearteureka.weshareonline.org



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wed., Feb. 1 | 8am-8pm

All are welcome to come pray in Church during Adoration. Contact Helen at 314-277-3929 if you would like to volunteer for an hour of prayer. We could use a few more volunteers during the hours of 9-10am, 12-1pm, & 7-8pm. Thank you!



MASS **SCHEDULE** 7:00am 8:15am 7pm

FEB 22, 2023

12:05pm -**Prayer Service** with Ashes distributed

With Sympathy

Most Sacred Heart Parish family extends heartfelt prayers and sympathy to

> the Schulte Family, on the recent loss of their mother, Barb Schulte

May all who have lost loved ones find comfort in the prayers and love of family and friends.



Holy Moments Book Discussion

January 31 | 6:30pm Father Dowling Hall

This book, *Holy Moments* by Matthew Kelly, was given as a gift during our Christmas Mass services. We hope you've enjoyed reading it. We invite you to join us for a book discussion to share and discover how you can be an inspiration to others!

MAY GOD DELIVER YOU FROM EVERY DISEASE OF THE THROAT AND EVERY OTHER ILLNESS

Join us to celebrate The Feast of St. Blaise Friday, February 3, 2023

A blessing of the throat will be done at our 7:30am and 8:15am Masses.

All are welcome!

PARISH CONTACTS

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Parish Business Office

Mon - Fri - 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Pam Ullo - Business Manager bizmgr@sacredhearteureka.org Jane Stern and Kelly Schumacher -Parish Bookkeepers bookkeeper@sacredhearteureka.org Kristy Stockell - Parish Secretary parishsecretary@sacredhearteureka.org

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CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK • JANUARY 29 - FEBRUARY 3, 2023

MOST SACRED HEART SCHOOL



We will CELEBRATE Catholic Schools Week January 29 - February 3. We are so blessed to have a Parish with a Catholic School and if you are considering Catholic Education for your family, please take a minute to look at the below data. There are so many reasons to choose Most Sacred Heart School for your family. We are proud of our school and all of the opportunities it provides our students. If you have any questions, please call the office at 636-938-4602.

a dozen reasons to choose Catholic Schools



Scholarships Available

Application Deadline February 28, 2023

Apply Online at TTEF-STL.ORG



Here is a piece from the *Wall* Street Journal dated 10-27-22 by Kathleen Porter-Magee

"From the beginning of the pandemic, American Catholic schools have shown how community focused, mission driven leadership can benefit children. In the Fall of 2020, 92% of Catholic Schools across the country reopened for in person learning.

The National Assessment of Educational Progress showed in October of 2022 how important reopening was for learning. Today, the divergence between Catholic schools and public ones is so great that if all U.S. Catholic schools were a state, their 1.6 million students would rank first in the nation in reading and math tests for fourth and eighth graders.

Catholic-school students now boast the nation's highest scale scores on all four NAEP tests. The average score among 4th graders in Catholic schools was 233, 17 points higher than the national public school average, or about 1.5 grade levels ahead. In eighth grade reading, the average score for Catholic school students was 279, 20 points higher than the national public-school average, or about two grade levels ahead."

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MOST SACRED HEART SCHOOL



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Catholic Schools Week

Open House

Sunday, January 29, 2023 after 11:30am Mass

If your family is considering Catholic Education, we invite you to attend our Open House next Sunday Jan. 29 after 11:30am Mass. Tour the school and learn what ALL our amazing school has to offer!

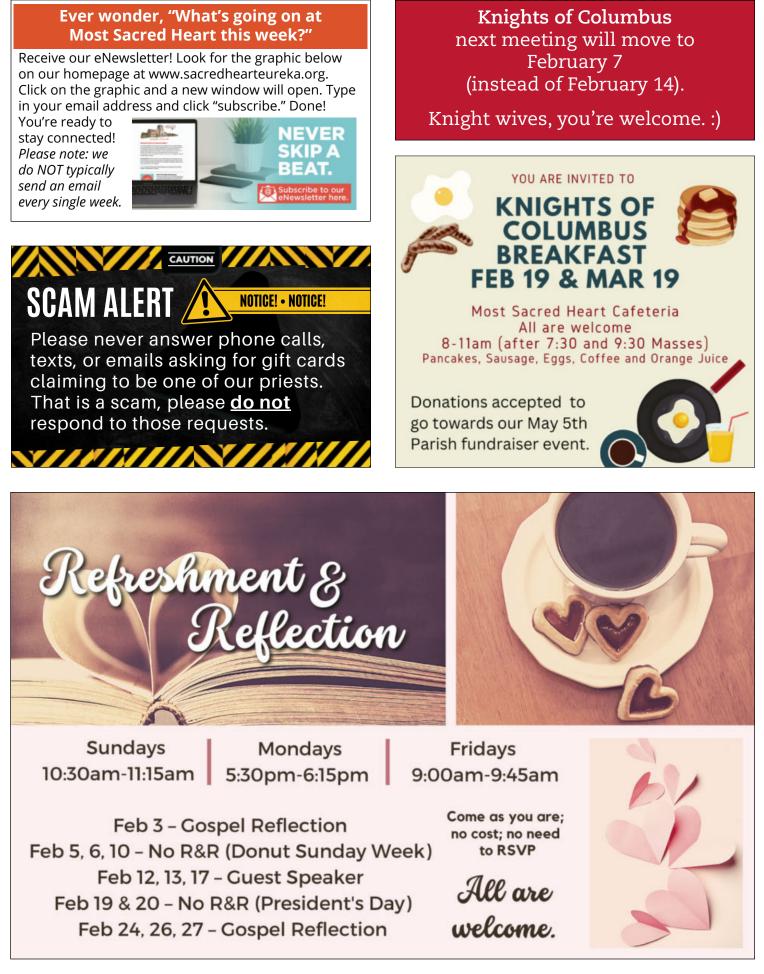
At Most Sacred Heart School, we... Nourish the Soul • Inspire the Mind • Embrace the Spirit • Open the Heart of EACH child we encounter!

> **NOW ENROLLING** *Pre-K3 thru 8th Grade*

Call 636-938-4602 or visit https://mostsacredheartschool.org







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DONUT SUNDAY FEBRUARY 5

after all Masses in Father Dowling Hall hosted by the Family Volunteering Group

Have you ever wondered what the Family Volunteering Group is, what we do, and how you could get involved? At Donut Sunday we will have volunteers on hand to answer your questions and supplies available to make cards for nursing home residents. We'd love to meet you!



SCOUT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5

Youth members & adult volunteers in any scouting program (Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, etc.) are invited to participate as a group with their families in the **Scout Sunday Mass at 9:30 am on February 5**. Please wear your official uniform to Mass.



Contact the parish office if these are yours! 636-938-5048

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RAFFLE TICKETS AVAILABLE FEB. 1ST AT BIDPAL.NET/DECADESTRIVIA23

NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN!

- small sampling of raffle prizes below; more being added -





Most Sacred Heart Parish family welcomes the newest member to the Body of Christ

Emilia Clare Heber daughter of David and Emily (Klinkhardt) Heber

May she always know she is loved by God. And may she learn her Baptismal call to love this world.



GET READY FOR FISH FRYS!

Save the date for our first Fish Fry of 2023:

Friday, February 24! You can expect delicious meals available as Dine-in (seating in the gym and Father Dowling Hall) or Drive-thru options. More information coming soon!

RECIPE DUE DATE JANUARY 31!

Email your typed recipes to mshrecipebook@gmail.com.

Send as many recipes as you would like! If you would like to submit a paper copy, please ID your recipe card in an envelope marked "cookbook" and place it in a collection basket during Mass. Include your family name and category.





Save the date for a FREE Family Movie Night

Saturday, February 25 Father Dowling Hall Doors open at 6pm

Movie is TBD. Popcorn and lemonade will be provided but feel free to bring your own non-alcoholic beverages and snacks. This event is sponsored by the MSHS Marketing Committee.

BIG LEAGUE

5th - 8th grade(4) 55 min. clinics(6) 9 hole golf roundsMid March-June

LITTLE LEAGUE

1st - 4th grade (6) 55 min. clinics Late April-June

MOST SACRED HEART CYC GOLF





www.teamsideline.com/sites/cycwestcounty



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Catholic Schools Week

January 29-Feb 3 Jan 29 – School open house & tour after 11:30am Mass

Refreshment & Reflection

January 29 at 10:30am January 30 at 5:30pm Cafeteria Feb 3 at 9am in FDH

Choir Rehearsal January 30 at 7pm Church

Holy Moments Book Discussion January 31 at 6:30pm Father Dowling Hall

Cookbook Recipes Due January 31

2022 Contribution Statements Available January 31

OCIA (formerly RCIA) February 2 at 6pm Parish Library

Women's Bible Study February 3 at 9am Parish Library

Donut Sunday February 5 Father Dowling Hall

Ash Wednesday February 22 Mass: 7am, 8:15am, 7pm Prayer Service: 12:05pm



ANNUAL PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

Join Archbishop Rozanski and our St. Louis Christian communities in ecumenical prayer for unity on the theme "Do Good; Seek Justice" (Is 1:17). All are welcome to attend a reception following the prayer.

Sunday, January 29 | 7-8pm | St. John Bosco Catholic Parish 12934 Marine Avenue, Creve Coeur, MO 63146

THE ARCHDIOCESE OF ST. LOUIS PRESENTS

Evangelization 101

REGISTER NOW!





15 APRIL 2023 9:00A.M. - 12:00P.M. Holy Infant (Ballwin)

This workshop will cover beginning fundamentals of evangelization. This is a free workshop offered to anyone who wants to increase their comfort of sharing their faith.

Can't make it to the workshop in your area? Feel free to attend the workshop most convenient for you. Registration is required.

archstl.org/evangelization



World Marriage Day – On Sunday, Feb. 12, 2023, at 2:30 pm., Auxiliary **Bishop Mark S. Rivituso** will celebrate a Mass for World Marriage Day at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis, 4431 Lindell Blvd. St. Louis, MO. A reception will follow in Boland Hall. All married couples are invited to attend and celebrate the gift of marriage. World Marriage Day emphasizes the faithfulness, sacrifice and joy of daily married life.

Retrouvaille – St Louis February 24-26, 2023

For more information or to register, call 314.453.0110 HelpOurMarriage.org

The Retrouvaille Program is for Married Couples Facing Difficult Challenges in their Relationship

• helps couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship

• primarily a practical program to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect



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