



18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, AUGUST 1, 2021

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SACRAMENTS

Baptism

Please contact Pastor. Baptismal preparation class is required.

Holy Matrimony

Please contact Pastor at least 6 months in advance to begin Marriage Preparation.

Reconciliation

Confessions by appointment, contact Father

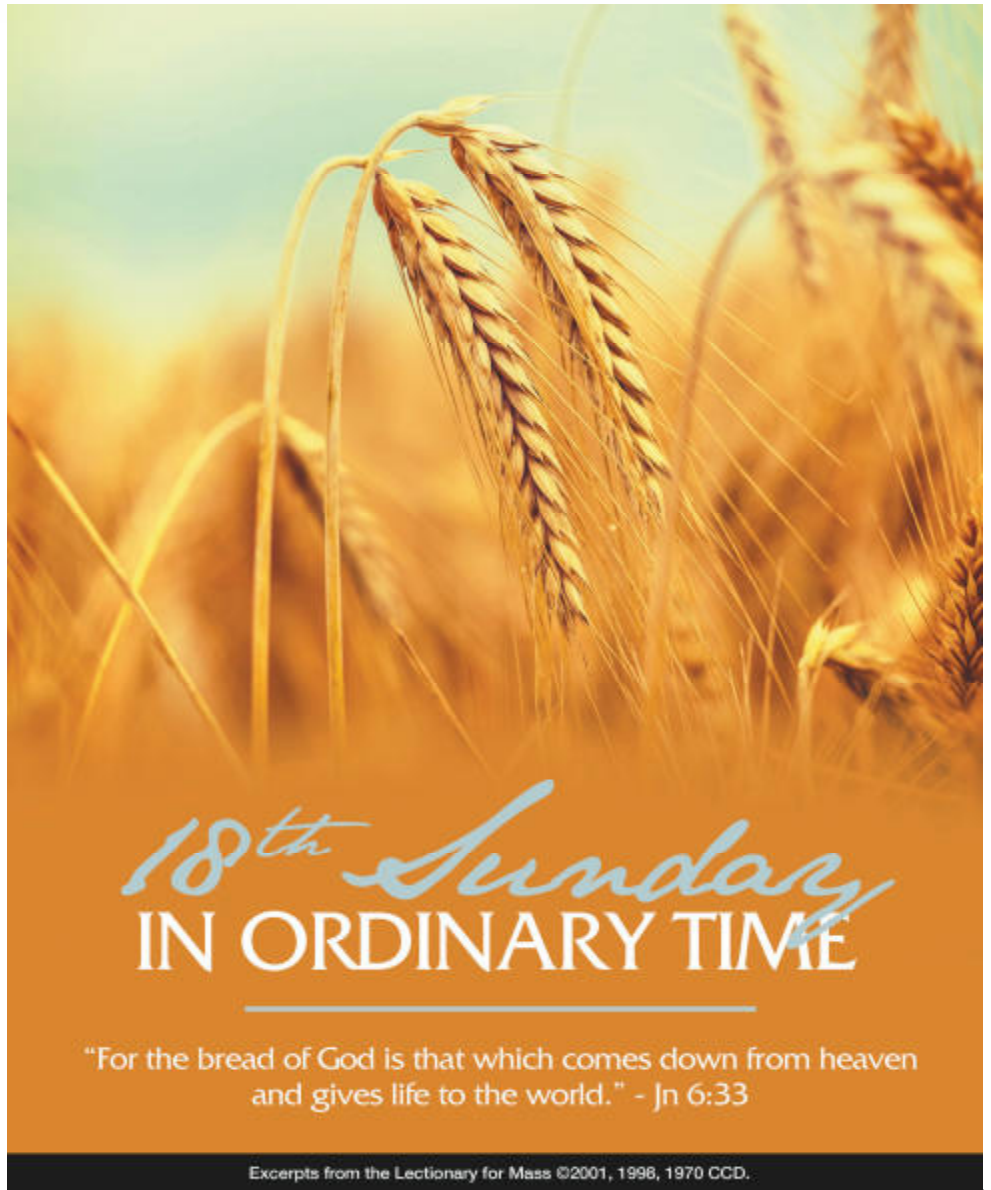
Anointing of the Sick/Emergencies

For this & emergencies, please call the rectory or the office.

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BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Deadline is Tuesday 3:00 PM.
Send all bulletin announcements to Brian Lutmer by phone or by email listed under the Pastoral Ministry section.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome all new parishioners!
Please register. Forms are available in church & office. For a change of address or phone, please notify the parish office.

Sacred Heart Parish, of the Diocese of Springfield-Cape Girardeau, in Dexter, Missouri, has as its mission to carry on the work of Christ under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. To that end, the parish works to provide an environment that enhances the sense of belonging for ALL parishioners who are called to worship the Father, to promote the teachings of Jesus Christ by their daily lives, and to manifest the presence of the Holy Spirit in

THIS WEEK AT SACRED HEART PARISH, DEXTER, MISSOURI

PRAYER, LITURGY & WORSHIP

MASS INTENTIONS AND LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

Saturday, July 31

4:00 PM Sacred Heart Parishioners

Sunday, August 1

10:30 AM + Barney Martin

Monday, August 2 (Rosary at 7:35 AM)

8:00 AM + Sam Huey

Tuesday, August 3

5:15 PM + Angie Stuever

Wednesday, August 4

4:00-5:00 PM Holy Hour & Confessions*

5:15 PM For All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, August 5 (Rosary at 7:35 AM)

8:00 AM For All Adopted Children

Friday, August 6 (Rosary at 7:35 AM)

8:00 AM For A Bountiful Harvest

Saturday, August 7

4:00 PM + Revalee Minton

Sunday, August 8

10:30 AM Sacred Heart Parishioners

* Confessions can still be made by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

This sacrament is celebrated weekly on Wednesdays from 4:20-4:50 PM during the Eucharistic Holy Hour and before the 5:15 pm Mass. For a more convenient time or to make an appointment, contact Fr. Coon.

IN NEED OF LECTORS, USHERS, SACRISTANS

Sacred Heart is in need of parishioners willing to volunteer to become lectors, ushers, and sacristans. If you are willing to help at Mass, please contact Fr. Coon. Thank you!

19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, August 7 | 4:00 PM

Lector: Judy Bruyette

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Betty Hobgood (PBY)

Ushers: Anthony Bockhold, Ken Essner

Sacristan: Margaret Shipman

Sunday, August 8 | 10:30 AM

Lector: Ken Eftink

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Frances Barker (PBY)

Ushers: Bill Boone, Mark Guethle

Sacristan: Rita Pobst

PARISH FAMILY UPDATES

Thanks to all who responded to the appeal for updating our parish roster with household contact information. If you have not done so already, the cards have been moved to the table down the hall in the gathering space. Please complete ASAP.

PSR TEACHERS NEEDED

PSR classes will begin for all ages preschool—12th grade on September 12. Anyone willing to help with the PSR ministry, please contact Shearon Harris or the parish office by August 14.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 1, 2021

Sunday: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54 [24b]/Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35

Monday: Nm 11:4b-15/Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [2a]/Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Nm 12:1-13/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 6cd-7, 12-13 [cf. 3a]/Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25-14:1, 26-29a, 34-35/Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-22, 23 [4a]/Mt 15:21-28

Thursday: Nm 20:1-13/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9 [1a and 9a]/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mk 9:2-10

Saturday: Dn 6:4-13/Ps 18: 28, 3-4. 47 and 51/Mk 17:14-20

Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:4-8/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [9a]/Eph 4:30-5:2/Jn 6:41-51

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 1, 2021

Sunday: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest

Tuesday:

Wednesday: St. John Vianney, Priest

Thursday: The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major

Friday: The Transfiguration of the Lord

Saturday: St. Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs; St. Cajetan, Priest; BVM

Next Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

SACRED HEART PARISH FAMILY PRAYER REQUESTS

To submit your prayer requests, please contact:

Delores Wright, Pauline Banken, Marilyn Jackson, Bill Barker, Rita Pobst

PARISH UPDATES

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT

Learn from top experts on optimizing the Four Levels of Intimacy in your marriage so you can grow closer, enhance satisfaction, avoid fights, and eradicate boredom. For a Free 4-day challenge crafted to help reignite the fire in your marriage, please visit <https://www.cardinalstudios.org/epic-intimacy-challenge>

PARISH SECRETARY

Sacred Heart Parish, Dexter, MO is seeking a person for a part-time office position working with the Pastor. Key skills are accounting knowledge with payroll experience, computer skills (Microsoft Office and Quicken), organizational skills, be self-motivated and have excellent writing and grammar skills, have the ability to multitask, and customer service skills. On-site training will be provided. Pay is based on experience \$12 - \$15 an hour. Interested

candidates are welcome to call (573-624-7333), leave a message and someone will return their call or send a letter of interest, resume and letters of reference to Sacred Heart Parish 115 E Market St. Dexter, MO 63841 Monday, August 9th.

THEOLOGICAL STUDY OF THE SAINTS

The August meeting of the TSS will be held in the SHARE House at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, August 11. Everyone is welcome!

MESSAGES FROM FATHER COON

- The rectory phone and answering machine are now working so feel free to call Fr. on the rectory line at 624-8888 or in the Parish Office at 624-7333.
- On Wednesday June 30, Bishop Rice reminded the clergy that we and all Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are to wear masks while distributing Holy Communion. Anyone is welcome to wear a mask during Mass. However, please pull the mask down from your face before you are presented with the Body of Christ so that you don't have to try and hold the Sacred Body of Christ and risk dropping Him while at the same time lowering your mask.
- Fr. is so grateful to all who have volunteered to drive him to visit homebound and sick parishioners and to his Mama's. Your willing sacrifice of time and effort is a real gift.
- If you know of any parishioner who is homebound or in an area nursing home, please let Fr. Coon know by calling 624-7333 so that he can visit them on a regular basis.
- Fr. is in need of an additional volunteer to clean the rectory once a month. For more information or to volunteer, please call Fr at 624-7333.
- Fr. is excited to work with anyone who may be interested in becoming Catholic. Be the voice of Christ and encourage someone you know to consider becoming part of our Catholic family or at least to come and find out more about us through our formation sessions. Interested individuals are asked to contact Fr. at 624-7333 by Sunday August 8.
- In order for people to make a visit to the Blessed Sacrament during the day, Fr. is keeping the single wooden door on the west side of the church unlocked during daylight hours.
- If you have been considering having a Spiritual Director and would like to hear how Fr. approaches individual spiritual direction, feel free to call him at 624-7333 and set up a meeting to talk about it.
- If you are in need of an annulment or have any other special situation that needs care, please feel free to call Fr. at 624-7333; he will be happy to meet with you about it.
- Fr. is very pleased that there are people coming to Mass on Mondays, Thursdays, and Fridays. He realizes that people have not been in the habit of going to Mass on these days because Mass was not possible on those days with other parishes needing to be served. It is wonderful to see that those whose schedules allow time for morning Mass are forming new habits and coming to Mass more often.
- As a reminder, Fr. doesn't recognize people well, so please tell him your name when starting a conversation with him. He doesn't want to appear cold and unfriendly by not calling you by name.

A MESSAGE FROM THE FINANCE COUNCIL

For the first time in 18 years, our parish has a full-time Pastor who is not responsible for any other parishes and will be able to give us his undivided attention. This also means that no other parishes will be helping us with the financial support that Pastors receive from the parishes where they serve. Therefore, we are solely responsible for Fr. Coon's monthly salary set by the Bishop, Fr.'s annual health insurance, and his needs in the rectory which consist mainly of food, water, and utilities. The Parish Finance Council believes that if parishioners who are able will increase their weekly Sunday offering by \$3 to \$5, we should have no problem meeting these additional expenses to our parish. This increase in giving will also help to pay the salary of a part-time secretary,, once one is hired. If you have any questions regarding parish finances, please contact Mrs. Bader in the Parish Office at 624-7333.

GOLDEN CIRCLE

Golden Circle will meet on Wednesday, August 11 at El Cabrito Restaurant.

CHURCH WOMEN UNITED

Church Women United will meet Saturday, August 7, at 9:30 am at the First Baptist Church in Dexter. Vicki Windham will speak about the Boon Park Project.

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SECURE DROP BOX OPTION

The secure drop box for Sacred Heart is located on the south side of the Parish Center to securely drop in a stewardship envelope anytime at your convenience.

PARISH GROUNDS ADOPT-A-SPOT!

Please volunteer to help keep the parish grounds looking good. There are several flower/shrub beds on the parish property that need attention. **Adopt-a-spot** and keep the weeds at bay on a schedule which works for you. One group is already beautifying the area around the sign at the front of church. Add your name beside the spot of your choice on the sheet on the cry

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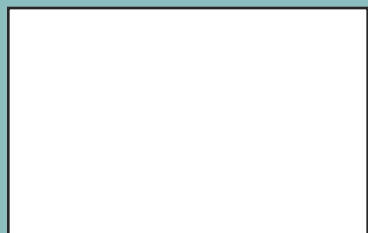
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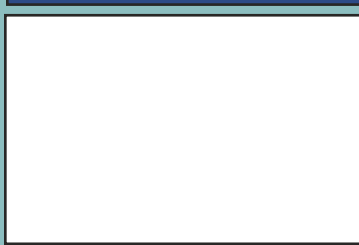
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