

# Sacred Heart Parish

**March 17, 2024  
Fifth Sunday of Lent**

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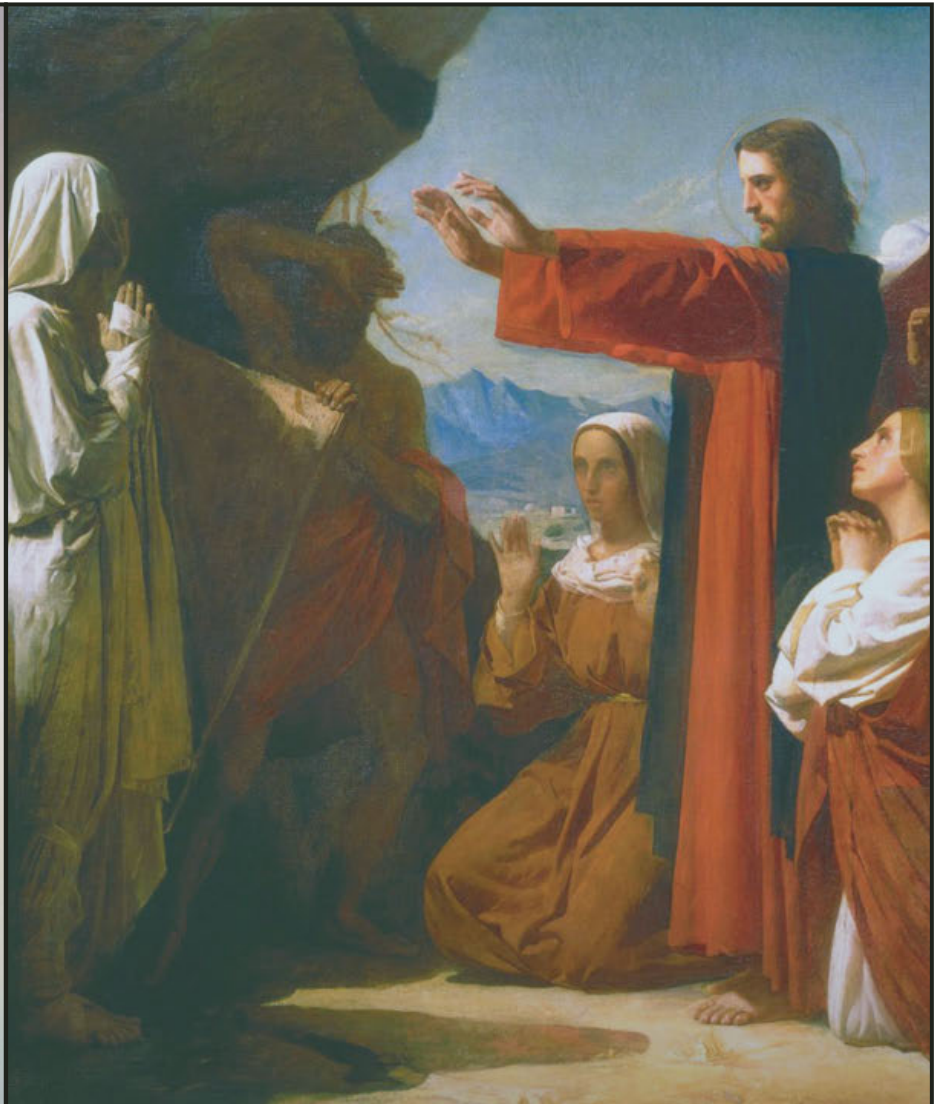
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Weekdays: 8:00am to 5:00pm

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Dias de la Semana: 8:00am to 5:00pm



Jesus told her, "I am the resurrection and the life;  
whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live."

- Jn 11:25

## Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Parish

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## THIS WEEK AT SACRED HEART PARISH

MONDAY March 18	TUESDAY March 19	WEDNESDAY March 20	THURSDAY March 21	FRIDAY March 22	SATURDAY March 23	SUNDAY March 24
<b>7:00am</b> Mass <i>Church</i> <b>9:30am</b> Centering Prayer <i>St. Anthony Claret Room</i> <b>6:00pm</b> Prayer of the Heart Reflection <i>Church</i> <b>10:00-11:00am</b> Confessions <i>Church</i> <b>1:00pm</b> Lectio Divina <i>Sacred Heart Room</i> <b>5:30pm</b> Lenten Mass <i>Church</i> <b>5:30-7:30pm</b> Middle School Youth Group <i>Youth Center</i> <b>6:00pm</b> Prayer of the Heart Reflection <i>Church</i>	<b>7:00am</b> Mass <i>Church</i> <b>5:30pm</b> Lenten Mass <i>Church</i> <b>6:00-8:00pm</b> Young Adults Group <i>Youth Center</i>	<b>7:00am</b> Masses <i>Church</i> <b>8:30am</b> School Mass <i>Church</i> <b>9:30am</b> St. Vincent de Paul <i>St. Anthony Claret Room</i> <b>9:30am</b> Study of Mystics <i>Sacred Heart Room</i> <b>5:30pm</b> Lenten Mass <i>Church</i> <b>6:00-7:00pm</b> Confessions <i>Church</i>	<b>7:00am</b> Mass <i>Church</i> <b>11:00am</b> Spanish Legion of Mary <i>St. Anthony Claret Room</i> <b>1:00pm</b> English Legion of Mary <i>Sacred Heart Room</i> <b>3:30pm</b> English Legion of Mary 2 <i>Sacred Heart Room</i> <b>5:30pm</b> Lenten Mass <i>Church</i>	<b>7:00am</b> Mass <i>Church</i> <b>3:00pm</b> Divine Mercy Chaplet <i>Church</i> <b>4:00-6:00pm</b> Confessions <i>Church</i> <b>6:00-8:00pm</b> Shrimp Ceviche Dinner <i>Forum</i> <b>6:00pm</b> Spanish Stations of the Cross <i>Church</i> <b>6:30-9:00pm</b> Hispanic Catholics in Action <i>St. Anthony Claret Room</i> <b>7:00pm</b> English Stations of the Cross <i>Church</i> <b>7:00-8:30pm</b> Spanish AA Meeting <i>Sacred Heart Room</i>	<b>7:00am</b> Mass <i>Church</i> <b>7:30-9:00am</b> That Man is You <i>Forum</i> <b>3:00-4:30pm</b> Confessions <i>Church</i> <b>Rosary</b> 30 minutes Before Mass <i>Church</i> <b>5:00pm</b> Vigil Mass <i>Church</i> <b>After Mass</b> Café Justo <i>Gathering Place</i>	<b>MASSES</b> <b>7:00am</b> <b>9:00am</b> <b>11:00am</b> <b>1:00pm</b> <b>5:00pm</b> <i>Church</i> <b>Rosary</b> 30 minutes before each Mass <i>Church</i> <b>10:00am</b> Anointing of the Sick After 9:00am Mass <i>Church</i> <b>After Masses</b> Café Justo <i>Gathering Place</i> <b>6:00pm</b> High School Youth Group <i>Youth Center</i>

## MASS INTENTIONS INTENCIONES DE LA MISA

March 18 to March 24, 2024

<b>Mon. March 18</b>	7:00am	Raymond Connelly†
	5:30pm	Irena & Jozef Kaminski†
<b>Tues. March 19</b>	7:00am	Mark Dombroski†
	5:30pm	Victor Buitrago
<b>Wed. March 20</b>	7:00am	Fr. Darryl Olds†
	8:30am	Helen L. Nichols†
	5:30pm	Dana Mayfield†
<b>Thur. March 21</b>	7:00am	Josephine Iannelli†
	5:30pm	Family of Dana Mayfield
<b>Fri. March 22</b>	7:00am	Deacon Denny Putnam†
<b>Sat. March 23</b>	7:00am	Cathie & Alan Weber
	5:00pm	Albert Combs
<b>Sun. March 24</b>	7:00am	John Moriarty†
	9:00am	Deacon Pete & Laurie Balland
	11:00am	Bob & Marti DeMore
	1:00pm	Luis Luna Amaro†
	5:00pm	Janina & Maciej Kulakowski†

†Denotes deceased

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF March 17, 2024

<b>Sunday:</b>	Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15 (12a)/ Heb 5:7-9/Jn 12:20-33
<b>Monday:</b>	Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/ Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Jn 8:1-11
<b>Tuesday:</b>	2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Jn 8:31-42
<b>Thursday:</b>	Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 8:51-59
<b>Friday:</b>	Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7/ Jn 10:31-42
<b>Saturday:</b>	Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13/ Jn 11:45-56
<b>Next Sunday:</b>	Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/Is 50:4-7/ Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 (2a)/ Phil 2:6-11/Mk 14:1—15:47 or 15:1-39

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## MASS SCHEDULE HORARIO DE MISAS

### CHURCH HOURS:

Saturday and Sunday | 6:00am to 6:00pm  
Monday through Friday | 6:00am to 9:00pm



### SUNDAY MASSES IN ENGLISH

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm  
Sunday: 7:00, 9:00, 11:00am and 5:00pm (Youth)



### MISA DOMINICAL EN ESPANOL

Domingo 1:00pm



### DAILY MASS IN ENGLISH

Monday through Saturday: 7:00am  
Monday through Thursday 5:30pm



### SCHOOL MASS

Wednesday 8:30am  
(when school is in session)



### CONFESSION

- ♦ Monday morning | 10:00 to 11:00am;
- ♦ Wednesday evening | 6:00 to 7:00pm;
- ♦ Saturday afternoon | 3:00 to 4:30pm.

*All in the Church Confessionals*

## Confessions for Easter

Special Confession Times for Easter:

Friday, March 22 | 4:00-6:00pm

Wednesday, March 27 | 3:00-5:00pm

Please note:

there will be no confessions on

Monday, March 25.

## The Power of the Word of God

The Word of God is compared to rain and snow. It is alive and active and it is a double edged sword, says St. Paul.

The Word of God is a hammer says prophet Jeremiah. The Word of God will accomplish its purpose. And it will not be wasted. The Word of God will prevail till the end. The words of Jesus will not go wasted. He himself said, "Heaven and earth will go away, but my word is everlasting and it will not go waste". Let us believe in the power of the Word of God. The Word of God has a transforming power. Although the Word of God is opposed by evil powers and the values of the world, at the end the Word of God will prevail. The believers have to be patient like the farmers. Even God is patiently waiting for our penance, repentance and conversion. A soul with the gift of the Holy Spirit is never truly happy until that soul becomes like the fertile soil, ready for the Word of God. This is what we are made for: sin and evil make us dry, or fill us with weeds, but we are made to be the rich soil into which God comes, transforming our lives. St. Augustine wrote of his own experience with a restless heart that only rested when it rested in the Lord. Let us listen to the Word of God attentively in our heart. Let us be grateful to God for calling us to holiness and faith.



## SACRED HEART YOUTH MINISTRY invites you to our annual Shrimp Ceviche Fundraiser Dinner

Friday, March 22 | 6-8pm

Forum downstairs level of the Church

\$12 Meal includes:

Ceviche with Tostada | Chips

Mexican Street Corn | Agua Fresca Drink



# MINISTRIES

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## SAFETY MINISTRY:

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## THAT MAN IS YOU/CURSILLO:

Mike King ..... 928-925-3645



*Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours.*

Mark 11:24

May Willimann	Tom Trask	Pete Fernandez III	Elaine DeAugusta	Rose Anne Ditzig
Gene Murphy	Frank Pew	Rita Meurrens	Joseph DeAugusta	Brenda Saves
DeeDee Quintero	Keggan Kenny	Sheila Solomon	Michelle Zumbahlen	Angel Baker
Cia Renzi	Camden Liu	Malina Lambert	Molina Lambert	William R. Salazar Jr.
Arthur Tabbot	Steven Pedene	Tony Charley	Ian Lambert	Remington Claudt
Gloria Tabbot	Fr. Fred LeClaire,cmf	Tara Todd	Audri Marehand	Michelle Frank
Douglas Tabbot	Tim Wickers	The People of Haiti	Annette Reddick	Joe & Carole Childs
Angie Noble	Erik Hoyer	Edris Minnick	David Reddick	Janice Bartholomew
Daniel Shaughnessy	Cindy Kanelos	Liam McLoughlin	Scott Booher	Richard Petzoldt
Barbara Hillman	Al Crook	Bob Lee	Christina Young Rehs	Willa Johnson
Jean Brennan	Jose Jaquez	Patricia Reardon	Doug Hamm	Carolyn Brindeiro
Dave Scheid	Susan Thomas	Gary Lightfoot	Joann Hamm	Bill Newman
Frank Diamond	Richard Thomas	Juan & Stella Mendez	Paula Mathias	Steve Stelter
Regina Dougherty	Sherry Valdez	MJ Carey	Sr. Anne Fitzsimons	Adam & Taylor Hansen
Francis X. Dougherty	Barbara Frech	Dawn Gillet	Anthony Ehnann	Kathy Kirkpatrick
John Wilhelmsen	M.A. Nesmith	Angelica Baeza	Elizabeth Jacobs	Yolanda Kersting
Dorene Durlay	Marlina Perez	Joanna Booher	The Boyd Family	Ann Fountain
Julie Walker	B. Clair Denslow	Scott Booher	Linda Laguatan	Julie Newman
Laura Walker	Frances Apolinar	Richard Karp	Tony Palumbo	Heidi Tate
Melanie Monteno	Avanna Ribtzki	Theresa C. Humphrey	Lori French	Cecilia Thornton
Jesse Martinez	Les Henderson	Joe Yuzzi	Karin Marsala	Rebecca Hamilton
Audrey Smith	Shirley Henderson	Jan Mendoza	Gerard Huppe	Michael Liversidge, Sr.
Leticia Valdez	Jim Granecki	Anissa Charley	Cole Slaiding	Colleen Mellies
Ralph Valdez	Marlene Burnham	Michael Gatson	Jacob Smith	Steven Holcomb
Delia Valdez	Mary Polite	Edith Ellington	Donna Groff	Kellene Monahan
Kristi Feeling	Patricia Givan	Becki Conrad	Lisa West	Jerry Welna
Tim Kilbourne	Barbara Davis	Art Pope	Joyce Zembek	Narancic Family
Patrick Kilbourne	Steve Sailor	Griffin Keighron	Gloria Gilliam	Barbara
Kurt Anderson	Seth Permenter	Tim Keighron	Patricia Givan	Mary Ann Wagner
Midrelle Lanting	Jaime Corona	Timothy Reynolds	Coralyn Mena	Nancee Kilbourne
Rowald Jahn	Joe Goff	Tom Steckhahn	Sharon Bergeron	Chris Huppe
Nanette McGrath	Bob Maresh	Jeffrey Crummy	Grace Cook	Blaine Rieger
Sunny Leong	Donna Bradshaw	Christina Helffrich	Colleen Cristea	Leanne DeFere
Misaki Cho Leong	Tammy Rowland	Alastair MacDonald	Gabriel Perry	Rosanne Wartella
Earl Wilkening	Anthony Andrade	James Vaca	Patricia Ayers	David Cicon
Cathy Wilkening	Linda Catalano	John Eckert	Cynthia Aurzada	Dan MacIndoe
Dan Hyra	Carl Minnick	Rudy Núñez	Denise Jackson	Carolyn
Kelley Ward	Beverly Thomas	Candice Núñez	Tiffany Cambell Garcia	Kenneth Roger
Bill Muehl	Ed Willimann	Laura Brophy	Clemencia Bernardino	Morgan Sailor
Mary White	Ewa Jones	Madona Mawhinney	Evangeline Laguatan	Deborah Portzer
Delia Parker	Gary Frank	Steve Han	Urbano Laguatan	Rose Forte
Dan Wegleitner	Esther Lee	LaVonne Cooper	Yolanda Van Haren	Austin & Grace Klise
Carolyn Hasty	Adena Opitz	Matt Brown	Paula Tanzini	Frank Maresh
Richard Granillo	Sarah Fernandez	Brian Walker	Francine Sandoval	

## Eucharist Miracles Exhibition

The Vatican International Exhibition of Eucharistic Miracles  
is coming to St Catherine Laboure Church in Chino Valley

The event will be held:

**Friday, April 26 from 9am to 5pm | Saturday, April 27 from 9am to 7pm**

**Sunday, April 28 from 8am to 3pm.**

The Exhibition is an extensive collection of photographs and historical records,  
presenting a sampling of Ancient and Modern Eucharistic Miracles  
that have taken place in various parts of the world.

All the miracles in the exhibition are Church approved.

The exhibition has been to more than 500 parishes in Italy,  
and is currently traveling around the world.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Roxanne Speer at 619-820-9679



## St. Vincent de Paul

### Easter Food Box Distribution

The St. Vincent de Paul conference would like to thank Sacred Heart Parishioners for their generous food and monetary donations throughout the year. This year the Easter Food Box Distribution will occur on Wednesday March 27<sup>th</sup>.

To assemble the Easter Food boxes, we are asking for the following items by March 25th:

- Canned yams
- Canned pineapple slices
- Scalloped potatoes (boxed)



Please drop off non-perishable items in food boxes located outside church entrances.

We also are asking for:

- Boneless baked hams, 3-5 lb. (football size) by March 21<sup>st</sup>

Please drop hams off at SVDP Thrift Shop at 935 Fair Street

(Tues-Fri, 9am-5pm, Sat 10am-5pm)

or at the SVDP office at 120 N. Summit Avenue

(Mon, Tues, Thurs 9am-1:30pm, Wed 12-3:30pm)

Monetary donations are accepted using the envelopes attached to the parish food donation boxes. With your help, we hope to serve over 100 Prescott families this Easter.

God bless you and thank you for your generosity.

## Easter Flower Dedications



Honor and remember loved ones with Easter Flowers and help us beautify our church.

Orders taken now through Thursday March 21.

Your loved one's name will appear in our *Honor and Remember Easter List* in the bulletin, Flocknotes and information table.

To place your order, complete the form below and return it to the Parish Office. Or place in the offertory basket (in an envelope).

Suggested Donation is \$10 per plant.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

**There is a Finance Council Meeting**

Wednesday, March 20 at 5:00pm. | Sacred Heart Room



A day to nurture your spirituality, deepen your faith, and build community with others.

**Saturday, April 6**

**9am – 3pm**

**Forum**

**Hats and Pearls Encouraged!**

**Registration Fee of \$20 includes:  
Fun, Teas, Treats, Light Lunch**

*Don't let the cost stop you from joining us,  
scholarships are available (all confidential).*

For more information call Alma at the Parish Office

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Women's Circle Day of SpiritualiTEA Registration Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Checks payable to Sacred Heart Parish

Check # \_\_\_\_\_

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# The Sacred Paschal Triduum Walking in the Footsteps of Jesus

## El Sagrado Triduo Pascual Caminando en los Pasos de Jesús

### CONFESSIONS

Wednesday, March 27  
Confessions - 3:00 to 5:00pm

### HOLY THURSDAY, March 28

Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7:00pm  
Adoration - 8:30pm until 12 Midnight

### GOOD FRIDAY, March 29

12 Noon - Stations of the Cross at Courthouse Plaza  
3:00pm - Stations of the Cross at Sacred Heart Parish  
4:30pm - Celebration of the Lord's Passion

### EASTER MASSES

The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night, March 30 at 7:30pm  
Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord, March 31  
7:00am | 9:00am | 11:00am | 1:00pm (Spanish)



### 2023 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

Will be emailed or mailed by request this year.

If you would like to receive your 2023 contribution statement  
please email Donna at

[dmaneely@sacredheartprescott.com](mailto:dmaneely@sacredheartprescott.com)

or call the church office at 928-445-3141.



## Café Justo

SALE NEXT WEEKEND

MARCH 23 & 24

We will be selling coffee this weekend in the  
Gathering Place after Mass  
Cash or Checks only. See you then!

## CDA MATCHING GIFT CHALLENGE!



**From March 15 - April 30, every gift to the  
Charity and Development Appeal will be  
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## Precious Blood Adoration Chapel

Call Buttons Forte, Coordinator  
(602) 574-8242

**HOURS NEEDED**

Friday 2-3pm  
Saturday 5-6am

Sunday 4-5am



## Walking Through the Mass - Incense | By Fr. Luke Spannagel

As we continue through the Offertory of the Mass, we now come to the point where **incense** can be used. Some of us may like the incense, and others may not. Do you know what incense is made of and why we use it?

### What is incense, and where does it come from?

According to the *Catholic Source Book*, “Frankincense... is the main ingredient in the incense used in today’s liturgies. A resin produced by a family of desert trees that grow in southern Arabia, it is derived from a sap that dries, forming crystalline lumps of an amber/gold color. For Christians, it has a rich prayer and purification symbolism. From the earliest Christian days, it has been associated with Christ, beginning with the Magi’s gift ([Matthew 2:10–11](#)). Even before that, the Jews regarded its rich spicy scent as a pure offering, pleasing to God” (p. 307). Charles Belmonte adds, “Incense is a resinous substance which, when placed upon glowing charcoal, gives off a balsamic odor as it burns. It had a place in Israelite worship; in fact, the psalmist compares our prayers to the smoke of incense, rising up to heaven. In the Book of Revelation, it is seen as a symbol of the prayers of the saints” (*Understanding the Mass*, p. 50).

### Where is incense mentioned in the Bible?

Besides the Book of Revelation, incense is mentioned in the Book of [Numbers 7:14](#) as part of an offering for the dedication of the altar. [Deuteronomy 33:10](#) makes reference to “the smoke of sacrifice.” [Exodus 30:34–38](#) describes blending aromatic substances with pure frankincense in equal parts, even describing how it should be ground into fine dust. In [Revelation 5:8](#), St. John tells us the elders had “gold bowls filled with incense, which are the prayers of the holy ones.” In another reference, [Revelation 8:3–4](#) describes an angel with a gold censer: “He was given a great quantity of incense to offer, along with the prayers of all the holy ones... The smoke of the incense along with the prayers of the holy ones went up before God...” Hopefully, it is clear from these passages that there is a connection between incense and prayer and sacrifice. When incense is used in the Mass, there are times when it is clearly used to reverence people and things, which is especially clear when incense is used during the Offertory of the Mass. Referring to this part of the Mass, *The General Instruction of the Roman Missal* says, after the bread and wine are placed on the altar, “the Priest may incense the gifts placed on the altar and then incense the cross and the altar itself, so as to signify the Church’s offering and prayer rising like incense in the sight of God. Next, the Priest, because of his sacred ministry, and the people, by reason of their baptismal dignity, may be incensed by the Deacon or by another minister” (*GIRM*, 75). As the Diocese of Peoria teaches, “this particular incense shows a connectedness between the altar of sacrifice, those offering the sacrifice, and those uniting themselves to the sacrifice. Before being incensed we bow not only as a sign of reverence but as a sign of affirmation that, like the incense, we offer our lives to God and pray they be lifted up and transformed” (*A Study of the Mass*, p. 12).

### Why is incense used at Mass?

One older priest once said to me that he loves using incense to honor holy people and holy things. As he sees the smoke rising, he is mindful that we are gathered together as God’s people in the Mass, joining Jesus in offering the perfect sacrifice to the Father. In the Mass, our prayers are joined together, and the incense gives us a visual reminder of those prayers being offered to God. He also mentioned he places one, two, or three spoons of incense (from the little container called an incense boat) onto the burning charcoal in the censer (sometimes called a thurible). For him, one spoonful calls to mind the Oneness of God; two spoonfuls point to the two natures of Christ (human and divine); and three indicate the three persons of the Trinity. For that priest, this is a simple way to recall core truths about God as we pray together in the Mass.

To summarize for us, Fr. Oury notes that incensing “is a mark of honor paid to the offerings that are going to become the Body and Blood of Christ. The honor extends to all the people participating in the celebration and to their offerings, which represent their life and work. Incensing is also a kind of petition, a deeply meaningful one. Through it we pray that the Church’s offering and the Church’s prayer may mount to heaven, to the presence of God above, like a veritable cloud of incense”

(*The Mass*, p. 87).



## Upcoming Events

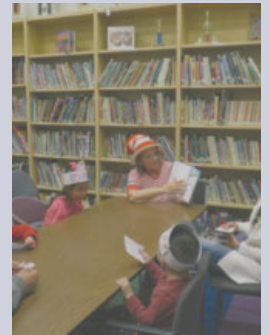
Spring Musical  
March 22nd

BINGO Fundraiser  
April 13th

Golf Tournament  
May 4

# SACRED HEART SCHOOL CORNER

## FIRST ANNUAL FAMILY LITERACY EVENT CELEBRATING DR. SEUSS' BIRTHDAY



## Kindergarten—8th Grade

Registration for the 2024/25  
school year is now open.

Application for Admissions is available  
on the school website  
or at the school office.

<https://www.sacredhearteducation.com/>

**Sacred Heart Catholic School Presents**

# BROADWAY'S BEST AND BEYOND

**Friday, March 22nd, 2024**

**School Gym**

**Doors open 6:00 PM**

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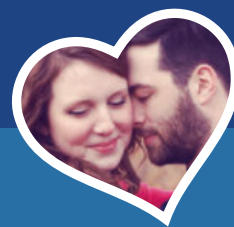
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