

# Sacred Heart

CATHOLIC CHURCH



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## Parish Information

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### Office Hours:

**Mon. - Thurs.** 8:30am - 4:30pm

**Fri.** - 8:30am - 12pm

## Sacraments & Liturgies

### Sunday Masses:

Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm

Sunday: 8:00am (Spanish), 10:30am

### Holy Days of Obligation:

9:00am & 7:00pm

### Daily Mass:

Tues, Wed & Fri.: 9:00am

Thurs.: 5:30pm

First Friday Mass: 12:00 p.m. at

St. John's Chapel

### Confession:

Saturday: 4:30-5:15pm & by appt.

**Baptism:** By appointment, contact Parish Office.

**Weddings:** Six months notice

required. Please contact the pastor to begin the preparation process.

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:**

Tuesday 9:30-10:30am & Friday

6:00-7:00pm.

## 16<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things. - Mk 6:34

## GOSPEL MEDITATION

There's an ordinary pine grove located on a tree farm not too far from town where life's stresses and demands seem to melt away. It is here that all that seemed so important out there no longer is and one can get lost in the rows of trees and majestic beauty. God is here and all is good. We need to connect with the Divine Source of all that is in order to understand what it is we are doing and why we are doing it. Otherwise, things stop making sense and bitterness can overcome one's spirit. It's okay to play once in a while and to discover that place of profound life and peace. People always have needs and there is constantly something to do. And while all of that is necessary and we are needed, there is also that inner solitude within that needs to be celebrated and released.

We all need a pine grove. It's that little place we can go and leave all that consumes us behind. It's a place where technology can be set aside and wonder, and awe given some time. We don't have to text, calculate, or orchestrate anything in the pine grove. It is a somewhat deserted place where all of that can be set aside and we can just be. The anger, frustration, exhaustion, discouragement, helplessness, and occasional apathy, all can fall to the ground like all of those pine needles that once held their place on the branch of a Frasier Fir. The needles can let go. We can let go. We are beings connected with Being and we all need to remember what really matters, who really matters and what life is truly all about. We need to find that place where we can rest and let go of all of the barnacles we accumulate. Rest, breathe, seek, and love.

The world will need us again when we leave the pine grove. It will all be waiting for us, beckoning for our attention. But we will have prayed and will have marveled at the silence and the beauty of goodness. We can go back, ready, and eager to listen, to help, to heal, to cry, to embrace, and attend to all that is asked of us. But, having let go of the distractions in that deserted place we will have a renewed sense of purpose. We will know better Who it is we serve and what we are meant to do. It will all be clearer now that we have been Divinely touched and refreshed.

### Catechetical Corner

*Religious Education classes have ended for the year  
Classes will resume in the fall  
Have a blessed summer break*

### **Prayers for the Sick:**

#### **Please pray for:**

Juan Franco, Jean Beesley, Don & Mary Louise Boyne, Don Perno, Judy Diskin, Dianne Perno, Lindsey Roberts, Richard Contu, Evangelina Harly, Donna Esko, Jolinda Contu.

**Happy Birthday to:** Stacy Schuler (17); Garry Mohs (18); Vince Greuel (19); McKayla Whitesell (21); Mary Corwin (22).

**Happy Anniversary to:** Jeff & Donna Everard (23).

*Did we miss your birthday or anniversary?  
Please contact the office so we can update our information.*

### **Mass Intentions: July 17th - 23rd, 2021**

**Saturday** Dcn. Mark Pittman / Mike & Cindy Tanner  
**Sunday 8:00** Marj Fish / Bill & Sue Johnston  
**Sunday 10:30** Special Intentions  
**Tuesday** Dcn. Mark Pittman / Sontag Family  
**Wednesday** Leon Gibbs t / Kevin Gibbs  
**Thursday** Sara Domres t / Madia Sontag  
**Friday** Philip Boyne / Terry & Laurie Boyne

### **Readings for the week of July 18th, 2021**



**Sunday:** Jer 23:1-6/Ps 23/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34  
**Monday:** Ex 14:5-18/Ex 15/Mt 12:38-42  
**Tuesday:** Ex 14:21—15:1/Ex 15/Mt 12:46-50  
**Wednesday:** Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Ps 78/Mt 13:1-9  
**Thursday:** Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63/  
 Jn 20:1-2, 11-18  
**Friday:** Ex 20:1-17/Ps 19/Mt 13:18-23  
**Saturday:** Ex 24:3-8/Ps 50/Mt 13:24-30  
**Next Sunday:** 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Ps 145/Eph 4:1-6/  
 Jn 6:1-15

### **MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

<b><u>Saturday</u></b>	<b><u>Lector</u></b>	<b><u>Ushers</u></b>
July 17th	- J Everard	J Sontag / D Hancock
July 24th	- D Hancock	D Young / D Cavenah
July 31st	- M Tanner	M Neises / J Sontag
Aug 7th	- K Sontag	D Hancock / D Young
<b><u>Sunday</u></b>	<b><u>Lector</u></b>	<b><u>Ushers</u></b>
July 18th	- S Ausmus	D Wise / K Lawson
July 25th	- C Gebetsberger	W Haney / R Mulvihill
Aug 1st	- J Haskell	C Lawson / B James
August 8th	- S Beuchat	D Wise / K Lawson

### **Sacred Heart Church Collections**



#### **July 11th, 2021 Collection**

Envelope .....\$ 2,627.00  
 Loose .....\$ 818.00  
**Total Weekend Collection .....\$ 3,445.00**

**Capital Improvement .....\$ 473.00**

**July 4th, 2021 .....\$ 3,556.00**

*Honor the Lord with generosity Ecc.35:7*



## Totus Tuus

July 18th - 23rd, 2021

1st - 6th 8:45 am - 3:00 pm

students need to bring sack lunch/snacks provided

7th - 12th 7:30 pm - 9:45 pm

### LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

We only have so much psychological and spiritual energy. We easily get tired. Responding to life's demands and people's needs can really zap us of all of our energy. Anger, frustration, exhaustion, discouragement, helplessness, and even apathy can run wild. We can find ourselves bitter and irritated by the fact that we have to do it all again. We need to rest, connect, and focus. Deserted places, free of unnecessary distractions and demands, are great places of refreshment and we all need them. Desiring to be alone for a bit and rest does not indicate selfishness. Rather, it radiates wisdom. God is the source of all we do and the satisfaction of every human heart. If we are going to use the gifts God gave us well, then we have to make sure our batteries are recharged and replenished. Jesus invites us to go to our desert place to rest and pray.

### WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

#### Question:

I've heard that we become angels when we die. Is this what the Church teaches?

#### Answer:

As human beings, we are both spiritual and corporeal. We are body and soul. This makes us unique in all creation. No other physical creature — plant or animal — possesses an immortal soul made in God's image and likeness. Like the distinction with plants and animals, angels have an entirely different sort of existence. Angels are pure immortal spirit, and they have been so since the moment of their creation. While they may take on an appearance of a body in Biblical history, they are not a body like we are. Angels are neither male nor female, despite the art we often see. As the result of the Fall, human beings experience death. Our souls are temporarily separated from our bodies. However, we do not become something other than human. Every Sunday in the Creed we profess "I believe in the resurrection of the body." As Jesus was united with his body on the third day, so too will we be united with our bodies at the end of time.

### Parish Staff

Jennifer Rumsey, Secretary

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Jeff Everard, Coord. of Religious Education / RCIA

Dcn. Vincent Greuel, Confirmation / Youth Development

Virginia McCoy, Music Director

### Parish Organizations

**Knights of Columbus:** The Sacred Heart Council meets at 7:00 pm on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month.

Contact Grand Knight Rick Rumsey at 918-200-3201

**Prayer Network:** For prayer requests, contact Sheila Ford at (918) 695-8796 or email at skfgma14x@gmail.com or contact the office.

**Women's Bible Study Group:** Meets Tuesday mornings 10:30-11:45am. Contact Julie Pittman 918-519-2029.

**Fatima Ladies:** Every 3rd Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:45 a.m. Contact Sue Johnston 918-227-1431.

**Grief Support Group:** 2nd, 3rd & 4th Tuesdays/8 wk sessions Contact Connie Anderson by text at 319-470-2800.



**LAST CALL:** Totus Tuus begins this week. All registration forms need to be turned in and we still need a few volunteers. Sign up sheets are in the gathering area.

**Please remember our neighbors in need during the summer months by contributing to our food pantries.**

If you are interested in serving the parish as an Usher or Lector, please contact the office.

**Birthright is in need of new or gently used summer clothes sizes 18 months - 2T. You may bring them to the church office or deliver directly to Birthright. Contact Connie Sullivan at 918-481-4884.**

Sacred Heart welcomes all new members to our parish family. Please fill out a registration form that is available in the gathering area and return to the office.



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