



Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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Reconciliation in the confessional before Mass.

February 7, 2021 - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

OUR SCHEDULE			
Sat. Feb. 6 th	7:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass	Our Parish Family
Sun. Feb. 7 th	8:30 a.m.	Mass	Joe Johnson+
Tues. Feb. 9 th	5:00 p.m. 5:15 p.m.	Adoration Mass	Our Parish Family
Wed Feb. 10 rd	8:00 a.m.	Mass	Our Parish Family
Sat. Feb.13	7:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass	Joe Johnson+
Sun. Feb. 14 th	8:30 a.m.	Mass	Our Parish Family

Date	Lectors
Sat. Feb. 6 th	T. Tidwell
Sun. Feb. 7 th	L. Ayers
Sat. Feb.13 th	G. Hazel
Sun. Feb. 14 th	K. Carter

Second Collections: February 7th – The Mirror

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Collections	Amount
Jan. 24, 2021	General: \$1,775.00 Masses & Sanc. Lamp: \$95.00 Church in Latin America: \$510.00 Church Reno Fund: \$865.00
Jan. 31, 2021	General: \$1,770.00 Masses & Sanc. Lamp: \$25.00 Church in Latin America: \$50.00 Church Reno Fund: \$60.00

Monthly Account * Dwayne Clark Acct Office		
October	Income:	\$17,856.56
	Expenses:	\$ 5,871.89
November	Income:	\$59,080.90
	Expenses:	\$ 7,893.26
December	Income:	\$33,678.80
	Expenses:	\$ 10,222.04

Update on Renovation Fund – The Renovation Committee cannot express enough their gratitude and joy for the support of you, our church community. We have raised \$166,243.50 and will be able to start renovation after Easter. The renovation start date is April 5th and is projected to take 6-7 weeks. Thank you, so much.

SHAL (Sacred Heart Activity League) is having their annual Business/Christmas meeting on Wed., Feb. 10th at 6:30 p.m. after evening Mass. We will have an election of officers and try to put together an itinerary for this year, 2021. All ladies are welcome to attend. It's potluck! Bring a dish and at \$5.00 Santa gift and join the fun.

Ash Wednesday Mass Times – February 17th

Immaculate Conception in New Madrid 7:00 a.m. and 12 Noon

Sacred Heart Church Stations of the Cross 5:30p.m., Distribution of Ashes - 6:00 p.m.

Notes on Ash Wednesday

Distribution of Ashes in a Time of Pandemic

While Ash Wednesday is not a hold day of obligation and while there is no requirement for the clergy and faithful to receive the imposition of ashes, it is rightly observed as a celebration of high importance/ During this time of pandemic, the Holy See has modified the method of distributing the ashes, as outline in the following: “After extending his hands over those present, the Priest says the formula as it appears in the Roman Missal, applying it to all in general. He then cleanses his hands, puts on a face mask and distributes the ashes to those who come to him or, if appropriate, he goes to those who as standing in their places. The Priest takes the ashes and sprinkles them on the head of each one without saying anything.” (Robert Card. Sarah, *Prefect*, Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments)

CHANGES TO RITES OF ELECTION FOR 2021

Due to ongoing concerns with COVID-19, including new strains of the virus, the slow roll out of the vaccine, and the need for a follow-up shot, Bishop Edward Rice has made the decision to delegate the pastors as the presiders for the Rite(s) of Election, which will now be held at the individual parishes. The rubrics for conducting the Rite of Election may be found in the RCIA book.

Information for the next bulletin

Celebrating the Year of St. Joseph

This past December, Pope Francis proclaimed 2021 the Year of Saint Joseph. Our Diocese will celebrate the Year of St. Joseph (Dec. 6, 2020 to Dec. 6, 2021). In the months ahead, Bishop Rice will preside at Masses in all the St. Joseph parishes in the diocese, as well as the two cathedrals. Once the times and dates have been confirmed, a list will be published in the diocesan newsletter. Also, a packet of information will be sent to pastors with information for celebrating the Feast of St. Joseph in your parish on March 19, 2021. There is a wealth of information and resources on the internet for parishes to celebrate and incorporate the Year of St. Joseph into liturgies, lesson plans, and events. Please utilize these aids so that together, as a diocese, we will do the best we can to honor St. Joseph, Protector of the Holy Family and Patron of the Universal Church, during this year dedicated to him.

2021 CHRISM MASSES

Bishop Rice will celebrate the Annual Chrism Masses in the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Annunciation, Cape Girardeau on **Mon., Mar.29**, at 7 p.m. and in the Cathedral of St. Agnes, Springfield, on **Tue., Mar. 30**, at 7 p.m.

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