

Sacred Heart Church

714 Lincoln Street
Elsberry, Missouri 63343
Telephone Number: 898-2202
Website: www.SacredHeartElsberry.org



Pastor: Rev. Charles P. Tichacek

Sunday Mass

8:00 am

Week Day Masses

Monday 7:00 pm

Tuesday 8:00 am

Adoration is the third Tuesday of each month beginning after the 8:00 am Mass and concluding with Benediction at 7:00 pm

Communion Service Thursday 7:30 am

Communion Service Friday 7:30 am

Baptisms by appointment

Devotion

Rosary at 7:40 am on Tuesday and Perpetual Help Devotions.

Marriages

To be arranged at least 6 months prior to the wedding

Confession

Sunday 7:30 am

Parish Office Hours

Tuesday 10:00 am until 5:00 pm

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity
May 22, 2016
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MASS INTENTIONS

May 23 - May 29

Mon. 7:00 pm Tony Palazzola
 Tues. 8:00 am Knights of Columbus L & D
 Thurs. 7:30 am Communion Service
 Fri. 7:30 am Communion Service
 Sun. 8:00 am Jack Laws

Feast Days

Wed. St. Bede
 St. Gregory VII
 St. Mary Magdalene de Pazzi
 Thurs. St. Philip Neri
 Fri. St. Augustine of Canterbury

May 15, 2016

Envelopes: \$ 1,516
 Loose: \$ 372
 Total \$ 1,888

Parish Improvements

\$39

Start-up Fund

\$95

Money Counters: **Today: Mike Byers**
Mike Shaffer
May 29: Pat Wood
Kaye Byers

Sacred Heart Calendar of Events

Mon., May 23: Mass 7:00 pm
Tues., May 24: Mass 8:00 am
Tues., May 24: Bible Study 7:00 pm
Thurs., May 26: Communion Service 7:30 am
Thurs., May 26: Quilting
Fri., May 27: Communion Service 7:30 am

OUR PARISH PICNIC

Our Picnic is June 26. Not too early to start thinking about your donations.

Please donate to the Country Store. Bring what you can **make, bake, grow or sew.**

The PICNIC is only 5 weeks away—Pray for its success & good weather.

FYI

You can view the bulletin by going to our website www.SacredHeartElsberry.org

MASS SCHEDULE AT ST. ALPHONSUS

May 23 - May 29

Wednesday 8:15 am Friday 8:15 am
 Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 10:00 am

Phone # at St. Alphonsus 573-384-6223

Need a Priest?

Fr. Wissler, Sacred Heart Troy 636-528-8219 or
 Fr. Rath, Immaculate Conception, Old Monroe
 636-661-5002

LECTORS

Sun. May 29 8:00 am Bill Lagemann
 Sun. June 5 8:00 am Pat Wood

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
OF HOLY COMMUNION

Sun. May 29 8:00 am Phyllis Galati &
 Rick Heitman
 Sun. June 5 8:00 am Jim Henry &
 Rosemary Laws

ALTAR SERVERS

Sun. May 29 8:00 am Philip & Paul Brickey
 Sun. June 5 8:00 am Aureliano Gonzalez
 Seferino Gonzalez

GREETERS

Sun. May 29 8:00 am Patty Koch &
 Kandi Kinsler
 Sun. June 5 8:00 am Steve & Shirley
 Bruckerhoff

GIFT BEARERS

Sun. May 29 8:00 am Alicia Bange &
 Carol Mayes
 Sun. June 5 8:00 am Steve & Shirley
 Bruckerhoff

Memorial Day (week end) Bake Sale May 29 after the 8:00 am Mass.

PLEASE—everyone participate! Bring your favorite baked goods, breads, jams, jellies. Even produce, nuts and berries are welcome!

Proceeds are used to purchase catechetical supplies for the PSR classes and items for the Sanctuary and Altar.

Sponsored by St. Ann Sodality—all ladies of Sacred Heart are members of the Sodality!

Pray For

Please pray for all the sick or homebound. To add to the prayer list please tell Father or contact the parish office 898-2202



Margaret Bartold
 Phyllis Galati
 Nancy McCullough
 Debbie Ratheberger
 Leroy Schramm
 Ernest Ogden
 Raymond Geosling

Joe & Mary Buescher
 Sammy Mayes
 Cecile Mesker
 Kim Tobiasz
 Maurice Illy
 Jack Burkemper

CONGRATULATIONS to Lincoln Presley -
The recipient of our Parish Scholarship of \$500.

THANKS to the Maintenance Group for cutting down those trees on the north side of the Church.

LET US PRAY for Deacon Kent Pollmann from Troy - who will be ordained a priest May 28 at the Cathedral.

MASS

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity
The Catechism teaches that "by sending his only Son and the Spirit of Love in the fullness of time, God has revealed his innermost secret: God himself is an eternal exchange of love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, and he has destined us to share in that exchange". "The complete Trinity dwells in us". By worshiping the Trinity we realize the full truth of ourselves. "In the communion of grace with the Trinity, man's 'living area' is broadened and raised up to the supernatural level of divine life. Man, lives in God and by God" (St. John Paul II)

CATECHISM OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH The Sacrament of Baptism

VII. The Grace of Baptism

1263 By Baptism *all sins* are forgiven, original sin and all personal sins, as well as all punishment for sin. In those who have been reborn nothing remains that would impede their entry into the Kingdom of God, neither Adam's sin, nor personal sin, nor the consequences of sin, the gravest of which is separation from God.

1264 Yet certain temporal consequences of sin remain in the baptized, such as suffering, illness, death and such frailties inherent in life as weaknesses of character, and so on, as well as an inclination to sin that Tradition calls *concupiscence*, or metaphorically, "the tinder for sin"; since concupiscence "is left for us to wrestle with, it cannot harm those who do not consent but manfully resist it by the grace of Jesus Christ." Indeed, "an athlete is not crowned unless he competes according to the rules."

1265 Baptism not only purifies from all sins, but also makes the neophyte "a new creature," an adopted son of God, who has become a "partaker of the divine nature," member of Christ and co-heir with him and a temple of the Holy Spirit.



READINGS FOR the WEEK of May 23– May 29

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| Monday | 1 Peter 1: 3-9; Mark 10: 17-27 |
| Tuesday | 1 Peter 1:10-16; Mark 10:28-31 |
| Wednesday | 1 Peter 1:18-25; Mark 10: 32-45 |
| Thursday | 1 Peter 2:2-5, 9-12; Mark 10: 46-52 |
| Friday | 1 Peter 4:7-13; Mark 11:11-26 |
| Saturday | Jude 17, 20b-25; Mark 11:27-33 |
| Sunday | Genesis 14:18-20; 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 Luke 9: 11b-17 |

BEYOND SUNDAY

The Campaign is Archbishop Carlson's plan to raise funds for Catholic Education in our Archdiocese for both elementary school families AND High School families. *The Beyond Sunday Campaign*, has several unique components. This campaign will return 40% of the funds to the parish, (that's \$.40 on every dollar pledged, regardless of the amount raised.) All the expenses of the Campaign are being paid out of the Archdiocese's 60% which will be placed in the Catholic Foundation of Eastern Missouri. In addition to other scholarships, *Alive in Christ, and Today and Tomorrow*, for low income families, the Capital Campaign Fund will grant scholarships for middle income families.

The Goals of Beyond Sunday

- To provide our students with a quality education;
- To build a better community for the future; and
- The ultimate goal: to get our children to heaven

Did you know?

"British scientist have created a substance that mimics a mother's womb, allowing human embryos to implant on the side of a petri dish and continue their development long past the previous technological limit of seven to eight days. This makes it possible to grow human beings in a lab, cultivated solely for experimentation, often under the guise of curing common problems related to pregnancy and fetal development. Pope Francis predicts that the technological domination of nature—and its attendant "logic of...exploitation" (Laudato Si' 230) will continue ever more hastily if humanity refuses a call to conversion. But with that conversion slow in coming, how are we to counter the logic of exploitation with that the Holy Father deemed in a July 9, 2015 homily the "the logic of love...?"

MAY PARISH BABY SHOWER

Our parish has a month long Baby Shower in May each year. Please bring unwrapped baby items such as diapers, baby wipes, blankets, sleepers, baby bottles, formula and baby lotion to fill the baby crib in the vestibule. These items will assist a needy mother in our community or be taken to Mary, Queen of Angels, a pro-life organization which assists mothers in Lincoln, Warren and St. Charles counties.



The Annual May Baby Shower is sponsored by Sacred Heart Outreach.

STEWARDSHIP AWARENESS

"But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth..." John 16:13

Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to help us know and live the truth. To prepare ourselves, we need to open our hearts to receive this gift before we can give it. Develop a daily prayer routine to ask the Holy Spirit to help guide our thoughts and actions.