

SACRED HEART CHURCH

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**Blessed is he
who comes in the name
of the Lord**

Pastor: Rev. Charles P. Tichacek

Sunday Mass

8:00 am

Week Day Masses

Monday 7:00 pm Communion Service Thursday 7:30 am
Tuesday 8:00 am Communion Service Friday 7:30 am

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

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

**Passion (Palm) Sunday of Lent
March 25, 2018
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MASS INTENTIONS

Mar. 26 - Apr. 1

Mon. 7:00 pm Sylvia Lenk
Tues. 8:00 am Middle East Christians
Thurs. 7:30 am NO Mass & NO Communion Service
Fri. 7:00 pm Good Friday Liturgy
Sat. 8:00 pm Knights of Columbus L & D
Sun. 8:00 am Marion Keim

Feast Days

Thurs. Holy Thursday
Fri. Good Friday
Sat. Holy Saturday
Sun. Easter Sunday

March 18, 2018

Envelopes: \$
Loose: \$
Total: \$

Parish Improvement:

Offertory Report for Mar. 18 will be in April 1 bulletin

Money Counters Today: Mike Byers
Mike Shaffer
April 1: Kaye Byers
Pat Wood

Sacred Heart Calendar of Events

Today: Mass 8:00 am
Today: Donut Sunday - Parish Council will host
Today: PSR
Today: Adult Catechetical

**EVENING PRAYERS & SOUP SUPPER Monday, Mar. 26
at 5:30 pm**

Mon., Mar. 26: Mass 7:00 pm
Tues., Mar. 27: Mass 8:00 am
Fri., Mar. 30: Good Friday Liturgy 7:00 pm
Sat., Mar. 31: Holy Saturday 8:00 pm
Sun., April 1: Easter Sunday 8:00 am

No Fish Fry March 30th.

No Communion Service March 29 & 30.

PAPAL INTENTION for March

That the Church may appreciate the urgency of formation in spiritual discernment. Both on the personal and communitarian level!!

LECTORS

Fri. Mar. 30 7:00 pm Mike Byers
Sat. Mar. 31 8:00 pm TBD
Sun. Apr. 1 8:00 am Mike Byers

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
OF HOLY COMMUNION**

Sat. Mar. 31 8:00 pm TBD
Sun. April 1 8:00 am Rachele Presley &
Gene Markwardt

ALTAR SERVERS

Fri. Mar. 30 7:00 pm TBD
Sat. Mar. 31 8:00 pm TBD
Sun. April 1 8:00 am Kevin Seeley, Kaden Kinsler
& Rio Gonzalez

GREETERS

Sun. Apr. 1 8:00 am Patty Koch & Kandi Kinsler
Sun. Apr. 8 8:00 am Rosemary Laws &
Judy Robinson

GIFT BEARERS

Sun. Apr. 1 8:00 am Alicia Bange & Carol Mayes
Sun. Apr. 8 8:00 am Rosemary Laws &
Jimmy Henry

CHURCH CLEANERS

March Eddie O'Brien & PSR Class
April Judy Robinson

Pray For

Margaret Bartold	Terry Martin
Joe & Mary Buescher	Cecile Mesker
Kim Tobiasz	Jerry Heitman
Nancy McCullough	Charlie DeMoulin
Jack Burkemper	Phyllis Galati
Leroy Schramm	Eric Mueller
Ernest Ogden	Andrew Heitman
Raymond Geosling	Bonnie Kindred
Trina Burnette	Marvin Robinson
Cloyd Bridges	Darryl Brumm
The Merriman Family	Mike O'Brien
Bob Smith	Lilian Kelly
Sherrie Galati	Tom Lagemann
Bill Lagemann	Addison Mayes
Jimmy Henry	



This week pray in a special way for **STEVE DUNLAP**, who will receive Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion at Holy Saturday Vigil.

Come join us this **Holy Week** and follow the Lord in His **Passion, Death and Resurrection.**

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

The Feast of Divine Mercy will be observed and celebrated this year on Sunday, April 8, at Assumption Parish in O'Fallon, 403 N. Main St, 63366. The celebration will begin at 3:30 pm with Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament, The Holy Rosary, and singing of the Divine Mercy Chaplet. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered at 5:30 pm

******LENTEN CONFESSION** will be sufficient to obtain Plenary Indulgence when other conditions of Holy Mass, Holy communion, Spiritual or Corporal Works of Mercy, Detachment from all sin, and prayers offered for the Holy Father's intentions are met.**** For more information, please contact Ann Yeager at 636-734-7663.

The Passion of the Lord

560 *Jesus' entry into Jerusalem* manifested the coming of the kingdom that the King-Messiah was going to accomplish by the Passover of his Death and Resurrection. It is with the celebration of that entry on Palm Sunday that the Church's liturgy solemnly opens Holy Week.

572 The Church remains faithful to the interpretation of "all the Scriptures" that Jesus gave both before and after his Passover: "Was it not necessary that the Christ should suffer these things and enter into his glory?" Jesus' sufferings took their historical, concrete form from the fact that he was "rejected by the elders and the chief priests and the scribes," who handed "him to the Gentiles to be mocked and scourged and crucified."

"For our sake God made him to be sin"

602 Consequently, St. Peter can formulate the apostolic faith in the divine plan of salvation in this way: "You were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your fathers. . .with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot. He was destined before the foundation of the world but was made manifest at the end of the times for your sake." Man's sins, following on original sin, are punishable by death. By sending his own Son in the form of a slave, in the form of a fallen humanity, on account of sin, God "made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God."

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Millwood Ladies K of C Auxiliary Palm Sunday Breakfast - Today, March 25th 8 am to 11:30 am. Biscuits and gravy, pancakes, link sausage, eggs, homemade danish and fruit. Millwood K of C hall. Carry outs available. Visit with the Easter bunny too! Adults \$7, children (6-11) \$4, under 5 free.

St. Vincent de Paul Palm Sunday Dinner on March 25 from 11 am to 6 pm in Dutzow. The day includes chicken dinner and all the fixings, a beer and wine garden under tent, music, raffles, and games and activities for kids and adults. We are located on South Hwy 94 in beautiful Missouri wine country, in between Balducci and Blumenhof wineries, and 5 miles north of Washington. All are welcome to join us for the 10 am Mass that day. For more info 636-433-2678 or visit www.svdutzow.org

CATHOLIC SISTERS *The Spirit of St. Louis*

Exhibit at Central Library, St. Louis Public Library. Celebrate 200 years of history. March 3 - April 28 Monday - Saturday/10 am - 6 pm The exhibit is free and open to the public. Highlights include the works of the Sister through captivating photos, display of historical habits, a German prayer book and novice crown.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in New Melle will hold the spring Sausage Dinner on Sunday, April 29, serving from 11 am to 6 pm. Carry-outs available. Adults \$12, children ages 6 to 12 \$6, ages 5 & under free



READINGS FOR the WEEK of Mar. 26 - April 1

Monday	Isaiah 42:1-7; John 12:1-11
Tuesday	Isaiah 49: 1-6; John 13:21-33, 36-38
Wednesday	Isaiah 50: 4-9a; Matthew 26:14-25
Thursday	Exodus 12:1-8, 11-14; 1 Corinthians 11:23-26; John 13:1-15
Friday	Isaiah 52:13-53:12; Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:7-9; John 18: 1-19:42
Saturday	Romans 6:3-11; Mark 16:1-7
Sunday	Acts of the Apostles 10:34a, 37-43; Colossians 3:1-4; John 20:1-9

Need a Priest?

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

Stewardship Awareness

"Pilate again said to them, 'Then what shall I do with the man whom you call the King of the Jews?' And they cried out again, 'Crucify him.'" - Mark 15: 12-13

Jesus told us "whatever you do for the least of my brothers, you do for me." Every day we are presented opportunities to help someone. Every day we have the opportunity to see the face of Jesus in others and be the face of Jesus to others. Pray for the strength and courage to stand up for those in need of our help.