

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

**21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 21, 2016
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MASS INTENTIONS

Aug. 22 - Aug. 28

Mon. 7:00 pm Charlie DeMoulin
Tues. 8:00 am K of C L & D
Thurs. 7:30 am Communion Service
Fri. 7:30 am Communion Service
Sun. 8:00 am Jim Roller

Feast Days

Mon. 8/22 **Queenship of Mary**
Tues. 8/23 St. Rose of Lima
Wed. 8/24 St. Bartholomew, Apostle
Thurs. 8/25 St. Louis
St. Joseph Calasanz
Sat. 8/27 St. Monica

August 14, 2016

Envelopes: \$ 1,310
Loose: \$ 730
Total \$ 2,040

Parish Improvements

\$30

Money Counters: **Today: Cecile Mesker
Pat Wood
August 28: Kaye Byers
Cecile Mesker**

Sacred Heart Calendar of Events

Mon., Aug. 22: Mass 7:00 pm
Tues., Aug. 23: Mass 8:00 am
Tues., Aug. 23: Bible Study 7 pm
Thurs., Aug. 25: Communion Service 7:30 am
Thurs., Aug. 25: Quilting
Fri., Aug. 26: Communion Service 7:30 am

Labor Day (weekend) Bake Sale

Sept. 4 after the 8:00 am Mass. Please—everyone participate! Bring your favorite baked goods, breads, jams, jellies. Even produce, nuts and berries welcome! Proceeds benefit PSR and Sanctuary & Altar. Sponsored by St. Ann's Altar Sodality.

RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Anyone interested in becoming CATHOLIC, please contact the parish office, 573-898-2202. Class will begin in September.

MASS SCHEDULE AT ST. ALPHONSUS

Aug. 17 - Aug. 21

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. Aug. 28 8:00 am Ed D. O'Brien
Sun. Sept. 4 8:00 am Rachele Presley

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
OF HOLY COMMUNION**

Sun. Aug. 28 8:00 am Phyllis Galati &
Jimmy Henry
Sun. Sept. 4 8:00 am Rick Heitman &
Rosemary Laws

ALTAR SERVERS

Sun. Aug. 28 8:00 am Aureliano Gonzalez
Seferino Gonzalez
Sun. Sept. 4 8:00 am Philip & Paul
Brickey

GREETERS

Sun. Aug. 28 8:00 am Bill & Vickie
Lagemann
Sun. Sept. 4 8:00 am Bob Smith &
Tammy Orf

GIFT BEARERS

Sun. Aug. 28 8:00 am Bill & Vickie
Lagemann
Sun. Sept. 4 8:00 am Ed & Sarah O'Brien

**WE ARE UPDATING EVERYONES CONTACT
INFORMATION. PAPERS ARE ON TABLE IN VESTIBULE.
PLEASE FILL OUT IF YOURS HAS CHANGED. THANKS**

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	Joe & Mary
Buescher	
Phyllis Galati	Sammy Mayes
Nancy McCullough	Cecile Mesker
Debbie Ratheberger	Kim Tobiasz
Leroy Schramm	Maurice Illy
Ernest Ogden	Jack Burkemper
Raymond Geosling	Charlie DeMoulin
Bonnie Kindred	Andrew Heitman
Jerry Heitman	

PSR REGISTRATION

PSR Registration has begun in the vestibule. Please take a few moments to sign up your children for the 2016-2017 session. Classes will begin Sunday, September 11. Class time is 9 - 10:15 am

Classes will be available for Pre-K thru high school. A

HELP WANTED

We need a PSR teacher for high school kids.

Contact Father at the rectory or St. Alphonsus or Rachele Presley 314-703-6055 or 636-662-2407.

Adult Education Opportunities

The Tuesday Night Bible Study group meets at 7:00 pm each Tuesday to study the Scriptures and pray together. The Bible Study group is currently studying from the Book of Wisdom. They meet in the large meeting room.

If you are unable to physically attend either the Sunday morning Catechetical Apostolate or the Tuesday Night Bible study, you may wish to participate in the free Home Study Courses on the Catholic Faith sponsored by the Vincentian Community and the Missouri K of C Religious Information Bureau. Eight courses are available.

Please go to the Vincentian's Association of the Miraculous Medal website at: www.amm.org/chss.htm or find the "mail in" form in the pamphlet rack in the vestibule.

PRAYER

II Humble Vigilance of Heart

Facing temptations in prayer

2732 The most common yet most hidden temptation is our *lack of faith*. It expresses itself less by declared incredulity than by our actual preferences. When we begin to pray, a thousand labors or cares thought to be urgent vie for priority; once again, it is the moment of truth for the heart: what is its real love? Sometimes we turn to the Lord as a last resort, but do we really believe he is? Sometimes we enlist the Lord as an ally, but our heart remains presumptuous. In each case, our lack of faith reveals that we do not yet share in the disposition of a humble heart: "*Apart from me, you can do nothing.*"

Catechism of the Catholic Church

169 Salvation comes from God alone; but because we receive the life of faith through the Church, she is our mother: "**We believe the Church as the mother of our new birth, and not in the Church as if she were the author of our salvation. Because she is our mother, she is also our teacher in the faith.**"

MASS

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Perhaps the most horrifying scenario imaginable is to stand outside knocking on a locked door only to hear the Lord respond, "I do not know where you are from." Through the mouth of the prophet Isaiah, the Lord assures us: "I come to gather nations of every language." But some resist that invitation. In order to join God's gathering, we must "enter through the narrow gate" - that is, we must say yes to the relationship that Christ wants to have with us. The Letter to the Hebrews says that "God treats you as sons." When we change and conform our life to our calling to be God's children, then those who are last will be first. We will recline with them at table in the Kingdom of God.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

St. Joseph/Josephville Picnic Sunday, Aug. 21
Fried Chicken & Roast Beef dinners served from 11:30 - 7:00 pm. Father Bob Samson.

Let's support our neighbor to the south

Dutzow Knights of Columbus Council #1927 is hosting Sporting Clays Tournament on Sat., Aug. 27 at Blackhawk Valley Sporting Clays Course in Old Monroe. Proceeds benefit Cystic Fibrosis. Info Jerome Kleekamp 636-239-5291

St. Paul Picnic Sunday, September 4. Kettle beef and Fried Chicken Dinners served from 11 am to 7 pm
Air conditioned dining room, carry-out available.
Live entertainment and games for all ages.

BEYOND SUNDAY CAMPAIGN PRAYER

O Lord you have guided and led our Archdiocese of 190 years. Through the example of many who have gone before us, we have received the blessing of faith and a vision of your kingdom.

Through their generous sacrifices we have visible signs of your presence in our beautiful Catholic Community. In a Spirit of grateful stewardship, we ask that you bless our Beyond Sunday Campaign with the same grace and sense of sacrifice that will enable us to pass on to future generations the treasures we have received from past generations.

We place this campaign under your patronage who has guided this faith community as a beacon of hope in a spirit of faith, sacrifice and stewardship. Amen

The pledge amount for the **Beyond Sunday Campaign** is up to **ALMOST \$40,000.**

Thank you for your generosity!!!



READINGS FOR the WEEK of Aug. 22 - Aug. 28

Monday	2 Thessalonians 1:1-5, 11-12; Matthew 22:13-22
Tuesday	2 Thessalonians 2:1-3a, 14-17; Matthew 23:23-26
Wednesday	Revelation 21:9b-14; John 1:45-51
Thursday	1 Corinthians 1:1-9; Matthew 24:42-51
Friday	1 Corinthians 1:17-25; Matthew 25:1-13
Saturday	1 Corinthians 1:26-31; Matthew 25:14-30
Sunday	Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a; Luke 14:1, 7-14

STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY

IS COMING UP ON SEPTEMBER 25.

HOW DO WE USE OUR TIME, TALENT & TREASURE?

STEWARDSHIP AWARENESS

"For behold, some are last who will be first and some are first who will be last." Luke 13:30

Our standards in our society are so different from God's standards. We often rate or rank people by what they have, how powerful they are, or how successful they are. Jesus reminds us that God will not judge us by the same earthly standards.