

# ~ Sacred Heart Church ~

Masses:  
Wednesdays - 8:30 a.m.  
Sundays - 8:00 a.m.

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March 31, 2024

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

| <u>Mass Schedule</u>     | <u>Mass Intentions</u>                             | <u>Collections – 3/24/2024</u>                      |
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| Sun. - Mar. 31 8:00 a.m. | For Parishioners                                   | Sunday.....\$ 1,198.00                              |
| Wed. - Apr. 3 8:30 a.m.  | Gus Sisk - Donna Gabehart<br>Michael Vint - Family | Catholic Relief..... 20.00<br>Food Truck..... 25.00 |
| Sun. - Apr. 7 8:00 a.m.  | Marilyn & Bill Kruger - Kruger Family              | “Your Offering is most appreciated!”                |

**“He is risen!!! Alleluia!!! Amen!!!”**

Sunday Mass:

April Stewardship

Lector: Pam Siedentop

Servers: Bailey & Kenley Kruger

Eucharistic Ministers: Kathy Vint & Lee Miller

- Please remember in your prayers all the deceased of our parish and communities, all of our nursing home residents and those living alone, all those that are battling illness, along with their families and care givers, all of the brave and selfless men and women serving in the armed forces, their families and all of the innocent souls affected by war. Please also pray for all that are in need, materially and spiritually, those that have suffered and died at the hands of others, those that have been affected by recent natural disasters, all first responders, and all of our dear friends and neighbors that have asked for our prayerful support; Kathryn Vint, Henry Fink, Sherry Lewis, Sarah Windham, John Ribordy, Blane Passini, Jenny Kilmer, Amy Walters, Ed Neikirk, Phyllis Neikirk, Pat Sanders, Jennifer Jensen, Dan O’Connell & Loisanne O’Connell.
- Please turn off all electronic devices before Mass begins. Thank you.
- We’re getting closer!!! We are only \$88.00 away from our sponsorship of one of the Mobile Food Pantry Trucks!!!
- Please join St. Lawrence Parishioners next Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup> in cheering on the 100 horses running in 10 races at St. Lawrence’s 13<sup>th</sup> Nite at the Races at the American Legion Hall in Gardner. Doors open at 5:00 pm with the first race at 6:30 pm. There will be Italian Beef sandwiches, a cash bar, raffle items and a live auction to finish off the night. Admission tickets cost \$10 each. Your ticket includes admission and entry into a drawing for a door prize and \$10 in funny money to use to place your bet on your favorite horses. Use your winning funny money to take a chance on the great raffle items that will be available or to bid during the live auction. The proceeds from this event will be used towards improvements at Fr. Mathew Parish Hall. Everyone 21 years old and older are welcome to attend.
- The Prairie Singers will be presenting a spring program April 7 at the First Congregational United Church, 255 E Bluff, in Marseilles at 2 pm. The program will be a variety of sacred, patriotic, Broadway, and spring music. The historic organ will be featured with special organ arrangements. After the concert, there will be light refreshments. Following all will be invited to tour the downtown Marseilles’ museum which will be open from 3pm to 4:30pm. The afternoon entertainment and historical review is being sponsored by Seattle Sutton, a local Marseilles resident. The Prairie Singers, a chamber ensemble, are singers from a three-county area. The singers have been singing since 1988. More information may be obtained by calling George McComb at 815 287 9806.
- Attention all High School Seniors of the Parish...The Braidwood Knights of Columbus Council #1574 are offering a \$500.00 scholarship! Qualification requirements are posted on the bulletin board in the vestibule. Application deadline: April 16<sup>th</sup>.
- Little White Books with daily inspirational readings for Easter are available in the vestibule for anyone who would like one for themselves, or to share with others. As always, donations to help defray the cost for these are appreciated, but not expected.
- Important dates coming up....April 10<sup>th</sup> – Confirmation with Bishop Conlon in South Wilmington at 7:00 p.m. and April 28<sup>th</sup> – First Communion here at Sacred Heart at the 8:00 a.m. Mass.
- Wanting to keep up with news and/or announcements from the Diocese?! Visit [www.dioceseofjoliet.org](http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org) for the latest information and resources.
- **Sacred Heart Cash Raffle – Our latest winners are...** 3/24/24 #1435 Eileen Scott for \$50.00, 3/25/24 #689 Jack Dunn for \$20.00, 3/27/24 #501 Jake Briscoe for \$20.00 & 3/29/24 #889 Kinsman Micro Pantry for \$20.00!!! – Don’t forget - The raffle will run from January to April. Three (3) drawings per week for \$20.00 each, a drawing the first Sunday of each month for \$100.00, all remaining Sundays of the month for \$50.00 each and a final drawing of up to \$500.00!!! Tickets are \$10.00 each. **All winning tickets remain in the drawing throughout the raffle...you can win multiple times!!!**
- We would like to welcome all new individuals, couples and families to Sacred Heart!!! If you’d like to become a member of our parish, a registration form can be found on our website; [swkrcatholics.org](http://swkrcatholics.org), or can be made available upon request! If you have questions or need further assistance, please contact our parish secretary, Lin, at 815-237-2230. Thank you!
- The Rectory/Parish Office is open. You may, however, want to call ahead (815-237-2230) to make sure the office is open the day of, or during the hours you would like to stop by, just to save yourself an unproductive trip. **FYI:** Closed March 29<sup>th</sup>.
- Word of Life – “With great openness and courage, we need to question how widespread is the culture of life today among individual Christians, families, groups and communities in our Diocese. With equal clarity and determination, we must identify the steps we are called to take in order to serve life in all its truth.” (The Gospel of Life 95).
- Stewardship – March 31, 2024 – Easter Sunday – (Compliments of the Archdiocese of St. Louis, MO) - “Think of what is above, not of what is on earth.”- **COLOSSIANS 3:2**. On this day we thank God for His Son, Jesus, who died, rose and opened the gates of heaven for us. We celebrate and sing “Alleluia. Let’s try to keep the joy of this Easter season in our hearts throughout the year! Pray daily and listen for how God is calling each of us to joyfully use our gifts to fulfill His salvation plan.