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PARISH

Blessed Sacrament Parish Phone: 222-2759

Pastor: Fr. Tom Meyer

Pastor Emeritus: Monsignor Michael Kuse Permanent Deacon: Deacon Terry Ellerman Director of Faith Formation: Audreana Derhake

Secretary: Laura Megown Bookkeeper: Linda Ohnemus Director of Music: Steve Buckman

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SCHOOL

Blessed Sacrament School Phone: 228-1477

Principal: Lisa Berhorst

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Custodian: Rick Epping

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Thursday: 8:15 a.m. (School Year) First Saturday of the month: 8:30 a.m.

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m., 11:10 a.m. (Spanish)

RECONCILIATION:

Wednesday: 4:30 - 5:00 p.m.

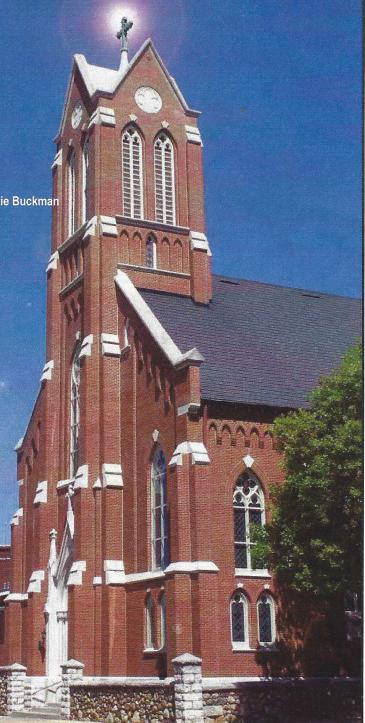
Saturday: 7:30 - 8:30 a.m. (First Saturday)

3:30 - 4:15 p.m.

MISSION STATEMENT

Forming disciples through prayer, liturgy,

Word of God and service.



Blessed Sacrament Parish 3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time January 21, 2024

Monday January 22, 2024 8:00 a.m. Clayton Flick Tuesday January 23, 2024 8:00 a.m. John Ohnemus Wednesday January 24, 2024 8:00 a.m. Shirley Bornman 5:00 p.m. **Evening Prayer (Vespers)** 5:30 p.m. Klene Family Thursday January 25, 2024 8:15 a.m. Stephen Stump 3:00 p.m.-Sunset Poor Souls of Purgatory Friday January 26, 2024 8:00 a.m. Alberta Tweedell Saturday January 27, 2024 4:00 p.m. **Evening Prayer (Vespers)** 4:30 p.m. Raymond Meckes Sunday January 28, 2024 8:00 a.m. People of the Parish 10:00 a.m. Elaine Hall 11:15 a.m.-Spanish For the Poor & Needy

Sunday, January 14, 2024

Regular Collection: Electronic Giving: Total Collection	\$ 6,179.25 \$ 1,005.00 \$ 7,184.25
Weekly Support Needed: Deficit /Surplus:	\$ 12,093.67 (\$ 4,828.75)
Regular Support Actual (YTD) Regular Support Needed (YTD) Regular Deficit /Surplus: (YTD)	\$316,183.14 <u>\$348,377.00</u> (\$ 32,193.86)
Total School Collection Haiti	\$ 1,280.00 \$ 1,305.00

This Week in Our Parish

1st Reconciliation Parent MtgGS	6:00 p.m.
Tuesday	January 23, 2023
Legion of Mary-GS	1:15 p.m3:00 p.m
Junior Legion of Mary-GS	3:00 p.m4:00 p.m
CCW-GS	6:30 p.m.–8:00 p.m

Junior Legion of Mary-GS
CCW-GS

3:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m.
6:30 p.m.—8:00 p.m.
Wednesday
Adoration-Church
Reconciliation-Church
Benediction/Evening Prayer
-Church
Building/Grounds Comt.-GS

3:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m.
6:30 p.m.—5:00 p.m.
5:00 p.m.—5:20 p.m.
6:00 p.m.

Stewardship-GS

Thursday RCIA-GS

Monday

Friday Finance Council-GS

6:30 p.m. **January 26, 2024** 11:30 a.m.

January 25, 2024

7:15 p.m.

January 22, 2024

From the Pastor's Desk

Today we celebrate the 3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time. In the readings today we hear two calls to repentance, from God (1st Reading) and from Jesus (Gospel). We also hear two calls to discipleship... to Jonah and to the four first Apostles: Peter, Andrew, James, and John. Repentance and discipleship sound like two completely different themes, but in the Christian life they are completely integrated. The call to be a disciple is a call to be continuously immersed in repentance and renewal.

This weekend (January 20/21) the Universal Church celebrates the "Sunday of the Word of God." The Church celebrates the importance of the Sacred Scriptures in our everyday lives of faith. Blessed Sacrament Parish is celebrating this day by gifting our 8th Grade students with brand new Bibles of their own from the Great Adventure Catholic Bible series. I would like to express my gratitude to the many parish members who donated for each of our 8th Grade students to receive this Bible. Thank you all for helping give our students a beautiful keepsake for their journeys of faith.

Next weekend marks the beginning of Catholic Schools Week (January 28 - February 2). We will kick-off the week with Sunday Masses next Sunday, January 31. Many events will be planned throughout the week. I invite you to share in our excitement of celebrating Catholic education here at Blessed Sacrament in Quincy.

Our Accounting Office is making available **Printed** copies of your annual 2024 Financial contribution statements for you to pick up in church. Next weekend (January 27/28) we will have labeled and sealed envelopes containing your contribution information that you can use in preparing your tax return. Envelopes will be sorted alphabetically, and we encourage you to pick up your sealed envelope before or after Mass.

Finally, next Saturday, January 27, we will have a Healing Service after the 4:30 p.m. Mass. We are inviting Roger Shaner to join us from Hancock County, who was a speaker at our Men's Conference back in early December. Roger has discerned a gift of healing: spiritual. emotional, and physical. On a monthly basis, St. Mary's Church in Hamilton has a Healing Service in which Roger shares this gift of healing. Blessed Sacrament has invited him to join us here for a Healing Service on Saturday, January 27 after the 4:30 p.m. Mass. It will include the healing ministry of Roger Shaner, intercessory prayer to Fr. Augustus Tolton (in the event of a physical healing that would advance his cause for canonization). and the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. Please consider joining us to receive this gift of healing, or join us in intercessory prayer for those who seek it.

May the Peace of Christ be with you all, Fr. Tom

To report allegations of sexual abuse of a minor by clergy or other church personnel -- even if it is in the past -- individuals are encouraged to call the Diocese's Child Abuse Reporting and Investigation number at 217.321.1155. Individuals may also contact Illinois Department of Children and Family Services Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.25.ABUSE.



Dear parish family, I have exciting news! We've partnered with an organization called Communio — a nonprofit ministry that equips parishes with outreach tools and ministry strategies to grow and draw more souls to Christ through evangelization and discipleship of marriages and relationships. Communio is helping us set some ambitious multi-year Mission Outcomes and create a strategic plan to achieve them. So, you can expect to see some exciting new things here at the parish over the coming weeks, including

- Enhancing existing ministry and developing a new series of events and experiences that build up community and friendships within our church and with those in our community.
- Using new forms of digital and mail outreach to invite people not already connected to our parish to our new ministry experiences.
- Implementing new skills-based ministries that help people in all stages of romantic life whether you're single, dating, engaged or married to strengthen their relationships.

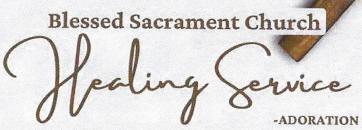
But, before we launch this new initiative, our first big step as parish staff is to understand the unique relationship needs of our parishioners. This will help us select the right events, experiences, and ministries for the coming months and years. We're calling on everyone to help us! On January 20 through January 28 we will distribute an anonymous, mobile-based relationship health survey to everyone 18 or older. You will have an opportunity to complete the quick 90-second survey on your smartphone during the homilies at all weekend Masses (paper surveys will be available in Gathering Space). The questions in the survey were developed by academic experts in the field of relationship education and health studies. The greater survey participation, the better insights our team will have to craft an evangelization strategy to address felt needs of ALL our single, engaged, and married parishioners.

Thank you!

- Audreana Derhake, Director of Faith Formation

Scan the QR code with your phone's camera to take the survey or text
BLESSED to 42284





-ANOINTING OF THE SICK

-CONFESSION

-ONE ON ONE HEALING WITH ROGER SHANER
-GROUP PRAYER

-INTERCESSORY PRAYER TO FR. TOLTON

01/27/2024 5:35PM AFTER 4:30 MASS

Healing can be physical, mental, and/or spiritual. Even if you are not in need of healing for yourself, parishioner's are encouraged to come on someone's behalf or to join in prayer for those who are wanting healed. Your prayer is powerful! We would love to have our parishoner's attend and support their fellow parishioners who are seeking to be healed. Questions? Please call the parish office at 217,222,2759



Celebrating their 50 year class reunion!— St. Mary's School Class of 1973

Front row (left-to-right): Barb Reis-Wooten, Debbie Kinne-Powell,
Debbie Freiburg-Geising, Dolores Teijiedo-Haschemeyer,
Peggy Rossmiller-Niehoff, Kathy Geising-Daum, Jean Augustin-Brod.
Second row (left-to-right): Jeanine Hall-Schroeder,
Susie Peters-Maggart, John Freiburg, Diann Kinne-Hummelsheim,
Cindy Real-LaTour, Laura Feld-Goehl.
Third row (left-to-right): Steve Sanders, Dan Henke,

Julie Holtman-Hadler, Kathy Klene-O'Brien, Dan Stroot, Tim Meckes, Mike Holm, Rick Sullivan.

Prayer...Liturgy...Word of God...Service



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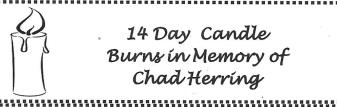
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Circle of Caring

If you know of anyone who could use a helping hand after returning home from the hospital, please contact the Parish Office at 217-222-2759. The Circle of Caring is for anyone who has just had a baby, returned home from the hospital or is unable to drive. Volunteers will carry in meals, provide rides, do housekeeping tasks, or just lend a helping hand.

Remember the Sick in Your Prayers...

Please pray for parish family members: Doris Hildebrand, Tom Liesen, Allan Harvey, Robin Cimera, Barb Peters, Robert Conover, Linda Anemone, Monica Mast, Ken Nelson, Eric Strunk, Lori Massey, Carl Nieders, Paulette Vahlkamp, Mary Bradfield, Rosie Meyer, Dave Terwelp, Joyce Blickhan, Gene & Rita Esselman & Gil Hill.



14 Day Candle Burns in Memory of Chad Herring

Prayer Chain

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, call Carol Price to add their intentions to the Cleaning the church is one of the simplest ways to Praver Chain: 217-223-8881.

Friend of Catholic Education Dinner

The QCES Foundation is honored to present the Chuck and Becky Scholz Family with the Friend of Catholic Education Award. This recognition will be celebrated at the 15th Annual Friend of Catholic Education Dinner on Saturday, February 3 at 6 p.m. at the Atrium on 3rd. Tickets are \$100 and can be purchased at ticketstripe.com/FOCEDinner2024 or by mailing a check to the QCES Foundation at 1721 College Ave, Quincy, IL 62301. For more information, please contact Sara Reuschel at director@quincycatholicschools.org or call (217) 779-3157.



2nd Annual Mardi Gras with The Gentlemen:

Year one was so much fun, we decided to do it: again! Join The Gentlemen to celebrate Mardi Gras at Dick Brothers Brewery on Saturday, February 10 from 7-11 p.m. Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. Proceeds benefit the QCES Foundation. Tickets are available at ticketstripe.com/MardiGras24.

40 Days For Life

From February 14 to March 24, 2024 40 Days of peaceful vigil, prayer and fasting to: proactively prevent abortions from coming to Quincy as well as bring an end to abortion.

Walgreens and CVS corporations are on the path to becoming the largest abortion providers in the USA by providing the abortion pill regimen.

Join us as we stand (or sit) and peacefully pray during the 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Walgreens on Broadway between 17th and 18th streets.

Help spread the word about this important community outreach. If you'd like more information - and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact Colleen Maalouf at Quincy40daysforlife@gmail.com. Website to sign up for prayer vigil shifts is www.40daysforlife.com/en/quincy

KICKOFF DINNER RALLY SUNDAY, January 21, 6-8 p.m. AT BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH/ SCHOOL on S 8th and Adams Enter through school double doors in the parking lot. RSVP to Colleen Maalouf at: 619-395-0625 or quincy40daysforlife@gmail.com

Stewardship Corner

serve our Lord and fellow parishioners. No one needs a special talent for this service, only their time and an able body. When some of the volunteers were asked why they chose this service opportunity this is their reply:



"As a young child I saw my mother volunteering at the church in various capacities, even with five young children. After retiring, I felt I had time now to do more volunteering at our church. Picking up a few things that only take a few hours out of my month. This is a small payback for all my church has given to me - worship, community, and peace. It has also been a new way for me to get to know other members of our parish family and open up new doors for me." -Karen Finson

'I like to have a clean house and I know God deserves a clean house. I don't think someone should come to church and see something that needs to be cleaned and it doesn't get done." -Ruth Bange

Those on the Cleaning Committee are:

Karen Finson, Bill Schodroski, Mary Lynn Tucker, Leslie Geschwander, Joe Koetters, Kathy Kerker, Jon Meade, Sherri Thompson, Phyllis Cameron, Kathy Wittler, Julie Smith, Rick Schuering, Debbi Schuering, Kristen Buehler, Diana Finley, Lori Mitchell, and Ruth Bange (Coordinator).

(pictured Karen Finson and Ruth Bange)



Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Saturday, 4:30 p.m.	Kaileb Baker Vince Selby Lucas Selby	Deacon Terry Ruth Bange Marie John	Andy & Jane Flachs (GS) Terry Duersterhaus (WD) Cheryl Wittland (SD)	Jane Lester	Mike Cramer Ed Duersterhaus Jim Schrand Greg Wittland

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Sunday, January 28, 2024

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Natalie Druffel Tripp Flesch Madyson Shull	Deacon Terry Nancy Kelly Damin Meyer	Andy & Danielle Weise (GS) Adam & Gina Druffel (WD) Becky Ebbing (SD)	Laura Peterson ®	Glen Ebbing Ed Lohman Mike Moening Sub. Requested
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Haley Terwelp Emma Vogel Olivia Bailey	Deacon Terry Amber Hendrian Nancy Schodroski	Lowell & Beverly Peters (GS) The Sangoi Family (WD) The Stephen Selby Family SD)	Jessica Genenbacher Mike Grant	Ron Kelly Marvin Schreacke Bill Awerkamp Mark Terwelp

SERVERS Week of January 22, 2024

Monday, January 22, 8:00 a.m.: Kyle Thompson & Vivi Wilson Tuesday, January 23, 8:00 a.m.: Kyle Thompson & Vivi Wilson Wednesday, January 24, 8:00 a.m.: Emma McDowell & Cadence Smith Thursday, January 25, 8:15 a.m.: Blake Myers, Kaileb Baker & Vivi Wilson Friday, January 26, 8:00 a.m.: Cadence Smith & Leah Terwelp

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS - WE HOPE YOU FIND A HOME HERE!

We are glad that you are here! We pray that through our worship, you may experience the depth of God's love for us. If you would like to register as a member of Blessed Sacrament Parish, please complete the form below and drop it in the collection basket, or email the rectory office at: parishoffice@blessedscs.org Or if you prefer, scan the below QR code and complete the form online. Once received, someone from parish office will contact you for additional information.

Name:	,	Welcome to Blessed Sacrament Parish
Address:		
Email:		
Date:	Phone:	

If you have not been active in the practice of the Catholic faith, we encourage you to return. If a previous marriage has kept you from receiving the Sacraments, we invite you to contact our pastor. In many cases, we can work with you toward a favorable solution so you can again receive the Sacraments in the Catholic Church.

HELPING THE ADAMS FAMILY

Please continue to pray for healing for Kristin, Brad and their newborn twins. Pray for their daughters and family members.



Due to the severity of Kristin's complications Brad will be off work for an unknown amount of time. They will also be faced with many medical bills for Kristin & the babies.

If you would like to help ease their burdens, we have a couple options.

Any Questions please contact: Jennifer Arens 217-430-5752 or Tracy Kiefer 217-242-8735

OPTIONS TO DONATE



CASH & CHECK

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First Friday Memorials 2023-2024

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Sage Moore Mary & Greg Wellman Kenneth & Joan Steinkamp Selby & Meier Families Tracy Dede & the Families of Mary & Jerry Lovell Jeffrey & BJ VandenBoom Fr. Don Everett & Mary Knuffman

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William Hughes Bange & Benz Families Frank & Elsie Olps Family Norbert & Viola Klingele Families Henry & Regina Geschwandner Families

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Kathleen Cain Franke & Smith Families Living & Deceased Members of Peters & Maguire Families Kuse & Schmidt Families A.B. Blickhan & H.B. Schuering Families

Missie Ohnemus Moore Living & Deceased Members of Penie & Emma Vahlkamp Albright & Havermale Families Deceased Members of Fenwick & Schinderling Families Berter & Smith Families Maas & Doyle Families Frank & Janet Kroeger & Mary A

Meyer Ted Peters, Vern, Rose & Gerald Zimmerman

Living & Deceased Members of the Sacred Heart League Deceased Members of the Haugh & Jochem Families Living & Deceased Members of Dempsey, Hull & Kelly Families Deceased & Living Members of the Community of Catholic Women

Living & Deceased Members of Rita Walker Family Jack Souders
J. R. & Alta Rosenkoetter Evelyn Duesterhaus Irene Rossmiller

Dietrich & Johnson Families Clarence & Evelyn Genenbacher Family

Patrick J. Dolan Bill Junkerman Lawrence & Catherine Frese Joe Altgilbers

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