

Blessed Sacrament

1119 South Seventh Street, Quincy, IL 62301

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PARISH

Blessed Sacrament Parish Phone: 217-222-2759
Pastor: Fr. Tom Meyer
Pastor Emeritus: Monsignor Michael Kuse
Permanent Deacons: Deacon Terry Ellerman, Deacon Mike Ellerman
Director of Faith Formation: Audreana Derhake
Secretary: Laura Megown
Bookkeeper: Linda Ohnemus
Director of Music: Steve Buckman
Custodian: Ted Hea
Blessed Sacrament Society of St. Vincent de Paul: 217-430-3723

SCHOOL

Blessed Sacrament School Phone: 217-228-1477
Principal: Lisa Berhorst
School Administration Manager: Kailee Flesch
Secretary: Lori Quevillon
Technology: Dottie Buckman
Custodian: Rick Epping

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:00 a.m.
Wednesday: 5:30 p.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., 11:30 a.m. (Spanish)

EUCCHARIST ADORATION

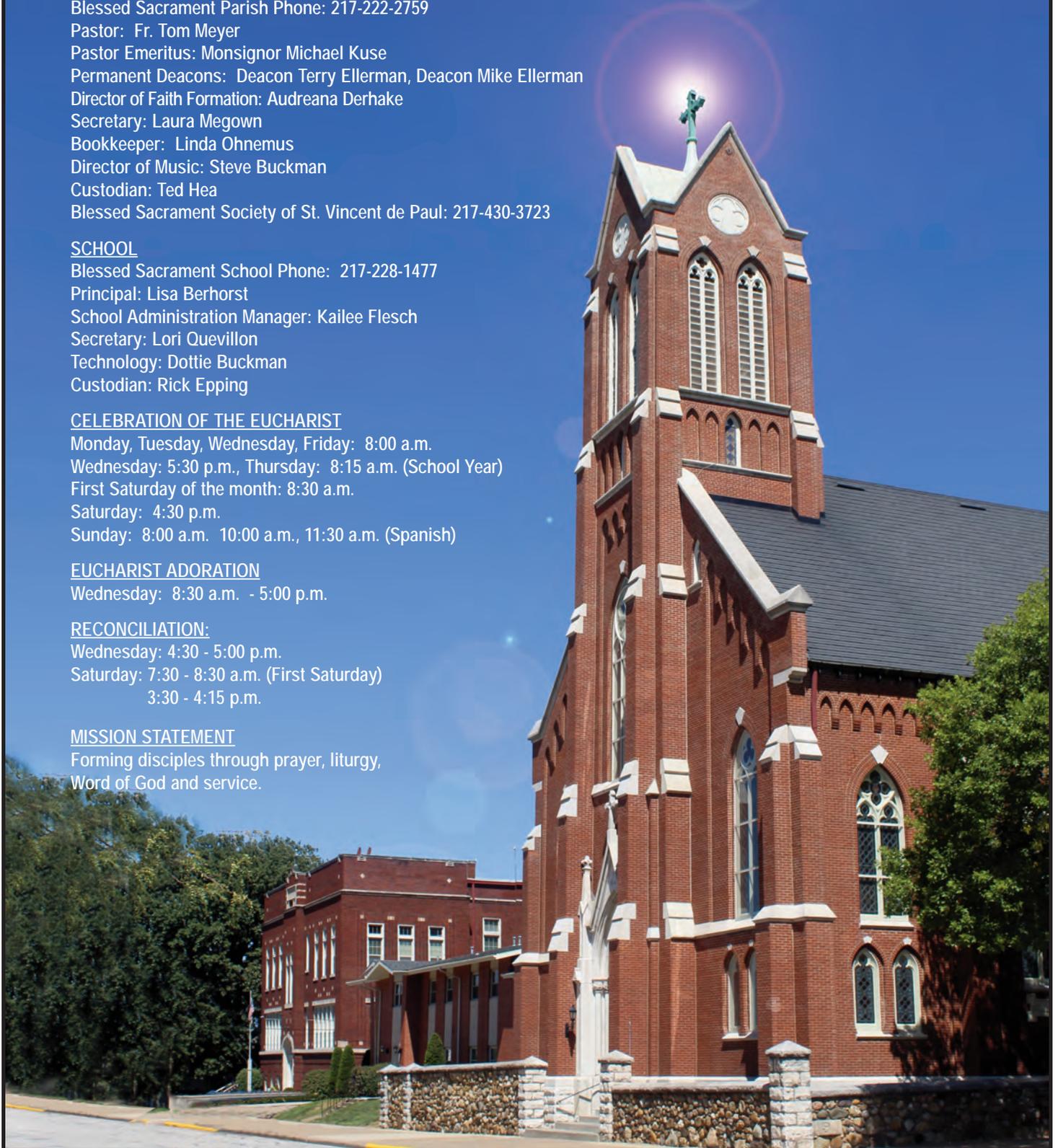
Wednesday: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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
7th Sunday of Easter
June 1, 2025**

Monday 8:00 a.m.	June 2, 2025 John Allen
Tuesday 8:00 a.m.	June 3, 2025 William & Myrtle Timpe Family
Wednesday 8:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	June 4, 2025 Klene Family Communion Service
Thursday 8:00 a.m.	June 5, 2025 John Ohnemus
Friday 8:00 p.m.	June 6, 2025 First Friday Memorials
Saturday 8:30 a.m. 4:30 a.m.-Pentecost Vigil	June 7, 2025 For the Reparation of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Bernard Wiseman
Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.-Spanish	June 8, 2025 Rosemary Masters Darlene & Brad Heckenkamp People of the Parish

Sunday, May 25, 2025

Regular Collection:	\$ 11,662.00
Electronic Giving:	\$ 4,805.00
Total Collection	\$ 16,467.00
Weekly Support Needed:	\$ 12,013.00
Deficient/Surplus:	+\$ 4,454.00
Regular Support Actual (YTD)	\$ 523,883.31
Regular Support Needed (YTD)	\$ 564,611.00
Regular Deficit /Surplus: (YTD)	(\$ 40,727.69)
Total School Collection	\$ 3,115.00
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This Week in Our Parish

Tuesday GriefShare-GS Legion of Mary-GS Theology on Tap-Fuzzy Bubbler	June 3, 2025 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. 1:15 p.m.–3:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study-GS Adoration-Church Reconciliation-Church Evening Prayer/Benediction St. Vincent DePaul-GS	June 4, 2025 1:00 p.m.–2:30 p.m. 8:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m. 4:30 p.m.–5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.–5:20 p.m. 6:15 p.m.
Thursday OCIA-GS	June 5, 2025 6:30 p.m.
Saturday Vocations Meeting-GS	May 31, 2025 9:30 a.m.

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.

From the Pastor's Desk

Today we celebrate the **Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord**. We celebrate today Christ's ascension into heaven after forty days of post-Resurrection appearances to his disciples. At his ascension the gospel writers describe that Christ "took his seat at the right hand of God." According to St. Paul, God the Father "put all things beneath (Christ's) feet and gave him as head over all things to the church." Christ now rules as King and Shepherd until the end of time when he will bring "all in all".

This upcoming Tuesday, June 3 at 6:00 p.m. is our monthly **Theology on Tap** event at the Fuzzy Bubbler. This month we have Dr. Kent Lasnoski here from Springfield who will talk on "The meaning of Work in an entertainment world."

Next **Saturday, June 7 at 4:30 p.m.** we will celebrate the **Pentecost Vigil**. At this liturgy we read four Old Testament readings that anticipate the sending of the Holy Spirit. In this liturgy we pray in a form of a vigil, waiting - like Mary and the Apostles - for the coming of the Holy Spirit. Please join us for this liturgical celebration.

Vacation Bible School will soon be here. The dates for this year's **VBS is June 8 -12 @ 6:00-8:30 p.m.** each evening. Please contact VBS Coordinator Allison Menz if you would like to volunteer or sign up.

On Sunday, June 22 after the 10:00 a.m. Mass we will have a **Corpus Christi Procession to QND High School** as part of our celebration of the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ. A sub-committee chaired by Mandy Young has been formed to plan this liturgical event. Please let us know if you are interested in helping with this event.

Finally, this coming week (June 2-6) I will be out for **Annual Diocesan Priests Retreat** at Sacre-Coeur Retreat Center in Henry, IL. During my absence Fr. Mike Kuse will have the 8 a.m. Mass each day.

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



Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary Study– Mark your calendars for the Mysteries of the Rosary study covering the Glorious Mysteries! This study begins June 30. Join us Monday's at 6 p.m. in the Gathering Space!

Bring the Blessed Mother into Your Home!

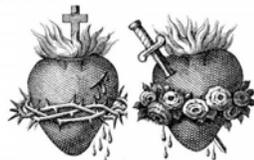
Our parish Legion of Mary is offering the opportunity to host the *Traveling Virgin Mary Statue* in your home for a week. This beautiful tradition invites families and individuals to welcome Our Lady, spend time in prayer, and grow closer to Jesus through Mary. A prayer booklet will be provided to guide your time with her. To sign up contact Terry Duesterhaus at 217.209.9163 to reserve your week. Let Mary bring peace, prayer, and blessings into your home!

**Alliance of Two Hearts
Communion of Reparation Vigil**

Honoring the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary

June 27 –June 28 2025

- 7:30 p.m. Mass for the Sacred Heart of Jesus
- 8:30 p.m. Dinner (free will offering)
- 9:00 p.m. Talks
- 10:00 p.m. Adoration, Confession
- 11:00 p.m. Guided Prayers
- 11:45 a.m. Benediction
- 12:00 a.m. Mass for the Immaculate Heart of Mary



All are welcome! There will be games and movies for the kids during Adoration time.

Reach out to Denise Sangoi with any questions at 217.316.5729

The Ascension of the Lord

*“I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.”
(Revelations 22:13)*

This is a reminder of how we should live our lives 24 hours a day, 7 days a week – putting God first in all that we do. Not only when I am at Mass and parish activities, but when I am in the world, at work, or at school. Living gratefully and generously is an intentional lifestyle. Every decision you make either moves you closer to God or farther away. Choose wisely!

One Day Marriage Enrichment Retreat – Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter experience that will enrich couples’ understanding of the spirituality of marriage and introduce them to a personal couple prayer they can continue at home. This one-day marriage enrichment retreat entitled, “God Chose You for Me,” is an experience designed to deepen the spiritual connection between married couples. Dates and locations for this special enrichment in 2025 include:

- Saturday, May 10 – Cardinal Rigali Center in St. Louis, MO
- Saturday, August 16 – Sacred Heart Parish in Valley Park, MO
- Saturday, September 20 – St. Nicholas Parish in O’Fallon, IL

This special one-day enrichment is sponsored by Worldwide Marriage Encounter. To register, go to: stl-wwme.org/communitynews.php

Attention college students! Take your faith with you to school! The Newman community at your school would love to connect with you and help you continue your faith journey while away at college. To find out more about the Newman program at your school, visit newmanministry.com/.

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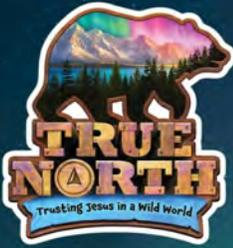


Blessed Sacrament
8th Grade Graduation 2025

AND BEST WISHES IN HIGH SCHOOL



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**BLESSED SACRAMENT
PARISH INVITES YOU
TO VACATION BIBLE
SCHOOL 2025!**

When: June 8-12 from 5:30-8:00pm

Where: Blessed Sacrament School

Who: 3 years old to 5th grade (grade entering
fall 2025 school year)

Cost: \$25 per child or \$60 for family of 3 or
more (includes t-shirt and nightly snack)

Registration: Scan the QR code to register and
pay online, or visit the Parish Facebook page to
click the registration link

Volunteers: Adults and 6th-12th grade
students that would like to volunteer, scan
the QR code for volunteers or contact Allison
Menz. (Can earn service hours!)

Questions: Contact the parish office or Allison
Menz (allisonmenz@blessedscs.org)



STUDENT
REGISTRATION
HERE!

VOLUNTEERS
SIGN UP
HERE!



The Catholic Youth Organization of Quincy (CYO) has an opening for a new representative on the Board of Directors from Blessed Sacrament Parish. If interested, call President Tom McGlaughlin at 217-653-1032 or 217-223-9321. Tom will be glad to give you all the information you need and answer any questions you may have. *Please consider stepping up and help support Catholic Youth Sports!*

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, or just lend a helping hand.

Please Pray for Parish Family Members:

Doris Hildebrand, Tom Liesen, Robin Cimera, Robert Conover, Rita Esselman, Kristin Adams, Alia Strunk, Delores Lumpkins, Joe Conover, Evelyn & Jerry Gengenbacher, Dustin Houston, Jeff Lewis, Barb Bax, Sandy Krueger, Greg Schoenekase & Jim Daggett.

3RD ANNUAL

**BLESSED SACRAMENT MEN'S
STEAK FRY**

RSVP TO THE PARISH
OFFICE ASAP BY MONDAY
JUNE 9TH



OR SCAN THE QR
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**Tues. June
17TH at 6pm**

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THEOLOGY ON TAP

★ **Why Work?** ★

Dr. Kent Lasnoski, President of the newly formed
San Damiano College of the Trades
in Springfield, Illinois, will speak about
the meaning of work in an entertainment world.



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JUNE 3

TALK BEGINS AT 6:35 P.M.



Theology on Tap - Where Faith Meets Fun

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES Saturday, June 7, 2025

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Saturday, 4:30 p.m.	Luke Coovert Hannah Coovert Kamdyn Peters	Deacon Mike Doug Luther Jim Smith	Diane & John Butler(GS) Mary Miller (WD) Karen Finson (SD)	Pam LaTour Pam Luther Colleen Maalouf Terry Duestehaus Ann Gage	Jim Schrand Joe Casper Katrina Casper Ed Duesterhaus

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Sunday, June 8, 2025

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Kacie Stegeman Jonah Willer Katelyn Dance	Deacon Terry Laura Peterson Kevin Steinkamp	Ferd & Barb Nieman (GS) Brian & Mindy Richards (WD) Deborah Wegs (SD)	Ed Lohman	Chris Wegs Matt Schmidt Larry Jochem Ted Johnson

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Blaise Young Hunter Buehler Oliver Derhake	Maggie Reis Jennifer Arens Nancy Schodroski	Tom & Katie Bailey (GS) Mike & Kelle Beswick(WD) Jane Grant (SD)	Mike Grant Bill Schodroski	Ron Kelly Marvin Schreacke Nathan Holtschlag Ed Dawson

SERVERS Week of June 9, 2025

Monday, June 9, 2025, 8:00 a.m. – Kyra Brandon & Allison Lenane
Tuesday, June 10, 2025, 8:00 a.m. – Kyra Brandon & Allison Lenane
Wednesday, June 11, 2025, 8:00 a.m. – Kyra Brandon & Allison Lenane
Thursday, June 12, 2025, 8:15 a.m. – Quinn Feldner & Sylvia Feldner
Friday, June 13, 2025, 8:00 a.m. – Quinn Feldner & Sylvia Feldner

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: _____
 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.

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



FREE SUMMER LUNCHES

Beginning June 11 thru August 8

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Monday thru Friday

11:30am—1:00 pm

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To volunteer visit:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040B48A9A82DA6F85-57076815-summer>

For Questions Call: 217-222-2759

First Friday Memorials 2025

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Joe Altgibers
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Maas & Doyle Families
Sage Moore
Haugh & Jochem Families
Cook, Gallaher & VandonBoom Families
Charlie & Scott Roan
Living & Deceased Members of Lawrence & Marie Klausner Family
Living & Deceased Hull, Dempsey & Kelly Families
Living & Deceased Members of the Schulte & Kroeger Families
Madalon Elam, Marshall & Mildred Campbell, Hamil & Hilda Elam, John & Delores Peterson & John Peterson Jr.
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Missie Ohnemus
Milkint & Weede Families
Franke & Smith Families
Deceased Members of Fenwick & Schinderling Families
A.B. Blickhan & H.B. Schuering Families
Kenneth & Joan Steinkamp
Mary & Greg Wellman
Gale & Annette Hill Family

Living & Deceased Members of CCW
Tracy Dede & the Families of Mary & Jerry Lovell
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Patrick Dolan
Richard & Helen Lukeman
The Hessling Family
Albright & Havermale Families
William & Esther Bergman
Living & Deceased Members of Penie Emma Vahlkamp Families
Living & Deceased Members of Peters & Maguire Families
Bange & Benz Families
Flaiz Lohman Families & Nick Miller
Goehl & Koetters Families
Clarence & Evelyn Genenbacher Family
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Michael G. Liesen
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