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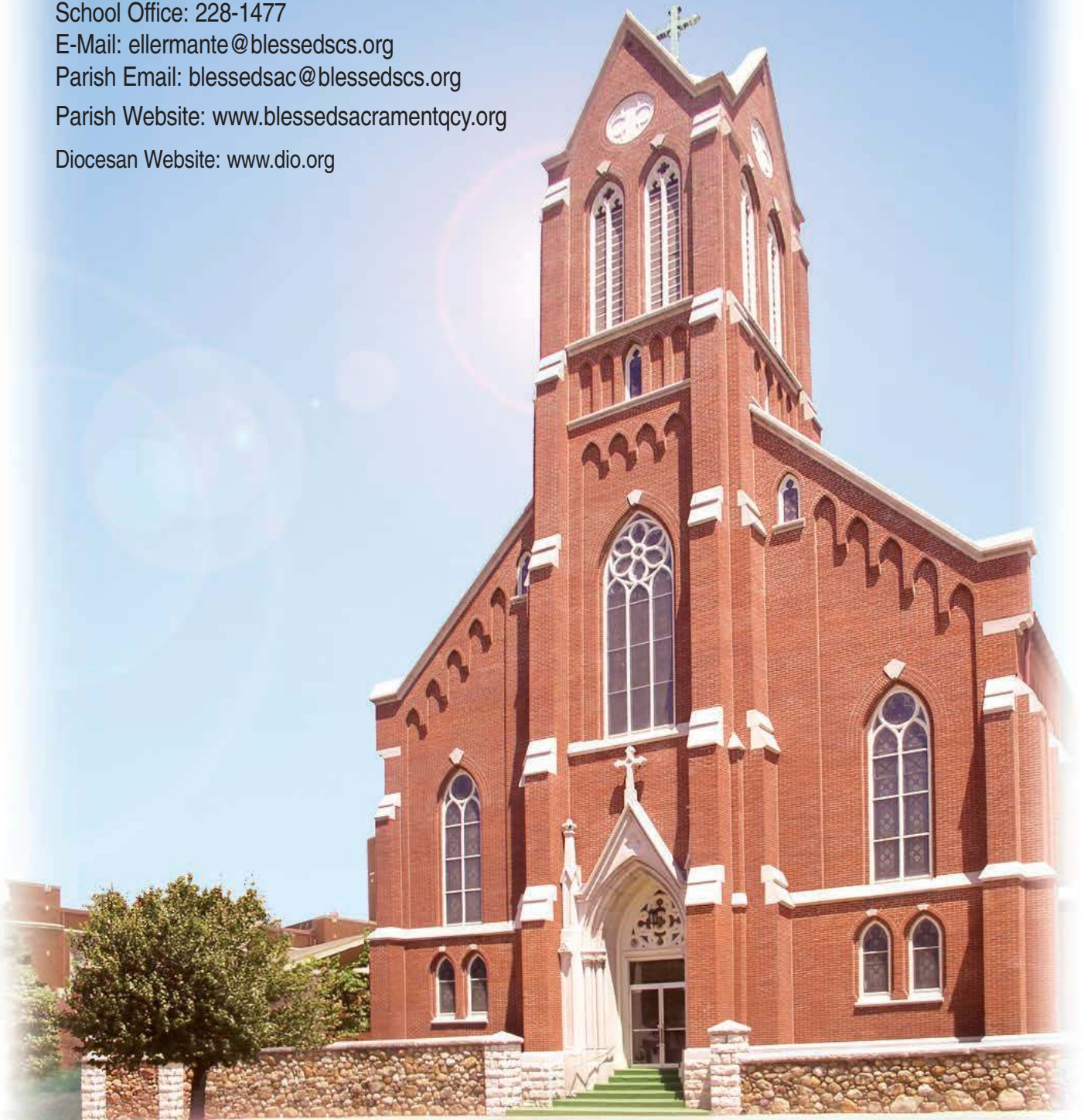
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**Blessed Sacrament Parish
Quincy, Illinois
September 6, 2020
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

PASTOR:

*Fr. Tom Meyer
217-222-2759*

PASTOR EMERITUS:

*Monsignor Michael Kuse
217-617-0099*

PERMANENT DEACON:

Deacon Terry Ellerman (Regina)

PARISH BOOKKEEPER:

Linda Ohnemus

PARISH SECRETARY:

Sally Kroner

DIRECTOR OF ADULT CHOIR:

Steve Buckman

GRADE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL:

Christie Dickens Bliven (Tommy)

GRADE SCHOOL SECRETARY:

Lori Quevillon (Patrick)

PARISH CUSTODIAN:

Jennifer Cunningham (Tod)

SCHOOL CUSTODIAN:

Rick Epping (Lisa)

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST:

MONDAY NO MASS

Tuesday 8:30 a.m. School Mass

Wednesday 8:00 a.m. and 5:20 p.m.

Thursday 8:30 a.m. School Mass

Friday 7:00 a.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m.

1st and 3rd Saturday

Spanish Mass 8:00 a.m.

Sunday 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 5:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

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

Saturday 8:30-9:00 a.m.

Call Fr. Tom for an appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: on Sunday

Preparation Session for Parents on the

First Sunday of Feb., April, June, August, Oct. & Dec.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

Schedule a time with Fr. Tom

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:

**We are a Community of Disciples Gathering at the
Banquet Table Joyfully Proclaiming Jesus Christ
Celebrating our Gifts of Prayer,
Hospitality, Faith Formation and Service.**

FATHER TOM'S COLUMN

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Today the Church celebrates the **23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**. In the Gospel today Jesus lays out for His disciples a process of healing for interpersonal conflicts within the Church. When involved in a conflict with another member, Christian disciples are to bring the matter first to the person with whom they have a concern. If this is ineffective, they can invite one or two others to assist. If this still fails, they can bring it to the Church. Interpersonal conflicts are challenging in any family or community. Our human brokenness leads us to talk about others instead of actually talking *to them*. May the Lord give us the strength to have difficult conversations, and be open to receiving challenging feedback which can help us in our own growth as well.

Just a reminder that Blessed Sacrament now has three **Weekly times for Confessions**:

Wednesday @ 4:30-5:10 p.m.

Saturday @ 8:30-9:00 a.m.

Sunday @ 4:00-4:30 p.m.

Finally, because of current COVID Restrictions, we are unable to host our Annual Septemberfest this year. This Fundraiser typically nets \$15,000 for our parish and school. Although we will all miss the fun and entertainment of Septemberfest, the parish and school still relies upon these funds for ongoing operating expenses. As a means to make up some of this lost income, our parish is holding a "**Septemberfest Raffle.**" Tickets are \$20 each (or 3 for \$50, or 8 for \$100). The Drawing will be held on September 30. We invite parish members to consider purchasing the value of tickets of what you normally would have spent at Septemberfest. Members of the Pastoral Council will explain this Raffle at each of this weekend's Masses. Thank you for helping share in the "generous spirit of Septemberfest" when we are physically unable to do so.

May the Peace of Christ be with you all,

Fr. Tom

Guidelines for Non-Liturgical Gatherings at Blessed Sacrament Parish during the COVID-19 Pandemic

- Group leaders are encouraged to utilize virtual meeting options when possible
- People who are sick should not attend in-person gatherings; group leaders are responsible for ensuring attendees understand this requirement (visit [cdc.gov](https://www.cdc.gov) for a complete list of COVID-19 symptoms)
- Indoor gatherings are capped at no more than 12 people to allow for proper physical distancing of 6 feet or more (if singing is involved, physical distancing of greater than 6 feet is needed)
- Outdoor gatherings are capped at no more than 50 people to adhere to current state guidelines
- Facemasks, worn properly covering both the nose and mouth, are required when:
 - entering/exiting Parish buildings
 - in transit; walking through, in or around Parish buildings
 - indoors or outdoors where physical distancing of at least 6 feet or more cannot be properly maintained (masks may be removed when seated with proper physical distancing)
- Group leaders are responsible for sanitizing all tables, chairs, and other high-frequency touchpoints like restroom door handles, etc. after gatherings
- If food is served:
 - group leader is responsible for ensuring food is prepared safely; people who are sick should not prepare food for others, and all food preparers should wash hands and wear clean, single-use food-service gloves before handling ready-to-eat food
 - single-use, disposable tableware and cutlery should be used
 - preferred method of food service (contactless) is to have an attendant, wearing a facemask and gloves, serve the food to attendees by placing it on a table or counter for pick up; physical distancing required by attendant and attendees at all times
 - secondary method of food service (buffet) is to REQUIRE all attendees to properly hand-sanitize both when entering AND exiting the buffet line; group leader is responsible for ensuring appropriate hand sanitizer is available and positioned properly AND ensuring attendees follow guidelines; physical distancing required by attendees at all times
- School building not available to outside groups (without approval of principal)

These guidelines are not permanent and are subject to change based on changing circumstances

Prayer - Hospitality - Service - Faith Formation

School News



Week Two of the 2020-2021 School Year

Our students, staff and school families continue to be AMAZING!

Thank you for your prayers and PLEASE keep them coming!



Annual Notice of Nondiscriminatory Policy:

Blessed Sacrament Catholic School admits students of any race, color, sex or national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate based on race, color, sex, or national and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, scholarships and loan programs, and athletic and school administered programs.

**Monday, September 7, Labor Day
No School
Parish Office Closed**

Septemberfest Information

Due to the COVID Virus our wonderful annual Septemberfest Picnic has been cancelled. It is a very large fund raiser for our parish, so another course of action had to be taken.

This year we will be having a **CASH RAFFLE!!**



Raffle Tickets will be available after every Mass in the Gathering Space for you to pick up. There will also be extra envelopes of tickets in the Parish Office and the School Office. Please be generous in purchasing the raffle tickets. Think of how much you would spend at the picnic on food and games to support our parish and school.



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Area Events

Blessed Sacrament Pack 1 Cub Scouts

Selling popcorn after Masses on September 6.



To have popcorn delivered to your home, call Bear Scout-Kaileb Baker (mom-Kelly) at 217-779-5302 for more information

St. Anthony's Drive-Thru Chicken Dinner
September 20 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. \$12

Birthright Bakeless Bake Sale

Donations are still being accepted for the Bakeless Bake Sale at the Parish Office or you may place an envelope specifically marked "Birthright" in the donation box in the church or mail it to Birthright, PO Box 407, Quincy, IL 62306. *Thank you for helping local women and their babies in need!*

Patty Adam

Part-Time Cook Needed

St. Francis Solanus is seeking to hire a part-time cook covering the hours from 11:00- 1:00 every day. This person will be helping in the kitchen to prepare food and serve meals. If interested, please call the school office, 217-222-4077 or send a resume to lshepard@stfrancissolanus.com.

Holy Land Collection

Next Sunday, September 13, will be the collection for the Holy Land. It commemorates the feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross and supports our brothers and sisters living in the Holy Land.

Thank You for your support.



Protecting God's Children

The following Protecting God's Children session has been scheduled at Blessed Sacrament Parish.

Monday, September 14, 2020 6:00-9:00 p.m.

The session will be held in the Leo Amen Room (school cafeteria). Please call the Parish Office to register, 222-2759.

Prayer Chain

Contact Carol Price at 223-8881, if you would like to add someone's name to the prayer chain. We have a wonderful group of praying parishioners who form the prayer chain and lift up others in prayer.

Circle of Caring

If you know of anyone who could use a helping hand after returning home from the hospital, please contact Ann Gage at 224-8512 during the month of **September**. 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.

Need Volunteers

As the COVID virus is still with us, **we continue to need volunteers** to disinfect the church after all Masses.



Our biggest need **is after the 8:30 a.m.** student school Mass on **Tuesdays and Thursdays**. Also, we will need volunteers after the **5:20 p.m. Mass on Wednesdays**. If you can help, please call the Parish Office at 222-2759.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM / DIOCESE OF SPRINGFIELD IN ILLINOIS

Alison Smith, Victim Assistance Coordinator

217-698-8500, ext. 162 or email asmith@dio.org

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Pray For The Sick

Please pray for parish family members: Doris Hildebrand, Tom Liesen, Terry Stromquist, Doris Knuffman, Myles Grant, Linda Irvine, Carol Price, Julie Basteau, Sr. Florence Kuhn, Julia Goerlich, Jerry Duesterhaus.

This Week In Our Parish

Monday, September 7	Labor Day
Tuesday, September 8	
Wednesday, September 9	
Adoration in Church	8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Benediction	5:00 p.m.
Mass	5:20 p.m.
Education Council Meeting in GS	7:00 p.m.
St. Vincent de Paul Meeting in LLR	7:00 p.m.
Thursday, September 10	
RCIA in GS	6:30-8:30 p.m.

Mass Intentions

Monday	September 7
No Mass	
Tuesday	September 8
8:30 a.m.	Robert Haney
Wednesday	September 9
8:00 a.m.	Kenneth Geschwander
8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Adoration
5:20 p.m.	Marian Schutte
Thursday	September 10
8:30 a.m.	John Damm
Friday	September 11
7:00 a.m.	John Maguire
Saturday	September 12
8:00 a.m. – English	Klene Family
Sunday	September 13
8:00 a.m.	Jean Peters
10:00 a.m.	Parish Family
5:00 p.m.	Clara Hessling



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The 14-Day candle is in memory of Leroy and Hilda Nelson, August 30, 2020 through September 13, 2020.



Newly Baptized

Please welcome into our parish Monroe Adeline Hoebing. Monroe is the daughter of Nicholas Hoebing and Abby Constable Hoebing. She was born on June 10, 2020 and baptized on August 30, 2020. Please keep Monroe and her family in your prayers.

Benefit for Myles Grant

Myles is the 3 month old son of Brandon and Courtney Grant and little brother to Riley. He is also the grandson of Mike and Jane Grant, all of whom are members of Blessed Sacrament Parish. Myles has recently been diagnosed with Hemophagocytic Lymphohistiocytosis or HLH for short.

Shooting For Myles

When: October 4 12:00 noon – 5:00 p.m.

Where: Northside Boat Club

Open to the Public – All Ages Family Event

Trap Shoot – \$5 a shoot

Food – Silent Auction – T-Shirts

Raffle – Smith & Wesson – 9MM Shield
 – Weber Gas Grill
 – 40 inch VIZ10 TV

For more information or Raffle Tickets Contact:
 Darrell Liesen, 779-6359 or Laura Lawrence, 242-0227

August 23, 2020

<i>Church</i>	<i>School</i>	<i>Haiti</i>	<i>Total</i>
\$7,572	\$410	\$175	\$8,157

These totals include electronic giving for the week

August 30, 2020

<i>Church</i>	<i>School</i>	<i>Haiti</i>	<i>Total</i>
\$7,337.05	\$338	\$97	\$7,772.05













These totals include electronic giving for the week

Ministries for Sunday Mass September 13, 2020

8:00 a.m. — Sacristan — Dick McKinney **Server** — Dick McKinney
Greeters/Ushers — Ed Lohman, Linda Anemone, Robert Brown, Ted Haugh, Gerry Salfen, Mary Lynn Tucker *(Need to arrive at Church 45 minutes early)
Cleaning/Disinfectant Crew — Ruth Bange, Jan Finley, Pam LaTour, Mark & Judy Schulte, Brad & Linda Morrison
Eucharistic Minister — Dan Meade **Lector** — Emma Cunningham

10:00 a.m. — Sacristan — Mike Grant **Server** — Jill Kelly
Greeters/Ushers — Ron Kelly, Matt Bozarth, Mark McDowell, Mark Terwelp, Shawn Dickerman, Marvin Schrecke *(Need to arrive at Church 45 minutes early)
Cleaning/Disinfectant Crew — Bill Awerkamp, Mitch & Lili Coval family, Glenn & Ann Gage, Mark & Jamie McDowell, Kathy Xamis
Eucharistic Minister — Deacon Terry **Lector** — Kathy Xamis

5:00 p.m. — Sacristan — Terry Duesterhaus **Server** — Ed Duesterhaus
Greeters/Ushers — Bob Bergman, Bob Basteau, Wes Friday, Jim Smith, Susan Peters, Ed Holthaus *(Need to arrive at Church 45 minutes early)
Cleaning/Disinfectant Crew — John & Paulette Bozarth, Elizabeth Chandler, Ed Holthaus, Tim & Mary Jo Terwelp, Burt & Jill Schackleton Family
Eucharistic Minister — Nancy Kelly **Lector** — Susan Peters

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Clare Hessing

Nelson & Kevin Freels

Arlene Lamphere Family

Missie Ohnemus Moore

Traci Dede & Mary & Jerry Lovell Families

Van Marter & Meade Families

Kuse & Schmidt Families

Pat Willer

Deceased members of Fenwick & Schindlering Families

Living & Deceased members of the Louis Frese & Walker Morrison Families

Herring & Kuhn Families

Simons & Cassidy Families

Bill Wegs

Patrick Joseph Dolan

Smith & Franke Families

Hultz, Rhineberger & Ohnemus Families

Ron, Carl, Ethel & Gertrude Peters

Charles, Margaret, Pete & Steve Huefner

Louis Holtschlag Family

Welchert & Richmiller Families

Nick Schulte & Living & Deceased members of Schulte/Grawe Families

Members of Albright & Havermale Families

Madalon Elam & John & Delores Peterson

Members of Norbert & Viola Klingele Family

Members of Henry & Regina Geschwandner Family

John & Betty Holtschlag Family & Kathleen Cain

Harold & Virginia Hartman & John Hartman

Cook, VandenBoom & Gollaher Families

Josie & Eva Knuffman

Bange & Benz Families

Charlie & Scott Roan

Living & Deceased Members of Lawrence & Marie Klauser Family

Ted Peters, Vern, Rose & Gerald Zimmerman

Janet Kroeger & Mary Alice Meyer

Living & Deceased Members of the Sacred Heart League

Maas & Doyle Families

Fr. Don, Everett & Mary Knuffman

Jeffrey & BJ VandenBoom

Living & Deceased Members of the Bozarth & Kelly Families

William & Esther Bergman

A.B. Blickhan & H.B. Schuering Families

Les Duesterhaus

Frank & Elsie Olps & Family

Goehl & Koetters Families

Ted Berter Jr. & Sr. Families

James & Catherine Johnson, Lawrence & Mary Dietrich Families

Evelyn Holtschlag

Deceased Members of the Haugh & Jochem Families

Esselman & Moranville Families

Burghart & Reinold Families

Ernie Buckman

Greg Buckman

Selby & Meier Families

Ronald W. Hinkamper

Beckman, Hinkamper Families, John Michael Cimera

Parker & Mildred Gates

Living & Deceased Members of the Council of Catholic Women

Flaiz & Lohman Families & Nick Miller

Living & Deceased Members of the Hull, Dempsey & Kelly Families

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