



A CALL TO DISCIPLESHIP

AS IT IS, THERE ARE MANY PARTS, YET ONE BODY.

1 CORINTHIANS 12:20

2026 STEWARDSHIP

Dear Members of the Blessed Sacrament Parish,

A few years ago, when I joined our parish, we formed the following Mission Statement: *“Forming Disciples through Prayer, Liturgy, Word of God and Service.”* “Forming Disciples” is our ultimate mission, and we carry it out through the four pillars of Prayer, Liturgy, Word of God, and Service.

Our mission is only possible through the heartfelt participation of all our members. The forms included highlights the many opportunities for each of us to share our gifts in service and to support the ongoing, ordinary needs of our parish. Stewardship is about sustaining the daily life of our parish and school—our liturgies, ministries, and formation programs.

We also know that, during this season, you are hearing about our Capital Campaign. That campaign represents an extraordinary invitation to support major projects that will strengthen our parish for generations to come. Stewardship and the Capital Campaign are distinct but complementary: Stewardship reflects our ordinary giving that sustains the mission today, while the Capital Campaign is extraordinary giving that helps us build for tomorrow.

Please prayerfully discern the ministries you wish to continue, and those you may feel called to try for the very first time. We look forward to seeing how you will help bring forth the mission of Blessed Sacrament Parish and School through your own gifts and talents.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Fr. Tom

PHONE NUMBERS

Parish Office: 217-222-2759

Parish School: 217-228-1477

OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday

8:00 a.m.– 12:00 p.m.

1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

PARISH STAFF

Pastor: Fr. Tom Meyer

Principal: Lisa Berhorst

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: Scott Wymer

SCHOOL STAFF

Lisa Berhorst - Principal

Kailee Flesch – Assistant Principal

Lori Quevillon- Secretary

Kathy Huner – Secretary

Dottie Buckman – Business and IT Coordinator

Jennifer Arens - 3 Year Old PreSchool

Amy (Zanger) Aden– PreSchool Aide

Lori Moore - 4 Year Old PreSchool

Jessica Genenbacher - PreSchool Aide

Amy Warning-PreSchool Aide

Michelle Kerkhoff – Kindergarten

Beth Bozarth – 1st Grade

Liz Lowenberg – 2nd Grade

Wendy Blickhan – 3rd Grade

Heather Friday – 4th Grade

Jennifer Dickerman – 5th Grade

Mindy Richards – 6th Grade

Jessica Foster – 7th Grade

Julie Hooper – 8th Grade

Laura Starnes – 5th-8th Math

Allison Menz – STREAM

Amber Hendrian – PE/Health

Becky Hoskins – Art

Kathi Dooley – Music

Linda Rodemich – Reading Recovery

Allison Gabriel – Interventionist- Title I

Robin Thomson – Interventionist- Title I

Gretchen Rosson – Head Cook

Silvia Lopez – Cook

Deanna Turnbaugh – After School Care

Rick Epping – Custodian

Parish Website: www.blessedsacramentqcy.org

Parish Email: parishoffice@blessedscs.org

Stewardship Email: Stewardship@blessedscs.org

2026 COMMITMENT TO SHARE GOD'S GIFTS

We have all been blessed in many ways with God's gifts. To help Blessed Sacrament Parish continue to thrive we ask that you **PRAYERFULLY** consider committing 10% of your income to assist in our planning. To calculate your commitment, use the below chart as a guide or take your weekly income x 10%= weekly tithing amount.

Please identify the weekly amount you can pledge or enter your own amount: _____

My Family Income	Weekly Giving Amount							
	Extraordinary Giving		Tithing	Taking a Step				
Annual Income	15%	12%	10%	9%	8%	7%	6%	5%
\$30,000.00	\$86.54	\$69.23	\$57.69	\$51.92	\$46.15	\$40.38	\$34.62	\$28.85
\$40,000.00	\$115.38	\$92.31	\$76.92	\$69.23	\$61.54	\$53.85	\$46.15	\$38.46
\$60,000.00	\$173.08	\$138.46	\$115.38	\$103.85	\$92.31	\$80.77	\$69.23	\$57.69
\$80,000.00	\$230.77	\$184.62	\$153.85	\$138.46	\$123.08	\$107.69	\$92.31	\$76.92
\$100,000.00	\$288.46	\$230.77	\$192.31	\$173.08	\$153.85	\$134.62	\$115.38	\$96.15
\$120,000.00	\$346.15	\$276.92	\$230.77	\$207.69	\$184.62	\$161.54	\$138.46	\$115.38
\$140,000.00	\$403.85	\$323.08	\$269.23	\$242.31	\$215.38	\$188.46	\$161.54	\$134.62
\$160,000.00	\$461.54	\$369.23	\$307.69	\$276.92	\$246.15	\$215.38	\$184.62	\$153.85
\$180,000.00	\$519.23	\$415.38	\$346.15	\$311.54	\$276.92	\$242.31	\$207.69	\$173.08
\$200,000.00	\$576.92	\$461.54	\$384.62	\$346.15	\$307.69	\$269.23	\$230.77	\$192.31
\$220,000.00	\$634.62	\$507.69	\$423.08	\$380.77	\$338.46	\$296.15	\$253.85	\$211.54
\$250,000.00	\$721.15	\$576.92	\$480.77	\$432.69	\$384.62	\$336.54	\$288.46	\$240.38
\$300,000.00	\$865.38	\$692.31	\$576.92	\$519.23	\$461.54	\$403.85	\$346.15	\$288.46

Two Convenient ways to give:

- Weekly Envelope Electronic Debit – Complete form below or Scan the QR Code
 If Electronic Debit, do you want weekly collections envelopes Yes No



Authorization for Electronic Debit

I (we) authorize Blessed Sacrament Church to initiate electronic debits from my account per my instructions designated below. This agreement will remain in effect until Blessed Sacrament Church is notified in writing by the account holder. Blessed Sacrament Church will then have 30 days to suspend the transaction.

Account Holder(s):		
Bank Name:		
Routing/ABA#	Account #	
Deduction Amount \$	(Blessed Sacrament Church)	<input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly
Deduction Amount \$	(Blessed Sacrament School)	<input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly
Deduction Amount \$	(St. Antoine, Haiti)	<input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly
Signature:	Date:	

*Weekly contributions will be debited on Fridays. Monthly contributions will be debited on the 28th of each month. *

PLEASE ATTACH A VOIDED CHECK (If signing up for Electronic Debit)

2026 BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC PARISH

Ministries and Activities for Participation

PRAYER

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Wednesday from 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., we offer the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Parish members needed to sign up for weekly 30 min or 1 hr. time slots throughout the day to adore Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

Parish Office, 217-222-2759

Legion of Mary (Auxiliary)

The Legion of Mary is composed of lay men and women who can choose to be either Active or Auxiliary members. The auxiliary member is committed to praying every day with mind and heart the prayers of the Tessera.

Terry Duesterhaus, 217-209-9163

Junior Legion of Mary

The Junior Legion is an organization for the spiritual development of persons under the age of 18. Youth as young as 4th grade may join.

Audreana Derhake, 217-222-2759

Denise Sangoi, 217-316-5729

Ministry of Praise

The homebound or other parishioners offer prayers for the parish. Participants are commissioned, given a cross, a book of prayers, and a list of monthly intentions.

Deacon Terry, 217-316-5729

Prayer Chain

Members of our parish pray for the special needs of other parishioners. One telephone call begins the involvement of all those in the prayer chain.

Carol Price, 217-223-8881

Sacred Heart League

Members Choose a day each month to attend Mass in honor of the Sacred Heart. Members also gather twice a year for Valentine's Day and Feast of the Sacred Heart.

Colleen Maaloof 619-395-0625

LITURGY

Adult Choir

Our choir sings at 10:00 a.m. Mass from Oct. through May. Practices are held Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

Steve Buckman, 217-440-5225

Arts and Church Environment

A group that plans and creates the décor of the church for various liturgical seasons.

Melissa Daggett 661-618-2489

Cantors and Musicians

Individuals who lead the singing at weekend Masses.

Steve Buckman, 217-440-5225

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children from PreK through 2nd grade are invited to be dismissed with a catechist after the Opening Prayer to experience their own Liturgy of the Word.

Emily Barnes, 217-506-0720

Kristin Niemann, 217-440-3939

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

These ministers are needed to serve all Masses, as well as taking communion to the Homebound and members who reside at Sunset Home on Sunday mornings.

Mike Grant, Mass 217-617-0879

Deacon Terry, Homebound & Sunset Home, 217-222-2759

Funeral Choir

Volunteers needed to sing at Funeral Mass

Steve Buckman

Funeral Mass Ministries

Adult volunteers fill the ministries of Mass server and Lector at parish funerals.

Parish Office, 217-222-2759

Greeters

Individuals and families are welcome people at each entrance of the church at weekend Masses.

Jill Kelly, 217-257-6389

Lector

Parishioners proclaim the Word of God at all Masses. Training is provided as needed.

Jill Kelly, 217-257-6389

Liturgy Committee

The Liturgy committee plans, evaluates, and coordinates the integral components of our parish liturgies.

Jill Kelly, 217-257-6389

Spanish Ministries

Mass is celebrated in Spanish every Sunday at 11:15 a.m.

Fr. Tom, 217-222-2759

Ushers

Men, women, and families engage in this ministry at each Mass on the weekend.

Ron Kelly, 217-242-5637

WORD of GOD

Baptism Preparation

Baptismal sessions are offered quarterly for expectant or new parents to help them understand their role as Christian parents and prepare them for their child's baptism. Teams of parishioners have a rotating schedule for facilitating sessions.

Fr. Tom, 217-222-2759

Bible Study – Day/Evening

Seasonal, thematic, or other types of Bible Study are offered in 6–8-week programs. Facilitators are needed to lead sessions.

Ann Gage, 217-257-4392

Marriage Preparation

Couples assist in preparing engaged couples for the sacrament of marriage.

Audreana Derhake, 217-222-2759

Marriage Tribunal Advocate

Trained advocates guide persons who have experienced divorce through the process of requesting an annulment.

Ann Gage, 217-257-4392

Deacon Terry, 217-222-2759

Quincy SPIRT (Special People in Religious Instruction Today)

This group for mentally challenged individuals in Quincy and surrounding area parishes meets every other Tuesday evening from September through May. Volunteers are needed to serve as teachers and helpers to provide one-on-one help to participants.

Pam Frericks, 217-242-3620

OCIA adapted for Children

Adult volunteers facilitate a process for children and teens who have not been baptized or whose parents are in RCIA to prepare them for the initiation sacraments.

Audreana Derhake, 217-222-2759

OCIA Sponsor

People wishing to become Catholic are assigned sponsors who accompany them on their faith journey. Sponsors attend sessions and help incorporate those in the process into parish life.

Deacon Terry, 217-222-2759

Ann Gage, 217-257-4392

OCIA Team

OCIA is a process for people interested in joining the Catholic Church or completing their initiation through Confirmation and/or Eucharist. Sessions are held weekly. Team members facilitate sessions and guide participants through the process.

Ann Gage, 217-257-4392

Deacon Terry, 217-222-2759

Vacation Bible School

One week in June, VBS teaches our children about their faith in a fun, activity filled atmosphere. Adult and student volunteers needed to lead small groups, prepare food, help with crafts, games, and music.

Audreana Derhake, 217-222-2759

Allison Menz, 217-257-4813

Youth Faith Formation

Volunteers needed for our youth faith formation programs. These programs support faith formation for all youth PreK – 8th grade. This is a wonderful opportunity for high school and college students, as well as adults who love working with youth and filling them with the love of Jesus!

Audreana Derhake, 217-222-2759

Youth Group

Adult volunteers are needed to help plan and lead youth group events either on a monthly or biweekly basis. Volunteers should have a passion for working with middle schoolers and sharing faith.

Audreana Derhake, 217-222-2759

SPECIAL EVENTS

Pancake Breakfast

In early spring the Annual Pancake & Sausage Breakfast is held on a Sunday morning. Volunteers are needed to help prepare the night before and cook and serve on Sunday.

Matt Schmidt, 217-617-3889

SeptemberFest

This parish picnic is held during the month of September and includes food, games for children and adults, raffles and music. Many volunteers are needed to plan and work at the event

Fr. Tom 217-222-2759

SERVICE

Church Cleaning

Volunteers are needed to assist in this ministry of cleaning our church. Teams rotate, taking one weekend a month. Volunteers are also needed to clean after special events.

Ruth Bange, 217-222-4214

Circle of Caring

The ministry provides a variety of types of assistance to those in times of crisis or following a hospitalization, birth of child, etc. Services may include providing meals, running errands, household chores, transportation, etc. Parishioners may serve on the Planning Committee or volunteer for a particular type of service.

Parish Office 217-222-2759

Collection Counters

Teams are formed for counting the collection on Sunday morning from 9:00a.m. to 11:30a.m.

Sally Kroner, 217-779-7177

Community of Catholic Women

All women of the parish are invited to come join the CCW. We meet monthly on the 4th Tues. at 6:30 p.m. in the Gathering Space.

Julie Herring, 217-653-4804

Food and Snacks

There are a number of parish and youth activities where snacks, cookies, and cupcakes are needed. Volunteers provide these items throughout the year.

Parish Office 217-222-2759

Funeral Luncheon

Following a funeral, a luncheon provided by the parish is offered. Volunteers are needed to prepare food and coordinate and serve the meal.

Nancy Shodroski, 217-257-2451

Chris Wiemelt, 217-440-5675

Grief Share

13-week program designed to help you if you've lost a loved one. Tuesdays from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Gene Soebbing, 217-222-5638

Haiti sister Parish Committee

Our parish helps support St. Antoine Parish in Haiti. A team of volunteers plan projects and fundraisers to support our sister parish.

Joe Bordewick, 217-617-8937

Health and Wellness Council

Healthcare professionals to assist our fellow parishioners and community in their wellness journeys in matters of health, education, and resources

Nancy Weede, 217-740-3993

Horizons Food Pantry

Volunteers needed at Horizons Soup Kitchen on the 2nd Friday and 4th Thursday of the month. The hours are between 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

Chris Wiemelt, 217-440-5675

Hospitality Team/ Coffee and Donuts

Volunteers needed to help create an environment of great warmth and true hospitality at Blessed Sacrament. The committee will provide food and refreshments once a month at all Masses. The committee also provides ideas and guidance to the pastor and pastoral council as the parish continually looks for new ways to build its overall hospitality.

Julie Herring, 217-653-4804

Landscaping Team

A team of parishioners to develop and maintain the Parish landscaping and grounds, ensuring they are aesthetically designed, well cared for, and safe.

Mark Schulte 217-653-6352

Legion of Mary (Active Members)

The Legion of Mary is composed of lay men and women who can choose to be either Active or Auxiliary members. Active members perform apostolic works, such as visiting the sick, the homebound, those in nursing homes, families in need, teaching PSR and performing other spiritual works as called for by the parish. Active members meet every Tuesday from 1:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. in the gathering space to pray and discuss their works.

Denise Sangoi, 217-316-5729

Men's Group

This group is a way for all men of the Parish to be able to come together in fellowship, to share life in common fashion, to grow spiritually and to help support the parish in all facets.

Nathan Holtschlag, 217-779-1082

Minute Men

Volunteers come each Monday morning to help with ongoing maintenance and assist with special projects from time to time.

Bob Bergman, 217-257-9982

Respect for Life Committee

Participate by signing up to pray a rosary for a week with pro-life intentions, receive information on pro-life issues and legislation from our Bishop, support local pro-life organizations, participate in praying at the Planned Parenthood office in Springfield, IL, on Thursdays when abortions are performed, support the Right to Life dinner in October, support Birthright, Ladies of Charity and Catholic Charities with volunteers and donations.

Patty Adam, 217-577-8558

St. Joseph Breakfast Club

Men of the parish meet every Friday morning after 8:00 a.m. Mass at a local restaurant for fellowship.

Fr. Tom, 217-222-2759

St. Vincent de Paul

Members meet monthly on the first Wednesday in the lower level of the Parish office. They provide assistance to people in need and provide for parishioners who are having a difficult time.

Henry Wilson, 309-333-2716

School Volunteer

Adult volunteers are needed during the school day to spend time with students creating positive relationships by helping with schoolwork and social interaction.

Lisa Berhorst, 217-228-1477

Scouting

Scouting groups are available to foster physical, emotional, and spiritual development as well as citizenship, teamwork, responsibility, and leadership in our young people. Adult leaders and helpers are needed to support the programs and activities offered.

Kelly Baker 217-779-5302

Sunset Nursing Home Volunteers

Volunteers are needed to help residents to chapel on Thursdays for Mass.

Ruth Bange, 217-224-4214

Technology Committee

The purpose of this committee is to meet the technological needs of Blessed Sacrament Parish and Church, in addition to maintaining the Blessed Sacrament Parish website.

Katrina Casper 217-617-6537

Volunteers for Parish Office

Periodically we need people to answer the phone and door, or assist with mailings, typing, copying, and other projects.

Laura Megown, 217-222-2759

Volunteers for School Office

Periodically we need people to help in the school office.

Kathy Huner, 217-228-1477

Welcoming Committee

A team of parishioners who welcome new members to the Parish by visiting with them and answering their questions. We are currently looking for new members to serve on the Welcoming Committee.

Ashley Bockhold, 217-257-7446

Women's Prayer Breakfast Committee

The Women's Prayer Breakfast Committee plans and hosts our annual event, bringing women of the parish together for fellowship, prayer, and inspiration. The team coordinates speakers, sponsors, menu, and decorations, creating a warm and uplifting experience that celebrates faith and community.

Karen Finson

Advisory Councils

Building & Grounds Committee

Carpenter, Electrician, and Plumber volunteers assess needs, develop plans and facilitate projects to maintain, repair and enhance the parish building and equipment.

Mike Grant 217-617-0879

Education Council

This group advises and collaborates with the Pastor on the needs of the parish grade school in areas of excellence in spiritual, academic, and financial concerns. Meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of the bi-month from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Lisa Berhorst, 217-228-1477

Finance Council

Advises and collaborates with the Pastor on the physical needs of the parish, the parish budget, and any major expenses. Members are appointed by the pastor and meet on the last Friday of the month at 11:30a.m.

Frank Flesch, 217-617-6537

Pastoral Council

Collaborates with the Pastor on the spiritual growth of the parish. They plan retreats, adult formation, adapting changes in the liturgy and providing workshops for special needs. The council meets the 1st Wednesday of the month at 7:15 p.m.

Katrina Casper 217-617-9348

Pastor's Cabinet

The Pastor's Cabinet is an advisory committee to the Pastor who assist in the overall mission of the Parish and School. Membership consists of parish staff members and chairs of the main advisory committees of the parish and school.

Fr. Tom 217-222-2759

Stewardship Committee

This group works to move the Parish forward to embrace discipleship and stewardship as a way of life, as well as welcoming new members to the parish. Meetings are held the last Wednesday of the month at 7:15 p.m.

BJ Berhorst, 217-430-9671

Please check boxes to indicate the **Ministries and Activities** adults are interested in or are currently participating:

PRAYER	Self	Spouse
Eucharistic Adoration		
Legion of Mary (Auxiliary)		
Ministry of Praise		
Prayer Chain		
Sacred Heart League		
LITURGY	Self	Spouse
Adult Choir		
Art & Church Environment		
Cantors/Musicians		
Children's Liturgy of the Word		
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion– Mass		
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion– Homebound/Sunset Home		
Funeral Choir		
Funeral Mass Ministries		
Greeters		
Lectors		
Liturgy Committee		
Ushers		
WORD OF GOD	Self	Spouse
Baptism Preparation		
Bible Study – Day/Evening		
Marriage Preparation		
Marriage Tribunal Advocate		
Quincy Spirit Adult Team		
RCIA Adapted for Children		
RCIA Sponsor		
RCIA Team		
Vacation Bible School		
Youth Faith Formation		
Youth Group		
SERVICE	Self	Spouse
Church Cleaning		
Circle of Caring – Meals		
Circle of Caring – Transportation		
Circle of Caring – Running Errands		
Collection Counters		
Community of Catholic Women		
Food & Snacks		
Funeral Luncheon – Bring Food		
Funeral Luncheon – Serve Food		

SERVICE Continued	Self	Spouse
Grief Share		
Haiti Sister Parish Committee		
Heath & Wellness Council		
Horizons food pantry		
Hospitality Team/ Coffee & Donuts		
Landscaping Team		
Legion of Mary (Active)		
Men's Group		
Minute Men		
Respect Life Committee		
St. Joseph Breakfast Club		
St. Vincent de Paul		
School Volunteer		
Scouting		
Sunset Home Volunteer		
Technology Committee		
Volunteer for Parish Office Home		
Volunteer for School Office Home		
Welcoming Committee		
Women's Prayer Breakfast Committee		
SPECIAL EVENTS	Self	Spouse
Septemberfest Planning Committee		
Septemberfest Worker		
Pancake Breakfast Worker		
ADVISORY COUNCILS	Self	Spouse
Building & Grounds – Carpenters, Electricians, & Plumbers		
Education Council		
Finance Council		
Pastoral Council		
Stewardship Committee		





Spending Time with GOD
 How do you and/or your family plan to spend time with God this year?

Attend Sunday Mass	
Pray together with my family	
Pray the Rosary	
Spend time in personal prayer and reflection	
Pray for my parish family	
Spend time reading Scripture	
Utilize online resources such as Formed, Hallow App, Ascension Press, etc.	
Spend time in Adoration	

YOUNG ADULTS IN HOUSEHOLD

Please List Names and any Ministries the young adult(s) is interested in becoming involved with:

Name:	Ministries:

Children/Youth Ministries

Please list names of children interested in participating in the ministries listed below:

Ministry	Name(s)	Preferred Mass
Altar Server		
Lector (9 th grade and older)		
Vacation Bible School Helper (7 th grade and older)		
Junior Legion of Mary (4th Grade and older)		
EDGE (Grades 6-8)		
GPS (Grades 3-5)		
Walking with Jesus (Grades K-2)		
Pizza with Parents		

Please complete online or return form during Mass the weekend of November 2, 2025. If unable to attend Mass please submit to Parish Office:

*Blessed Sacrament Parish
 1119 South 7th Street
 Quincy, IL 62301*

PLEASE FILL OUT THIS FORM FOR ALL MEMBERS OF YOUR HOUSEHOLD TO PARTICIPATE IN STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES IN 2026.

Coordinators of the ministries/activities you select will contact you to welcome you. They will provide you with any necessary information and invite you to the next meeting, gathering, or training at that time.

Submit form online at:



Please check Mass attended: 4:30pm 8:00am 10:00am 11:15am (Spanish Mass)

Household Information:

Family Name:		
Street Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Phone Number:	Phone Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Cell	
Email Address:		
Contact Preference(s): <input type="checkbox"/> Phone Call <input type="checkbox"/> Text <input type="checkbox"/> Email		

Self:

First Name:		
Phone Number (if different than family)	Phone Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Cell	
Email Address (if different than family)		
Contact Preference(s): <input type="checkbox"/> Phone Call <input type="checkbox"/> Text <input type="checkbox"/> Email		

Spouse:

First Name:		
Phone Number (if different than family)	Phone Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Cell	
Email Address (if different than family)		
Contact Preference(s): <input type="checkbox"/> Phone Call <input type="checkbox"/> Text <input type="checkbox"/> Email		

Children/Youth:- Please use space to list all children in household.

Name:	Age:	Grade Level & School attending: (if applicable)