



# Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church

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**The Most Reverend Michael G. McGovern, Bishop of Belleville**



## Parish Staff

Pastor: **Father Osang Idagbo, C.M.**  
Trustees: Ms. Rose Jordan  
Mr. Duane McClanahan  
Administrative Assistant: Mrs. Sherry Godfrey  
Webmaster: Mr. David Vernon  
Bulletin Production: Mrs. Joan Scharf

## Parish Organizations and Meetings

**Parish Council**-Second Tuesday of the Month

**Women's Club**-Meetings are on the third Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

**Quilters**-Every Tuesday after 8:00 a.m. Mass

**Knights of Columbus**-First and Third Wednesday

**Society of St. Vincent DePaul**-First Monday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at Immaculate Conception Parish, Columbia in the Garden Level

## Worship Opportunities

### **Saturday Vigil Mass:**

5:00 p.m. at Holy Family, Cahokia

### **Sunday Masses:**

8:00 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart

9:00 a.m. Latin Mass at Holy Family

10:00 a.m. Mass at Holy Family

**Weekday Masses are at 8:00 a.m.**

**No Monday Mass**

**Sacred Heart:** Tuesday and Thursday

**Holy Family:** Wednesday and Friday

## Reconciliation

Sunday at 7:30 a.m. and by appointment

## Rosary

First Saturday of the month at 10:00 a.m.;  
Depending on weather, we will meet in the church or  
Mary Garden

## *A Reflection from the desk of the Pastor*

**Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**February 13, 2022**

**Year C**

In the first reading, Jeremiah proclaims a curse on the man who puts his trust in man, and a blessing on the man who puts his trust in God. However, what Jeremiah says is neither a curse nor a blessing. What Jeremiah is saying is that people are rewarded for their respective behavior. Such statements are frequent in the bible. An example of such a statement can be found in Psalm 1. Jeremiah does not give a list of ways of moral conduct. It is a matter of trust and faith. The responsorial psalm echoes the theme in the first reading. A great reward is promised to those who trust in God. They are like trees that are planted besides flowing waters, whose leaves never fade. One question we can ask ourselves is "who do we place our trust in?"

In the gospel, we are presented with Luke's version of the Sermon on the Mount. The sermon is a collection of Jesus' sayings about the basic conditions of Christian living. The four beatitudes focus more directly on the circumstances of life. The emphasis is on the reversal of values presented by Jesus. They are meant to elicit reform in the listeners. How have the beatitudes changed our lives?

We are pleased to welcome **Bishop Michael McGovern** to Sacred Heart, Dupon, this Sunday. Please continue to pray for the bishop's intentions and for more priestly and religious vocations in the diocese of Belleville.

**THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH (+ Deceased)**

**Sunday, February 13, The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**



7:30 a.m. Fr. Osang is available for Confession  
 8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart–Irwin and Ferna Hoffmann+  
 9:00 a.m. Latin Mass in the Log Church-Evelyn

**Klunk+**

10:00 a.m. @ Holy Family-Parishioners of Holy Family

**Monday, February 14, Sts. Cyril, Monk and Methodius, Bishops *Happy Valentines Day* No Mass**

**Tuesday, February 15, Weekday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart-Sacred Heart Women’s Club members living and deceased

**Wednesday, February 16, Weekday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. @ Holy Family-Society of St Vincent dePaul

**Thursday, February 17, The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order**

8:00 a.m. mass @ Sacred Heart-Jan Karstetter+

**Friday, February 18, Weekday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. mass @ Holy Family-Parishioners of Holy Family

**Saturday, February 19, The Vigil of the Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:00 p.m. mass @ Holy Family-Hank Huelsman+

**Sunday, February 20, The Seventh Sunday in**



**Ordinary Time**  
 7:30 a.m. Fr. Osang is available for Confession  
 8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart–Don DeRousse+  
 9:00 a.m. Latin Mass in the Log Church-H.

**Whited Family**

10:00 a.m. @ Holy Family-Parishioners of Holy Family



**Thank you for your generosity to... Owensboro Kentucky Relief Fund**

Because of your generosity and the parishes match, we are able to send a check for \$1,150 to the diocese of Owensboro. May God bless each of each of you for helping those in need.



**Parish SUPPORT**

*Please prayerfully consider your own stewardship and pray for the financial well being of Sacred Heart Parish*  
**February 6, 2022**

<i>General Collections</i>	
<b>Envelopes (10)</b>	\$ 870.00
<b>Loose</b>	0.00
<b>Candles</b>	<u>22.00</u>
<b>Total General Collections</b>	<b>\$ 892.00</b>
<i>Special Collections</i>	
<b>First Collection (1)</b>	<u>\$ 5.00</u>
<b>Total Special Collections</b>	<b>\$ 5.00</b>
<b>Total Deposit</b>	<b>\$ 897.00</b>
<b>Building Maintenance (6)</b>	<b>\$ 130.00</b>
<b>Mass Intentions ( )</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>
<b>St. Vincent dePaul (0)</b>	<b>0.00</b>

*Thank you for your generous support of our church.*



**THE SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**FEBRUARY 20, 2022**



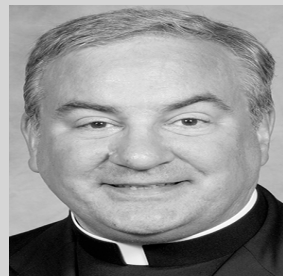
<i>Sacristan</i>	<b>Joan Scharf</b>
<i>Lector</i>	<b>Geri Basinski</b>
<i>Eucharistic Minister-Choir :</i>	<b>Geri Basinski</b>
<i>Ushers:</i>	<b>Chris Cronin and Duane McClanahan</b>

**The Messenger**  
Our Catholic Family's Connection

**It is not too late...The Messenger Renewal**  
**Be the first in your neighborhood to know!**

Please stay connected with your Diocese through a subscription to *The Messenger Catholic Newspaper*. Payments can be made via your Messenger envelope or on-line at: [www.bellevillemessenger.org](http://www.bellevillemessenger.org)  
 Please make checks payable to the *Messenger*. The cost is still only \$25 for print or digital and \$30 for both!

**Welcome!**



Please join us in welcoming...

**Bishop Michael G. McGovern, Bishop of the Belleville Diocese**

We are so blessed Bishop Govern that you came today to preside at the 8:00 a.m. Mass. We look forward to visiting with you after Mass. Thank you for celebrating the most Holy Eucharist with us!



**Blessed are they who hope in the Lord. Psalm 1**



**SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

Cassidy Aldridge, David and Sandy Anderson, Lauretta Anzalone, Kim Arnold, Lindsey Arnold, Donita Baldwin, Monica Bauer, Betty and Larry Blair, Jill Boker, Lydia Boyer and family, Gina Brendley, Jolene Carroll, Virgil Casey, Brian Cleveland, Camryn Coughlin, Betty DeRousse, Frank Dowd, Hannah, Jerry, and Marilyn Dycus, Marilyn Elfrink, Eli Fielder, Joan Frederick, Loretta Gardner, Marion Gautreaux, Erica and Michael Golightly, Joseph Gourley, Mary Gramm, Bryant Hahn, Christ Hallerman, Vernon Heine, Jerry Hight, Dale Hoepfinger, Linda Johnson, Earnest Jordan, Norma Karstetter, Carol and Richard Kelling, Hailey Kofron, William LaCroix, Alice LaMastus, Steve Lawlor, Beverly and Michele Martin, Geraldine McCoy, Lisa McDonald, Myron, Scott McIntosh, Jim and Nancy Merkle, Robin Miller, Linda Mooney, Kady Myers, Brian Nobbe, Parker, Bill Pennock, Lillian Phillips, Irma Proffer, Alyssa Rhyne, Dillan Roberson, David Ryder, Mary Schmid, Richard Singer, Nina Smith, Abby Steffen, Dee Sullivan, Mandy Sullivan, Andy and Michelle Urke, Patty Urke, Joshua Wade, Evermore Grace Wagner, Maryann Wagner, and James Whipple. **Please remember teenagers and their overwhelming challenges. \*If you know of someone that needs to be added or removed from this list, please let Joan Scharf know as soon as possible.\***



**Please remember our Service Men and Women protecting our freedom!**

<b>Tressa Tucker</b> , U.S. Air Force	Sister of Jake Weber
<b>Hunter Kelling</b> , U. S. Navy	Son of Holly and Travis Kelling
<b>Joseph F. Gloeckner</b> , U. S. Navy	Son of Michael and Renee Gloeckner



**\*Mass Intentions are a wonderful way to remember your loved ones, those who have special needs, or any special occasion. The recommended offering is \$10.00. Put your intention and money in the collection basket or send it to Sherri at the parish office, P. O. Box 35, Dupo, Illinois 62239.\* Available NOW!**

**Hospital Visitations**-Due to the new privacy laws most hospitals are not notifying the Pastor of parishioners who are in the hospital. If you or a loved one is in the hospital and wish for Father Osang to visit, please leave a message for him at (618) 215- 0538 with the name, hospital, and room number (if you have it).

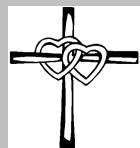
**Home Visitation and Communion**-If anyone would appreciate a visit or Communion brought to their home please call Fr. Osang at (618) 215- 0538 or leave a message at the parish office (618-286-4373).

**Hall Rental**-For hall rental information please contact Sherry in the office at (618) 286-4373. You can view the Parish Hall -Policy and print out the Rental Agreement by visiting our website at [www.sacredheartchurchdupo.org](http://www.sacredheartchurchdupo.org) and clicking on Hall Rental.



♪Happy Birth day to ♪ ♪ You....Happy ♪ birthday ♪ to you...happy♪  
**birthday ♪ ♪dear...February 15th-Pete Nichols**

**17th-Jonathan Koebbe and David Walster 23rd-Jim Urke**



**Happy Anniversary to...February**

**24th**

**Sonny and Karen Pratt**

**54 Years**

**May each of you be richly blessed by the Lord! From Your faith family.**

**Mass Intentions Available!**

Here is a special way to remember your loved ones, those who have special needs, or any special occasion for only \$10. Put your intention note and money in the collection basket or send it to Sherry at the parish office, P. O. Box 35, Dupo, Illinois 62239.

*There is no greater way to say you are remembered!*

**Women's Club Quilt Raffle  
March 13, 2022**



The Quilters have been hard at work and they have another quilt ready! The next raffle will be Sunday, March 13, 2022. Your Quilt raffle tickets are on the table in the back of church. Please pick them up to defray the cost of mailing them. Extra tickets are available, if you need more please check the ticket box or see me.

Thanks **Carol McClanahan, Quilt Chair**



*From the Office of the Bishop of Belleville....*

Please consider praying for and encouraging the men who are answering God's call to priesthood or religious life.

### **PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS**

Gracious God, You have called us through Baptism to discipleship, believing in your Son, Jesus Christ, who has sent us to bring the Good News of salvation to the world.

We pray to you, asking that you grant us more priests and religious who will help us build up your Church in the Diocese of Belleville and the world.

Stir up the grace of a religious vocation in the hearts of many of our youth. Grant to them the willingness and generosity to give of themselves in service to our Lord Jesus and his people.

May a new generation of priests, deacons, sisters and brothers be a sign of your presence among us. We ask this in the name of Jesus the Lord. Amen.

## **Please continue to pray for our Seminarians**

### **The 2022 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal (CSMA) Commitment Sunday, March 6 Making Christ Visible in Southern Illinois**

The CSMA is an annual, diocesan-wide collection that helps fund 16 ministries and offices that provide social, parish and education services in the Catholic Diocese of Belleville. To find out more about the organizations that benefit from your gift visit:

<https://www.diobelle.org/catholic-service-ministry-appeal>  
**You Can Make a Difference!**



**March 18-20, 2022**

Villa Maria Catholic Life Center in Springfield, IL

**April 1-3, 2022**

Courtyard Marriott Hotel in St. Peters, MO

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is excited to announce the following schedule for IN-PERSON weekend Experiences for the spring of 2022. We will have in place all the needed precautions to provide a safe environment for participants. For more information or to apply visit: [wwme.org](http://wwme.org), or call Terry Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317.

### **POSITION AVAILABLE ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT FOR THE OFFICE OF HUMAN RESOURCES**

The Diocese of Belleville is seeking a full-time Administrative Assistant for the Office of Human Resources which is part of the Department of Temporal Affairs. The Administrative Assistant supports the administrative and clerical needs of the Office of Human Resources with regular interaction with parish, school, and agency personnel.

Applicant must have a steady work ethic and proficient understanding of HRIS, database management and benefit claim support. Applicant must have strong written and oral communication skills; be highly organized, detailed and flexible; exercise problem-solving, discretion and interpersonal skills, and must maintain confidentiality. Essential qualifications include a minimum of a high school diploma, Associate's Degree preferred, or equivalent experience; 1-3 years' experience in human resources and benefits/claim support, plus knowledge of Microsoft Office including Publisher and other computer programs/applications. Practicing Catholic preferred with thorough knowledge and understanding of Catholic teachings, practices, and organizational structure.

To apply send cover letter with resume by mail to: Human Resources, Diocese of Belleville, 222 South 3rd Street, Belleville, IL. 62220; FAX them to 618-722-5020 or email to: [humanresources@diobelle.org](mailto:humanresources@diobelle.org).

**Application deadline: Monday, March 7, 2022.**

To get the Bishop's full schedule, read his words of wisdom or to obtain general information about the Belleville Diocese, visit:

[www.diobelle.org](http://www.diobelle.org)



**National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows  
Visitors Center**

**Resurrection and the Afterlife in the New Testament Video Study**

**Four-part Series Cost: \$20 for series; \$5 per session**

**Facilitator: Fr. Mark Dean, OMI**

**Tuesdays, February 15, 22, March 1 & 8, 10 am – 12 Noon**



As Catholics, we profess to believe in the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come, but what exactly does this mean? In this course, you will explore the origin, context and meanings of the Christian beliefs about the afterlife. You will gain an understanding of the afterlife in the New Testament, exploring the words of Jesus, the Gospels, the Apostles Peter and Paul, and the Visions in the Apocalypse of John.



**Gibault Catholic High School News....**

**Strawberry Sales**

Our FFA Chapter is selling fresh strawberries - \$30/flat (8 quarts), \$20/half-flat, or \$5/quart. Orders are due Feb. 23, 2022 with delivery the week of March 7, 2022. To order, email Ms. Johnson at: [ljohnson@gibaulthawks.com](mailto:ljohnson@gibaulthawks.com) or contact a Gibault FFA member.

*A delicious way to show your support of our FFA program!*

**Taste of the Region**

Save the date for Taste of the Region, presented by The Gibault Women's Club. This year's event will be held on **Saturday, March 26, 2022** at Gibault. Ticketing information coming soon. If you are interested in participating as a vendor, please contact Diane Ramey at [ddndoug@charter.net](mailto:ddndoug@charter.net).

**Top Golf**

Mark your calendars for our Top Golf Fundraiser! March 20, 2022, from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., with Registration at 10:30 a.m. and Lunch at 11:30 a.m. For more information visit: [one.bidpal.net/gibaulttopgolf](http://one.bidpal.net/gibaulttopgolf)

**We are still hosting Shadow Visitors.**

Your student can attend classes, meet teachers and other students, spend off mods on the patio, and enjoy lunch in our cafeteria alongside an ambassador student! The best way to learn about life as a Gibault Hawk is to spend the day as one! If you missed the Open House you can still visit the campus. To schedule a tour or shadow visit contact our Director of Enrollment, Kelly Day, at: [kday@gibaulthawks.com](mailto:kday@gibaulthawks.com)

**Once Upon a Child**

**1247 South Kirkwood Road, Kirkwood, Missouri 63122 314.966.1844**

If you are looking for a place to sell gently used clothes, toys and children items? Here is great place. The store is looking for gently used children's spring and summer clothes sizes 2t-6 and 7-18; shoes; toys and equipment (the store does not take car seats). The store requires all clothing is freshly laundered and all two-piece outfits are kept together and all toys and equipment is clean, in working order and has all original parts. They also require that you bring your items in boxes instead of bags. Thank you, Emily Weber

**The Season of Lent**

The Season of Lent is less than a month away. Lent begins on Ash Wednesday and is a time for us to travel the 40 days with Christ through His Passion. It is a time to prepare ourselves for the Season of Easter when we will remember all Christ gave to us in His death and resurrection. As Catholics we enjoin personally and with each other through prayer, fasting and almsgiving, so that we may become more fully aware of our sinfulness and heal. Now is the time to prepare. Ask yourself how you can find more prayer time each day to speak with God and more importantly, am I listening to him? What things in my life do I need to fast from so I can communicate with God and hear His voice in my life? God has been good to me so how do I share my blessings during Lent to spread God's love with others? We will talk more in the coming weeks. Now is the time to prepare for the way of the Lord.~Joan



**Bulletin News....**

Just a reminder...if you know of any company that would like to advertise in our bulletin, please forward their name, contact name and telephone number. To either Sherry at 286-4373, sacredheartdupo@gmail.com or to me at: scharfjo1956@yahoo.com.

**Thank you, Joan Scharf, Bulletin Producer**



**A Pilgrimage of Peace to the Holy Land**

**Co-Sponsored by:** Catholic Relief Services in the Diocese of Belleville and The Messenger.  
**Dates:** November 28 to December 9, 2022

**Pilgrimage Director:** Fr. Steve Beatty.  
This pilgrimage will include important sites in Jesus' life as well as visits to places in the Holy Land where CRS is carrying on the work of Jesus today. Pricing, complete itinerary, and registration will be available after Feb. 28, 2022. To be placed on the priority mailing list to receive a full itinerary and registration information, contact Cheryl Sommer, CRS Animator for the Diocese of Belleville at: crsdiobelle@gmail.com or 618-624-2838.



**DuKare**

Please remember hunger does not take a holiday. Everyone is very generous during the holidays, but the fight against hunger does not slow down, it is a constant need. Please prayerfully consider helping by buying a few extra items when you grocery shop. Items like soup, stews, canned pasta meals, instant oatmeal, canned meat products or instant potatoes help those who have limited cooking facilities or cannot cook to have a warm meal. Please be aware that not everyone has a stove or oven to use. Be kind to those who may not have what we consider to be essential. If you have any questions, contact **Linda Martin**.

Remember...what you do for them...you do for Jesus!



**Society of St. Vincent De Paul Needs Your Help**

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Night-Time Drop-In Center has operated at full capacity almost every night, helping homeless men, women and children survive freezing temperatures and dangers of the city streets. In addition, Cosgrove's Soup Kitchen serves hundreds of hungry people each week. We humbly ask for your prayers for St. Vincent de Paul staff and clients. Donations of snacks and cleaning supplies are greatly appreciated. If you have questions or need additional information, please call the SVDP Council office at 618-394-0126. Thank you and God bless you for your generosity which enables our ministry to the poorest among us.

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul Belleville Council  
Part-Time Accounting/Bookkeeper Position Available**

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Belleville Council, a Catholic, non-profit 501c-3 that serves the poor, has a part-time bookkeeper/accounting position available at the Council Office, 8800 West Main Street, Belleville (across from Blessed Sacrament Church). This experienced candidate must be proficient with Quick Books Pro, accounts receivable/accounts payable, payroll/payroll taxes, financial reports, budget preparation and enjoy interacting with people. If interested in applying, please call 618-394-0126 and leave a message or text 618-799-8505.

**Sacred Heart Parish Tithing Tax Report**

If you would like your tithing contribution report from 2021 for income tax purposes, please contact the parish secretary, Sherry Godfrey by: Email at **sacredheartdupo@gmail.com** or you can cut out this form and put it in the collection basket. Please include the following information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Envelope number: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Please put my report in the back of church and I will pick it up.

\_\_\_\_ Please mail my report to my home: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Please email my report to: \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_