



# 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  
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Administrative Assistant: Mrs. Sherry Godfrey  
Webmaster: Mr. David Vernon  
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## 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

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## 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

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

**The Baptism of the Lord**

**January 9, 2022**

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The feast of the Baptism of the Lord is one that may have us question Jesus' submission to John's baptism. It is similar to the master requesting to be baptized by the servant. John the Baptist even commented on this fact. This action of Jesus somehow echoes the words of Philippians, chapter 2 "Though he was in the form of God, Jesus did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped. He emptied himself, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men." – Philippians 2: 6-7. Throughout Jesus' life and ministry, he always insisted on leadership through service and love. Not once did he insist on being treated as he deserved. He shared our limitations in order to reveal God's limitless love for us. Jesus' baptism was a sign of his communion with us. Our baptisms therefore are a sign of our communion with him.

The feast of the Baptism of the Lord marks the end of the Christmas season. From Monday, January 10<sup>th</sup>, we will begin with Week One of Ordinary Time. The color of vestments is green, except for the celebration of a memorial, the feast day of a saint, feasts of the Lord, etc.

Following my invitation, Bishop McGovern has expressed a desire to visit with us at Sacred Heart sometime this spring. As soon as a date is confirmed, we will inform you accordingly.

We are only \$1,617 short of our CSMA goal. So far, 19 families have made donations to this fund. Please consider making a donation to help in supporting the programs and offices that are funded by the CSMA like the Office of Worship, etc. According to the Diocese, "Any monies allocated to The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal Fund for Ministry grant program are divided equally among the five vicariates. If a vicariate's allocation is not entirely awarded in a given year, the money not awarded will be added to that vicariate's funds for allocation the following year."

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

**Sunday, January 9, The Baptism of the Lord**

7:30 a.m. Fr. Osang is available for Confession  
 8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart–**The Leveling and McClanahan Families**  
 9:00 a.m. Latin Mass in the Log Church–**H. Whited and Families**  
 10:00 a.m. @ Holy Family–**Dorothy Matejka+**

**Monday, January 10, Weekday in Ordinary Time**  
 No Mass

**Tuesday, January 11, Weekday in Ordinary Time**  
 8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart–**Don DeRousse+**

**Wednesday, January 12, Weekday in Ordinary Time**  
 8:00 a.m. @ Holy Family–**Carlos Zavala, Jr.+**

**Thursday, January 13, St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**  
 8:00 a.m. mass @ Sacred Heart–**Parishioners of Sacred Heart**

**Friday, January 14, Weekday in Ordinary Time**  
 8:00 a.m. mass @ Holy Family–**Mary Weber, 95th Birthday**

**Saturday, January 15, The Vigil of the Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 5:00 p.m. mass @ Holy Family–**James Carrico**

**Sunday, January 16, The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 a.m. Fr. Osang is available for Confession  
 8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart–**Don DeRousse+ and George and Phoebe Cissell Family members living and deceased**  
 9:00 a.m. Latin Mass in the Log Church–**Steve and Andrea Harris**  
 10:00 a.m. @ Holy Family–**Recovery of Hank Huelsmann**



**Parish SUPPORT**

Please prayerfully consider your own stewardship and pray for the financial well being of Sacred Heart Parish

**December 25-26, 2021**  
**January 2, 2022**

*General Collections*

<b>Envelopes (30)</b>	\$3,515.00
<b>Loose</b>	20.00
<b>Candles</b>	<u>32.00</u>
<b>Total General Collections</b>	<b>\$3,567.00</b>

*Special Collections*

<b>Immaculate Conception (1)</b>	\$ 50.00
<b>Solemnity of Mary (2)</b>	20.00
<b>Diocese of Owensboro Kentucky (8)</b>	410.00
<b>Religious Retirement (3)</b>	70.00
<b>Collection for the Needy (11)</b>	370.00
<b>First Offering (5)</b>	30.00
<b>Christmas Flowers (1)</b>	20.00
<b>Christmas Offering</b>	<u>1,275.00</u>

*Total Special Collections* **\$2,245.00**

**Total Deposit** **\$5,812.00**

<b>Building Maintenance (12)</b>	<b>\$1,305.00</b>
<b>Mass Intentions (13)</b>	<b>\$ 130.00</b>
<b>St. Vincent dePaul (1)</b>	<b>20.00</b>

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

**THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**JANUARY 16, 2022**



<i>Sacristan</i>	<b>Rose Jordan</b>
<i>Lector</i>	<b>Carol Kelling</b>
<i>Eucharistic Minister-Choir :</i>	<b>Rose Jordan</b>
<i>Ushers:</i>	<b>Geri Basinski and Christopher Cronin</b>



**Please help...  
 The Diocese and People of Owensboro, KY**

On December 5, 2021 Owensboro, Kentucky was hit by a tornado. Bishop Michael G. McGovern has asked all parishes in our diocese to help with the relief efforts. Our parish will match monetary donations made by the parishioners. You may put your donation in an envelope marked, "Owensboro, KY". Prayerfully considering to help those who are trying to put their lives back together!

**Update:** The bishop also expressed appreciation for our Christmas card and the enclosed check.



**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.

Remember...what you do for them...you do for Jesus! If you have any questions, contact **Linda Martin**.



### 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, Margaret 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, Kaitlin Kelley, Hailey Kofron, William LaCroix, Alice LaMastus, Steve Lawlor, Beverly and Michele Martin, Geraldine McCoy, Lisa McDonald, Myron, Scott McIntosh, Jim and Nancy Merkley, 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!

**Tressa Tucker**, U.S. Air Force

Sister of Jake Weber

**Hunter Kelling**, U. S. Navy

Son of Holly and Travis Kelling

**Joseph F. Gloeckner**, 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... 13th-Elsie Hofstetter 14th-Hunter Kelling 17th-Sean Frederick**  
**21st-Linda Kukla**

*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!*



**Thank you...Thank you** and more **thank you's**...for all the hard work that made the Advent/Christmas season festive and beautiful!

**Liturgy committee**-For all their preparations that made the Masses reverent and their sharing their expertise in running the live streaming system for those at home who could not be present with us. To the Lectors, ushers and Eucharistic ministers for being present.

**Decorating**-to all the many elves that helped put the decorations up and then took them down, especially our flower arranger who does such beautiful work.

**Choir**-Kris Morice and her merry band of happy elves who bring such rich tone to the celebrations. The pre-Christmas Eve carols were beautifully arranged and preformed, as always!

**Fr. Osang** -Your sermons are always inspirational and provide us with direction as we continue our faith journey. **And thanks to our servers Sean and Kaleb!**



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

### 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.



### Diocesan Christmas Collection is still accepting donations!

The 44th Annual Diocesan Christmas Collection is to be taken up at all Masses on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. A letter from Bishop McGovern and suggested bulletin notices will be sent to all parishes. All monies collected will be utilized in the coming year to provide emergency assistance to those in need throughout the diocese. Please encourage your parishioners to be as generous as they

are able.

### The 2021 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal (CSMA)

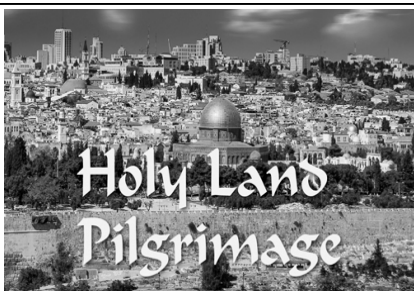
*"Whoever believes in me will do the works that I do..." -John 14:12*

The true joy of Christmas is in the everlasting love of Christ. May you find His peace, love and joy now and in the coming New Year. With deepest gratitude for your prayers and monetary generosity to the Ministries and Programs funded by CSMA. **Sacred Heart has a total of 98 households with a target donation goal of \$3,921. So far 19 household have donated a total of \$2,304.**



### Catholic Campaign for Human Development Collection (CCHD) It is not too late!

Twenty-five (25%) percent of monies collected from the Catholic Campaign for Human Development collection will remain in our diocese for local programs and ministries that serve the poor. Please prayerfully and generously consider helping the programs that encourage those in poverty to find a way out. For more information visit this video clip at: <https://www.facebook.com/CCHDBelleville/videos/1140404406381223>. There is a special CCHD Collection envelope in your tithing packet.



### 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](mailto:crsdiobelle@gmail.com) or 618-624-2838.



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**Registration is now open...**

**Rite for Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) Workshop Through the Doorway.**  
Presented by **Mr. Eliot Kapitan**

**When:** Sunday, January 23, 2022 from 1-6 p.m.

**Where:** Diocese of Belleville Pastoral Center, 2620 Lebanon Avenue, Building 6, Belleville, Illinois 62221.

**For more information** call Sue Huett-Ashbeck in the office of Worship at: [shuett@diobelle.org](mailto:shuett@diobelle.org)

or by phone: (618) 722-5038





### What does Our Baptism mean for us?

As the first of our seven sacraments, Baptism cleanses us from Original Sin, it unites us with the resurrection of Jesus Christ, and puts an indelible Christian mark upon our souls. Every year at Christmas and Easter we are invited to remember what our Baptism has done for us, but do we realize that our Baptism also comes with responsibility as a member of the people of God? We are responsible for announcing the Word of God to all we meet by our words and actions while promoting the work of the church through social justice, love of neighbor and care of our fellow man. Baptism immersed us into the Christian family and made us God's children. Be renewed!

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### Gibault Catholic High School News....

#### Gibault's Theater Department introduces their Winter Play "Failure, A Love Story"

**When:** Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, January 27-29 at 7 p.m.  
and a matinee on Sunday, January 30 at 2 p.m.

**Where:** The Gibault Auditorium.

#### Raffle-Mania!

Help Gibault and possibly win some money for yourself! Talk about a win-win!

With a purchase of a \$25 ticket, you are entered for:

- \$100 Early Bird Christmas Drawing (ticket must be purchased by December 15 to qualify)
- \$30 Daily Drawings on Monday-Friday from January 1 - May 31
- \$100 Bonus Winner the last day of each month (January - April)
- GRAND PRIZES in May for \$2,000, \$1,000, \$500, and \$250!

If your ticket is pulled for a prize, it goes right back in, so you have the chance to win again!

Tickets can be purchased online at: [www.bidpal.net/rafflemania](http://www.bidpal.net/rafflemania), by contacting any Gibault student, or by calling the school office at 939-3883.

#### 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@gibalthawks.com](mailto:kday@gibalthawks.com)

#### Class of 2026 Application

The Class of 2026 applications can be found at: <https://bit.ly/GCHSApply>

# A New Year; a time of renewal. What changes will you make?

### 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](mailto: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: \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_

## *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](mailto:sacredheartdupo@gmail.com) or to me at: [scharfjo1956@yahoo.com](mailto:scharfjo1956@yahoo.com).

*Thank you, Joan Scharf, Bulletin Producer*



**JESUS' BAPTISM**