



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.**
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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

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

First Sunday of Lent

March 6, 2022

Year C

We began the season of Lent with our celebration of Ash Wednesday. Lent is a season of penitence and self-denial, and charitable works. During Lent, we take up different penitential acts and forms of almsgiving in order to draw closer to God. We try to share somewhat in the Passion of Christ.

Our common practice of “giving something up” is a form of discipline that we undertake which would help us in our Christian journey. During Lent, there is a renewed emphasis on the passion of Jesus Christ. We explore this mystery as we come to a deeper appreciation of the amazing love of God. God allowed Jesus to suffer and die for us, so that he could redeem us. As we reflect on God’s love for us during this sacred season, let us take a moment to reflect on how much we love each other.

On the First Sunday of Lent, we are presented with the temptations of Jesus in the desert. We are probably familiar with the story of Jesus’ temptations. The devil tempted Jesus based on his needs at the time. Many of us may have set some goals that we would like to achieve this Lent, be aware that the devil will try and tempt us during Lent based on our needs. We are likely going to be tempted to give up on our Lenten commitments. Be strong and steadfast. We are not alone. We have a friend in Jesus.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH (+ Deceased)

Sunday, March 6, The First Sunday of Lent



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–**Fred and Elaine Fitzpatrick and families**

10:00 a.m. @ Holy Family–**Parishioners of Holy Family**

Monday, March 7, Sts. Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs
 No Mass

Tuesday, March 8, St. John of God, Religious
 8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart–**Margaret Dowd+**

Wednesday, March 9, St. Frances of Rome, Religious
 8:00 a.m. @ Holy Family–**Carlos Zavala, Jr.+**

Thursday, March 10, Weekday in Lent
 8:00 a.m. mass @ Sacred Heart–**Parishioners of Sacred Heart**

Friday, March 11, Weekday in Lent
 8:00 a.m. mass @ Holy Family–**Larry Rottnek+**



Stations of the Cross
 9:00 a.m. @ Holy Family
 7:00 p.m. @ Sacred Heart

Saturday, March 12, The Vigil of the Second Sunday of Lent

5:00 p.m. mass @ Holy Family–**Parishioner of Holy Family**

Sunday, March 13, The Second Sunday of Lent



7:30 a.m. Fr. Osang is available for Confession
 8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart–**Margaret Dowd+**
 9:00 a.m. Latin Mass in the Log Church–**Helen Whited and Family**

10:00 a.m. @ Holy Family–**Recovery of Martha Gomez**



Parish SUPPORT

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

February 27, 2022

<i>General Collections</i>	
Envelopes (30)	\$ 485.00
Loose	25.00
Candles	<u>14.00</u>
<i>Total General Collections</i>	\$ 524.00
<i>Special Collections</i>	
	<u>\$ 0.00</u>
<i>Total Special Collections</i>	\$ 0.00
Total Deposit	<u>\$ 524.00</u>
Building Maintenance (0)	\$ 0.00
Mass Intentions (17)	\$ 176.00
St. Vincent dePaul (0)	0.00

Thank you for your generous support of our church.



THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
MARCH 13, 2022



Sacristan
Lector
Eucharistic Minister-Choir :
Ushers:

Joan Scharf
Jill Boker
Need Help
Alois Hoffmann and Duane McClanahan

COVID Guidelines Update

The church is reopening to full capacity and masks are optional. To see the full guidance letter from Bishop McGovern’s office visit the parish website at:

www.sacredheartchurchdupo.org



Lenten Abstinence and Fasting Regulations

Everyone 14 years of age or older is bound to **abstain from meat** (and items made with meat) on **Ash Wednesday, all the Fridays of Lent and Good Friday.**

Everyone 18 or older, and under 59 years of age, is bound to **fast** on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Only one full meatless meal is allowed. Two other meatless meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one’s needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted. When health or ability to work would be seriously affected, the law does not oblige. Catholics should not lightly excuse themselves from these prescribed minimal penitential practices. These guidelines can be found at: **usccb.org**

**Lent is a time of prayer,
 alms giving and fasting**

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!



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, Steve Dressler, 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 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!**

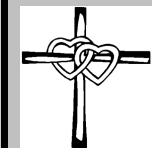
Hospital Visitations-Due to the new privacy laws most hospitals are not notifying the Pastor of parishioners who are in the hospital. If you or a loved one is in the hospital and wish for Father Osang to visit, please leave a message for him at (618) 215- 0538 with the name, hospital, and room number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



Happy Birth day to You....Happy birthday to you...happy birthday dear...March 10th-Jagger Kenner, Geraldine McCoy 14th-Lisa McDonald 17th-Lindsey Kenner 26th-Barbara Cleveland 27th-Timothy Frederick



Happy Anniversary to...March

7th

Brad and Carol Cronin

41 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
Next week, 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....www.diobelle.org

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***

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.

Application deadline: Monday, March 7, 2022.

DIRECTOR OF WORSHIP POSITION AVAILABLE

The Diocese of Belleville is seeking a full-time Director of Worship. The Director of Worship is the primary resource to the Bishop and the Diocese for ongoing renewal of the liturgical life and formation of the Church in southern Illinois. This position, in consultation with the Bishop, manages and directs diocesan worship activities, provides resources to parishes, and develops and administers programs of liturgical formation consistent with the USCCB Office of Divine Worship and diocesan guidelines. The Director of Worship works closely with leadership, parish priests, and parishioners. Applicants must have strong knowledge of the Roman Catholic Liturgy, the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, the theology and history of sacramental, liturgical, and devotional practices and a familiarity with all major Church documents on liturgy, art and environment, and music. Bachelor's degree in Roman Catholic liturgical studies, Catholic theology, or equivalent preferred, and 5-8 years' experience in pastoral services or worship, or any appropriate combination of education and experience. He or she is required to be a faithful, committed Catholic who understands and accepts the teachings and disciplines of the Catholic Church. To apply send cover letter with résumé and references to Human Resources, Diocese of Belleville, 222 S. 3rd St., Belleville, IL, 62220; FAX to 618-722-5020; email to humanresources@diobelle.org.

Application deadline: March 25, 2022



Black and Indian Missions Collection

Today, March 6, 2022

The Black and Indian Mission Collection exists to help local African American and Native American Diocesan Communities throughout the United States spread the Good News of Jesus Christ and respond to real and pressing needs on the ground. To find out more visit:

<https://blackandindianmission.org> **Prayerfully consider your stewardship**



Gibault Catholic High School News...

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.

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

Class of 2026 Registration

Registration for the Gibault Class of 2026 is almost here! Registration will be held on **March 21 and March 22 from 5-8 p.m.** Please sign up for a registration time on one of these dates using our Sign-up Genius Link:

<https://bit.ly/GCHSreg22>

There is still time to apply. Contact Director of Enrollment, Kelly Day at kday@gibaulthawks.com for more information on how to become a Hawk!



Are you looking for something fulfilling to do with your time?

Here is your chance to read to the vision impaired community. The station is located at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows. Times and material are flexible. Please call today and speak with Tom at (618) 394-6446 for more information. You can also speak with our local volunteer, Joan Scharf. You can help someone stay connected! We are syndicated.

Also, if you know of anyone who suffers with vision problems, they can call Tom and inquire about getting into the program and enjoy listening to the many reading options available each week. They do not have to be totally blind, just have vision problems that prevent them from enjoying reading materials.



Quest Retreat #146

Quest is a fast-paced 33-hour Christian experience for high school freshmen and sophomores. It is a time to come together to find out about God, friendships, and self in a fun-filled, thoughtful, and carefree surrounding. It is a time to meet new people while praying, playing, singing, and sharing with them. Quest gives you the chance to search for the real you. For more information please contact:

Sella Roman, Belleville Quest Board Secretary at sella.roman@gmail.com or at 314-346-1034; or Mike Sandheinrich at mike.sandheinrich@yahoo.com or 618-781-9069.



Holy Family Designer Bag Bingo

Sunday, March 20, 2022

Doors open at noon and Bingo begins at 1 p.m.

Tickets: \$30 in advanced or \$40 at the door and include 10 games of Bingo, 2 drink tickets and a dauber; 6 additional cards are available for \$5.

Purchase: advance tickets at glo-bingo.com (\$2 fee applicable) or mail your check to: Holy Family, 116 Church Street, Cahokia Heights, Illinois 62206 attn: Cindy Delaney/purse Bingo (to confirm your reservation please include your email); you can call her at (618) 791-5533 or email her at: cindydelaney@sbcglobal.net

You must be 18 years or older to play

Bring your own snacks



It is not too late...Renew Now!

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 Please make checks payable to the *Messenger*. The cost is still only \$25 for print or digital and \$30 for both!

Second Sunday of Lent
Thoughts from the Belleville Diocese Office of Worship
Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18. Psalm 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14. Philippians 3:17-4:1. Luke 9:28b-36.

Reflecting on Transfiguration. Lent is not an end. It is a necessary transition, as it is every year, to the glory of life in Christ – in which we already share in some incomplete way. These dazzling white clothes of Jesus recall our own baptismal garments in which we were clothed in him. They remind us to imitate him in all we think and do and say.

How does the glory of Christ dazzle me to reflect on _____?

How does my Baptism strengthen me to do _____?

To use Saint Paul's words, how will I stand firm in the Lord?

National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows in the Visitors Center
Religions in America

Presenter: Mark Etling, Ph.D.

When: Saturdays, March 12, 19, 26, April 2 & 9, 10 a.m. – 12 Noon

Synopsis: The saga of the religions of America is like a complicated and unfinished jigsaw puzzle. It includes many colorful, overlapping images – Puritans, conquistadores, revival preachers, Deists, utopians, immigrants, televangelists, abolitionists, social reformers, Black churches, “nones.” As we work to connect the pieces of the puzzle, we know that the religious influences of the past continue to shape our religious, political and social life today. In this series we will examine the major events, movements, ideas and persons who have helped to shape the religions of America.

Cost: \$50 for series; \$10 per session

For more information call 618-394-6281. **Register online** at: <https://snows.org/ministries/spiritual-programs/>



Diocese of Belleville
Office of Development February 2022

ANNOUNCEMENT
2022 CATHOLIC SERVICE AND MINISTRY APPEAL APPLICATIONS
FUND FOR MINISTRY GRANTS
DEADLINE IS MAY 31, 2022

From: Kathleen Hunt, Office of Development

As you may be aware, a total of \$17,000 was awarded by The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal Fund for Ministry to 21 groups and organizations located in the five vicariates of our diocese in October 2021.

The Fund for Ministry application form and updated application guidelines for the 2022 funding year are enclosed and are also available on the diocesan website – www.diobelle.org/catholic-service-ministry-appeal/csma-fund

The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal Fund for Ministry gives Catholic parishes, Catholic schools, Catholic groups and Catholic organizations an opportunity to receive funds for unique programs and projects that address special needs in our diocese. Organizations, agencies and departments currently funded in part or in total by The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal and individuals are not eligible for Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal Fund for Ministry grants.

Grants will be awarded in September 2022. You are encouraged to share this information with others who might be interested in submitting an application.

Office of Development
222 SOUTH THIRD STREET – BELLEVILLE, IL 62220 – 618-277-8181 FAX 618-722-5019



Food for Families Lenten Project

Lent is a time to give generously from your surplus to those agencies who help those who do not have the means to meet their basic necessities. All food and monies collected are distributed within the 28 counties in the Belleville diocese and peoples of all faiths. If you are making a cash donation, please make your checks payable to the “Catholic Diocese of Belleville” and note on the memo line “Food For Families Project”. 50% of all monies collected may be kept by our local Society of St. Vincent dePaul. Your food donations can be left in the DuKare basket in the back of church or delivered to the “HUB”, aka: Catholic Urban Program at #7 Vieux Carre Drive, East St

Louis, IL 62203. Please call (618) 397-5616 for donation delivery times.