



# Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church

Diocese of Belleville



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Monday 10-2

Wednesday and Friday 11-1

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The Most Reverend Michael G. McGovern, Bishop of Belleville



## Parish Staff

Trustees:	Ms. Rose Jordan Mr. Duane McClanahan
Secretary/Bulletin:	Mrs. Joan Scharf
Webmaster:	Mr. David Vernon
Liturgy Committee:	Mrs. Peggy Hoffmann Mrs. Karen Pratt

## Parish Organizations and Meetings

**Parish Council**-Second Tuesday of the Month @ 6

**Women's Club**-Meetings are on the third Tuesday of the month at 6 (except June-August)

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

**Knights of Columbus**-First (Business meeting @ 7:30) and Third Wednesday (Social @ 7)

**Society of St. Vincent DePaul**-First Monday of the month at 6:30 at Immaculate Conception Parish, Columbia in the Garden Level (except June-August)

## 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 (Log church)

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



## *Ascension Sunday*

**May 21, 2023**

**Year A**

The Solemnity of the Ascension is celebrated 40 days after Easter. Although this celebration falls on a Thursday (Ascension Thursday), several dioceses in the United States and around the world, like the Diocese of Belleville, celebrate the Ascension on the Sunday following Ascension Thursday. The Ascension is the second Glorious Mystery of the Rosary. Do you know the other Glorious mysteries?

The Paschal mystery of Jesus Christ culminates in his Ascension into heaven. This occurred after Jesus' post-resurrection appearances to the disciples and his instructions to the apostles whom he had chosen. Jesus prepared his disciples for his ascension on several occasions in the context of his discussions with them. During the Ascension, Jesus was lifted up in a cloud and taken from their sight. (See Acts 1:9) With Christ's ascension, we are reminded of how Jesus' humanity entered into God's heavenly domain, from where he will come again. Through his ascension, Jesus precedes us to heaven, to his Father's kingdom, where we hope to join him in glory. Prior to his ascension, Jesus promised that the Father would send the Holy Spirit, the Advocate, the Paraclete, to be with his disciples and lead them to the complete truth. He did not want to leave them as orphans. Let us pray for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit in the Church during our celebration of Pentecost next weekend. May the Holy Spirit guide us and lead us to the complete truth as Jesus prayed.

Please pray for the 14 men who will be ordained Permanent Deacons by Bishop McGovern on Saturday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023. We are grateful for their generosity and pray the Lord to grant them the graces they need to serve as deacons.

On Memorial Day (May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023), Mass will be at 9:00 am. Mass will be outdoors behind the rectory at Holy Family. In case of inclement weather, mass will be in the Church. Please invite your family and friends to join us.

**THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH****(+ Deceased)****May 21, The Ascension of the Lord**

7:30 a.m. Confession is available

8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart – Don and Doris Wells+

9:00 a.m. Latin Mass in the Log Church-Randy Harris

10:00 a.m. @ Holy Family–Carola Zavala, Jr.+

**Monday within Easter, May 22, St. Rita of Cascia, Religious No Mass****Tuesday, May 23, Weekday**

8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart-Elizabeth “Betty” DeRousse+

**Wednesday, May 24, Weekday**

8:00 a.m. @ Holy Family–Rosemary Wade+

**Thursday, May 25, St. Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church; St. Gregory VII, Pope; St. Mary Magdalene dePazzi, Virgin**

8:00 a.m. Mass @ Sacred Heart-Charles Frederick+

**Friday, May 26, St. Phillip Neri, Priest**

8:00 a.m. @ Holy Family-John Walker+

**Saturday, May 27, Vigil of Pentecost Sunday**

5:00 p.m. mass @ Holy Family-Dixie Gay+

**May 28, Pentecost Sunday**

7:30 a.m. Confession is available

8:00 a.m. @ Sacred Heart – Bob and Theola

Schonlau+

9:00 a.m. Latin Mass in the Log Church--Valentine and Evelyn Klunk+

10:00 a.m. @ Holy Family–Frank &amp; Dorothy Matejka+

**Parish SUPPORT**

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

**May 14, 2023****General Collections**

Envelopes (21)	\$ 780.00
Loose	115.00
Other Donation	0.00
Candles	0.00

**Total General Collections \$ 895.00****Special Collections**

Catholic Home Missions Appeal (1)	\$ 20.00
Catholic Communication Campaign	0.00
Seminary Education Collection (5)	\$ 0.00

**Total Special Collections \$ 20.00****Total Deposit \$ 915.00****Building Maintenance (2) \$ 20.00****Mass Intentions (4) \$ 40.00**

**On-Line giving available.** You have the ability to safely and securely donate to Sacred Heart at: <https://sacredheartdupo.org/donate>.

**Thank you for your generous support of our church.****PENTECOST SUNDAY****MAY 28, 2023****Sacristan:****Rose Jordan/Joan Scharf****Lector****Geri Basinski****Host****Rose Jordan****Eucharistic Minister-Choir:****Carol McClanahan****Early Submission of the June 4th Bulletin Notice**

Do to the Memorial Day weekend, the bulletin company is requesting the bulletin early. If you have anything you would like put into the June 4th bulletin, please have it to me by May 25th at noon. You can send the information to me at: [scharfjo1956@yahoo.com](mailto:scharfjo1956@yahoo.com).

Thank you for understanding, Joan Scharf.

**Women's Club News...****Quilt Raffle**

The Quilters have been hard at work and they have another quilt ready! The next raffle will be Sunday, July 9, 2023. 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****Memorial Day Mass Opportunities****Monday, May 29, 2023****Remembering the brave!****Holy Family Church, Cahokia Heights**

There will be a 9:00 a.m. Mass. outdoors behind the rectory. In case of inclement weather, mass will be in the Church. Please invite your family and friends to join us. Everyone is welcome.

**Mt. Carmel Cemetery**

There will be celebrating our annual Memorial Day “Rose” Mass at 10101 West Main St, Belleville at the outdoor altar area at 9 am. You may pre-purchase a rose for your loved one to be placed on the altar by coming in to the office at Mt. Carmel or mailing in a payment. For more information call Jesse Brown at 618-397-0181.

**Holy Cross Cemetery**

9409 Holy Cross Road, Fairview Heights, will celebrate Mass at 11:00 am.

**“Greater love has no one than this, to lay down one’s life for his friends.” John 15:13 NKJV**

**SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

Cassidy Aldridge, David and Sandy Anderson, Lauretta Anzalone, Kim Arnold, Lindsey Arnold, Donita Baldwin, Benjamin Bassler, Monica Bauer, Betty and Larry Blair, Jill Boker, Lydia Boyer and family, Gina Brendley, Jolene Carroll, Virgil Casey, Camryn Coughlin, Steve Dressler, Hannah, Jerry, and Marilyn Dycus, Mary Engleman, Eli Fielder, Joan Frederick, Loretta Gardner, Marion Gautreaux, Erica and Michael Golightly, Joseph Gourley, Mary Gramm, Bryant Hahn, Christ Hallerman, Susan Heape, Jerry Hight, Linda Johnson, Earnest Jordan, Norma Karstetter, Carol and Richard Kelling, Hailey Kofron, Candice LaCroix, William LaCroix, Alice LaMastus, Steve Lawlor, Barbara Mallory, Beverly and Michele Martin, Duane McClanahan, Geraldine McCoy, Lisa McDonald, Scott McIntosh, Nancy Merkley, Robin Miller, Kady Myers, Brian Nobbe, Parker, Bill Pennock, Karen Pratt, Irma Proffer, Jennifer Quirin, 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, Angela Weber 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 Joan 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 Joan 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...May: 22nd: Fr. Paul Wienhoff 23rd: Oscar McCoy  
 31st: Glenn Levin

**Happy Anniversary to...May**21<sup>st</sup>  
30th

Ralph and Joan Scharf

47 Years

Duane and Carol McClanahan

60 Years



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



**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE  
 AND RECONCILIATION  
 ON WEEKNIGHTS IN OUR AREA:**

**St. Clare, O'Fallon:****Tuesday evenings 6 to 7 pm****Cathedral, Belleville:****Thursday evenings 6 to 7 pm****The Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary**

- 1 The Resurrection. ...
- 2 The Ascension. ...
- 3 The Descent of the Holy Spirit on the Virgin Mary and the Apostles. ...
- 4 The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. ...
- 5 The Coronation of the Virgin Mary, Queen of heaven and Earth and Mother of the Church.



## Catholic Service Ministry Appeal 2023 From Bishop McGovern. . .

*The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord - Psalm 15*

Did you know YOUR GIFT to The 2023 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal can be made online? Visit your Belleville Diocese's website at [www.diobelle.org](http://www.diobelle.org) and click on "Giving". It's that simple! Every donation – large or small – is needed to continue our diocesan ministry to those in need. We are counting on YOU. Please visit [www.diobelle.org](http://www.diobelle.org) today!

If you have not yet responded, please make every effort to do so. Thank you for your consideration and generosity! Our 2023 Goal is **\$4,215** for 89 parish households as of 4/29/2023. 13 families have pledged **\$1,284.00**

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### ***The Messenger Newspaper Subscription Renewal...IT IS NOT TOO LATE***



**Don't miss Bishop McGovern's inspiring column in every issue** and stay connected with your Diocese through a subscription to *The Messenger* Catholic Newspaper. Payments can be made via your Messenger envelope (dated February 22) or on-line at: [www.bellevillemessenger.org](http://www.bellevillemessenger.org). The cost for a 1-year subscription is \$25 for digital only, \$30 for print only, and \$35 for both. **Please make Checks payable to the Messenger.** For more information call **The Messenger at: 618-233-8670.**

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Dear Friends in Christ,

I am inviting the faithful in our area to gather for Mass on the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, May 31, at 6:00pm at St. Clare Church in O'Fallon. The Visitation celebrates the meeting of the Blessed Mother with her cousin St. Elizabeth as recorded in the Gospel of Luke (1:39-56). This beautiful encounter of two women, each expecting a child, moves us to marvel with them at the gracious goodness of God who is the Author of all life.

In this time when the sanctity of human life is often disregarded, it is important for us to pray together for an increase in respect for human life at all of its stages, with all of its vulnerabilities. Relying on the power of God, we affirm that every human life should be cherished and respected from conception until natural death; hospitals and healthcare agencies should remain committed to preserving life, not ending it; and that the consciences of healthcare workers should be respected and protected so that they are never coerced into actions that violate their spiritual core.

Please join with me at St. Clare on May 31 at 6:00pm. May Jesus Christ, the Bread of Life give us the strength we need to share the Gospel of Life with our families, friends and neighbors.

In Christ,

**Bishop Michael McGovern**  
Diocese of Belleville

## ***Respect Life Corner***



*"Blessed Mother, you received the good news of the incarnation of Christ, your Son, with faith and trust. Grant your protection to all pregnant mothers facing difficulties."*

*USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "A Prayer for Pregnant Mothers"*

# Events around the Parish, within the Diocese and the community

## Are you looking for a second/part time job?

Holy Family's Bingo Kitchen is looking for a new kitchen manager and crew of three. Our crew is wanting to retire in April. Kitchen hours are Saturday 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. The team would be responsible for shopping, preparing simple food items and clean up. Please call Holy Family rectory at 618-337-4548.

## Columbia Kiwanis Club Annual Golf Tournament Friday, June 2, 2023 at Annbriar Golf Course

**7:00 a.m. Registration      8:00 a.m. shotgun start**

4-person scramble 50/50

\$125 per person or \$500 per team

Limited to 36 teams

For more information call Stephanie:  
at (618) 219-6450



## Gibault High School News....

### Enrollment News/Shadow visits

We are scheduling Shadow Visits for the second semester. Your 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grader or current high school student can spend the day living like a Gibault Hawk. Private tours are another great way to learn more about Gibault Catholic! The whole family can tour our campus and have their questions answered by our Director of Enrollment. Get started at: <https://bit.ly/GCHSInquire>. It is also time for the Class of 2027 to get your application in before important registration and enrollment deadlines.

Visit: <https://bit.ly/GCHSApply>.

### Summer Golf Classic

Save the date for our Summer Golf Classic on June 16, 2023. To register your team or learn about sponsorship opportunities online at [www.bidpal.net/gibaultgolfclassic](http://www.bidpal.net/gibaultgolfclassic). You may also contact Desiree at 399-3883 or:

[dfrasura@gibaulthawks.com](mailto:dfrasura@gibaulthawks.com)

### Summer Camps

Register your student for our summer camps! Boys' Basketball, Girls' Basketball, and Girls' Volleyball camp registration forms are available at:

<https://gibaulthawks.com/summer-camps-2023>

## DuKare



May the Lenten Alms Giving spirit still fill your hearts with compassion. In this time of economic hardship many families are struggling. Your donation of the following items are desperately needed: syrup and complete pancake mix, Manwich®, yams, spaghetti and tomato sauce, Hamburger Helper®, jelly, tooth brushes and toothpaste, deodorant and toilet paper. If you would like more information contact Geri Basinski, Karen Pratt, Rose Jordan, I.D. Cleveland, Christopher Cronin, or Linda Martin. **Remember, what you do for them...you do for Jesus!** (Matthew 25:45 NAB)



## Order of Deacon (Permanent Diaconate) Ordination

With great joy, I announce that on Saturday, June 3, 2023, I will ordain 14 men of our Diocese to the Order of Deacon (Permanent Diaconate). The Liturgy will take place at the Cathedral of St. Peter at 10:00

AM. All are invited to attend. Please pray for our candidates as they prepare for ordination.

**Bishop Michael G. McGovern**

**Please pray:** "We pray for our Deacon Candidates who will be ordained to the Order of (Permanent) Deacon, that the Holy Spirit fills them to serve faithfully in their ministry. "Let us pray to the Lord.

Pray for these men who are being ordained to the Order of Deacon: *Jay Fowler, Brad Haar, Anthony Kellerman, James Keepes, Daniel Kimutis, Daniel Laquet, Douglas Lugge, David Mills, David Miskell, William Mueller, Leonard Ratajczyk, Tom Ritzheimer, Fred Sterns and Justin Wolfslau.*

## A Novena for Life

*honoring* the Feast of the Visitation

May 22-30 | Sign up: [respectlife.org/visitation](http://respectlife.org/visitation)

