

Sacred Heart Church

714 Lincoln Street
Elsberry, Missouri 63343
Telephone Number: 898-2202
Website: www.SacredHeartElsberry.org



Pastor: Rev. Charles P. Tichacek

Sunday Mass

8:00 am

Week Day Masses

Monday 7:00 pm

Tuesday 8:00 am

Adoration is the third Tuesday of each month beginning after the 8:00 am Mass and concluding with Benediction at 7:00 pm

Communion Service Thursday 7:30 am

Communion Service Friday 7:30 am

Baptisms by appointment

Devotion

Rosary at 7:40 am on Tuesday and Perpetual Help Devotions.

Marriages

To be arranged at least 6 months prior to the wedding

Confession

Sunday 7:30 am

Parish Office Hours

Tuesday 10:00 am until 5:00 pm

**23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 4, 2016
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MASS INTENTIONS

Sept. 5 - Sept.11

Mon. 7:00 pm **NO Mass - Labor Day**
Tues. 8:00 am Eric Heitman
Thurs. 7:30 am Communion Service
Fri. 7:30 am Communion Service
Sun. 8:00 am Charlie DeMoulin

Feast Days

Thurs. 9/8 Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Fri. 9/9 St. Peter Claver

August 28, 2016

Parish Improvements

Envelopes: \$ 1,278
Loose: \$ 553
Total \$ 1,831

\$10

Money Counters: **Today: Mike Byers
Mike Shaffer
September 11: Pat Wood
Kaye Byers**

Sacred Heart Calendar of Events

Mon., Sept. 5: NO Mass
Tues., Sept. 6: Mass 8:00 am
Tues., Sept. 6: Bible Study 7 pm
Tues., Sept. 6: Parish Council
Thurs., Sept. 8: Communion Service 7:30 am
Thurs., Sept. 8: Quilting
Fri., Sept. 9: Communion Service 7:30 am
Sun., Sept. 11: 1st PSR class of the year 9-10:15
Sun., Sept. 11: Adult Catechetical

RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Anyone interested in becoming CATHOLIC, please contact the parish office, 573-898-2202. Class will begin in September.

POPE FRANCIS' INTENTIONS FOR SEPTEMBER

UNIVERSAL INTENTION

That each may contribute to the common good and to the building of society that places the human person at the center .

INTENTION FOR EVANGELIZATION

That by participating in the Sacraments and meditating on Scripture, Christians may become more aware of their mission to evangelize.

Need a Priest?

Fr. Wissler, Sacred Heart Troy 636-528-8219 or
Fr. Rath, Immaculate Conception, Old Monroe 636-661-5002

LECTORS

Sun. Sept. 11 8:00 am Pat Wood
Sun. Sept. 18 8:00 am Mike Byers

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
OF HOLY COMMUNION**

Sun. Sept. 11 8:00 am Becky Galmiche & Cecile Mesker
Sun. Sept. 18 8:00 am Gene Markwardt & Rachele Presley

ALTAR SERVERS

Sun. Sept. 11 8:00 am Aureliano Gonzalez
Seferino Gonzalez
Sun. Sept. 18 8:00 am Philip & Paul Brickey

GREETERS

Sun. Sept. 11 8:00 am Bob & Rose Roller
Sun. Sept. 18 8:00 am Patti Koch & Kandi Kinsler

GIFT BEARERS

Sun. Sept. 11 8:00 am Bob & Rose Roller
Sun. Sept. 18 8:00 am Alicia Bange & Carol Mayes

Blessed Mother Theresa will be canonized today in Rome. Pray for her & The Missionaries of Charity & their work with the Poorest of the Poor

MASS SCHEDULE AT ST. ALPHONSUS

Sept.7 - Sept. 11

Wednesday 8:15 am Friday 8:15 am
Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 10:00 am

Phone # at St. Alphonsus 573-384-6223

Pray For

Please pray for all the sick or homebound. To add to the prayer list please tell Father or contact the parish office 898-2202



Margaret Bartold	Sammy Mayes
Joe & Mary Buescher	Cecile Mesker
Phyllis Galati	Kim Tobiasz
Nancy McCullough	Maurice Illy
Debbie Ratheberger	Jack Burkemper
Leroy Schramm	Charlie DeMoulin
Ernest Ogden	Andrew Heitman
Raymond Geosling	Bonnie Kindred
Jerry Heitman	

PSR REGISTRATION

PSR Registration has begun in the vestibule. Please take a few moments to sign up your children for the 2016-2017 session. Classes will begin Sunday, September 11. Class time is 9 - 10:15 am

Classes will be available for Pre-K thru high school. A

HELP WANTED

We need a PSR teacher for high school kids.

Contact Father at the rectory or St. Alphonsus or Rachele Presley 314-703-6055 or 636-662-2407.

Missouri voter registration will be available after Mass today, Sept. 4 and next Sunday, Sept. 11.

If you are not registered or need to change your address, you will be able to do it then.

To vote in the November election you must be registered by **October 12.**

Voter registration is sponsored by our Parish Respect Life Apostolate and the Knights of Columbus.



Disabled Student Whose Parents Were Told to Abort Becomes Ms Wheelchair America.

A young Utah woman whose parents were told to abort her because she would be a “vegetable” just proved that every life deserves a chance. Eliza McIntosh, a 21-year-old wheelchair-bound college student from Salt Lake City, recently was named Ms Wheelchair America after she broke a world record in athletics, the Mirror reports. “This is the first year I’ve been old enough to participate, so it’s crazy but an absolute honor to be crowned Ms. Wheelchair”, McIntosh said, “I was surprised to represent my state and then even getting into the top five was a massive achievement.” McIntosh has spinal dysgenesis and is paralyzed from the waist down, according to the report. She hopes her life story will encourage other people with disabilities to see themselves as valuable and to pursue their dreams. It’s what her parents did for her. “But my parents are very religious, so are against abortions regardless, and their attitude was ‘this is the hand we’ve been dealt, so we’ll play it as well as we can’”, the young woman said. “They weren’t going to let me die, they decided to modify our home to make it more accessible and have never treated me any differently.”

STEWARDSHIP AWARENESS

“Everyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple.” Luke 14:33

When we first hear this statement, it seems that Jesus is making an unrealistic demand upon us. How can we renounce all of our possessions? We need them to live. However, what we must renounce is the belief that they belong to us. Everything that we have belongs to God alone. All of our resources are entrusted to us not only for our own use, but also so that we can help others. Once we renounce the ideas that we possess or are entitled to anything, it is much easier to share the many gifts that God has given us. Then we truly are His Disciples.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

TODAY - St. Paul Picnic Sunday, September 4. Kettle beef and Fried Chicken Dinners served from 11 am to 7 pm Air conditioned dining room, carry-out available. Live entertainment and games for all ages.

Let’s Help Fr. Blessing to the South.

Clay Shoot & Gun Raffle benefitting Immaculate Conception Old Monroe 8th grade Pro-Life Trip to DC. Sunday, Sept. 11 at 10 am at Black Hawk Valley Hunting Club, Old Monroe. 4 –Man Scramble, 14 stations, 56 targets. \$200 per team (early registration) \$220 day of. Registration forms on bulletin board or contact Clete Burkemper 636-262-5361 or cletesphone1@gmail.com

Immaculate Conception Fall Quilt Social Sunday, Sept. 11 at the NEW K of C Hall in Old Monroe at 1:00 pm. Ages 16 and over are welcome. Lunch served beginning at 11:30 am

BEYOND SUNDAY CAMPAIGN

The pledge amount for the **Beyond Sunday Campaign** is up to **ALMOST \$40,600.**

Thank you for your generosity!!!

READINGS FOR the WEEK of Sept. 5 - Sept. 11

Monday	1 Corinthians 5:1-8; Luke 6:6-11
Tuesday	1 Corinthians 6: 1-11; Luke 6:12-19
Wednesday	1 Corinthians 7:25-31; Luke 6:20-26
Thursday	Micah 5:1-4a; Matthew 1:1-16, 18-23
Friday	1 Corinthians 10:14-22; Luke 6:43-49
Saturday	1 Corinthians 11:17-26, 33; Luke 7:1-10
Sunday	Exodus 32:7-11,13-14; 1 Timothy 1:12-17 Luke 15: 1-32

Chicago August 15,2016

Dear Father Tichacek,

I was so happy and so honored to stay in your parish and preach a Mission Appeal.

Thank you very much for your warm welcome.

Convey my gratitude and greetings to your Christian Communities of Elsberry & Silex.

May our loving God continue blessing all of you.

With gratitude. Fr. Bernard

MASS

Christ makes this revelation: “If anyone comes to me without hating wife and children, even his own life, he cannot be my disciple.” St. Paul demonstrates the depths of his discipleship in sending back to Philemon the beloved Onesimus, who Paul cherishes as “my child, my own heart.” The Lord wants to give us a grace that exceeds even the love of a parent, a spouse, or a child. The kind of detachment that Jesus calls for in the Gospel today creates the desire that disposes us to receive all that God is eager to give us. Since “the earthen shelter weighs down the mind that has many concerns,” the Lord insists that we carry our own cross. For that cross separates us from anything that conforms us to our own inadequate ideas and measures, so that we can follow Christ faithfully.