

Sacred Heart Church

714 Lincoln Street
Elsberry, Missouri 63343
573-898-2202

Website: www.SacredHeartElsberry.org



LINCOLN COUNTY LIFE CHAIN SUNDAY

October 1, 2017
2:00 to 3:00 pm



Unite with Pro-Life Christians in a Prayerful,
Peaceful & Powerful Witness to Proclaim the
SANCTITY OF LIFE

You can be a link in the 30th National LIFE CHAIN which forms throughout The U.S. & Canada. This is a silent Prayer Vigil for our nation; and, for an End to abortion. Our Christian Community is a visual statement of solidarity which supports the sanctity of human life from the moment of Conception to natural death. Bring your Whole family! Rain or shine! Water, Lawn chairs, umbrellas & strollers are Welcome. Signs will be provided. Please stand 25-30 feet apart.

Sacred Heart Troy gather at the Hwy 61 frontage on the east side of the church.



All other county residents gather on the frontage behind the businesses at the end of Business Park Drive on the west side of Hwy 61.

More info? Call Betty Westhoff 636-566-8444

CHICKEN DINNER!

October 1st, November 5th and December 10th
11:00 am to 1:30 pm in the Parish hall
Sacred Heart Parish—Elsberry
Knights of Columbus



“All-you-can-eat:!! Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Cole Slaw Corn, Green Beans, Drinks and homemade Desserts

Let the Knights fix Sunday Dinner
Invite your friends!
Sit back and relax. Bring family and Guests. Enjoy a delicious Chicken dinner!



All-You-Can-Eat

- Adults - \$8.50
- Children (6 to 12) - \$4
- Children (5 and under) - Free
- Carry-outs Available Too!

Pastor: Rev. Charles P. Tichacek

Sunday Mass

8:00 am

Week Day Masses

Monday 7:00 pm Communion Service Thursday 7:30 am
Tuesday 8:00 am Communion Service Friday 7:30 am

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

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

**26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 1, 2017
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**MASS INTENTIONS
Oct. 2 - Oct. 8**

Mon. 7:00 pm Vocations
Tues. 8:00 am Tim DeMoulin
Thurs. 7:30 am Communion Service
Fri. 7:30 am Communion Service
Sun. 8:00 am Cecil, Madeline & Don Heitman

Feast Days

Mon. Guardian Angels
Wed. St. Francis of Assisi
Thurs. Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos
Fri. St. Bruno,
Blessed Marie Rose Durocher
Sat. **Our Lady of the Rosary**

September 24, 2017

Envelopes: \$ 1,949 Parish Improvement
Loose: \$ 813 \$ 0
Total: \$ 2,762

Money Counters Today: Mike Byers
Mike Shaffer
October 8: Pat Wood
Kaye Byers

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

HURRICAN HARVEY \$1,245
HURRICANE IRMA \$ 549

Thank you for your generosity!!

Sacred Heart Calendar of Events

Today: Mass 8:00 am
Today: PSR begins today 9:00 -10:15 am
Today: Adult Catechetical Apostolate
Mon., Oct. 2: Mass 7:00 pm
Tues., Oct. 3: Mass 8:00 am
Thurs., Oct. 5: Communion Service 7:30 am
Fri., Oct. 6: Communion Service 7:30 am

Thanks to everyone who participated in the Bake Sale,
either baking or buying or both.
We made **\$494.**

**MASS SCHEDULE AT ST. ALPHONSUS
Oct. 4- Oct. 8**

Wednesday 8:15 am Friday 8:15 am
Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 10:00 am
Phone # at St. Alphonsus 573-384-6223

**PAPAL INTENTION
OCTOBER 2017**

For all workers and the unemployed. May all workers receive respect and protection of their rights. May the unemployed receive the opportunity to contribute to the common good.

LECTORS

Sun. Oct. 8 8:00 am Sarah O'Brien
Sun. Oct. 15 8:00 am Sarah O'Brien

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
OF HOLY COMMUNION**

Sun. Oct. 8 8:00 am Nancy Boettcher &
Tim Heitman
Sun. Oct. 15 8:00 am Bill & Vickie
Lagemann

ALTAR SERVERS

Sun. Oct. 8 8:00 am Gavin Reller, Evan Wilson
Gabe Gonzalez
Sun. Oct. 15 8:00 am Mia Spurlock, Lena
Hagemeier & Gabini Gonzalez

GREETERS

Sun. Oct. 8 8:00 am Bob Smith &
Tammy Orf
Sun. Oct. 15 8:00 am Bob & Rose
Roller

GIFT BEARERS

Sun. Oct. 8 8:00 am Ed & Sarah O'Brien
Sun. Oct. 15 8:00 am Bob & Rose Roller



*Our sympathy to Charlie DeMoulin's family on the death of **Jim Henke.** May he rest in peace.*

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
Joe & Mary Buescher
Kim Tobiasz
Nancy McCullough
Jack Burkemper
Leroy Schramm
Ernest Ogden
Raymond Geosling
Trina Burnette
Cloyd Bridges
Jim Henke
Bob Smith
Margaret O'Brien

Terry Martin
Cecile Mesker
Jerry Heitman
Maurice Illy
Charlie DeMoulin
Eric Mueller
Andrew Heitman
Bonnie Kindred
Marvin Robinson
Darryl Brumm
The Merriman Family
Lilian Kelly
Bill Lagemann



Need a Priest?

Fr. Wissler, Sacred Heart Troy 636-528-8219 or

41st Annual Respect Life Convention

Sunday, October 22 at St. Charles Convention Center.
Schedule: Mass 9:30 am Luncheon & Keynote - 11:30 am
Workshops on Life Issues - 2:00 to 4:30 pm
Keynote Speaker: **Mr. John Foppe** Born without arms, John Foppe once led a miserable, dependent, and limited existence. Today, he is the Executive Director of the SVDP - Archdiocesan Council of St. Louis. **Call 898-2202 if you want to go.**

Sunday, October 1, 2017 Come join us with the Life Chain In Troy at 2:00 pm near Sacred Heart.

Do Not conform Yourself to this Age

St. Paul tells us, "Do not conform yourself to this age but... discern...what is good and pleasing..." Without doubt, the killing of innocent children in the womb is the pre-eminent moral evil of our age. It is for this reason that we must "not conform" to this grave injustice. As St. Paul tells us, we must instead stand on the side of truth and justice and "what is good and pleasing to God". We must recognize what both medical science and natural justice tell us: children in the womb are human persons with an inalienable right to life. Undoubtedly, the most important human rights issue of our age is to protect our "first neighbors"...- children in the womb.

THE OBEDIENCE OF FAITH

144 To obey (from the Latin *ob-audire*, to "hear or listen to") in faith is to submit freely to the word that has been heard, because its truth is guaranteed by God, who is Truth itself. Abraham is the model of such obedience offered us by Sacred Scripture. The Virgin Mary is its most perfect embodiment.

Jesus substitutes his obedience for our disobedience

615 "For as by one man's disobedience many were made sinners, so by one man's obedience many will be made righteous." By his obedience unto death, Jesus accomplished the substitution of the suffering Servant, who "makes himself an *offering for sin*," when "he bore the sin of many," and who "shall make many to be accounted righteous," for "he shall bear their iniquities." Jesus atoned for our faults and made satisfaction for our sins to the Father.

Evangelical counsels, consecrated life

915 Christ proposes the evangelical counsels, in their great variety, to every disciple. The perfection of charity, to which all the faithful are called, entails for those who freely follow the call to consecrated life the obligation of practicing chastity in celibacy for the sake of the Kingdom, poverty and obedience. It is the *profession* of these counsels, within a permanent state of life recognized by the Church, that characterizes the life consecrated to God.

1897 "Human society can be neither will-order nor prosperous unless it has some people invested with legitimate authority to preserve its institutions and to devote themselves as far as is necessary to work and care for the good of all."

By "authority" one means the quality by virtue of which persons or institutions make laws and give orders to men and expect obedience from them.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

St. Barnabas Annual Fall Festival—October 1st noon to 6 pm Live music, stands, kids and adult games. Fried chicken and sausage dinner. Adults \$12, children 6-112 \$5, under 6 Free. Grand raffle & Quilt raffle.

St. Mary's Hawk Point Fall Festival Pork Sausage & Turkey dinners served. **Oct. 1,** Dine-in or Carry out. Adults \$10, children 12 and under \$5, children under 5 free.

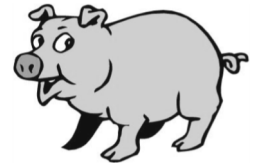
Immaculate Heart of Mary, New Melle Sausage Dinner & Craft Bazaar, Sunday October 8.

Immaculate Conception Dardenne Prairie Altar Call
Tues. Oct. 10 7 pm Call 636-561-6611 for more information

Sacred Heart Troy Men's Golf Tournament Sat., Oct. 14 at 8:00 am \$340/team . Call Phil Holland 314-494-4025

ST. ALPHONSUS MILLWOOD

Sausage Dinner & Meat Shoot
Sunday, October 15 11 - 5 pm
Adults \$10, children \$5 (12 and under)
Free preschoolers in dining room
For Fresh Meat Orders call
573-384-5305 (8 am -3 pm M-F) or
636-338-4606 (after 3 pm and week-ends) Order before Oct. 6



READINGS FOR the WEEK of Oct. 2– Oct. 8

Monday	Zechariah 8:1-8; Matthew 18:1-5, 10
Tuesday	Zechariah 8:20-23; Luke 9:51-56
Wednesday	Nehemiah 2:1-8; Luke 9:57-62
Thursday	Nehemiah 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Luke 10:1-12
Friday	Baruch 1:15-22; Luke 10:13-16
Saturday	Baruch 4:5-12, 27-29; Luke 10:17-24
Sunday	Isaiah 5:1-7; Philippians 4:6-9 Matthew 21:33-43

Immaculee Retreat on December 8 & 9, 2017

St. Gianna Catholic Church in Wentzville (450 E Hwy N), will host world renowned speaker Immaculee Ilibagiza. The retreat starts at 5 pm on Friday, Dec. 8, with doors opening at 4 pm to allow you to get the best seating. The cost of the event, including both days, is \$57 per person, or \$76 for two people. You may preregister online at

<https://www.immaculee.com/collections/retreats>

and click on 'Wentzville, MO' Retreat information. You may also call Rita Schulte at the St. Gianna Church office at 636-327-3639 to register and prepay. (Cash or checks accepted. Checks may be made out to "Immaculee"). The retreat will run from 5-9 pm Fri with a Holy Mass at 9 pm (Friday is the Feast of Immaculate Conception, a Holy Day of obligation), resuming at 8:30 am Saturday, concluding at 12:30 pm

Stewardship Awareness

"Do nothing out of selfishness; rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves..." Philippians 2:3

Pride and ego are hard things to control. We see how others act or dress and think we are superior to them. We idolize our own self-image. But, if we truly believe everything is a gift from God, we recognize all the people that God has put in our lives as gifts! We are grateful for how they enrich our lives. Pray every day for the people in your life.