



September 3, 2023

Sacred Heart Of Jesus Catholic Church

Established 1966

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MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parish of Sacred Heart, are committed to enriching the Spirituality of the parish family, the Christian community, and all brothers and sisters created in God's divine image and likeness. We are called by the Holy Spirit, under the leadership of our Bishop and Pastor, to assist others through the development and promotion of various ministries. We pray for Divine guidance that we may serve others with truth, courage, forethought and compassion.

Parish Council 1998

MASSES ARE AS FOLLOWS

Saturday — 6:00 p.m. and Sunday — 10:30 a.m.
with Rosary recited 30 minutes before Saturday Mass

WEEK DAY MASS

Wednesday — 10:00 a.m. in the Church
9:00 a.m. Adoration and Benediction
Anointing of the Sick is the First Wednesday of Each Month

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION MASSES

12:05 p.m. Day of the Holy Day

Reconciliation

Sunday: 10:10 a.m. before 10:30 am Mass
Wednesday: 9:00 - 9:45 a.m. before 10:00 am Mass

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday — 9:00 a.m. — 2:00 p.m.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Pre K 3 through High School — Sunday at 9:00 a.m.
September — May

O.C.I.A. (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)

For those interested in exploring the Catholic Faith
Sunday at 9:15 - 10:15 a.m. September — May

BULLETIN NOTICE DEADLINE

— **MONDAY 1:00 PM for the following Sunday's bulletin** —

Please email your request to libbyac@sacredheartshreveport.org
You can drop it off at the church office or place your written announcement in the collection basket on Saturdays or Sundays.

Thank you.

BAPTISM: Call the office three months prior to anticipated birth to schedule a preparation class after which a Baptism date can be scheduled.

FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION: Please contact Aga Chandler, Coordinator of Religious Ed.

MARRIAGE: Contact the office six months prior to anticipated wedding date. Pre-Cana is required for all engaged couples and should be attended at least three months before the wedding.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK & MINISTRY OF CARE: If you or someone you know is seriously ill, hospital or home bound, and would like the Anointing of the Sick, please call the Church office to make arrangements to have a priest come and visit. The Eucharist can also be brought to homebound parishioners by an Extraordinary Minister.

WE WELCOME YOU AND INVITE YOU

to fill out a form to become a member of our special Little Church with the Big Heart. The green census forms are located in the back of the Church. You may put the completed form in the collection basket, mail it to the office, or bring it in during office hours. We welcome you to our family.

BIENVENIDO A LOS RECIÉN LLEGADOS!

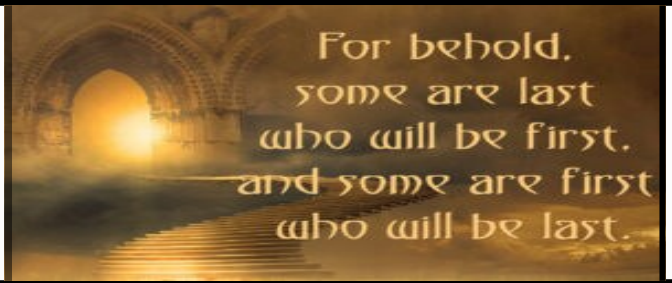
Por favor rellene un formulario de censo situado en el vestíbulo de la Iglesia. Usted puede poner el formulario en la cesta de la colección, enviarlo por correo a la Oficina o llamar a su información a la Oficina de la parroquia durante las horas de oficina.

Nosotros le damos la bienvenida a nuestra familia.

**Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 3, 2023**

"Whoever wishes to come after me, must deny himself, take up his cross then follow me."

Matthew: 16:21-27



Masses for the Week

09/02 SAT.	6:00 p.m.	†	STANLEY & TERESA ROQUE
09/02 SAT.	6:00 p.m.	†	FAY CUNNINGHAM
09/03 SUN.	10:30 a.m.	†	LE THI HAO (MARIE)
09/03 SUN.	10:30 a.m.	†	TERRY & MARY KAY JONES
09/03 SUN.	10:30 a.m.	†	GRACE LACOUR
09/04 MON.			OFFICE CLOSED FOR LABOR DAY (WILL BE BACK WED. 9/6/23)
09/06 WED.	9:00 a.m.		ADORATION, BENEDICTION AND CONFESSION
09/06 WED.	10:00 a.m.	†	V.J. CONNER
09/09 SAT.	6:00 p.m.	†	SIDNEY RACHAL, JR.
09/09 SAT.	6:00 p.m.	†	RAYNETTE SEPULVADO
09/09 SAT.	6:00 p.m.	†	CHRIS EBARB & EUNICE EBARB
09/10 SUN.	10:30 a.m.	†	PARISHIONERS OF SACRED HEART & ST. MARY'S

by: Maria Parker
by: Claudia LaRoux
by: An Cao
by: Joseph Jones
by: Pat LaCour

by: Claudia LaRoux

by: Severine Rachal
by: Jimmy & Bonnie Martinez
by: The Family

SAT., SEP. 2 - 6:00 PM

SUN., SEP. 3 - 10:30 AM

SAT., SEP. 9 - 6:00 PM

SUN., SEP. 10 - 10:30 AM

**Reader 1
Reader 2**

**Bea Cernigliaro
Mary Kay Efferson**

**Jean Woods
Loreta Leavitt**

**Andrea Feeney
Dan Feeney**

**Scarlett Florence
Kathleen Candler**

**EMHC1
EMHC2**

**Roberta Moses
Deacon Clary Nash**

**Jennifer Callicoatte
Bryce Britnell**

**Richard Guzman
Deacon Clary Nash**

**Jennie Taylor
Patricia Terrell**

**Altar Server A
Altar Server B**

Richard Guzman

**Eva Callicoatte
Joe Callicoatte**

Walt Recker

**Laykin McIntyre
Skylar McIntyre/Jacie Harris**

**OCIA (Formerly RCIA)
Is scheduled to start on September 10, 2023.**

We are actively seeking individuals who feel that God is inviting them to a closer relationship with Him, who hear a call to learn more about God, and to consider an invitation to the Catholic Church

Curious about Catholicism? Whether you are a long-time Catholic interested in brushing up on the basics or wondering what Catholicism is all about, the perfect place to start is the Order of Christian Initiation for Adults. OCIA begins regular Sunday classes September 10th at 9:15 AM with refreshments offered at 9:00 AM. Come one, come all. Signing up in the narthex helps us order study materials. See the lady in the back of the church after Mass for topics and more information.

The meetings will follow the "Journey of Faith" program covering all topics relating to Catholicism. Meetings will begin Sunday, September 10 in the Rectory from 9:15 – 10:15.



The Sanctuary Lamp Burns

Sept. 3, thru Sept. 9, 2023

For Repose of the Soul of

"Mary Kay Jones"

by: Rosalyn & Paul Tuminello

SAINT VINCENT de PAUL

Is there a neighbor or friend of yours who is in temporary need because of a loss of a job or an illness? Please leave a message for the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul....we want to help!
We can be reached Monday - Friday between the hours of 9 am to 11 am & between 1 pm to 3 pm at 318-865-7807.

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SUICIDE HOTLINE — 1-877-994-2275**

If you are out of town and would like to find a mass near you. Go to www.MassTimes.org or call 734-794-2100.

Sacred Heart Church Calendar September 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
3) 9:30 Choir Practice 10:30 Mass	4) Office Closed 	5) 	6) 9:00 Hour of Adoration 9:35 Reconciliation 9:45 Benediction 10:00 Mass 10:30 Anointing of the sick	7) 10:00 Radiant Yoga- Gabriel Hall	1) 6:00 Mass	2) 6:00 Mass
10) 9:00 PSR 9:15 OCIA IN RECTORY 9:30 Choir Practice 10:30 Mass	11) 	12) 10:30 am Catholic Women's League Luncheon @ St. Pius X 6:30 - KC social @ KC Hall	13) 9:00 Hour of Adoration 9:35 Reconciliation 9:45 Benediction 10:00 Mass 10:30 Ladies Guild in G.H.	14) 10:00 Radiant Yoga- Gabriel Hall	15) 12 - 3 pm - Family Fun Day at KoC Hall 6:00 Mass	16) 12 - 3 pm - Family Fun Day at KoC Hall 6:00 Mass
17) 9:00 Family of Faith in G.H. 9:15 OCIA IN RECTORY 9:30 Choir Practice 10:30 Mass Catechetical Sunday	18)	19) 10:30 Senior Outing @ Robinson Film Center to watch Dr. No & Lunch Following (Register on line or call Jean Lichtfuss)	20) 9:00 Hour of Adoration 9:35 Reconciliation 9:45 Benediction 10:00 Mass	21) 10:00 Radiant Yoga-Gabriel Hall Happy Birthday Deacon Clary 6:00 Community Council Mtg in G.H.	22) 6:00 Mass	23) 6:00 Mass 
24) 9:00 PSR 9:15 OCIA IN RECTORY 9:30 Choir Practice 10:30 Mass 11:30 am - 2:30 pm Fall Fair	25)	26)	27) 9:00 Hour of Adoration 9:35 Reconciliation 9:45 Benediction 10:00 Mass 12:00 Finance Mtg	28) 10:00 Radiant Yoga- Gabriel Hall	29)	30) 6:00-9:30 pm GATHER - Fall Youth Event at St. Jude's Church

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

9/1	Darius	Pierre	9/20	Floyd	Hawthorne
9/2	Marie	Dunn	9/21	Geraldine	Boyd
9/2	Adam	Henson	9/21	Chris	Eggl
9/3	Candice	Hanson	9/21	Clary	Nash
9/3	Latricia	Robinson	9/22	Lekisha	Cason
9/6	Scarlett	Florence	9/22	Matthew	Jones
9/7	Abigail	Gould	9/22	LaByria	Laneaux
9/10	Natividad	Flores	9/22	Charles	Lyles, Jr.
9/10	Judy	Meyers	9/22	Steven	Rhodes
9/11	Darlene	Cain	9/22	Jonathan	White
9/12	Jaicee	Harris	9/22	Lekisha	White
9/12	Larry	Njagu	9/23	Steve	Morton
9/12	Patricia	Terrell	9/24	Cathy	Morton
9/13	Doug	Long	9/25	Troy	Hayes, Jr.
9/14	Mary	Chauvin	9/25	Robert	LaBorde
9/15	Leigh-Anne	Jones	9/26	Julia	Coghlan
9/15	Adam	Oliver	9/27	Alyssa	Wanjeri
9/16	Faith	Jackson	9/27	Samantha	White
9/16	Brittania	Rayburn	9/28	Lori	Broussard
9/16	John	Schaefer	9/28	Brittney	Green
9/17	Jithin	Mathews	9/28	Glenda	Holley
9/17	Diana	Reyes	9/28	Joseph	Sepulvado
9/20	Les	Brosset	9/28	Zayden	Theus

SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

Les & Mardie Brosset	9/23/1961
Bill & Cathy Flynn	9/26/1986
Martin & Lorena Robison	9/26/1986
Tim & Elaine Smith	9/18/1982



Sep 04—Monday, office closed for Labor Day
 Sep 09—Youth Group Meet and Greet from 3-6 pm at Willis' Residence
 Sep 10—9:00 am—First Day of PSR
 Sep. 10—OCIA begins—Rectory—9:15 am to 10:15 am
 Sep 12—CWL at St. Pius X— Mtg. at 10:30 am. Cost for luncheon \$12.00
 Sep 13—Ladies Guild 1st Mtg in Fall at 10:30 am—Gab. Hall
 Sep 16—KofC Family Fun Day—Noon til 3:00 pm. Fun, games & fellowship.
 Sep 17—9 a.m. Family of Faith Gathering will resume-G.H. from 9 am to 10:15 am
 Sep 17—St. Mary's 50th Anniversary Mass & Meal
 Sep 19— Senior Outing-10:30 am-Robinson Film Center-See bulletin for info.
 Sep 24—Parish Picnic after Sunday Mass
 Oct 15—9 am Family of Faith Gathering
 Oct 22—9:45 am Living Rosary led by Youth
 Oct 20-22—Rachel's Vineyard Retreat (Healing Retreat)
 Oct 29—11:30 am Trunk-or-Treat



PSR (PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION)

Family of Faith Gatherings will resume on September 17th. All families are warmly welcome to join us this Fall! The goal of this program is to encourage and equip you to live and teach your children the Catholic Faith at home. The meetings will take place in Gabriel Hall from 9:00 am till 10:15 am every 3rd Sunday of the month.

Youth Group Meet and Greet will take place on Saturday, September 9th at the Willis' Residence from 3-6 pm. All youth in grades 7 through 12 are invited. Bring your swimming suit and a friend!

Aga Chandler, PSR Coordinator

COME ONE COME ALL TO S.H. FALL FAIR
September 24th 11:30 am – 2:00 pm



1/3 pound hamburger, OR 1/4 pound hotdog, chips and a drink for \$7.

We will have The Big Kahuna Splash. 3-legged race to the finish line. Pick your partner and play; Cake Walk with delicious treats from Ladies Guild; Find a partner and play Cornhole Tournament; Water balloon toss; Bingo for all; Face painting and of course the ZOO with horseback rides.

If you want to take your chance getting doused on the Big Kahuna, or you want to enter the Cornhole Tournament, please let Cathy Flynn know by calling the office or send her an email. No age limit on this.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



The "Little Church with the Big Heart" always applies throughout the entire year

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Today, we hear Jesus say to us, "For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it." The challenge is to let go so God can lead us.

Have you considered answering the call to help serve the poor by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul?

Joe Glorioso is doing a wonderful job keeping the pantry full. Cost of utilities was \$585.15. Janis Parker carefully vets the people in need. **We still need a couple of people or small group to take over the clothing side. Come give it a try to see if this is your calling. God is calling your name.**

HEALING WEEKEND RETREAT RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat: If you or someone you love is hurting from an abortion, please call the dedicated line: 318-588-1064 for information, or visit the website at www.rachelsvineyard.org. Absolute confidentiality is maintained by team members and participants prior to, during, and following the Rachel's Vineyard Retreats. The next Rachel's Vineyard Retreat will be **October 20-22, 2023.**

Lucky Calendar Numbers 2023 Winners

August 20 - 26, 2023

Date	Amt.	No.	Winner	sold by:
8/20 Sun.	\$ 50.00	# 644	Ada M.	sold by Walt R.
8/21 Mon.	\$ 25.00	# 349	No Winner	
8/22 Tue.	\$ 25.00	# 212	No Winner	
8/23 Wed.	\$ 25.00	# 064	No Winner	
8/24 Thu.	\$ 25.00	# 066	No Winner	
8/25 Fri.	\$ 25.00	# 090	No Winner	
8/26 Sat.	\$ 35.00	# 973	Frank M.	sold by Sharon B.

Congratulations to Mike McGowan at St. Pius X. He won the \$250 Visa Gift Card drawing on August 27th.

YOUTH GROUP DIRECTOR NEEDED

Our Youth Director, Scarlett Florence is moving to Georgia at the end of September. She will be greatly missed by our youth and all parishioners. So, therefore, we need to find someone that can fill her position of Youth Group Leader.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FAMILY FUN DAY

Come join the Knights of Columbus 3779 for Family Fun Day, Sept. 16, 2023 from 12 Noon to 3:30 p.m. at Knights of Columbus Hall, 5853 Buncombe Road, Shreveport, La 71129. Enjoy the Bounce House, Cornhole, Horse Shoes, Soccer Penalty Kick and Free Throw Shooting Contest. Family, Food, Fun, Faith and Fellowship. Any questions please call Steve Morton 318-272-4322.

2023 Gather West—Parish Registration Packet

Who: Youth in the 6th thru 12th grades in this Diocese
What: 2023 Gather West
When: Sat., September 30, 2023, from 6:00-9:30 pm
Where: St. Jude Catholic Church (4700 Palmetto Rd., Benton, LA 71006)
Why: This event will be an opportunity for youth throughout the deanery to "Gather" for food, fellowship, faith, and fun! Our speaker is Braden Johnson. He speaks to create a culture of young people who are passionate and excited about their faith.

**Scripture Readings
For the Week of Sept. 3, 2023**

Sun: Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jer 20:7-9; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Rom 12:1-2; Mt 16:21-27

Mon: 1 Thes 4:13-18; Ps 96:1 & 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13; Lk 4:16-30

Tue: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 4:31-37

Wed: Col 1:1-8; Ps 52:10, 11; Lk 4:38-44

Thur: Col 1:9-14; Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11

Fri: Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Mt 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6ab, 6c; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or
Mt 1:18-23

Sat: Memorial of Saint Peter Claver, Priest
Col 1:21-23; Ps 54:3-4, 6 & 8; Lk 6:1-5

Sun: Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Ez 33:7-9; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Rom 13:8-10; Mt 18:15-20

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE LUNCHEON (CWL) will be hosted by the Ladies of St. Pius X Catholic Ch. on Tuesday, Sept. 12th. Registration will start at 9:30 am and meeting starts promptly at 10:30 am. Cost of the luncheon is \$12.00. Please bring white elephant gifts in a gift bag or paper bag. They will be sold for 50 cents. Also, please call your reservation into Elaine Smith at 318-453-4145 as soon as possible. The guest speaker is Anna Maria Lannetti from the Convent of Sisters of Our Lady of Sorrows.

Weekly Collections

Weekly Collection Needed	\$ 4,772.00
Regular Collection — Aug. 26 & 27, 2023	\$ 5,580.00
Children's Offering — Aug. 26 & 27, 2023	\$ 2.66
On-line Giving for August	\$ 1,534.89
Total for August 26 & 27, 2023	\$ 7,117.55

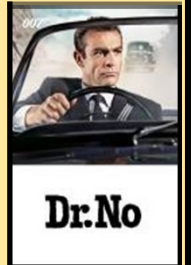
Attendance: Aug. 26 & 27, 2023 — 189

We have a 2nd collection for the University of America on September 9 & 10, 2023.

Senior Outing: Tuesday, Sept. 19th at 10:30 am.
Robinson Film Center Silver Screening & Lunch.
617 Texas St., Sport, LA 71101 (318)459-4122.

Buy tickets: in advance: Select Silver
Screenings—AARP \$11.00

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In the film that launched the James Bond saga, Agent 007 battles mysterious Dr. No, a Scientific genius bent on destroying the U.S. space program. As the countdown to disaster begins, Bond must go to Jamaica, where he encounters beautiful Honey Ryder, to confront a megalomaniacal villain in his massive island headquarters.

Action, 1962, 105 min., PG. Join us for an action packed Silver Screenings featuring the James Bond Classic and a themed lunch afterward! Hope to see you there!