



SACRED HEART of JESUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

~ Bethlehem • Founded 1833 ~

October 26, 2025
30th. Sunday in Ordinary Time

5742 State Route 61 S.
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A Sister Parish with St. Joseph, Crestline.

Tuesday

6:30 pm - Mass at Sacred Heart

*Mass Intention: For the People of
Sacred Heart and St. Joseph Parishes*

Wednesday

8:30 am - Mass at Sacred Heart

*Mass Intention: Mark Rietschlin;
George Hines Family*

Thursday

5:30 pm - Confession at St. Joseph

6:30 pm - Mass at St. Joseph

Mass Intention: Daniel Rinaldi

Friday

8:30 am - Mass at St. Joseph

Mass Intention: For our Lawmakers

Saturday

All Saints Day

9:00 am - All Saints Mass

St. Joseph

*Mass Intention: For the Souls in Purga-
tory*

3:30 pm - Confession at SHJ

4:30 pm - Mass at Sacred Heart

*Mass Intention: Deceased of Clarence
Studer Family; Rodney Cole*

Sunday

All Souls Day

7:00 am - Mass at St. Joseph

*Mass Intentions: For the Living and De-
ceased of the Rhodes Family*

8:30 am - Mass at Sacred Heart

*Mass Intention: For the Deceased of
Sacred Heart Parish*

10:30 am - Mass at St. Joseph

*Mass Intention: For a Successful surgery
for Tara Vernon*

Greetings Parishioners,

This year for our all souls Mass we will be doing things a little bit differ-
ently. The reason it will be a little different is because "All Souls Day"
lands on Sunday this year.

This year we will NOT BE having the families process one by one with
candles before Mass as we usually do. The reason for this is because
of the time constants that I have between the Sacred Heart morning
Mass and the St. Joseph morning Mass that day.

We will have the following though concerning the All Souls Masses:

- 1.) To begin Mass I will read the names of the faithful departed from
our parish last year.
- 2.) We will have a banner with all their names written upon it as well in
remembrance of them.
- 3.) Also we will have candles at the side altar to represent the light of
Christ in the deceased.
(These candles will be lit during Mass times)

What a neat opportunity to celebrate All Souls Day at our Sunday litur-
gies. This is very uncommon to have this Mass on a Sunday. So un-
common that I bet in my 6 times celebrating All Souls at our parishes
... many have probably never witnessed me wear my black vestments.
They are certainly my cleanest and smoothest vestments as I only
wear them once a year. lol

May the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God ... rest
in peace.

**In Christ,
Fr. Jeff**



COLLECTION:

Oct. 19, 2025
\$ 2,113.55

Reg. Offertory
1,928.55

General Maintenance
40.00

Propagation of Faith
45.00

Fuel
100.00



Online
TBD

Heart of Bethlehem
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LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Wednesday, October 29
School Mass & Rosary

Saturday, Nov. 1**MUSIC MINISTER**

Kevin Willis

SERVERS

*Charlie & Veronica
Rietschlin*

OFFERTORY

Steve Gosser Family

**EXTRAORDINARY
MINISTERS**

*Laurie Metzger, Kelsey Keller
Jake Rietschlin*

USHERS

Steve & Nick

Gosser

LECTOR

Laurie Metzger

Sunday, Nov. 2.**MUSIC MINISTER**

Beeson Family Choir

SERVERS

*Deacon Wyer
Thea Jordan*

OFFERTORY

Charles & Teresa Jessee Family

**EXTRAORDINARY
MINISTERS**

*Jerry & Deb Schumacher
Marti Keller*

USHERS

Joe Faith & John Bonen

LECTOR

Tara Finnegan

COUNTERS

*Kristi Faith, Cindy Keller
Veronica Cain*

(Please check Ministry Scheduler Pro
for the most up to date assignments)

Bible Readings for the Week of October 26, 2025

Monday

Rom 8:12-17, Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7b, 20-21, Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday

Eph 2:19-22, Ps 19:2-5, Lk 6:12-16

Wednesday

Rom 8:26-30, Ps 13:4-6, Lk 13:22-30

Thursday

Rom 8:31b-39, Ps 109:21-22, 26-27, 30-31, Lk 13:31-35

Friday

Rom 9:1-5, Ps 147:12-15, 19-20, Lk 14:1-6

Saturday

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14, Ps 24:1b-4ab, 5-6, 1Jn 3:1-3, Mt 5:1-12a

Sunday

Wis 3:1-9, Ps 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6, Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9, Jn 6:37-40

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Baptismal Congratulations

Congratulations to Cody and Taylor Gosser on the baptism of their daughter, Berkley May Gosser, last Saturday by Deacon Steve.

God Bless Berkley and her Family!

Turkey Shoot



Sacred Heart annual turkey shoot & chili supper will be held **November 9th**. Donations of items to be used in raffle baskets are very much appreciated! Please leave them at the parish office by **November 2nd**. Signup sheets for workers and food donations are on the registers! **Please pick up your packets to help us save on postage!**

We will be conducting an **Early Bird Drawing on October 29th**. Tickets and payment must be received prior to the 29th. to be entered into the drawing. The seller of the winning ticket will receive a free jackpot ticket. **Thank you!**

World Mission Sunday Missionaries of Hope Among All Peoples

Thank you for your generous response to the collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith last weekend on World Mission Sunday. You may stay connected year-round to the Pope's missions, continuing the commitment of World Mission Sunday by visiting MISSIO.org.

Next Weekend: Right to Life Ad Collection

As in previous years, Sacred Heart Church has donated to the Pro Life Ads that will appear in 4 area newspapers and online the week of January 11, 2026. Well funded demonic forces are working feverishly to influence states to enshrine abortion. With over 1 million abortions performed in 2024 we need to work harder than ever to defend life! Next weekend look for a representative in the back of church collecting for these ads and pray for a change in hearts and minds!

Misericordia Fund "Mercy"

Thank you for your generous donations to get this fund started! Your first envelope packets for 2026 should have the new fund envelopes included. If you do not typically receive envelopes check the podium in the back of church for envelopes or include the fund name on the memo line of your check.

Hallowtide Cemetery Clean-up Saturday, November 1st 10-Noon

Please bring a pair of gloves, rakes, brooms etc. and help keep our cemetery clean and tidy for our loved ones. Plan on picking up sticks, removing grass clippings and cleaning headstones as needed. Stop in anytime! For more information contact Stefanie Kuntz at 740-624-2752.

St. Ignatius Parish Book Fair is coming soon! Mark your calendars for **Wednesday, November 5th from 6:00-7:00 PM in the Parish Hall**.



What to Expect

- A carefully curated selection of **religious and inspirational books**
- Titles that celebrate Catholic values and faith
- Books for all ages - children, teens, and adults
- Affordable prices and great selection

Everyone is welcome! Come browse, shop, and support our parish's commitment to meaningful and virtuous reading.

Cash and credit cards accepted

High School PSR

Nov. 5, 12 & 19; Dec 3.

Join Steve and Sheila at the Sacred Heart Parish Center from 7- 8:00pm. Hope to See you there!



Save the Date(s)

Altar & Rosary End of year and Christmas party Open to all women of Sacred Heart parish

Come one come all to celebrate at the Parish Hall **Thursday Dec 4 at 5:30**. Food and drink provided by Altar and Rosary. We have our new officers for next year in Megan Ratliff, Carrie Kemerer, Maggie Heiby and Bridget Milligan so we won't be asking for volunteers!! So just come and enjoy food and fellowship.. Please rsvp to Rhonda Gregson 610-505-8380 or Taylor Gosser 567-303-8038. Hope to see you there!



"Annual Sacred Heart Parish Christmas Cookie Exchange, in the school gym following 8:30 AM Mass **Sunday, December 14**. Bring 2 dozen of your favorite Christmas cookie, candy, breads, etc & be prepared to exchange with fellow parishioners & leave with many treats to enjoy for the Advent season. Contact Taylor Gwartz with any questions"

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Area Events

November 1: Hallowtide cemetery clean up 10-Noon at Sacred Heart cemetery

November 2: St. Gaspar del Bufalo Catholic Church, Bellevue drive thru pork chop dinner. 11:00am until sold out.

November 4: Marvin Memorial Library Veterans Program & light lunch @ 1:00pm 

November 5: St. Ignatius Book Fair 6-7:00pm

November 5: High School PSR 7:00pm

November 8: Marvin Memorial Library Presents Sean Beeson performing at 11:30am. And on **December 6** at 11:30am.

November 9: Sacred Heart Annual Turkey Shoot

November 16: St. Gaspar del Bufalo, Bellevue over 18 Bingo

F.I.S.H. food pantry most needed items:

***All non perishable foods are always accepted.
The most needed items include: beef stew , chili, canned
potatoes, oatmeal packets and tuna helper
Thank you for your continued support!***

*****This is entirely separate from the Community
Christmas Program***

November Birthdays:



Victoria Reef	3	Sam Goodman	21
Pat Zitko	6	Barry Claytor	22
Cindy Picou	6	Kathy Cole	26
Charles Schroeder	16	Linda Schroeder	27
Deb Mazander	18	David Sutter	28
Debbie Gwartz	18		

Thank you Barkdull Funeral Home!

***Barkdull Funeral Home has once again provided
us with gorgeous Catholic Expressions calendars.
Pick yours up on the back registers.***



***Our traveling vocations cross is looking
for a home for November and beyond.
Please call the parish office if you are
interested!***