



Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church

Rev. John G. McDonald, Pastor
Welcome to all visitors and parishioners!

June 30, 2024

Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time



Christ Raising Jairus's Daughter William Blake c.1799

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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Parish Mission Statement

We, the faith community of Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church, in striving to be like Christ, are committed to living the Gospel by participating in the Sacraments, promoting spiritual growth and religious education, and being an example of His Eucharistic love.

MASS TIMES

Saturday
Reconciliation 3:30PM - 4:30PM
Mass 5:00 PM
Sunday Mass
9:00 AM and 11:00 AM,
1:00 PM (Misa en Español)

Holy Days

7:00 AM, 12 Noon and 6:30 PM

A Message from our Pastor

Dear Parish Family,

Jesus' touch heals the unclean. The Gospel presents us with a person who has been suffering with a sickness that makes her ritually unclean. She has suffered for twelve years, considered to be the fullness of her adult life. The "unclean" sickness also forbids her, through Jewish precept, to even enter the Temple area to worship God, so for this reason, her faith draws her to Jesus, walking in the midst of the crowds. Somehow she perceives that even His garments can transmit the healing she seeks. And it is true. She is healed. The combination of Jesus' power, when touched by faith like hers, makes wondrous healings possible.

The Eucharist we celebrate each Sunday is the miracle of a broken, tortured, and wounded body made whole, healed, glorified, and resurrected by God's direct action in our lives and in this world. Jesus wanted to know who touched Him in order to praise her faith and give us a hint that before long, His own body would give forth blood, and He would be considered by the authorities to be unclean, but still His Body and His touch heal. This is the reality of the Eucharist we celebrate.

In the same way, the Church is meant to be that broken body that allows itself to be healed by God's power and grace. The Church is a body often made up of broken members. You and I encounter brokenness in ourselves we encounter uncleanness, we encounter all sorts of human weakness. But somehow, the gift of faith calls out to us to lift up our face to Jesus, to seek to touch Him, to be healed by Him, to receive His power to battle our demons. The Holy Eucharist is not a prize for good behavior for the perfect followers of Jesus, it is rather a powerful medicine that has the effect of a total healing. The scripture we read this Sunday proclaims that Jesus wanted to know who touched Him not only because He knew that His power had healed her body, He wanted to make sure she knew that His power had healed her soul as well.

Now it is for the Christian, unclean and broken, to approach Jesus with faith, and through His beautiful touch in the Sacrament of Reconciliation and in the Eucharist, be made clean, whole, restored, and healed, a full participant in the covenant of Love God has made with His people.

In His Most Sacred Heart,

Fr. John



Co-Ed Church Softball Team

We are in need of individuals age 16 and up to play in a Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church Co-ed Softball League! Games are played in the evenings and begin in July. Please contact the church office or Josh Cofield to learn more.



Sacred Heart Youth

HAVE
FUN

Sacred Heart Youth in grades 7th-12th are invited to join our youth group leaders and seminarians for an evening of fun. We will be playing soccer, cornhole and other fun outside activities. Snacks and dinner provided. We will begin at 6pm and finish at 8pm. Meet in the front of the church!

JOIN US

Church Activities

Sacred Heart Choir



If you would be interested in more about being a part of our adult choir, please join us in the choir loft at 9am Mass during the month of July. We will be singing familiar hymns and it would be a wonderful moment to practice with our choir and see if it is something you would like to join!





Immaculate Heart of Mary
 Parish Life Center Pledged: \$531,765.20
 Total Collected Last Week: \$6,380.00
 Total Collected Overall: \$742,077.00



Grass Cutting Ministry
 June 23rd-July 6th
 Tony Moyer,
 Sun Nguyn, Bert Collison, Jim
 Coverstone, Hoan Nguyen

This Week

Monday

10am-St. Hildegard's

Tuesday

7:00am Mass

6:00pm-Choir Practice-Church

6:00pm-8:00pm-Scouts-Activity Center

Wednesday

7:00am Mass

Thursday

7:00am Mass

Friday

7:00am Mass

Saturday

8:00am Mass

3:30pm Confessions

5:00pm Mass

Sunday

9:00am Mass

11:00am Mass

1:00pm Mass en español



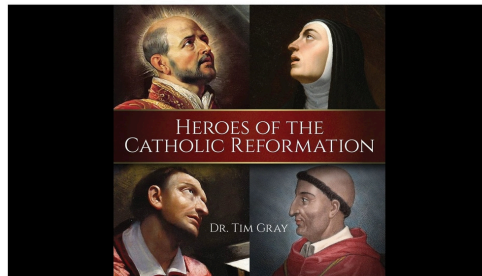
The church office will be closed on Thursday, July 4th and Friday, July 5th in observance of the holiday. We will return to normal hours on Monday, July 8th.

First Friday Adoration

Friday, July 5th is First Friday Adoration in front of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Please sign up for an hour of prayer in the vestibule. Mass begins at 7 am and adoration will continue throughout the day until benediction at 6:00 pm.



If you are interested in dropping off items at our storage unit for next years yard sale, please contact Pauline Anderson or the church office to schedule a drop off time.



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An offering from the AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE and gratias press

This weeks Second Collection is for the Mission Cooperative Appeal

ParishSOFT
 Connecting People and the Church



New to the parish?
 Need to register?

Visit our website at www.sacredheartanniston.org and click on the link next to the image you see here.

You can connect to our online registration.



Save the Date!
 Ladies Guild
 Decades Dance
 August 17, 2024

The Center of Concern is in need of bottled water. They distribute water to those in need and the homeless during the hot, summer months. You can leave your donation in the box in the narthex or drop it off at the Center of Concern.



Daily Mass Schedule

Saturday, June 29th

5pm-----+Audrey Swartwood

Sunday, June 30th

9 am-----+Matt Pepe

11am -----Parish Family

1 pm -----+Maria Del Refugio Peralta Barbosa

Tuesday, July 2nd

7am-----Mary and Buck Henry

Wednesday, July 3rd

7am-----+Walter Loescher

Thursday, July 4th

7am-----+Bernadette Thomasson

Friday, July 5th

7am-----Pamela Edwards

Saturday, July 6th

8am---Health of Parish Family

5pm-----+Audrey Swartwood

Sunday, July 7th

9 am-----+George Sidloskas

11am -----Parish Family

1 pm -----+Maria Del Refugio Peralta Barbosa



The flowers at the altar are offered in loving memory of Audrey Swartwood, given by Beth Brouillette.

The Flowers in front of the altar are given in loving memory of Matt Pepe given by his family.

MINISTER'S SCHEDULE

July 6th&7th

Lectors

5pm-----Allen Smith

9 am -----Nan Estes

11 am ----- Richard Curtin

Eucharistic Ministers

5pm --Corinne Hopper

9 am (choir) -----Cathy Fockele

(Now that Deacon Cova is with us on Sundays we will no longer need an EM at 11am and only a choir EM at 9am.)

Ushers

5pm -Jesse Edwards, Jim Coverstone

9 am ---Tony Moyer, Sun Nguyen

11am---Stepen Flores, Thom Pratt

Sacristans

5pm ---- Keila Sevgi, sub requested

9 am ---Nick and Tristn Bonds

11am---Kelly Matson, Glori H Whitaker

Hospitality

5 am -----Linda Chenard

9am-----Lindsay Tyson

11am -----Margaret Roberts

Hospital Ministry

July 1st-8th---Sharon Anderson

Mass Attendance June 23rd & 24th

5:00 pm-----133

9:00 am -----192

11:00 am -----169

1:00 pm -----386

UPCOMING SCRIPTURE READINGS

July 6th&7th

Fourteenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time

Ez 2:2 – 5 •

Ps 123:1 – 2, 2, 3 – 4

• 2 Cor 12:7 – 10 •

Mk 6:1 – 6a

Weekly Offertory

Offertory:\$12,747.00

Online:\$1,952.08

Total:\$14,699.08

Online Giving

You can make your offertory gift by scanning the QR code which links directly to our online giving website.

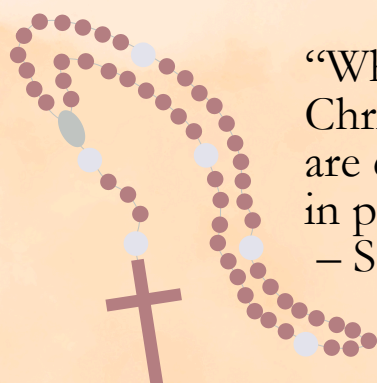
SCAN
ME!



Prayers Requested

Cathy Little, Kitty Moore, John Winn, Migdalia Santiago, Chris Clement, Jim Roberts, Andrew Wackerle, Teresa Atkins, Nan Estes, Carolyn Brouillette, Isabela Gomez, Telly & Michelle Munn, Robert Pate, Janet Reese, Brenda Marcelino, Connie & Everett Pollard, Bobby Yates, Lillian Jennings, Jessica Haas, Benny & Marilyn Holderfield, Gail Foster, Cirilo Vizcaya, Stephanie Velasquez, Dan and Judy Myers, Rita Lindsey, Janet Griffin, Brandon Mancillas, Alex Navarro, Elizabeth-Anne Heathcock, Diane Seales, Debbie Buzan, Julianne & Oliver Semmes, Tom Beam, Sharon Coverstone, Chris Warden, Michael Ingram, Sandie Pasquinelli, Bob Anderson, Allison Doyal, Sandy Demarois, Sheri Ballard, Mark Scheuring, Beverley Pletcher, JoAnn Nelson, Manuel Becerra Acevedo, Cameron Chenard, Jo Greathouse, Samantha Presson, Shirley Koshan, Scott Presson, Jim Pierce, Paula and Mark Crews, Micky Zielenski, Jamie Seehafer

“What does it serve to have Christ in your heart when you are embarrassed to profess Him in public?”
– St. Augustine of Hippo



Our Holy Father's Prayer Intention



For migrants fleeing their homes
We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.