Sacred Heart Parish A Roman Catholic Faith Community



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Liturgical Schedule:

Saturday: 4:30 P.M. Sunday: 8:00 A.M. and 10:15 A.M.

Daily Mass Schedule 8:00 A.M. (Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday)

Holy Days: 8 a.m. 12:10 & 7p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays 3:30 P.M.- 4:15 P.M. or anytime by appointment.

Sacred Heart Parish, Bloomfield

Stewardship: The Gift you have been given, give as a gift

(Mt 10:8)

Easter Sunday April 20, 2025



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, April 19 *The Great Vigil of Easter* 8:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 20 *Easter Sunday* 8:00 a.m.

10:15 a.m.

Monday, April 21 Monday within the Octave

of Easter

No morning Mass

Tuesday, April 22 *Tuesday within the Octave*

of Easter

8:00 a.m. Michael Zawada

By Linda Zawada

Wednesday, April 23 Wednesday within the Octave

Of Easter

8:00 a.m. No morning Mass

Thursday, April 24 Thursday within the Octave

of Easter

8:00 a.m. Elaine Huguley (Birthday)

Friday, April 25 Friday within the Octave

Of Easter

8:00 p.m. Jim Peterman

By Terry Gaudet

Saturday, April 26 Second Sunday of Easter

4:30 p.m. Gary Paliwoda

By Colleen Paliwoda

Sunday, April 27 Second Sunday of Easter

8:00 a.m. People of the Parish

10:15 a.m. Amina Blair Williams

On her baptism

By Elaine Huguley

MONDAY, APRIL 21ST.

Please note there is no morning Mass and the office is closed.

THE ROSARY & ADORATION

There will be the rosary and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Tuesday evening, April 22nd

from 6:00 to 7:30. There will be adoration on Friday, April 25th from 8:30 to 11 a.m.

SACRED HEART BOOK CLUB

The next gathering of the book club will be on Wednesday, April 30th at 1:30 in room 3. All are invited to join and read: *The Stranger in the Woods: The Extraordinary Story of the Last True Hermit* by Michael Finkel.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS Whist is back!

Let's join together for friendship and cards as we enjoy another round of Whist. This simple

card game is fun for the whole family. Mark your calendars for **Saturday**, **May 17th at 6PM**. More information in next week's bulletin.

PREVIOUS WEEK'S PARISH SUPPORT

Weekly: \$ 5,423.00 On-Line: \$ 895.00 Total Received: \$ 6,318.00 Budgeted: \$ 5,000.00



POPE FRANCIS ON X

Many fears can dwell within us and terrible injustices sur-

round us, but a new world has already been born. God so loved the world that he gave us his Son, Jesus. He pours balm upon our wounds and wipes away our tears.



Words from Fr. Michael

Christ is Risen! Indeed, He is risen, Alleluia!

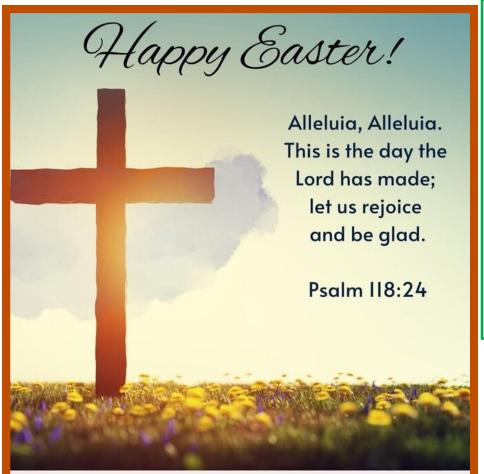
A joyful Easter to all of you!

C.S. Lewis, the 20th century Christian

author, entitled his autobiography, which includes his conversion to Christianity, as *Surprised by Joy*. Listening to the words of Saint Peter in the first reading on the Easter Mass and the response of Jesus' friends in the Gospel, "surprised by joy" is one way to describe what we hear.

Our life on earth is filled with many things that bring us sorrow. Our lives have many moments when we may find ourselves surprised by sorrow. In Jesus Christ we can be surprised, shocked, by joy. Christ is risen from the dead. What words are more surprising and more joyful than these?

This Easter and the joy of this Sunday and the whole week is a holy time when we can be surprised by joy. Christ is risen. Christ is victorious. Christ has conquered sin and death. Christ has risen to bring you life. When you encounter blessings and peace this Easter, remember that life in Jesus Christ is filled with moments when we are surprised and filled with awe by God's goodness.



DINNER CLUB WINNERS

\$50.00 Colleen Paliwoda \$25.00 Gerry Lamontagne \$25.00 Collette Roy \$25.00 Betsy Morrison



We will be sending out statements over the next couple of weeks. We are excited to let everyone know that our end of year banquet will once again be at the Pastoral Center on Saturday, October 25th.

Have you registered as a parishioner of Sacred Heart Parish?

We would love to have you join us. Call (860 242-4142)or email the parish office. sacredheartblct@gmail.com

Guess who's turning



Join us as Fr. Michael begins his birthday week celebration with a special birthday breakfast after the 8:00 and 10:15 Masses on:

Sunday, April 27th

(Fr. Michael was born on April 30, 1985)