

**Parish of the Blessed Sacrament
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 17, 2021**



**RESPECT
LIFE**

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Blessed Sacrament Parish welcomes new residents and visitors. It is wonderful to celebrate the Eucharist with you. If you are new to the parish, please call the office to register.

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

CELEBRATING THE DAYS

Monday, January 18

Confessions before Mass

8:00am Mass: Ernest Joseph & Alice Antonacci

Tuesday, January 19

Confessions before Mass

8:00am Mass: John & Mary Tweryon
Midge Langfelder

Wednesday, January 20

Confessions before Mass

8:00am Mass: Intention of "Apostles of Light"
5:30pm: Prayer Service

Thursday, January 21

Confessions before Mass

8:00am Mass: Mary E.(Green) Poage

Friday, January 22

Confessions before Mass

8:00am Mass: John & Jean VonBehren

Saturday, January 23

8:00am Mass: For the Intentions of
Fr. James Altman

3:00-4:00PM Confession

4:30pm Mass: George Conour

Sunday, January 17– 3rd Sunday Ordinary Time

7:00am Mass: Anna Eleydiath

8:30am Mass: Intentions of our Parishioners

10:30am Mass: Pilar Santos

**Confessions are heard before the weekday
Masses and on Saturday from 3-4pm.**

Confessional in the Adoration Chapel

Dear Parishioners,

Pray for our nation. How can we, as a nation, resolve our differences and heal? I'm not sure what the answer is but I know some things that are not solutions. Storming the capitol is not a solution. Acts of violence, be it physical, verbal, or psychological, is not a solution. That is not what we are about as Americans...or at least, I hope not. This past week we saw a deadly act of violence in the very building where we gather to make our laws. As we reflect on this mob action, there are several thoughts that come to mind:

- unchecked anger leads to violence.
- respect for order and law is essential for a nation to survive.
- justice is what should govern our nation; not mob rule.
- people must be respected. This includes those who disagree with us.
- truth is truth. Lies, deceptions, or half-truths are manipulative and do not serve the common good.

This past week we saw some sad events carried out by some angry people. It was not a peaceful protest, but the act of a mob. This week we inaugurate a new president. He will be the legitimate, constitutional leader of the nation. Pray for our nation that we may be spared more violence, and pray that we will find ways to resolve our differences and heal the divide. May the American people be a people who abhor violence and build justice and respect for all.

Fr. Jeff

OUR PARISH FAMILY

Please pray for our Recently Departed:

Barbara Ann Budinger

The parish is not closed - questions can be directed to the parish office at 217-528-7521. Office hours are Monday through Friday, 8 AM to 4 PM.

Adoration Chapel will remain open and you are encouraged to come and pray. The public hours will remain 5 AM to 10 PM. Please remember that the Chapel is for private prayer. We ask that you not pray out loud or in a way that distracts another person trying to pray privately.

Holy water is available in the dispenser in the chapel. Please bring your own container to take it home. If you are taking large amounts, please see one of the priests to have them bless your water.

A donation to H.O.P.E. (Helping Our People in Emergencies), formerly known as St. Vincent de Paul, will let our parish reach out to our many parishioners who are also suffering financially from this crisis

Keep in touch with Blessed Sacrament via email and text! During these days of "virtual" church, it's more important than ever to stay in the loop with our texts and e-newsletter. Sign up on our website www.bsps.org and scroll down to "Receive electronic messages" on the right side of the page or send an email to Lsarnowski@bsps.org with your cell number and email address and we'll sign you up.

Visit the parish website at www.bsps.org. This is the best way to know what is going on in the parish.

All are welcome to participate in our virtual Mass Visit our website at www.bsps.org and click on "Watch Mass" to go directly to the Blessed Sacrament video link. Please join us...

The parish depends on your stewardship and generosity in order to bring sacraments and spiritual services to you. With everything severely curtailed, our finances have suffered. Please remember to mail in your contribution or donate on line, This will help us meet our obligations. Call the parish office to sign up for ACH (automatic contributions).

HAPPY 100th BIRTHDAY!! Blessed Sacrament Parish wishes Jasper Madonia a Very Happy 100th Birthday. Jasper is one of our 8:30am ushers. He celebrated his 100th Birthday on January 11th.



Sign Up. Those who do come to Mass will need to sign up. The easiest way to do so will be to go to the parish website at www.bsps.org, scroll down until you see the box that says "sign up for weekend Masses" and follow instructions. If you are uncomfortable or unable to do that, you may call the parish office on Mon-Fri from 8am to 4pm and someone will be available to sign you up. You will only be able to sign up for the upcoming weekend. It is important for planning that we know who is going to attend Mass. So please sign up.

RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION (for those not attending Mass)

WILL TAKE PLACE OUTSIDE OF MASS THIS
SUNDAY, January 17

Hours for the Reception of Communion
are:

SUNDAY

9:45-10:15am (after 8:30 Mass)

11:45am-12:15pm (please be here by Noon)

Please enter the north end of the parking lot on Walnut Street and exit the South end on Walnut
Please wear a mask

The End is Coming! Parishioners can choose to receive their end-of-the-year contribution tax statement via email. Please go to our parish website and complete the simple form www.bsps.org/parish-giving and you'll receive your statement in mid-January 2021. This process saves time and money for the parish and if you misplace your statement, you can simply reprint it from your email. Please contact Lisa Sarnowski at Lsarnowski@bsps.org if you have any questions.

Just a reminder that January is the month we renew our subscription to Catholic Times. There is an envelope in your January packet to do this.

Super Scrip! Get ready for the Super Bowl with Scrip! We've got **Binny's** in \$25 cards in stock or will special order a \$100 card for you. Having pizza? We've carry **Domino's, Papa John's, Papa Murphy's,** and **Pizza Hut** in stock. How about sub sandwiches? We've got **Subway** cards in \$10's and \$50's. And after everyone leaves? Get your antacids at **CVS** or **Walgreens!**



ADORATION HOURS: “Nowhere on earth are you more welcomed, Nowhere on earth are you more loved, than by Jesus, living and truly present in the Most Blessed Sacrament. The time you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the best time that you will spend on earth. Each moment that you spend with Jesus will deepen your union with Him and make your soul everlastingly more glorious and beautiful in heaven, and will bring about an everlasting peace on earth.” (St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta) For further information please email Karen Senger at senger@bssbruins.org.

Sunday 1am	Tuesday 2am	Friday 10pm
Sunday 2am	Tuesday 3am	Saturday 1am
Sunday 3am	Friday 1am	Saturday 2am
Sunday 1pm	Friday 2am	Saturday 10am
Monday 1am	Friday 3am	Saturday 11am
Monday 2am	Friday 4am	
Monday 3am	Friday 7am	
Tuesday 1am		

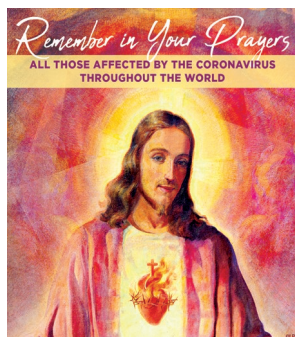
Bulletin Announcement: By now, you probably have packed up all your Christmas decorations and stored them for next year. We hope you haven't put your Faith on the shelf. Faith is part of your daily life and, in this secular world, it is vital to have encouragement for the journey. Let Covenant Network help you with your daily dose of Truth with our inspiring programming. Tune into WIHM 88.1 FM, listen on our free app or at OurCatholicRadio.org

OWN YOUR OWN STATUE

Timothy P. Schmalz created 10" miniature desktop versions of our Saint Teresa of Calcutta statue. We are selling these beautiful replicas for \$75. Please contact the parish office at 528-7521 or simply stop by during office hours - Monday through Friday 8:00 AM until 4:00 PM.

Springfield Right to Life's annual Respect Life Rally will be held at 2pm on Sunday, January 24th at Calvary Church at 1730 West Jefferson in the parking lot. Stay in your vehicle and tune in on your radio to hear our pro-life speakers inspire our community to “let the walls fall” as they did in Jericho!

Annual Signature Ad Campaign Due to COVID and the subsequent challenges to collecting signatures, Springfield Right to Life will not be having their annual Signature Ad Campaign this year. Please look for a pro-life ad in the State Journal Register announcing SRTL's upcoming events and programs.



**MINISTRY SCHEDULE
JANUARY 18-22
MONDAY-FRIDAY**

**8:00am
No Servers**

Saturday, Jan. 23, 4:30PM

Lector: Paul Wheeler
Servers: Felicity Keller, Kaden Smith
Eucharistic Ministers: no one at this time

Sunday, Jan. 24, 7:00AM

Lector: Michael O'Brien
Servers: Andrew Reimers
Eucharistic Ministers: no one at this time

Sunday, Jan. 24, 8:30 AM

Lector: Joseph Stannard
Servers: J.P. Leonard, Audrey Madiar
Eucharistic Ministers: no one at this time

Sunday, Jan. 24, 10:30AM

Lector: Tim Moore
Servers: Abby & Natalie Shafer
Eucharistic Ministers: no one at this time



Blessed Sacrament Prayer Line

Call the Parish Office 528-7521 Please pray for the intention of :
 Jimmie Hill, Robert Farris, Amber, Vernon Spiedger, Terri Burwitz, Rita, Ron, Owen Doak, Kayte, Denise S, Christopher Morgan, Dave, Betty, Ed Pauley, Steve, Hannah Clark, Peter Schofield, Ginny Schofield, Amy Gatewood family, Monica Larch, Austin Fields, Larry Theise, Gwen Bramlet, John M, Louie Rago, Gwinn, John, Claire, Mary, Ray Roland, Josette, Danielle Loftus, Kitty, Susan, Cindy, Barbara Schuh, Ruth Pohlman, Annie, Barb, Tony, Kurt C, Eric, Tom VonBerg, Donna Fitts, Ellen White, Barbara, Rose, Archer Senft, Suzie Culters, Tom J., Judy, Doug, Beth, Camden Spinner, Cindi, Andy Kates, Dave, Sandy H, Jim C., Jason Baird, Jen, Family of Gretchen Hornickle Harrison, Joyln Jensen, Jack Rhinehart, Dorothy Willenborg, Tom, Barry McCollom Tyra Redpath, Steve Kinsella, Destiny Renfro James, Clarita DeLargy, Steve, Karen, Steve, Miles Fifer, Maureen, Charlie Adams, Julie, Bill, Mary Coffey, Craig DeLargy, Brian Meredith, Destiny Jane, Katie Bronken, Cheryl, Fonda, Kristen, Tia, Jeff K., Laura M, Sue, Dave, Leo, Betty, Elizabeth Handrich, Melissa, Mary Jane Harshbarger, Troy, Sharon S, Laura Black James G., Anna Chougry, March, Charlotte, Don Egan, Shandi Chrysler, Andy, Donald Cole, Dave, Leo, Emily Amy, Gloria, Susan McCain, Ray Shaw, Jeanette, Kevin Henry, Gary, Laurie, Gary Bartels, Don John, Dale, Peggy Cadigan, Sarah & Everett O'Connor, Mary, Rocky Tom Acker, Caleb Cross, Callie, Marlene Keldermans, Jeannie Marie Gorman, Dcn. Ben Hoefler, Colleen, Denny McDaniels, Terry Jordan, Janet Ketchum, Michael Mauch, Steve Bartels, Bette Atteberry, William Burkey, Barb Hansen, Helen Rhinehart, Edward, Diana Schumacher, Melissa Brown, Mary, Beverly Rago, Jim & Cynthia Novello, Becky Wood, Denise Cindy Ramirez, Tod Pierce, Bertha S, Daniel, Janet Nelch, Kim, Bobby, Kathy, Janet Keating, Nicky, Nick, Ben & Monique Gaston, M. Blazis, John P. Steil. Sarah Bice, Bob, Jill Burwitz, Mary Staudt, Rich Brown, Pat H, Charlene Dolan, Millie Gillen, Nancy Jensen, Bertha Saiz, Jane Cloyd, Kate Rossi, Emily Monaghan, Kathy, Kim, Matt, Gabriele, Spencer, Kathy Pingsterhaus, Judy, Robert D. Fields, Rose Morrison, Barb McDermott, Kelly W. Miguelismo & Celia, Joe, Ed VDB, Lorie Allen

STEWARDSHIP
(Time / Talent /Treasure)
In the Spirit of Giving

Parish Collection

Target Amount	\$23,500.00
Sunday, January 3	\$26,659.90

Project Rachel can help women and men heal from the pain of abortion. For assistance call 698-4456

Diocesan Child Abuse Reporting & Investigation 321-1155