OCTOBER 2, 2022

Sacred Heart of Jesus Church

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Immaculate Conception Church

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Rev. Carl Schrage

Often we feel that our faith is weak, unable to overcome all our doubts or give us the confidence to face our trials. Jesus' closest friends, his apostles, may have felt the same way, as today we hear them aske him to increase their faith. Jesus responds by issuing them a challenge, telling them that even a small amount of faith has the power to do great things. Let us accept that challenge today, recognizing that our faith, however uncertain, has brought us herein the first place to worship the Lord and celebrate the Eucharist.

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Taking Care of Business

When we were kids, my brothers and sisters and I thought that you were not supposed to say the blessing before meals in a restaurant. You were not supposed to flaunt your faith in public. It probably had more to do with fear of being embarrassed if non-believers saw us praying. I think of that when I hear St. Paul telling Timothy, "God did not give us a spirit of cowardice but rather of power and love and self-control" (2 Timothy 1:7). All three readings mention the difficulties that people of faith will encounter, and each reading has its own way of facing those hardships.

Jesus gives the practical advice: Look at the difficulties of being a disciple as just part of your job. No servant expects to be praised by his master for doing his job. So if the Lord says I must forgive those who hurt me, or be patient with customers, or share what I have with the poor--no problem; it's part of the job of a disciple. If someone I know is in pain, I'm there to support them. Too tired to go to church after work on a holy day? Just taking care of business.

So how do we get the strength and self-control to roll with the punches? Paul reminds us in the second reading to stir the gifts of the Spirit into flame. If you take time to pray every day, if you look for God in other people, if you see difficulties as your share of the cross--you'll find those gifts of faith, power, love, and self-control beginning to grow stronger inside.

We can trust that this is more than just wishful thinking by going to the first reading. When the prophet cries out for help with the misery and violence in the world, he hears God's promise that the vision (of hope for deliverance) will be fulfilled even if it seems to be delayed. We too hear that promise when we start to get discouraged, for God's promise "will not disappoint" (Habakkuk 2:3).

SACRED HEART - IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OFFICE HOURS 9 AM - 12 PM MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

RECONCILIATION: See Mass Schedule or anytime by appt. **BAPTISM:** During weekend Masses by appt. Must be a registered member and attend baptismal preparation session.

MARRIAGE: At least six months prior notification to the pastor.

HOLY MASS: See Mass Schedule

Church Secretary: Kelly Paxton Maintenance: Tony Kellerman Parish Council President:

Sacred Heart: Cara Alongi 618-201-0699

Immaculate Conception: Jamie Schrader 618-318-3900

SACRED HEART

Mass & Intentions

Saturday, October 1;

ST THERESE OF THE CHILD OF JESUS, VIRGIN, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH, Patroness of Diocesan Vocations

4:00 - 4:30 pm Confessions 5:00 pm Mass Intention Elmer Mohr by Lisa Juanita Ray by The Crain Family Dorothy Prusacki

Sunday, October 2;

TWENTY- SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 am Rosary

8:00 - 8:15 am Confessions 8:30 am Mass Intention

> Danny Kowzan by David & Susan Robinson Brandon Lowe by Al & Sharon Martin Loretta Schneider by Betty & Brenda

Monday, October 3: Weekday 7:00 am Prayer Service

Tuesday, October 4: Saint Francis of Assisi 7:00 am Rosary at Sacred Heart

Wednesday, October 5:

Weekday; Saint Faustina Kowalska, Virgin; Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest 5:30pm Prayer Service

Thursday, October 6: Weekday; *Saint Bruno, Priest; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin* 7:00 am Prayer Service

Friday, October 7: Our Lady of the Rosary 7:00 am Mass Intention

Elmer Eugene Kellerman by Al & Sharon Martin

Saturday, October 8; Weekday

4:00 - 4:30 pm Confessions

5:00 pm Mass Intention

Fr. Clem Dirler by Gina & Joe Cushman Eugene Majarocon by Tony & Tess Jones Annette Hart by Sacred Heart Quilters

Sunday, October 9;

TWENTY- EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 am Rosary

8:00 - 8:15 am Confessions

8:30 am Mass Intention

Stan Wheatley by Betty & Brenda
Brandon Lowe by Tom & Chris Kelley
Joe Sammovigo by Campanella & Rice Families

SEXUAL ABUSE HOTLINE:

Anyone wishing to report an allegation of sexual misconduct by a priest or other diocesan personnel please call the hotline: 800-640-3044.

<u>LITURGICAL MINISTERS</u> <u>Sacred Heart</u>

Ushers for month of October

Saturday:

Tony Jones, Harold Calderon, Paul Martin **Sunday:** Joe Lane, Steve Marek, Tim Cobin

Saturday, October 8 - 5:00 pm

Altar Servers: Isla Calderon & Maggie Kellerman

Lector: Kathy Krisfaluzy

Extraordinary Ministers: Priest, Kathy Krisfaluzy

Sunday, October 9 - 8:30 am

Altar Servers: Ethan & Adam Bathon

Lector: Chuck Smith

Extraordinary Ministers: Priest, Kelly Paxton

Money Counters - October 10 -

Patty Reaves & Kathy Scaglione

Weekly Happenings

Sunday, October 2

Second Collection: Social Justice

11 am - 2 pm Chicken & Dumpling Dinner

Monday, October 3

8:00 am - 12:00 pm Quilting at Haffner Hall 9-11 am & 5-7 pm St. Joseph Thrift Store Drop off

Tuesday, October 4

8:00 am - 12:00 pm Quilting at Haffner Hall 9 am Ministerial Alliance meeting at Velocity Church 7:00 pm KC meeting

Wednesday, October 5

7 am - 5 pm Eucharistic Adoration

8:30 am Pickleball at gym

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm PSR Class: Prayers- Rosary

Thursday, October 6

9 am - 4 pm St. Joseph Thrift Store open Choir Practice

6:00 pm RCIA at Haffner Hall - Trinity, Faith & the God Who is Love

Friday, October 7

Saturday, October 8

9 am - Noon - St. Joseph Thrift Store open 9:30 am Pickleball at gym

Sunday, October 9

September 24th & 25th

Coptombol 2-th & 20th			
Church envelopes	\$3	,075	
Church loose	\$	295	
Online	\$	25	
Retired Diocesan Priest Coll.	\$	57	
Building	\$	100	
CSMA	\$	40	
Cemetery	\$	20	
Candles 9/22	\$	504	
Thank You for your generosity!			

IMM&CUL&TE CONCEPTION

Mass & Intentions

Sunday, October 2;

TWENTY- SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sponsors of CES

David Tomaszewski by Bernard & Rita Winkeler

Fr. Carl Kabat OMI

Sam Hiller by Mr. & Mrs. Robert Wesolah

Monday, October 3: Weekday

Tuesday, October 4: Saint Francis of Assisi

7:00 am Rosary at Sacred Heart

No Mass at St. Bruno

Wednesday, October 5:

Weekday; Saint Faustina Kowalska, Virgin; Blessed

Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest

Thursday, October 6: Weekday; Saint Bruno, Priest;

Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin

Friday, October 7: Our Lady of the Rosary

Saturday, October 8; Weekday

Sunday, October 9;

TWENTY- EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

John Pestka

Bill Harris by The Harris Family

Jeff Liggett by The Harris Family

Confession at Immaculate Conception

Confessions will be heard in the flower room west of the altar either before mass or after mass. Please wait in the room for the priest. If he does not see you, please alert him that you are there for confession.

YEAR OF EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

When the Church speaks of the "Real Presence" she means "the whole Christ is truly present, body, blood, soul, and divinity, under the appearances of bread and wine - the glorified Christ who rose from the dead after dying for our sins. (The Real Presence of Jesus Christ is the Sacrament of the Eucharist, USCCB, 2020).

To experience the Real Presence at our parish, we have <u>Eucharistic Adoration</u> every other Wednesday at Sacred Heart (watch the bulletin for dates), and the church handicap door is open weekdays until 4 pm for anyone who would like to visit the *Real Presence of Christ in the Tabernacle*.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS Immaculate Conception

Ushers for the Month of October

Dan Robinson & Jim Majewski

Sunday, October 9 Lector: Tiffany Kujawa

Altar Servers:

Emily & Izzi Baggett

Sweet Treats: Brenda Niedbalski

Immaculate Conception-Weekly Collections September 25th

Church envelopes \$ 760
Church loose \$ 318
Maintenance \$ 20
Thanks for your generosity!

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION ANNUAL QUILT & CASH BINGO

Our Annual Quilt & Cash Bingo is on Sunday October 16th. It is now time to sell raffle tickets. <u>Our Bingo and raffle are our main money maker for the year so please do your part in helping out.</u> We appreciate it.

Thanks to everyone who has donated a quilt for our Quilt Bingo. We now have enough, if anyone still wants to donate something for our small raffle, please bring it to church, or bring it on Bingo day.

Remember ladies we will be asking for soups and desserts for that day, and anyone who would like to help on bingo day would be appreciated.

Parish Registration Update

Letters along with a registration form will be mailed / or handed out at church to each parish family who currently has a contribution envelope.

We are updating our parish registration system and this will help the office by filling out the forms to get all of the correct information into the new system. Please return them as quickly as possible. This will be a project that will take some time to complete, but once it is finished it will make sacramental information, contributions, reports, etc. easier to maintain.

Thanks in advance for getting your forms back to the office in a timely manner so we can get the information entered and completed by the end of the year.

Pray for ... *Nursing Home:* Lynn Finn, Connie Horst, Shirley Forys, Rosalea Prusacki, Anna Roberts.

Sicks John Dale, Jim Getzie, Joan Kowalski, Terry Chastain, James Feger, Dorothy Alongi, Steve Porter, Matilda Harsy, Chris Kelley, Mary Iffert, Larry Hutson, David Martin, Bob Stewart, Helen Polcznski, Agnes George, Edna Bailey, Marian Whitson, Ricky Farmer, Lindon Paxton, Cassie Chambers, Margie Quillman, Shelly Page, John Yeo, Joan & Ed Coleman, Lonnie James, Devoney Alvis, Janice Johannes, Bill Poiter, David Harsy, Lindsey Collins, Dorothy Bailey, Wally Franklin, Wanda Schleper, Tom Roznowski, Tom Helmer.

<u>Military Personnel:</u> Col. Aaron S. Cowley, SSgt. Jordan Keller, MGSgt (ret.) Thomas D. Sims, Sgt. Derek S. Sims, SCPO (SS/AW) John Kelley, SPC Mark Yanez, PV2 Jared Albers, Lt. Col. Carly Sims, Sgt. 1st. Cl. Caleb VanVoorhis, SSgt Tyler Jeffers, Lt. Col. Andrew Martin, USAF Airman E-1 Hunter Hill, Master Sergeant & Medical Intel. NCOIC Terry E. Chastain Jr., Nick Depyatic (Airforce), Garrison Alvis (Marines), Capt. Jeremy Roznowski Airborne Army Ranger, Shyanne Roznowski Medical Tech.

TWENTY- SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

RESPECT LIFE CORNER

"The witness of our Blessed Mother invites us to become more aware of the needs of pregnant and parenting moms in our own parishes and communities... Following Mary's example, we can ask ourselves how to better know these mothers, listen to them, seek understanding, and help them obtain the necessities of life for themselves and their children. How can we, like the Blessed Mother, lovingly support mothers in welcoming and caring for God's gift of life?"

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities Respect Life Reflection: "Called to Serve Moms in Need"

Are you, or do you know of someone who is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith?

Sacred Heart/Immaculate Conception and St. Bruno's will begin classes for the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults** on Thursday October 6th. These classes meet weekly from October through April. You do not have to join the Church. You can just find out more about Catholic faith. If you are interested, please contact Christine Kelley at 618-559-6581.

SACRED HEART CHICKEN & DUMPLINGS

Our annual **Chicken and Dumpling** dinner is to-day - **October 2nd!** This years dinner is a drive through only. We are selling quarts of dumplings for \$12 and the meal \$17 (meal includes 1 qt. dumplings, 1 pint each of corn & green beans). Drive up is in front and back of Haffner Hall from 11 am - 2 pm. Looking forward to seeing you there!

All are invited to the

Diocesan Fall Blessing of the Harvest,

which will be held on Friday, October 21, 2022, at 1:00 P.M. at the Roan Farm located at 7970 Primrose Road, Venedy, IL 62214.

Those attending are invited to bring harvested grain, fruit and vegetables and garden produce in sealed, marked containers along with animals and farm machinery to be blessed. Pandemic health and safety protocols will be in place. Your are encouraged to bring non=perishable food items to be donated to the local food pantry. We look forward to having you join us!

"Farm Blessing" signs will lead you there.

The 2022 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal Go and do likewise... -Luke 10:37

YOU have the opportunity to support the six men who have answered "YES" to God's call to serve in the Priesthood of Jesus Christ in our Belleville Diocese. The annual cost for each of our seminarians is approximately \$48,000. Funding from The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal helps support the expenses of our seminarians and Vocation Office; your pledge or one-time gift is truly an investment in our faith and the life of the Church here in southern Illinois. Please continue to pray for vocations and consider making your gift today!



"God inscribed in the humanity of man and woman the vocation of love and communion. Love is therefore the fundamental and innate vocation of every human being." – St. John Paul II

LEARN MORE ABOUT BECOMING A PRIEST

Bishop Michael McGovern will host three St. Andrew Dinners this fall for young men interested in learning more about the Catholic priesthood. All young men ages 14-32 are invited to attend; parents or guardians are also welcome.

Sunday, November 6 at Southern Illinois University-Carbondale Newman Center

(This event will begin with their regular Sunday evening Mass at 5:15 PM)

Sunday, November 20 at St. Mary Parish in Chester at 5:00 PM

Sunday, December 4 at Holy Childhood Parish in Mascoutah at 5:00 PM

These are terrific opportunities to hear some of our seminarians speak about preparing for the priesthood; there will also be time for questions and conversation with Fr. Joel Seipp, Vocation Director. For more information, or to RSVP, please contact Ms. Patti Warner in the Vocations Office at (618) 722-5043, or email to: pwarner@diobelle.org.

Join the Carbondale Life Chain Sunday, October 9 2:00 – 3:00 pm

Join in an hour of peaceful and prayerful witness for the Unborn. Gather at St. Francis Xavier Church, 303 S. Poplar Street, to line up along Walnut Street (eastbound Hwy 13) Signs will be available.

ST JOSEPH THRIFT STORE

Monday - October 3

9-11 am Sondra Kuberski & Theresa Swain

5 - 7 pm Doris Kern & Peg Pursell

Thursday - October 6th

Store Workers: Don Schutt, Mary Riggio, Karen Simion,

Carol Bastien

Saturday - October 8th

Store Workers: Don Shutt, Mary Riggio,

Rex R, Molly Kern, Elizabeth Benson

If you are interested in volunteering to help please contact Devoney Alvis at 618-790-3976.

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YOUNG ADULTS INVITED TO MASS WITH BISHOP MCGOVERN

Bishop Michael McGovern will celebrate Mass at the Cathedral of St. Peter on Sunday, October 9, at 5:00 PM. Although it is a regularly scheduled Cathedral Mass, the Bishop encourages the Diocese's Young Adults to attend. Following this Mass, Young Adults (ages 18-29) are invited to the Undercroft for a social with the opportunity to engage in conversation with the Bishop.

PSR Classes!

It's not too late to come to PSR class! Registration is in a link with the online bulletin and registration forms will be in the back of the church. If you have any questions please Janet Hayden at 618-318-2674

QUESTION OF THE WEEK...

What injustice, conflict, or problem does faith give me the power to address? How can I put my faith into action?

BDCCW CONVENTION

The Belleville Diocesan Council of Catholic women will host its annual convention on October 12 at St. Bruno Parish, 204 North Gordon, Pinckneyville. Registration begins at 8 am in the Columbian Club (K of C Hall). Join the ladies as we reflect on "One Bread, One Body". Speakers will be Bishop Michael McGovern(10 am) and Rev. Joseph A. Brown, SJ (2 pm.) Bishop Michael McGovern will celebrate Mass am.

Cost of the convention is \$20 if paid by Sept. 27 or \$25 after Sept. 27 and at the door. Cost of the lunch is included. Registration forms are available from your Sodality president or parish secretary. Complete the registration form and mail to Joan Derringer, 7781 Oakdale Road, Ellis Grove, IL 62241 Questions call 618 -534-6697.

ST BRUNO SCHOOL NEWS

https://www.facebook.com/stbrunoschool/

September 26th= Iowa Testing Starts

The School is selling used MacBooks for \$200 each call the school office if interested.

Blue Jean Ball St. Bruno's 17th Annual Dinner and Auction

Saturday, November 5th at the CC Hall Doors open at 5:30pm with Cocktails/ Appetizers 6-7pm Blessing & Dinner, 8:10-8:30 Silent Auction Sections Close, 8:30pm Live Auction Begins

We Need Help preparing for this event! We are asking for gift cards or basket donations for the silent auction as well as donations for the desserts (sweet treats) Table. Call Heather Perkey with any questions (618)318-2160

Little Caesars Pizza packets will be going home with students this week. Find any St. Bruno student family to place an order or call the school office.

WEEKEND WARRIOR SCHEDULE

October 3	Rebecca Furlow
October 10	Craft Family
October 17	Alongi Family
October 24	Cornett Family
October 31	Heidi & Antone

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JustFaith Catholic Program Offered on Zoom! Faith and Poverty:

A Biblical Response Through Catholic Social Teaching 9 Consecutive Mondays Starting Oct. 3, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

This program explores God's call to respond to poverty in our local communities. Participants explore these two questions:

- 1. What tools does my Catholic faith have to offer regarding huge questions around poverty and injustice
- 2. In light of poverty and other forms of human suffering, what is the Good News of the Gospel?

This small group program will take place on zoom and will be facilitated by CCHD intern Tyler Timm. The program consists of deep prayer experiences, input from readings and videos, speakers, and group discussion using tools for respectful dialogue. The program was created by JustFaith Ministries is partnership with the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.

A suggested individual cost for the program is \$35 and the purchase of one book for as little as \$6 used. For financial assistance, contact Cheryl Sommer, Catholic Campaign for Human Development Diocesan Director at cchddiobelle@gmail.com or 618-624-2838. For more information on the program go to justfaith.org/faith-andpoverty-a-biblical-response-jfc/. Register justfaith.org/faith -and-poverty-a-biblical-response-st-louis-fall-2022-smallgroup-catholic/.

Thank you for visiting us!

Welcome all visitors! We are happy to see you! We hope you will join us again as we continue to discover the difference God's love makes in our lives!

We're blessed because vou're here.