*October 20, 2024*

***Mass Schedule and Intentions:***

Sunday, October 20th – 8:00am *(Rosary at 7:30am)*

+ Jeanette Leyen

Monday, October 21st 10:30am

+ Funeral Mass for Karen Ingham

Thursday, October 24th – No Mass

Sunday, October 27th – 8:00am *(Rosary at 7:30am)*

+ Joe Bamrick

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

Sacred Heart Mission: We, the Sacred Heart Catholic Church parish, are a community of Christian faith striving to teach the word of God, to minister the sacraments, and to share Jesus’ love.

**SACRED HEART UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23rd –** Religious EducationHarvest Party & Hayride *(see Religious Ed Section for details)*

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24th –** Knights of Columbus Meeting

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27th** – Turkey Dinner

**JOIN US** for coffee, rolls, and fellowship after Mass. All are welcome!

**WELCOME** to John & Jolene O’Brien and their children, Gunnar and Kiara.  They have recently joined Sacred Heart Parish.

**WELCOME** to Beau Joseph Rueth, son of Stetson & Kaylin, and brother of Lane.  Beau was baptized at Sacred Heart on Saturday.

**TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** – Good stewards must not argue about who is the most important. Today’s Gospel says clearly that those who aspire to greatness must humbly serve the needs of all. Even Jesus came not to be served, but to serve.

**NO MASS** this Thursday, October 24th, as Fr. Josh will be out of town.

**TURKEY DINNER** is NEXT Sunday, October 27th!  We will be serving drive-thru only from 11:00am–1:00 pm.  Spread the word! Envelopes were passed out last Sunday with information and raffle tickets to sell or buy for the quilt that was donated by Marilyn Ermer. If you did not get yours, stop and grab from the table.  ***Flyers* –** There are flyers on the tables by the bulletins for anyone to take to surrounding areas for advertisement. ***Sign-up Sheets*** for jobs for working the dinner are on the table going into the Parish Center.  Please stop and sign up for the job you want to work at this year.

**OCTOBER COUNT** – We will be counting those in attendance each Sunday this month. Let’s fill the church every Sunday and have a great count!

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY IS TODAY**. It is not just another Sunday; it is a powerful reminder of our call to be missionaries. The collection taken up on this day is unique as it is mandated by the code of Canon Law and is essential for the survival and growth of the Church in mission territories. These funds support the pastoral and evangelizing work of the Church, including building churches, providing healthcare and education, and training future priests and religious. In places where resources are scarce, your generosity makes a profound difference. As we reflect on the theme “Go and invite everyone to the banquet,” let us remember that our participation and support help invite countless souls to the feast of God’s love. ***If you have a donation, please put it in the collection plate.***  If writing a check, please make it out to “Propagation of Faith.”

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** will meet THIS Thursday, October 24th, at 6:30pm in our Parish Center.

**TRUNK OR TREAT –** Sacred Heart is having a Trunk or Treat in the church parking lot from 6:15pm–7:30pm on Thursday, October 31st.  This is following the weekly Thursday Mass at 5:30pm.  How it works – Bring your candy or goodies, decorate your trunk or the back end of your vehicle, and let the kids have fun trick or treating in the parking lot!  Please pay attention when parking so that we have space to set this up! We are hoping you will join us in this event and bring your treats to the parking lot - the more the merrier.  There are flyers around Rockwell so hopefully this will be well received. We have not done this in years, so hoping to bring it back.

**ELECTRONIC OFFERING IS AVAILABE AT SACRED HEART** – Your donation can be taken directly from your checking or savings account on the 5th or 20th of each month and sent directly to Sacred Heart.  There is a form attached to the bulletin to fill out if you are interested in taking advantage of this easy way to make your donations.  Please fill out the form and put in collection basket or leave in the office. Thank you!

**SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH (MANLY)** is having their Annual Fall Harvest Soup/Salad Luncheon on Sunday, November 3rd, serving from 10:30am–1:00pm.  All Homemade Soups, Scrumptious Salads, Mouthwatering Pies for a free will offering. There will also be having a Bake Sale and two Door Prizes for $50.00/each.  Need not be present to win.  Handicap Accessible. Takeouts available: 641-454-2586.  See the brochure on the bulletin board.

**NEWMAN CATHOLIC FOUNDATION** requests your presence at the Snowflake Soiree, the 2024 Gala, on Saturday, November 16th. Kicking off the evening with “Pack the Mass” at 4:00pm at Holy Family. The Soiree will start immediately following Mass at Newman Catholic High School. Auctions, food, libations, games, as well as entertainment provided by Pianopalooza Dueling Pianos. To get your tickets to the Soiree or for more information visit [www.newmancatholic.org/snowflakesoiree](http://www.newmancatholic.org/snowflakesoiree) or call the Foundation office at 641-423-6638. See the flyer on the bulletin board for more information.

**FOOD BANKS – *West Fork Food Pantry:***If you or someone you know is in need, their hours are Thursdays from 2:00pm–5:00pm and the first Saturday of the month from 10:00am–12:00pm.  They are located on Main Street in Sheffield.  Their phone number is 641-892-4010.  You must be a resident of the West Fork School District to be eligible for receiving food.***Hawkeye Harvest Food Bank***is always in need of donated items.  There are baskets in the entry to the church to leave any items you want to donate.

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER** – Take a fresh look at your Marriage.  Consider making a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and enrich your lives together.  It is a unique approach aimed at revitalizing Christian Marriage. For more information call Greg and Denise at 563-608-3305 or register at [wwme.org](http://wwme.org/).  The next weekend is November 8th–10th in Holstein, Iowa.

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**TODAY** – Youth Choir (Grades 1-6) sings at Mass. ***Donuts:*** *B. Pitzenberger & Kohler Families*

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23rd** – Harvest Party and Hayride from 6:00pm–8:00pm. Meet at the church for the hayride around town, supper and activities to follow.

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27th** – No class or donuts due to Turkey Dinner

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd – *Donuts:*** *T. Pitzenberger & Reed Families*

*\*\*\*Donuts – For the first half of the year, donuts will be purchased by Religious Education. Families are needed to help serve and clean up.*

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| **BUDGET** | **October 13, 2024** | **BUILDING FUND** | | **CHURCH ROOF FUND** | |
| Adults: | $1,280.00 | Balance: | $**11,383.61** | Balance: | **$23,285.24** |
| Offertory: | $106.00 | Donations: | $0.00 | Donations: | $20.00 |
| Building: | $0.00 | **TOTAL**: | **$11,383.61** | **TOTAL**: | **$23,305.24** |
| Church Roof: | $20.00 |  |  |  |  |
| **TOTAL:** | **$1,406.00** |  |  |  |  |

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| **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2024 – 8:00am**  LECTOR: Andrea Hanig  EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:  Kate Osterman, Pat Sheldon                                                 Jim Weaver, Lisa Schultz  MUSIC:  Youth Choir  SERVERS:  Norah Hubka  GREETERS/USHERS: 7th & 8th Grade Classes  MONEY COUNTERS:  Mary Schulz, Pat Sheldon  ROSARY:  Dave Weiland | **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2024 – 8:00am**  LECTOR: Steve Abbas  EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:  Amanda Dick, Kim Tracy                                                  Dave Weiland, Sue McLaughlin  MUSIC:  Matt Reed, Ann Wolf  SERVERS:  Crayton Dick, Carter Weatherford  GREETERS/USHERS: Tony & Renee Laudner  MONEY COUNTERS:  Les Knowles, Tom Madden  ROSARY:  Jeff Schultz |
| **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2024 – 5:30pm – Eve of All Saints Day**  LECTOR: Sue McLaughlin  EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:  Renee Laudner, John McLaughlin                                                  John McLaughlin, Kate Osterman  MUSIC:  Kim Tracy, Ann Wolf  SERVERS:  Volunteers | **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2024 – 8:00am**  LECTOR: Lisa Schultz  EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:  John & Sue McLaughlin                                                  Jim Weaver, Dave Weiland  MUSIC:  Kim Tracy, Ann Wolf  SERVERS:  Josi Janssen, Max Martinek  GREETERS/USHERS: 5th & 6th Grade Classes  MONEY COUNTERS:  Jill Rowe, Sherri Sprung  ROSARY:  Charley Sprung |

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**Bulletin:** Items for the bulletin? Email sacredheartrockwellbulletin@gmail.com or call Sarah Johnson: 641-425-4896. Items due Thursday by 12:00pm!

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