

The Church of the Sacred Heart



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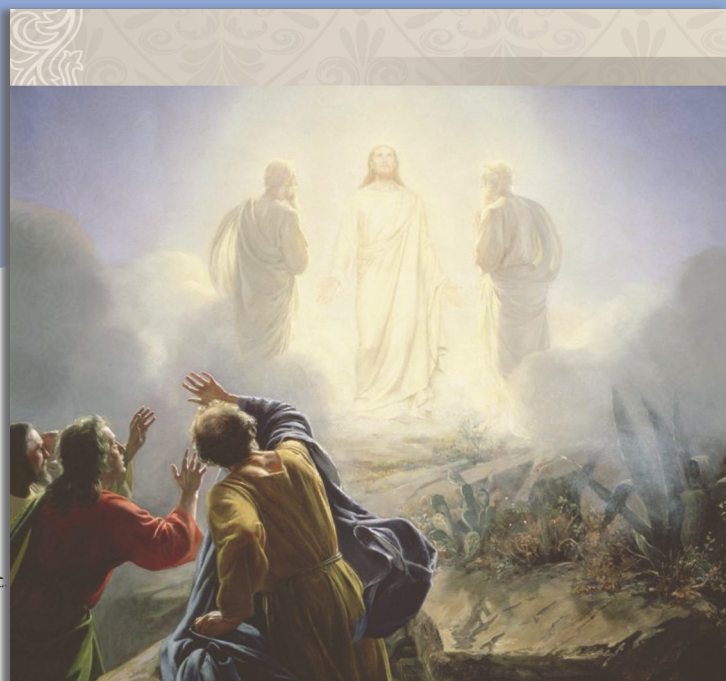
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Mission Statement

Sacred Heart parish is a community of Catholic Christian believers, established by the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis. We strive to grow in holiness through prayer, celebration of the Eucharist and other sacraments, and reflection on the scriptures. We work hard to build the kingdom of God through evangelization, catechesis and service for all.



2nd Sunday OF LENT

While he was praying his face changed in appearance and his clothing became dazzling white. - Lk 9:29

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Pastor:

Fr. Shane Stoppel-Wasinger

Weekend Assistants:

Fr. Chuck Brambilla &

Fr. Thomas Fitzgerald

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Saturday @ 4:00 pm

Sunday @ 9:00 am

Weekdays

Wednesday @ 9:00 am

First Friday of each month @ 9:00 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Wednesday after 9:00 am Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation

First Friday of each month @ 8:30 am

First Saturday of each month @ 3:15 pm – 3:45 pm

Or by appointment

Office Hours

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday @
8:00 am. - 1:00 pm.

Second Sunday of Lent March 17, 2019

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St. Patrick's Breastplate

-St. Patrick's Breastplate,
a Prayer of Protection,
is a popular prayer
attributed to St. Patrick.

According to tradition,
St. Patrick wrote it in A.D. 433
for divine protection before successfully con-
verting the Irish King Leoghaire and his sub-
jects from paganism to Christianity.

(The term breastplate refers to armor worn in battle.)

**I arise today, through
God's strength to pilot me,
God's might to uphold me,
God's wisdom to guide me,
God's eye to look before me,
God's ear to hear me,
God's word to speak for me,
God's hand to guard me,
God's shield to protect me,
God's host to save me—
against snares of devils,
against temptation and vices,
against everyone who shall wish me ill,
afar and near, alone and in a crowd.
Christ with me,
Christ before me,
Christ behind me,
Christ in me,
Christ beneath me,
Christ above me,
Christ on my right,
Christ on my left,
Christ when I lie down,
Christ when I sit down,
Christ when I arise,
Christ in the heart of everyone who thinks of me,
Christ in the mouth of everyone who speaks of me,
Christ in every eye that sees me,
Christ in every ear that hears me.
Salvation is of the Lord.
Salvation is of the Christ.
May your salvation,
O Lord, be ever with us.. Amen.
St. Patrick, Pray for us!**

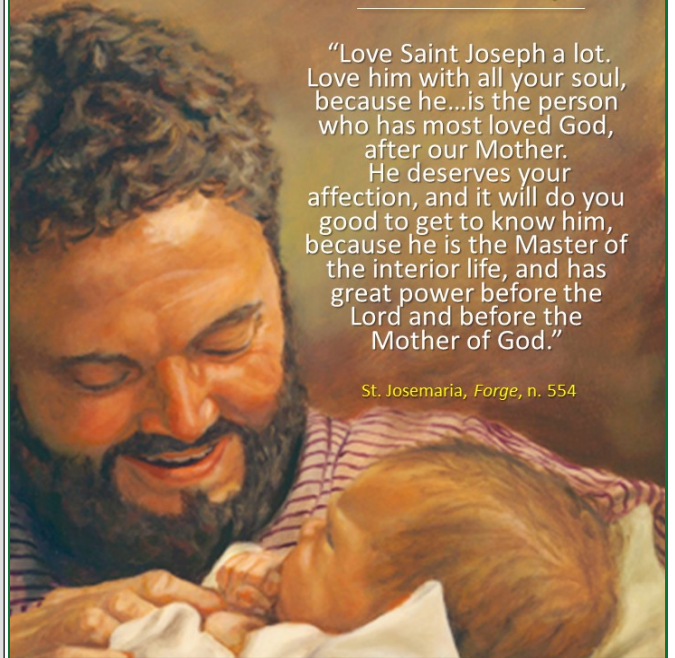
UPDATE FROM FR. SHANE:

Happy Saint Patrick's Day.
I have four weeks left of my sabbatical and
continue to enjoy walks on the shores of the
Atlantic Ocean and swims in the condo's
heated pool. This week I have two priests
coming down for the week. We will be going
on a tour of Kennedy Space Center, only 18
miles away, one day. A drive up to Saint Au-
gustine to see the oldest parish in the USA
and to celebrate Mass at the spot where
the 1st Mass took place in this part of the
world.

My writing is moving along with four
chapters to write in the next two and
a half weeks. I am 80% done.
Have a good and blessed Lent,
Father Shane

March 19

SOLEMNITY OF ST. JOSEPH



"Love Saint Joseph a lot.
Love him with all your soul,
because he...is the person
who has most loved God,
after our Mother.
He deserves your
affection, and it will do you
good to get to know him,
because he is the Master of
the interior life, and has
great power before the
Lord and before the
Mother of God."

St. Josemaria, Forge, n. 554



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

We will pray the Stations of the cross on Fri-
day nights during Lent, beginning at 7:00 pm.

March 8th-29th, April 5th & 12th.
April 19th at 3 pm (Good Friday)

Celebrants

Wednesday, March 20th

Fr. Sipe Sacred Heart 9:00 AM

Saturday, March 23rd

Fr. Sipe Sacred Heart 4:00 PM

Fr. Fitzgerald St. Gregory's 5:00 PM

Youth Sunday, March 24th

Fr. Sipe Sacred Heart 9:00 AM

Fr. Fitzgerald St. Gregory's 9:30 AM

Have a Beautiful Sunday in the Lord.

Liturgical Roles

Saturday, March 23 at 4:00 pm

Lectors: Sue Roth

Communion: Frank Storm, Annette Storm

Gifts: Storm Family

Ushers: Dennis Kaufmann

Servers: Maggie Roth



Sunday, March 24 at 9:00 am

Lectors: Jeremy Albright, Broderick Larson

Communion: Beth Churchsmith, Jean Peno*, Mary Pat Hestbeck

Gifts: S. Larson Family

Ushers: Craig Peterson, Don Beland

Servers: Isabelle Harer, Devon Larson

Needing our Prayers

"When we pray, God hears more than we say, answers more than we ask, gives more than we imagine...in HIS own time and HIS own way."

Mary Pierce
Erika Matzke-Stoltz

Sue Roth
Jane Scherer



Mass Intentions



March 23rd

March 24th

† Ralph Anderson

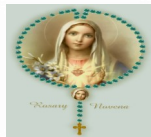
Gibson Family

Financial Update

Totals for the weekend of: 3/10/19

Plate	164.05
Envelops	831.00
Food Shelf	65.00
Liturgical Enviro	70.00
Ash Wednesday	295.00
Bldg. Maint.	5.00
Total:	\$ 1430.05

Thank you for your generosity !



S.H. Rosary Devotion

Rosaries Said:

3/10: 37
To Date: 894

News

March is Food Shelf Month. Rush City Food Shelf will receive matching funds for all donations they receive in March. The food shelf is currently in need of cereals, peanut butter, and personal care products. Also, donation envelopes are in the pews.



Global Solidarity Sunday Weekend -March 30/31, 2019

"Taste and see the goodness of the Lord"

March 30/31 is Global Solidarity Sunday weekend in the archdiocese with the theme: "Taste and see the goodness of the Lord" (Psalm 34). This is an opportunity to be in solidarity with those around the world who thirst for God's mercy and love. On this Sunday, a special collection will be taken for four global priorities of the U.S. Catholic Bishops: Africa, Latin America, Central and Eastern Europe, as well as humanitarian activities of Catholic Relief Services. Please be as generous as you are able and support your brothers and sisters overseas. Thank you.



Second Week of Lent

Encounter Annet In Uganda, we encounter Annet and her family, children forced to flee violence, searching for stability. How are we called to welcome the stranger in our midst? How can you support those, worldwide, who are forced to flee their homes to find safety or better opportunities? Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

Friday's during Lent Fish Fry's 5-7 PM



Join us on Friday's in Lent for our Scrumptious Fish Fry at Sacred Heart Catholic Church
Frandsen Ave & 4th St. Rush City 320.358-4370

MARCH 8TH THROUGH APRIL 12TH

ADULTS \$11 • KIDS 5-12 \$5 • KIDS 4 & UNDER FREE