

Catholic Church of the Sacred Hearts

2023: Our 155th Year as Morrow County's Catholic Community



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Masses

Sunday

Saturday: 4:30 pm (Sunday Vigil);

Sunday: 9:00 am

Weekdays

Tuesday: 6:00 pm

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 8:45 am

First Saturday: 8:45 am

Holydays of Obligation

See bulletin.

Confession

Saturday: 3:30-4:15 pm

Eucharistic Adoration

First Saturday of every month,
9:15 am-3:15 pm

Parish Office Hours

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| Monday | CLOSED |
| Tuesday | 9:30 am-1:30 pm |
| Wednesday | 9:30 am-1:30 pm |
| Thursday | 9:30 am-1:30 pm |
| Friday | 9:30 am-1:30 pm |

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FEBRUARY 10 & 11, 2024**SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME****MASSES THIS WEEK**

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| Saturday | 4:30 p.m. | +Officer Eric Joering |
| Sunday | 9:00 a.m. | <i>Pro Populo</i> |
| Tuesday | 6:00 p.m. | +Richard Zoulek <i>followed by the Perpetual Novena in honor of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal</i> |
| Wednesday | 8:45 a.m. | Liturgy of the Word with Distribution of Ashes |
| | 6:00 p.m. | +David Humphrey |
| Thursday | 8:45 a.m. | |
| Friday | 8:45 a.m. | |

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS**LECTORS**

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| Saturday, February 10 | Stephanie Zmuda |
| Sunday, February 11 | Dennis Zoulek |
| Wednesday, February 14 | Roxanne Humphrey |
| Saturday, February 17 | Julie Blankenship |
| Sunday, February 18 | Dennis Zoulek |

ALTAR SERVERS

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| Sunday, February 11 | Josh Goers |
| Sunday, February 18 | A.J. Brehm, Garrett Reeve |

EME

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| Sunday, February 11 | Will Schindley |
| Sunday, February 18 | Dennis Zoulek |

SACRISTANS

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| Saturday, February 10 | Stephanie Zmuda |
| Sunday, February 11 | Mary Jean Nixon |
| Saturday, February 17 | Julie Blankenship |
| Sunday, February 18 | Mary Jean Nixon |

USHERS

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| Saturday, February 10 | Jack Christy |
| Sunday, February 11 | Malcolm Warren |
| Saturday, February 17 | Nathan Bell |
| Sunday, February 18 | Malcolm Warren |

COUNTERS

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| Sunday, February 11 | Greg Goers, Donna and Eric Kill |
| Sunday, February 18 | Ginny and Will Schindley, Dennis Zoulek |

LINENS

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| February | Brenda Zuzolo |
| March | Stephanie Zmuda |

OFFERTORY FEBRUARY 4, 2024

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| Collection | \$ 2,283.00 |
| Online/Mail-in | \$ 768.03 |
| Total | \$ 3,051.03 |

OPPORTUNITY TO HELP – We would like to add additional lectors, ushers, servers, counters, sacristans and EMHC. If you are interested in any of these liturgical ministries, call and leave your name and phone number with Susan in the Parish Office at 419-946-3611 or call Joanne Bower at 419-948-0106. **Thank you to all parishioners** who volunteer in the liturgical ministries of Sacred Hearts Church.

THE FRIDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY has resumed after the 8:45 a.m. Mass. Please consider stopping by. All are welcome!

LEGION OF MARY is collecting canceled stamps for the Missions. If you would like to participate, there is a mailbox in the Narthex for the collection. Please leave a large border around the stamp. This is a perfect time to pass on your stamps from all your Christmas mail!

FROM THE PASTOR

I'd like to thank you all for your prayers for my father and mother. My father was in critical condition for about a week in January. He has since recovered well and is now home. My mother had been sleeping in the hospital as his caregiver, so being at home is good.

I am excited for Fr. Keller that the Bishop has called him to pursue further studies in Rome this July, but saddened as well since he has been a good priest for the parishes and a good friend. I'm sure his further education will be put to good use in the Diocese, so it is a good thing that he has accepted this assignment. His replacement will likely be announced sometime in the spring.

Bishop Fernandes has given us good news that St. Mary and Sacred Hearts parishes do not need to merge, at least not at this time. Both of our parishes are fairly healthy, and being 30 minutes apart, it would not have changed much of the practical daily operations. We still would have had one pastor and one parochial vicar overseeing both churches as we do now. Therefore, a merger is not needed. He has asked us to better collaborate, so that we have a better relationship with each other. I will be looking into combining our bulletins so that each parish can better see the activities at the other parish and be encouraged to attend each other's events. If you have ideas on other ways that we can better collaborate, please let me know.

Finally, some people have received scam texts or emails supposedly from me asking for help. Please note that I would not email or text anybody asking for help in a vague manner, especially asking for something like gift cards. If you receive that kind of communication, please just delete it. Do not click on any attachments or reply. If you look at the email address, you will notice that even if it has my name, the email address will be different. My correct email address is eshikina@columbuscatholic.org and my cell phone area code is 614. I do not know how they operate or how to stop it, but this type of scam is widespread, so just be aware that it may continue to happen. You can always ask me directly to verify if it was me.

May God bless you!
Fr. Ed Shikina

PRAYER LIST: Please remember in your prayers the following who have been recommended to our charitable concern: David Huffman, Don Askew, Roy Ferguson, America Silva, Howard & Harriet Gompf, Jan Gibbs, Caroline Petitti, Linda Christy, Pam Frysinger, Wes Ramsey, Patrick Drouhard, Hank & Janie Kowalewski, Deanna Kowalewski, James & Lillian Joering, Marjorie Armbruster, Johanna Conti, Dalton Sherman, Betty Crum, Walter Olsen, Billy Ervin, Judy Manley, Stephen Karigithe, Sabina Busto, Trish Thomas, Robin Hudson, Barb Dickason, Dawn Barranco, Mary Jo Fetch, Christa Harvel, Linda Harvey, Donna Spreng, Kyle Conley, Dave & Ethel Evans, Sam Harding, Walt Bakle, Barb May Wilt, Rose Long, Don Goble, Marian Morgan, Mary Ellen Berg, Doyle Rogers, Kathy Tollison

Formed.org is a free subscription provided by the parish to watch Catholic movies, Bible studies, etc.

To sign up, go to [formed.org/signup](https://www.formed.org/signup), type in St. Mary Marion (subscription is for both parishes), or the Zip Code 43302, and create your account.

HOST GUILD – February meeting will be held on Monday, February 12th at 6:30 p.m. in Foeller Hall. At that meeting, Sally Walker from Heartbeat will give a short talk about all Heartbeat does and to pick up the items we have collected during the past month. Hostesses for the evening are Kathy Cooper and Roxanne Humphrey. Hope to see everyone there!

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: New members, please contact Sacred Hearts Church Office at sacredheartchurch@gmail.com or by telephone. Present members, please keep our office informed of any changes in name, telephone number(s), address and family members.

FAITH FORMATION OPPORTUNITY

What are you searching for? Join us for a time to grow in faith together and consider the meaning and purpose of our lives. We will be watching and discussing the program, "The Search," on Formed.org. This will be offered on Thursdays from 6:30-7:30 p.m. in Foeller Hall. We started the program on February 8th and will continue on Thursdays, concluding on March 21st. E-mail Fr. Keller with questions.



DID YOU KNOW THAT THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS has a great program series called "Into the Breach?" This program helps Catholic men and families lead lives of faith and virtue in today's world. Want to learn more? Talk to a Knight today about the program and join our great fraternal, family-based organization! Go to kofcOhio.org and click on **Join Us!** For more information, contact Grand Knight Carl Ferguson at 740-360-4340.

SAVINGS FOR OUR SEMINARIANS – Our previous balance was \$2,068.00. Donations collected after our Masses were \$120.00 and \$162.00, bringing our total contributions collected through January to \$2,350.00. Once again, the Knights of Columbus thank everyone who have supported the Saving Our Seminarians project. We will continue this work as long as we have a shortage of priests! So please, donate as you can and Thank You and Thank You Again!

CASH BONANZA – Well... Week-10 has come and gone and unfortunately, we still didn't have a winner. Hopefully though, you all had fun each week with the anticipation that perhaps your ticket or tickets may have provided you a winner, as did I. Carol and I had purchased several tickets, so those go into the trash can as we await the next fundraiser for the Knights of Columbus **Cash Bonanza**. That will not start until after **February 12th**. **The tickets will be just \$5.00 each**. You may be able to start purchasing tickets **February 17 and 18 or sooner, if you know the member of the Knights that you get your tickets from**. This is one of our fundraising events, since we no longer have the monthly pancake breakfast. You are supporting us by buying as many tickets as you can to help us receive a larger rebate from the State Knights of Columbus from this project. **Thank you, everyone, for your support and for all that you've done in supporting us here at Sacred Hearts Catholic Church.**

FOURTH EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL session will be on Sunday, February 11th from 3:00-5:00 p.m. in Foeller Hall. A sign-up sheet is on the board in the Narthex. If you have missed sessions, the lessons are available on formed.org.

CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE, CALLED TO BE SAINTS Saturday, February 24, 2024 in Kasich Hall at the Ohio Expo Center, Columbus, Ohio. Adoration, Reconciliation, Holy Mass, breakfast and lunch, faith organizations. Register at: www.CatholicMensMinistry.com

PARISH FISH FRY – MARCH 15th 5:00-7:00 p.m. Foeller Hall. Adult tickets, \$12.00, Kids 10 and under \$6.00, Family \$40.00 max.

MEATLESS SOUP POTLUCKS will be on Fridays after 6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross during Lent, except Fish Fry Friday, March 15th and Good Friday, March 29th. Come and share a meal and fellowship with one another in Foeller Hall. Contact Dennis Zoulek at 937-594-2884 with additional questions.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE – Registration is open at <https://www.columbuscatholicwomen.com>. Regular price tickets are \$50.00. Scholarships are available and the application can be found on the website. The glove of St. Padre Pio will be displayed for veneration at the Conference. HOST Guild has allotted \$300.00 for anyone that would like to attend the event. All you have to do is present your receipt to a HOST Guild member and you will be reimbursed. This is enough money for six members of our parish to attend with price of the ticket reimbursed in full. If more than six ladies from the parish attend, the \$300.00 will be divided equally among them. This is a great Conference to attend. Register today!

COME AND SEE WEEKEND AT THE PONTIFICAL COLLEGE JOSEPHINUM – The Pontifical College Josephinum, in Columbus, Ohio, has scheduled a "Come and See" Live-in Weekend for March 7-10, 2024. The Weekend has been set aside to allow young men (high school juniors, seniors, and college-aged students) to visit the seminary for a few days. Live-in participants will experience seminary prayer life, classes, communal worship, and interaction with current seminarians, faculty and staff. Live-In weekends include introductory presentations on discernment, student life, and the college seminary formation program.

HEARTBEAT WINTER NEEDS LIST – Size 4T/5T boys Pull-Ups; baby wipes; baby car seat; teething; toddler socks (shoe size 4-11); boys outfits sizes 3T, 4T and 5T; boys toddler underwear, sizes 4T and 5T; boys and girls pajamas, sizes infant through size 8; winter coats for boys and girls; boys toddler hooded bath towels; children's faith- and value-based books.

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FIRST SATURDAY: Please join us every First Saturday of the month for Mass and Exposition starting at 8:45 a.m. with open Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until Benediction at 3:15 p.m. Sign up on the bulletin board for an hour or just stop in to visit our Lord in quiet prayer.

ASH WEDNESDAY COLLECTION: All money collected will go to J.O.I.N. (Joint Organization for Inner-city Needs) which is part of the Columbus Diocese Catholic Charities. Because of the generosity throughout the Diocese, **JOIN** is able to help neighbors with their essential needs, such as food, personal care, household items and diapers. **JOIN** can also assist with more complicated issues, such as prescriptions, utilities, birth certificates and transportation. All donations go directly to improve the quality of life for those we serve.

LENT AT SACRED HEARTS

March 19th, 7:00-8:00 p.m. – Confessions and Exposition (four confessors) preceded by 6:00 p.m. Mass for St. Joseph.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (40 Days of Adoration Initiative) March 3rd, 10:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. Adoration. Note that there is no Adoration on the 1st Saturday (March 2nd), but there will still be First Saturday Mass.

Stations of the Cross – Every Friday at 6:00 p.m., followed by Confessions until finished.

Speaker Series – Tuesdays, March 5th and 12th – Join us for Mass at 6:00 p.m., followed by food and a presentation.

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