

# Catholic Church of the Sacred Hearts

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



## Parish Staff

**Fr. Edward T. Shikina**  
*Pastor*

**Fr. Seth Keller**  
*Parochial Vicar*

## 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

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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# August 12/13, 2023

## Nineteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

### MASSES THIS WEEK

Saturday 4:30 p.m.	Mary Burke
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	<i>ProPopulo</i>
Tuesday 8:45 a.m.	Brian Sharp/ 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 8:45 a.m.	Matthew Sharp Family
Thursday 8:45 a.m.	Kristen Sharp Family
Friday 8:45 a.m.	Mike Imhoff

### LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

#### LECTORS

Sat. 8/12	Roxanne Humphrey
Sun. 8/13	Kevin Tebbe
Tues. 8/15	Roxanne Humphrey
Sat. 8/19	Julie Blankenship
Sun. 8/20	Dennis Zoulek

#### ALTAR SERVERS

Sat. 8/12	
Sun. 8/13	Josh Goers, Garrett Reeve
Sat. 8/19	
Sun. 8/20	Josh Goers, Garrett Reeve

#### EMHCs

Sun. 8/13	Carol Yoder
Sun. 8/20	Phil Petitti

#### SACRISTANS

Sat. 8/1	Stephanie Zmuda
Sun. 8/13	Carol Ferguson
Tues 8/15	Carol Ferguson
Sat. 8/19	Julie Blankenship
Sun. 8/20	Joanne Bower

#### USHERS

Sat. 8/12	Jack Christy
Sun. 8/13	Allen Wagner
Tues 8/15	Carl Ferguson
Sat. 8/19	Nathan Bell
Sun. 8/20	Carl Ferguson

#### COUNTERS

Sun. 8/13	Andy Ware, Ginny & Will Schindley
Sun. 8/20	Greg Goers, Erin Kelty, Dennis Zoulek

#### LINENS

August	Julie Blankenship
September	Stephanie Zmuda

#### OFFERTORY AUGUST 6, 2023

Collection	\$1,928.00
Online	\$ 496.24
Total	\$ 2424.24

### FROM THE PASTOR

This week, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary on Tuesday, August 15th. It is a Holy Day of Obligation, so those who can should attend Mass. We have one vigil Mass in Spanish on Monday evening at 7:00 p.m., and the other Masses will be on the day itself, Tuesday, at 8:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. at St Mary's and 8:45 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. at Sacred Hearts.

At St Mary's, the carpeting will be removed from the church floor beginning Wednesday, August 16th and the hardwood floor refinished. The estimated date of completion will be August 25th. This project was initiated and scheduled by Fr. Buffer before I arrived, so please note that I am not coming in and making massive changes in my first month here! Because of the floor work, the large organ in the choir loft will be sealed up and the smaller one removed beforehand so as to protect them from damage. Thus, there will be no accompanying instruments for the Masses on August 15th and for the weekends of August 19/20 and 26/27. The flooring company has assured us that we can still have Masses in the church on those two weekends. There will be no daily Masses at St. Mary's from August 16-25th. On Friday, August 18th, there will be no Holy Hour that afternoon, but we will still have confessions down below in Moira Hall from 5-6 p.m.

In this weekend's readings, the prophet Elijah encounters God on a mountain, in a cave, away from the noise of the world. He hears God not in loud thunder and earthquakes, but in a tiny, whispering sound. Likewise, Jesus himself needs to pray and he goes up on a mountain away from everyone else. We too need to pray and we too need the quiet and solitude to hear God's voice. Good is a quiet place in our home, but even better is the mountaintop in the church before the Blessed Sacrament in the tabernacle. Thanks be to God for the Eucharist that He has given us!

May God bless you!  
Fr. Ed

**OPPORTUNITY TO HELP:** We would like to add additional lectors, ushers, servers, counters, sacristans and EMHCs. If you are interested in any of these liturgical ministries, call and leave your name and phone number with Susan in the parish office (419-946-3611) or call Joanne Bower (419-948-0106).

**PRAYER LIST:** Please remember in your prayers the following who have been recommended to our charitable concern:  
Caroline Petitti, Linda Christy, Pam Frysinger, Wes Ramsey, Patrick Drouhard, Gene Doon, Allen Wagner, Hank & Janie Kowalewski, Deanna Kowalewski, Janice Middaugh, Stephan Houser, Mahisha Zoulek, James & Lillian Joering, Marjorie Armbruster, Johanna Conti, Dalton Sherman, Betty Crum, Walter Olsen, Billy Ervin, Judy Manley, Stephen Karigithe, Sabina Busto, Patricia (Trish) Thomas, Robin Hudson, Barb Dickason, Deanna Cox, 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



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Catholic men! Would you like to belong to an active group of men who share your faith? You should definitely consider joining us here at Sacred Hearts.



### S.O.S. SAVING OUR SEMINARIANS:

#### A Knights of Columbus Project

Thank you to all who are donating after Mass! We will continue collecting after each of the weekend Masses until next April. As you may know, all money donated goes to our Seminarians for their needs. We appreciate your continued support through your donations.

Being the Grand Knight of our parish council, I have been seeing a lot of new families attending Mass. I am asking those Catholic men, if you are a Knight of Columbus, please consider transferring your membership to our council. For you men that have never joined the Knights of Columbus, please call me at 740-360-4340, Carl Ferguson. I would be happy to meet you and if you are married, meet with your wife also and explain why you should consider becoming a Knight. We meet the first Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at Sacred Hearts Church.

**THE HOST GUILD** would like to thank our members, all the parishioners and family members of our parishioners that helped with our yard sale in any way this past week. So many brought items, helped sort, set up, and price items before the sale and helped by working the sale. We appreciate your support! If you have time on Monday, August 14th, we will be loading everything up to take to Turning Point. We will start at 9:00 a.m.



#### THE SOCIETY of ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SACRED HEARTS

would like to thank the parish for their generosity during the Fifth Sunday collection in July. Your gifts have helped local neighbors pay their rent and utility bills when life's

circumstances have caused them to fall behind. If you know of someone whom is in need, please reach out to us. 567-908-7952. Thank you and God Bless.

### CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA

Thank you for your generous support for last week's Collection for the Church in Latin America. As a parish, we collected \$200.00, which will be used to share the faith with our brothers and sisters in Latin America and the Caribbean, so they in turn can share the Good News in their communities. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give! Visit [www.usccb.org/latin-america](http://www.usccb.org/latin-america) and click "How to Give". Your gift makes a difference!

### FROM BISHOP EARL FERNANDES

Thank you parishioners of Sacred Hearts Church for **exceeding** your parish goal for The Appeal 2023. The generosity of Sacred Hearts parishioners in this year's annual appeal is making a difference in supporting the mission and priorities of the Diocese. Along with vocations, your gifts contribute to ministries, programs and services supporting campus missionary outreach, hospital chaplaincy, Catholic education, and various social concerns efforts, along with direct outreach and advocacy of Catholic social teaching.

### JUBILEE OF ANNIVERSARIES

Couples celebrating their 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, 60th (and every year thereafter) anniversaries in 2023 are invited to the annual Jubilee of Anniversaries in honor of their marriages. Bishop Fernandes will celebrate Mass at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, September 10th, at St. John Neumann Church in Sunbury. Registration is now open at: <https://columbuscatholic.org/marriage-family/jubilee>.

### CHRISTIAN COUNSELING

Jodi Schermerhorn, LPCC-S is offering to our parish Roman Catholic and nondenominational Christian Counseling. She will offer faith-based professional counseling services to parishioners and as an outreach to our surrounding community. Jodi is licensed by the State of Ohio Counselor, Social Worker, Marriage and Family Therapist Board and combines standard clinical counseling practices with the beliefs, practices, and spirituality of our Church to provide a thorough and Christ-centered approach to healing. Areas of focus include children ages 3 up, Marriage Therapy, Anger, Anxiety, Problem Behavior, Body-focused repetitive behaviors, Conflict Resolution, Depression, Family Systems, Parent Child Relationship, Trauma-focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy. Contact Jodi directly to ask about insurance and scheduling:

Email: [Jodi@sopcc.org](mailto:Jodi@sopcc.org)

Phone: 614-442-7650 ext. 08

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** New Members, please contact Sacred Hearts Church Office at [sacredheartschurch@gmail.com](mailto:sacredheartschurch@gmail.com) or by telephone.

Present members, please keep our office informed of any changes in name, telephone number(s), address and family members

**SAVE THE DATE:** The annual church picnic will be Sunday, September 24th. More details will be coming soon!

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