#### Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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## **September 28, 2025**

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#### MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil - 5:30 pm Sunday - 8:00 am Sunday - 10:30 am Sun. - 12:30 pm - Spanish Monday - 7:00 am Tuesday - 5:00 pm Wednesday - 7:00 am Thursday - 7:00 am Friday - 7:00 am

First Saturday – 9:00 am

## MASS INTENTIONS - September 29th - October 3rd

Mon. 7:00 a.m. +Lorene Riedmueller by Dorothy Stobaugh

Tues. 5:00 p.m. +Eddie Rieth by Beverly Barnes

Wed. 7:00 a.m. +Jimmy Welcher by Karen Welcher family
Thurs. 7:00 a.m. +Doug Cambiano by June Cambiano & family
Fri. 7:00 a.m. +Barbara Troy by Bill & Kim Thompson

#### September 27th and 28th

Saturday – 5:30 p.m. +Deceased members of Tony & Frances DeSalvo Family by the family

Sunday - 8:00 a.m. + Mary Ruth Moll by Harold Mall

Sunday – 10:30 a.m. +Jerry Riedmueller by Melanie Riedmueller

#### October 4th and 5th

Saturday – 5:30 p.m. Freddie & Linda Viefhaus by Margarett Tamburo

Sunday - 8:00 a.m. +Mary Ruth Moll by Harold Moll Sunday - 10:30 a.m. +Jack Poole by The Varner family

#### **SACRAMENTS**

BAPTISM: By Appointment - Call – 501-354-4181

RECONCILIATION:

- **Saturday:** 11a.m.-12 p.m. (Fr. Kiran), and 5-5:20 p.m.

- **Sunday:** 7:30-7:50 a.m. and 10-10:20 a.m.

<u>MARRIAGE</u>: Call the parish office at least 8 months prior to schedule and to consult with the Pastor. <u>ADORATION</u>: Wednesdays from 10am—10pm

To sign up for weekly hour; contact Mark Ives at 870-267-3327

#### WEEKLY COLLECTIONS – Sept. 13 - 14

Sunday Collection: \$6,372.000 Candles: \$145.00 Building & Main. \$70.00

#### **Senior Saints Come Play and Pray!**

Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday monthly at 10 a.m. at the KC Hall. All are welcome. Snacks, bingo, prayer, & FUN! Coordinators: Julie Session 501-242-9011 Karen Welcher 501-472-3870. Please call if you need a ride.

**Praise and Worship Service:** 1st & 3rd Thursday monthly 10 a.m. at the Family Mission.

### Weekend of October 4th and 5th

#### ALTAR SERVERS:

Sat. 5:30 pm - Zoey Davidson, Grey & Cooper Beck Sun. 8:00 am – Bennett. Will. & Nick Combs

Sun. 10:30 am - Liam & Evie Eubanks. & Josie Anderson

#### **EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**:

Sat. 5:30 pm - Dcn. Peter Post, Jan Dixon, & Marietta Lemons

Sun. 8:00 am – Dcn Peter Post, Cheryl Hoelzeman, & Regina Hoelzeman Sun. 10:30 am – Dcn. Peter Post, Johnny Wiedower, & Candice Watkins

#### **USHERS:**

Sat. 5:30 p.m. – Todd Hoyt, Mark Sponer, Brian Rohlman, & Tim Payne

Sun. 8:00 a.m. - Stan Koch, Chris Hartman, Phillip Gottsponer, & Danny Gottsponer

Sun. 10:30 a.m. - Bart Stobaugh, Jim Lasowski, Eric Tyler, & Tim Tadel

#### LECTORS:

Sat. 5:30pm - Mary Eggart Sun. 8:00am - Julie Session Sun. 10:30am - Sarah Duvall



We will take up a special 2nd collection for Fr. Kiran's home diocese of Nellore on October 4th/5th. Our contributions help the people of his diocese to construct new churches and chapels as the Catholic Church there continues to grow! The money collected will be given to the Diocese of Little Rock, which will then send it to the Bishop of Nellore.

The church office will have limited hours the week of Sept. 29th – Oct 3rd; Kimberly will be out.

St. Elizabeth Annual Fall Rummage Sale Thursday and Friday, October 2nd and 3rd, 7 a.m. until 4 p.m. each day. Everyone is welcome to come shop through two buildings full of bargains.

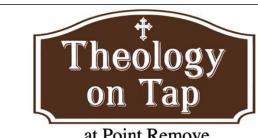
## Respect Life Sunday



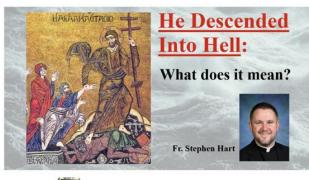
October 5, 2025

At the Cathedral of St. Andrew & the Shrine of Dive Mercy All events are free! Everyone is welcome.

- ·Rosary for Life 11:20 a.m., Cathedral in Little Rock
- ·Eucharistic Procession for Life, 11:50a.m. 12:50 p.m. from the Cathedral to the Shrine of Divine Mercy
- •Respect Life Mass 1:00 p.m., Bilingual English & Spanish St. Edward Church (Shrine of Divine Mercy)
- ·Tacos for Respect Life & Student Art Contest awards ceremony 2:00-3:00 p.m., St. Edward Church Hall
- ·Holy Hour for Life at the Shrine of Divine Mercy, 3:00-4:00 p.m. **Eucharistic Adoration and Confessions**



at Point Remove Sunday, Sept 28th, 4 - 6 p.m.





#### SACRED HEART SCHOOL ENDOWMENT/HONORS

In Memory of Nancy Kay Dold Kevin & Alisha Koonce

In Memory of Eddie Joe Poteete Daniel & Haley Lynch

In Memory of Christina Koch Roger & Brenda Wilson

In Honor of Bob & Margaret Miller Rodie Rohlman

In Memory of Jack Poole

Joan Filomeno

**Usher meeting** has been announced for all Ushers.

Topics to include: new member training, security, updated Usher booklet, as well as Q & A.

Please try to attend on Tuesday September 30<sup>th</sup> @ 6 pm. We will have a makeup session on Tuesday Oct 7th if needed for those who could not attend the first session.

Please contact Michael Briggler if you have any questions. 501-246-2813

## Rosary for Life

All are invited to a Rosary for Life at Morrilton City Park on Saturday, October 11th at 12 noon.



#### Father Stephen's comments on Church security - Sept 20th/21st

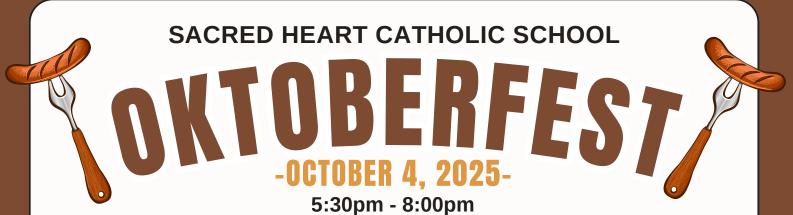
As I mentioned I would two weeks ago, today I want to tell you all about a few things regarding our safety here at the weekend masses.

This time a year ago, we were just starting up our rotation of scheduled ushers at our masses for the first time since before COVID. I asked Mr. Mike Briggler to take on the task of getting the band back together, so to speak, in addition to soliciting new people to join. We had a few general meetings in the cry room to discuss all the usual things: how many ushers do we need for each mass, what are the general responsibilities, who takes which specific responsibilities, and other things like that.

In the course of our discussion, the question of our safety and security at our masses came up. I told the ushers that I wasn't sure what our diocesan policy permits us to do. So I went and spoke with a diocesan official and came back to the group a month later: Bishop Taylor's policy is that no person may bring a firearm into church unless they are a law enforcement officer on duty. Not just a law enforcement officer, but a law enforcement officer on duty. With the crime at Annunciation in Minnesota last month, the question of private, armed security is coming up again with renewed vigor, but our diocese does not permit that. I realize that this may be disappointing for some people, but the material point is that we can't have armed security.

After a year of experience under their belt, however, the usher team is devising a few other security measures for our safety. Before each mass, the usher team will bring out a security bag, which will otherwise be kept under lock and key. The bag will contain three things. 1) a LifeLite; a LifeLite is a nonlethal contraption that looks like a flashlight but which shoots pepper balls accurately and at high speed, incapacitating any assailant. 2) The bag will have a security badge that is integrated with the school's new Centigix system. You may have noticed the small white box above the doors from the nave into the vestibule and similar boxes under the two speakers; those are a part of this new security system. In a worst case scenario, one of the ushers inside the nave here would use the badge to send a signal to the white boxes; this will automatically contact all Conway County Emergency Management and 911 services: Morrilton Police Department, the Sheriff's office, EMT services, and the fire department would all respond, and the badge's signal, triangulated by the three white boxes, would give them the location of the badge-holder. The usher team has also been discerning whether some or all of the doors from the vestibule to the outside should be locked once mass starts, and even whether some or all of the doors from the nave into the vestibule should be locked. There have been strong (but respectful) opinions in different directions, and I'm sure you also may have your own thoughts on what the best practice should be. Each of the options discussed presents certain benefits and certain drawbacks. We are trying our best to think through worst case scenarios and the optimal ways to keep our people safe, whether they are here in the nave or in the cry room. 3) In the event of weather sirens going off, the bag will also have a key that would allow the congregation to get into the tornado-proof safe-room at the elementary school next door.

I am very grateful to all our ushers for their service and to Mike Briggler for his leadership - they do a very fine job for us! If you have questions, please let me or Mike know.



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# SACRED HEART CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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#### RAFFLE TICKET CLASS COMPETITION

- This year's event will once again include a competition among classes to sell the most raffle tickets and will culminate with the Oktoberfest Walk, to be held at 7:45pm October 4th.
- Representatives from each class have been randomly selected. The competition breakdown will be as follows: Prek3-1st; 2nd-6th; and 7th-12th grades. Each week, the winning classes will be announced for selling the highest class average the previous week and they will be awarded a prize (special treat for pre-k, free dress for K-12) during the following school week. There will be four weeks of weekly competition and the weekly totals will not be cumulative.
- The final competition will conclude at 7:15pm the night of Oktoberfest (October 4). The classes that sells the highest cumulative class average will win a prize (field trip) and the representatives will be crowed *Herr & Dame* at the Oktoberfest ceremony.

- **CLASS REPRESENTATIVES 2025**
- Jacob GottsponerKennedy Andrews Ρ4 Boone Taylor Beckett Henry Κ Declan Bishop Paisley Hoelzeman 1 Garren Burnett Annie Birch 2 Sam Dickson Sophee Chandler 3 Rein Dotson Marley Meza 4 Vincent Everett Amelia Roller 5 Michael Griffin Josie Anderson 6 Grey Beck Mary Wingifled
- 7 DJ Lynch Loralei McNabb Eli Beavers Maddie McCallie 9 Jack Gray Isabella Gruita
- 10 Matthew Combs Phoenix Thomas Jason Wingfield Maddie Rohlman 11
- 12 Graham Combs Mary Claire Stengel
- Please note the competition will be based on class average to make it fair to all classes, regardless of the class size. So, if a class of 7 sells 1000 tickets, they sold an average of 142 tickets per student; if a class of 27 sells 1000 tickets, they only sold an average of 37 tickets per student. All families are encouraged to help sell tickets to improve your child's classes' chances of winning.

# SACRED HEART OKTOBERFEST 2025

October 4, 2025

Dinner, Games, Bingo and more!

## -Raffle Prize-2025 CFMOTO UFORCE 600



Complete one form per person; actual tickets are computer printed. Subject to 25% income tax, Must be 18 to claim prize

Name
Address
City, State, Zip
Phone

1 Ticket=\$3 4 Tickets - \$10 8 Tickets = \$20 25 Tickets = \$50 50 Tickets = \$100

**AMOUNT FOR TICKETS: \$** 

-OR- Make a (100% tax-deductible Donation) \$\_

Bill my VISA, MC, or Discover (for donations) Card #	
Expires	3-digit security code
Zip code on card	
Signature:	

Class to receive credit (circle one or more):

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