

# SACRED HEART OF JESUS

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### MASS SCHEDULE



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#### WEEKDAY MASSES

**Mondays:** No Daily Mass  
**Tuesdays:** 6:00 PM Mass  
**Wednesdays:** 8:00 AM Mass/  
*Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help  
follows Mass*  
**Thursdays:** 6:00 AM Mass  
**Fridays:** 8:00 AM Mass

#### WEEKEND MASSES

**Saturdays:** 4:00 PM Vigil Mass  
*(Rosary begins at 3:20)*  
**Sundays:** 9:00 AM  
11:00 AM

## PARISH CLERGY

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## Vocations Chalice Program



Join our Sacred Heart Parish prayer efforts for an increase in holy vocations in our diocese.

Every Sunday a family will be presented with Father Josh's ordination chalice to take home and pray the entire week for an increase in vocations.

*If your family would like to take Father Josh's chalice home, contact Clare Coulon in the parish office to be put on the schedule: 225-387-6671*

## CONNECT WITH SACRED HEART CHURCH!



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## OFFICE HOURS

Mondays–Thursdays: 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Fridays: 8:30 AM – NOON

*Parish Office Closed every Wednesday from 10:30 AM-12:30 PM*

*(Closed Daily for Lunch 12:00 – 12:30 PM)*

## ADORATION CHAPEL

Mondays–Fridays: 9:00 AM – 7:00 PM

*(The Chapel is in the Church Sacristy and can be accessed from the ramp in the rear of the Church. Call Parish Office for code to enter.)*

## CONFESSIONS

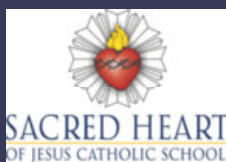
Tuesdays: 5:30 PM

Wednesdays: 7:30 AM

Thursdays: 6:30 AM

Fridays: 7:30 AM

Saturdays: 3:00 PM



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## SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Friday 7:45 AM – 3:00 PM,

*(Summer Hours: Monday - Thursday: 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM)*

**NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS**

**EVERY 1ST FRIDAY**  
**OCTOBER - JUNE ONLY**

**CONFESSIONS: 11 AM**

**MASS: 12 noon**

**NOVENA: 12:30 PM**

*Please call or e-mail your prayer requests to Clare Coulon at 387-6671 or [ccoulon@sacredheartbr.org](mailto:ccoulon@sacredheartbr.org)*





# MID-CITY MISSION

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**June 18–22, 2024**

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*\*Young adults will begin their mission experience on Monday, June 17,  
with prayer, fellowship, and training.*



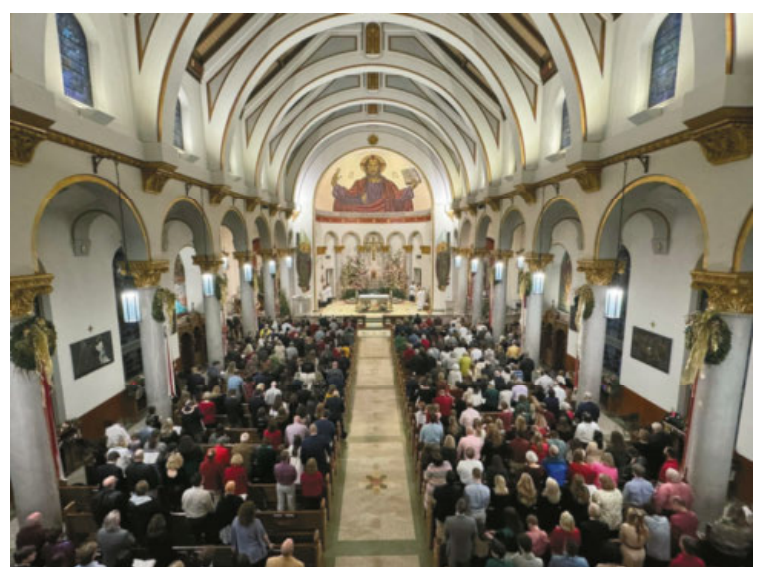
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# Christmas at



**A special thank you to 2nd grader, Connor Mount, and his family, for carrying baby Jesus up in our Christmas Vigil Procession!**

**Please keep all of our 2nd grade students in your prayers as they prepare for the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist!**





# Sacred Heart!



## ◆ ◆ Readings ◆ ◆

<b>Sunday, January 7</b> Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 (see 11)/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/ Mt 2:1-12	<b>Tuesday, January 9</b> 1 Sm 1:9-20/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/Mk 1:21-28	<b>Thursday, January 11</b> 1 Sm 4:1-11/Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25/Mk 1:40-45	<b>Saturday, January 13</b> 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2 -3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 2:13-17
<b>Monday, January 8</b> Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 (3)/1 Jn 5:1-9/Mk 1:7-11	<b>Wednesday, January 10</b> 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/Mk 1:29-39	<b>Friday, January 12</b> 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Ps 89:16-17, 18-19/Mk 2:1-12	<b>Sunday, January 14</b> 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/Ps 40:2, 4 7-8, 8-9, 10 (8a, 9a)/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42

## ◆ ◆ Calendar ◆ ◆

<b>MON</b> 8	<b>The Baptism of the Lord</b> <b>No Daily Mass</b> <b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> , 9 AM-7 PM, Chapel
<b>TUE</b> 9	<b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> , 9 AM-7 PM, Chapel <b>Confessions</b> , 5:30 PM   <b>Daily Mass</b> , 6 PM
<b>WED</b> 10	<b>Confessions</b> , 7:30 AM   <b>Daily Mass</b> , 8 a.m. <b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> , 9 AM-7 PM, Chapel <b>Staff/Team Prayer Meeting-Office Closed</b> , 10:30-12:00 <b>Parish Finance Board Mtg.</b> , 12 PM, Rectory <b>R.C.I.A. Class</b> , 6 PM, AC-Fr. Blasco Rm. <b>SVdP Meeting</b> , 6:30 PM, AC-Fr. Dugas Rm.
<b>THU</b> 11	<b>Daily Mass</b> , 6 AM, Church   <b>Confessions</b> , 6:30 AM (Note: Confessions follow Mass on Thursdays.) <b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> , 9 AM-7 PM, Chapel
<b>FRI</b> 12	<b>Confessions</b> , 7:30 AM   <b>Daily Mass with School</b> , 8 AM <b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> , 9 AM-7 PM, Chapel
<b>SAT</b> 13	<b>Confessions</b> , 3 PM <b>Rosary</b> , 3:20 PM <b>Vigil Mass/2nd Collection for SH School</b> , 4 PM
<b>SUN</b> 14	<b>The 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> <b>Masses/2nd Collection for SH School</b> , 9 & 11 AM/School Mass at 11 AM Mass <b>PSR 1st Eucharist Class</b> , 10 AM, AC-Fr. Smith Rm. <b>Coffee &amp; Doughnuts</b> following both Masses

## ◆ ◆ Mass Intentions ◆ ◆

Date	Mass	Intention(s)
Tuesday 01-09-24	6 PM	Michael DiVincenti III
Wednesday 01-10-24	8 AM	Ryan Spencer Leggio
Thursday 01-11-24	6 AM	Parishioners of Sacred Heart
Friday 01-12-24	8 AM	Sacred Heart of Jesus School Students, Teachers & Staff
Saturday 01-13-24	4 PM	Parishioners of Sacred Heart
Sunday 01-14-24	9 AM	Ryan Spencer Leggio
	11 AM	Michael DiVincenti III Monaca Reech



*The Sanctuary Light  
for the month of January  
is in memory of  
Joseph Wayne Phillips, Jr.*

## ◆ ◆ Minister Assignments ◆ ◆

January 6-7, 2024: The Epiphany of the Lord		
Mass	Readers	Cantor
<b>Saturday</b> 4:00 PM	Jacquelyn Dawson (1) Joell Keller (2)	Melissa Simien
<b>Sunday</b> 9:00 AM	Pamela Davis (1) Glynn O'Neill (2)	Alana Buckley
<b>Sunday</b> 11:00 AM	SH Confirmation 1 (1) SH Confirmation 2 (2)	Alana Buckley

January 13-14, 2024: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time		
Mass	Readers	Cantor
<b>Saturday</b> 4:00 PM	Phyllis Territo (1) Joell Keller (2)	Denise Williston
<b>Sunday</b> 9:00 AM	Lisa Gardner (1) Bill Bryan (2)	Denise Williston
<b>Sunday</b> 11:00 AM	SHS Student 1 (1) SHS Student 2 (2)	Denise Williston



### MARRIAGE

Couples should contact the Parish Office at least six (6) months prior to the desired date and must complete the Marriage Preparation Program.

### BAPTISM

Seminar required. Please visit the website or call the Parish Office for information.

### CARE OF THE SICK

Visits made regularly to hospitalized and homebound. Contact the Parish Office for Anointing of the Sick or to receive Holy Communion.

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Matthew 7:7

  
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