

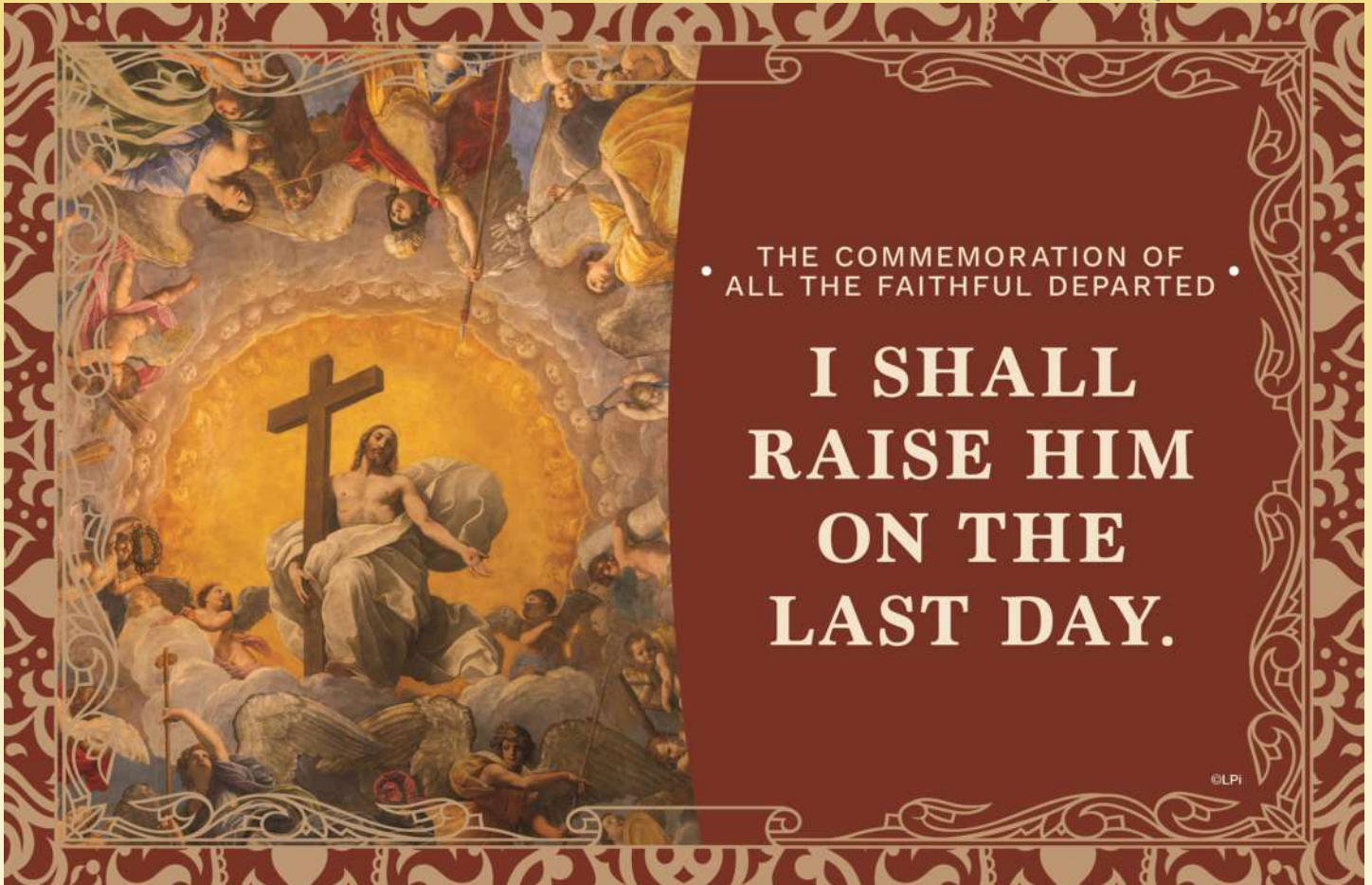
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**I SHALL
RAISE HIM
ON THE
LAST DAY.**

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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
Sundays: 9:00 AM
11:00 AM

ROSARY TIMES

Tuesdays: 5:20 PM (*Before Mass*)
Saturdays: 3:20 PM (*Before Mass*)

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OFFICE HOURS

Mondays–Thursdays: 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Fridays: CLOSED

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

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

ADORATION CHAPEL

Mondays–Sundays: 7:00 AM – 9:00 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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(Summer Hours: Monday - Thursday: 8:00 AM - 12:00 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 the Parish Office
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We Pray, We Give, We Serve: *2025 Ministry Guide*

Keep an eye on your mailbox because this year's Ministry Guide is coming your way and may have already arrived! This annual guide showcases the different ministries in the Parish with information about each ministry. If you are interested in participating in a ministry, you can contact the Parish Office or contact the specific ministry leader by going to the website sacredheartbr.org and clicking on the "Ministries" tab.

This Guidebook is provided at no cost to the Parish by the support of generous advertisers who support both the Guidebook and the weekly Parish Messenger. We encourage you to think of them in the future as your needs arise. Thank you to all of the ministry leaders in the Parish and to the advertisers who make the Guidebook possible.

In addition to information on the current ministries at Sacred Heart the Guidebook features information on the Mass and Confession Schedules, Sacramental Preparation, and more!

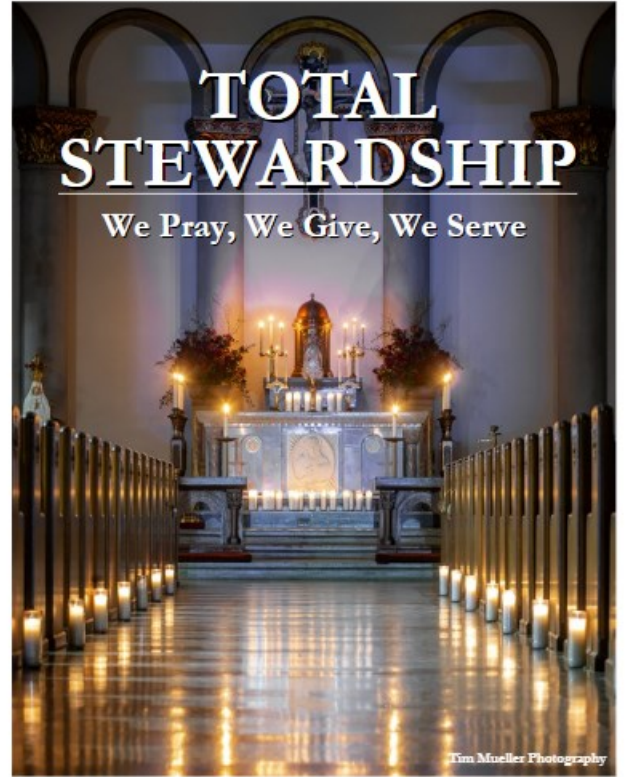
We hope that you take some time to flip through the book and prayerfully consider how God may be calling you to serve moving forward. From Baking Team to Advent Giving Tree and Knights of Columbus to the Prayer Line there is something here for everyone.



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Pope's Prayer Intentions

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HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION *for November 2025*

For the prevention of suicide

Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care, and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.



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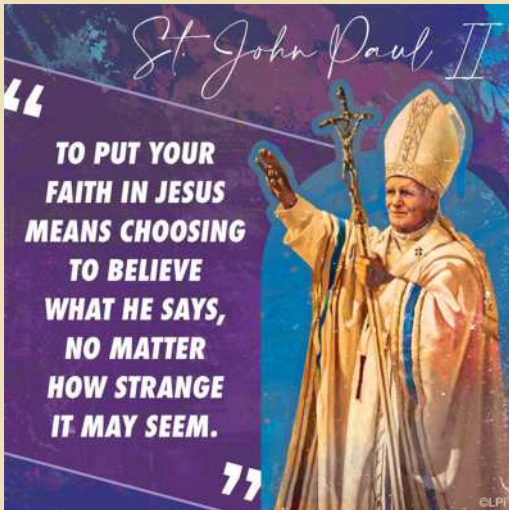
**DAYLIGHT
SAVING TIME!**

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Join us this Friday for The
First Friday of the Month Mass &
2nd Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus
Friday, November 7, 2025

11:00 a.m.	Confessions
12:00 noon	Mass
12:30 p.m.	Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus



St. John Paul II | October 22

St. John Paul II was born Karol Wojtyla in the small Polish town of Wadowice. During World War II, when the Nazis invaded Poland, Karol secretly studied for the priesthood in an underground seminary. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1946, appointed Archbishop of Krakow in 1964, and three years later he was made a cardinal. In 1978, he was elected the 264th pope, where he took the name John Paul II.

St. John Paul II made evangelization a key part of his papacy and made pastoral visits to all parts of the world. In 1981, he was shot twice in an assassination attempt. Following Jesus' example of compassion, he later met with his would-be assassin in his prison cell, where he forgave him for what he had done.

Near the end of his papacy, it became difficult for him to speak, and his poor health and physical suffering made public appearances difficult. Still, he continued his pastoral work. He died April 2, 2005, and he was declared blessed on May 1, 2011. He became a saint on April 27, 2014.

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◆◆ Sacraments ◆◆

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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.

FUNERAL PLANNING

Please call the Parish Office prior to scheduling with the funeral home.



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◆◆ Readings ◆◆

Sunday, November 2 Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40	Tuesday, November 4 Rom 12:5-16b/Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3/Lk 14:15-24	Thursday, November 6 Rom 14:7-12/Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13 -14/Lk 15:1-10	Saturday, November 8 Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Ps 145:2- 3, 4-5, 10-11/Lk 16:9-15
Monday, November 3 Rom 11:29-36/Ps 69:30-31, 33- 34, 36/Lk 14:12-14	Wednesday, November 5 Rom 13:8-10/Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9/Lk 14:25-33	Friday, November 7 Rom 15:14-21/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Lk 16:1-8	Sunday, November 9 Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5- 6, 8-9/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

◆◆ Calendar ◆◆

MON 3	No Daily Mass 2-4 Gr. PSR Mtg. , 6 PM, AC-Fr. Dugas Rm. Knight's of Columbus Rosary/Mtg , 6:30 PM, Parish Hall
TUE 4	Rosary, 5:20 PM Confessions, 5:30PM Daily Mass, 6PM SHS Serop's Fundraiser , see pg. 5 Baptism Seminar , 6 PM, AC-Fr. Dugas Rm. Cor Jesu , 6:30 PM, Parish Hall/AC-Fr. Blasco Rm. Young Adult Small Group. , 6:30 PM, HUB
WED 5	Confessions, 7:30 AM Daily Mass 8 AM Staff/Team Prayer Meeting-Office Closed, 10:30-12:30 Vagabond Teen Bible Study , 4:30 PM, HUB O.C.I.A. Class , 6:00 PM, AC-Fr. Blasco Rm. Choir Practice , 6:30 PM, Choir Rm.
THU 6	Daily Mass, 6 AM, Church Confessions, 6:30 AM (Note: Confessions follow Mass on Thursdays.) Men's Lectio Divina , 6:30 AM, Parish Hall SoulCore Class , 7:55 AM, AC-Gym Vagabond Open Holy Hour , 9 AM, Church SHS Faculty Meeting , 3:15 PM, SHS Library
FRI 7	Confessions, 7:30 AM Daily Mass w/ SHS, 8 AM SHS Fall Fest 1st Friday Mass/2nd Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus Confessions, 11 AM, Mass/Novena, 12 Noon
SAT 8	Confessions, 3 PM Rosary, 3:20 PM Vigil Mass/2nd Collection for SH School, 4 PM SVdP Visitation Meeting , 8:30 AM, HUB Conference Rm.
SUN 9	The Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica Masses/2nd Collection for SH School, 9 & 11 AM/School Mass at 11 AM Mass Coffee & Doughnuts following 9 AM Mass only PSR 1st Eucharist Class , 10 AM, AC-Fr. Smith Rm. Confirmation Session 6 , 12 PM, Church Campus Sober Hearts: Open AA Meeting , 5 PM, AC-Fr. Gauci Rm.

◆◆ Mass Intentions ◆◆

Date	Mass	Intention(s)
Tuesday 11-04-25	6 PM	Special Intentions of Lucy Ruch
Wednesday 11-05-25	8 AM	Ryan Spencer Leggio
Thursday 11-06-25	6 AM	Myria Butler
Friday 11-07-25	8 AM	Melissa Riley-Byrd
	12 PM	First Friday Mass Martha B. Haase
Saturday 11-08-25	4 PM	Parishioners of Sacred Heart
Sunday 11-09-25	9 AM	Juanita Holden McGregor; Caty Carson Brown; Ryan Spencer Leggio; Pat Sullivan & Nancy Nelson
	11 AM	Shirlene Cooper; David & Bradley Smith; Mollie Barbara Helm; Jerome Leggio, Jr.; Peter & Nelda Polozola

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

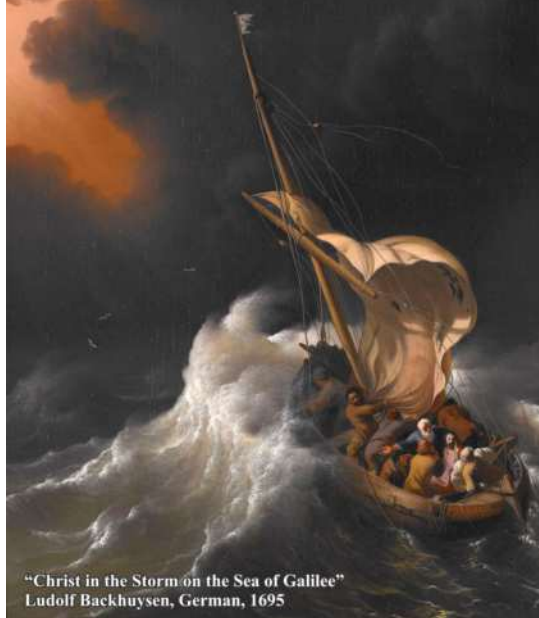
Adoration Chapel Hours | 7AM - 9PM Daily



◆◆ Minister Assignments ◆◆

November 1-2: Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed			November 8-9: Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica		
Mass	Readers	Cantor	Mass	Readers	Cantor
Saturday 4:00 PM	Philip O'Neill (1) Jacquelyn Dawson (2)	Melissa Simien	Saturday 4:00 PM	Phyllis Territo (1) Joell Keller (2)	Denise Williston
Sunday 9:00 AM	Ghedy Matus (1) Perry Key (2)	Alana Buckley	Sunday 9:00 AM	Jeanne Garcia (1) Caesar Garcia (2)	Denise Williston
Sunday 11:00 AM	Anthony O'Connor (1) Sara Smith (2)	Alana Buckley	Sunday 11:00 AM	SHS Student 1 (1) SHS Student 2 (2)	Denise Williston

A Prayer for Protection in Hurricane Season



"Christ in the Storm on the Sea of Galilee"
Ludolf Backhuysen, German, 1695

O God, Master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of Your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed Your Son's command when He calmed the stormy waters and delivered the disciples from fear and harm.

During this hurricane season, we turn to You, O loving Lord, for your mercy is without end. Should it be your will, we ask that we be spared from tragedies like those of the past and that you keep us safe in Your loving care.

O Virgin Mother, Star of the Sea, we seek your powerful help. Plead for us with Your Son that we might be spared all harm, whether natural or made by human hand, and walk safely in His footsteps until we reach our heavenly home. Should this not be His will, we pray for strength to grow closer to Him through these and other hardships we face.

Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us!



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