

10<sup>TH</sup>

June 9, 2024

SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY  
TIME

## Jesus and His Family

*“Whoever does the will of God is  
my brother and sister and mother.”*

Mark 3:35



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**Church of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross**



## Eucharistic Revival



June is the month dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

### The Sacred Heart



O Sacred Heart of Jesus, I adore you in the oneness of the second person of the Holy Trinity. Whatever belongs to the person of Jesus is to be worshipped with that one and the same worship which we pay to Jesus. He did not take on himself his human nature as something distinct and separate from himself, but as simply, absolutely, eternally his.

I worship you, O Heart of Jesus. You are the heart of the Most High made man. In worshipping you, I worship my incarnate God, Emmanuel. I worship you, as bearing a part in that passion which is my life, for you burst and broke, through agony, in the Garden of Gethsemane, and your precious contents trickled out, through the veins and pores of the skin, upon the earth. And again, you had been drained all but dry upon the Cross; and then, after death, you were pierced by the lance and gave out the small remains of that inestimable treasure, which is our redemption.

My God, my Savior, I adore your Sacred Heart, for that heart is the seat and source of all your tender human affections for us sinners. It is the instrument and organ of your love. It beat for us. It yearned over us. It ached for us and for our salvation. It was on fire through zeal, that the glory of God might be manifested in and by us. It is the channel through which has come to us all your overflowing human affection, all your divine charity toward us. All your incomprehensible compassion for us, as God and Man, as our Creator and our Redeemer and Judge, has come to us, and comes, in one inseparably mingled stream, through that Sacred Heart.

O most sacred, most loving Heart of Jesus, you are concealed in the Holy Eucharist, and you beat for us still. I worship you then with all my best love and awe, with my fervent affection, with my most subdued, most resolved will. O my God, when you condescend to suffer me to receive you, to eat and drink you, and you for a while take up your abode within me, make my heart beat with your heart. Purify it of all that is earthly, all that is proud and sensual, all that is hard and cruel, of all perversity, of all disorder, of all deadness. So fill it with you, that neither the events of the day nor the circumstances of the time may have power to ruffle it but that in your love and your fear it may have peace.

"Everyday Meditations," St. John Henry Newman, pp 142-144.  
(Abridged to fit this column) ISBN 978-1-933184-96-8

This book is a highly recommended font of meditations.



### DEVOTION AND MASS:

Please join our parish family on Wednesday evenings for Devotion and Mass.

The Devotion begins at 5:30 p.m. in the church, followed by Mass at 6:00 p.m.

In June we are praying the Litany to Our Mother of Perpetual Help.

### PASTORAL STAFF SERVING HOLY CROSS

Fr. Leopold Mushobozi, Parish Administrator  
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#### MASSES

Saturday: 5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass  
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 4:00 p.m.  
Weekdays: 7:00 a.m. Mon., Tue., & Thurs.  
6:00 p.m. Wed.; 8:15 a.m. Fri.

**DEVOTION** 5:30-6:00 p.m. Wednesday

#### HOLY CROSS PARISH OFFICE

405 W. Clark St., Champaign, IL, 61820  
Phone: 217-352-8748 Fax: 217-366-2929  
e-mail address: office@holycrosscatholic.org  
website: www.holycrosscatholic.org

#### HOLY CROSS SCHOOL

Greg Koerner, Principal  
410 W. White, Champaign, Illinois, 61820  
Phone: 217-356-9521 Fax: 217-356-1745

#### ADORATION

Fridays after the 8:15 a.m. Mass with Benediction at 2:30 p.m.

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:00-5:00 p.m.  
Mon, Tue, Thur, 6:30-6:45 a.m., Fri. 7:45-8:00 a.m.  
Or by appointment.

**BAPTISM:** Second and fourth Sunday of the month, after the 10:00 a.m. Mass. Parents must be registered members and attend baptismal preparation sessions, preferably before the birth of the child. Contact the Parish Office 3 months in advance to schedule.

**MATRIMONY:** Couples contemplating marriage should call the Office at least 8 months in advance. At least one partner must be a registered parishioner at Holy Cross and be actively practicing the faith. If you have had a previous marriage, set no marriage date until you have discussed this with your Pastor.

**CARE OF THE SICK:** Call the Parish Office to make arrangements at any time for Communion and/or the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

**BULLETIN DEADLINE:** Two Wednesdays prior to the bulletin in which the information will be posted.

# Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## OUR PARISH

### HOLY CROSS MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Catholic Community of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross is to provide a home for all who wish to join our spiritual family and share our Catholic beliefs and values. We are here to continue the life-giving works of Jesus Christ, to make His name known and loved, and to live our lives according to the Gospel of Jesus Christ, under the leadership of the Bishop of the Peoria Diocese.

### LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

<b>Saturday</b> 5:30 p.m.	<b>June 15</b> Lector: Dave Kristovich EMHC: Joslyn Unger, Sharon Kristovich Servers: Garrett, Nick, Zora, Samantha Unger (3)
<b>Sunday</b> 8:00 a.m.	<b>June 16</b> Lector: Jay Geistlinger EMHC: Sue Berndt, Lynette Barham Servers: Nicolette Burton, Landen Douglas
<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	Lector: Joe Mefford EMHC: John Dixon, Pat Dixon, Bonita Higerson, Jessica McMahon Servers: Jack McMahon, Brooke McMahon
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	Lector: Rob Shanahan EMHC: No Ministers Servers: Will Herges, Mark Woolwine



### Mass Intentions for the Week

<b>Monday, June 10</b> 7:00 a.m.	John Deponai
<b>Tuesday, June 11</b> 7:00 a.m.	<b>Mass is Cancelled</b>
<b>Wednesday, June 12</b> 6:00 p.m.	Dora Kilmer
<b>Thursday, June 13</b> 7:00 a.m.	Ralph McGinnis
<b>Friday, June 14</b> 8:15 a.m.	(First) Friday Memorial
<b>Saturday, June 15</b> 5:30 p.m.	Ellen McDowell
<b>Sunday, June 16</b> 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	For the Parishioners Rosemary Coffey Stephen Primmer



### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



Thank you to those of you who have committed to spending time with Jesus during Eucharistic Adoration every Friday. Because of you, we are able continue to have Adoration during the Summer. Please remember to write your name on the sign up sheet in the vestibule of the church before each Friday, so we can see the hours that are covered. **All** parishioners are invited to sign up for half an hour, or an hour, or just drop in for a little quiet time with Jesus. Come and sit in His presence, and feel His peace. He is always waiting for you!

If you have questions, please call Penny at 217-398-2878.

Friday Adoration after 8:15 a.m. Mass with Benediction at 2:30 p.m.

**We will not have Encounter Nights during summer.**



### Holy Cross Men's Prayer Group

The Holy Cross Men's Prayer Group, AKA the Holy Cross Brotherhood of Prayer, meets every Monday to attend the 7 a.m. Mass and pray publicly together afterwards. Men, if you are interested in trying to become more holy, please join us. For more information, contact: John Deponai, [jmd3@hotmail.com](mailto:jmd3@hotmail.com). Blessings to all. Give God a heart!

### COFFEE SHOP CONTINUES IN THE SUMMER!

Come over to the Parish Center after the Sunday morning Masses for a cup of coffee and a delicious donut. Join old friends, make new friends.



We are now planning for the summer sign-ups. Check your calendar for your availability. Then either sign up at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4FACAE2FA0FDC52-holy2#/> or email [crakers@comcast.net](mailto:crakers@comcast.net) with the date and either 8:00 or 10:00 Mass that you can host. By the way, if YOU have not visited the Holy Cross coffee shop, please come over. Come once and you will come back.



We are still in need of **LECTORS** and **EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS**



Please contact the Parish Office if you are interested in learning more or would like to be a part of one of these ministries. Call the office at 217-352-8748 or Email [office@holycrosscatholic.org](mailto:office@holycrosscatholic.org). Thank you!



### Summer Office Hours

Starting on June 7th going thru August 2nd, the Parish Office will be closed on Fridays. Have a great summer!

CHURCH OF THE EXALTATION OF THE  
**HOLY CROSS**  
*Moms' Group*  
 facebook.com/groups/holycrossmoms  
 hcmomsgroup@gmail.com

# summer schedule

## Wednesday Morning Park Dates

9-11 am unless noted otherwise

- June 5 - Blair Park in Urbana
- June 12 - Morrissey Park in Champaign
- June 19 - Robeson Park in Champaign
- June 26 - Ambucs Park in Urbana
- July 3 - Anita Purves Nature Playscape in Urbana
- July 10 - Colbert Park in Savoy
- July 17 - Noel Park in Champaign
- July 24 - Pool Party at Sarah's \*10 a.m. -12 p.m.
- July 31 - Homer Lake Playscape
- August 7 - Hessel Park / Splash Pad in Champaign

## Nights Out

7 pm unless noted otherwise

- June 5 - Huaraches Moroleon
- July 16 - Bunny;s Tavern
- August 8 - Mom's Pool Party at Sarah's

## MAGNIFICAT RENEWAL AND NEW ORDERS



Soon it will be time to either renew your subscription or start a new one. The Magnificat is an easy-to-read daily Mass companion and features the complete readings for each Sunday and all the weekday Masses; as well as daily reflections and prayers.

**If you already receive one**, please fill out the renewal form that will be included in your June issue. The Magnificat is ordered through the Parish Office, so please make your check payable to "Holy Cross," not Magnificat, and bring it or mail it to the Parish Office, or drop it in the collection basket in an envelope marked "Magnificat."

**If you'd like to place a new order**, please call the Parish Office at 217-352-8748. The cost is \$29 per year, which is half the regular subscription cost because we order as a group. Payment and order form must be in by **July 1st**.

## NEW HOLY CROSS PARISH DIRECTORY UPDATE - PLEASE READ!

The New Holy Cross Parish Directory is progressing into the final stages for completion. With that, we need to send the parish roster of families for print in the back of the directory. This will include your family name and contact information. If you do not want your information included in the directory, please notify the Parish Office as soon as possible.

You can email us directly at [office@holycrosscatholic.org](mailto:office@holycrosscatholic.org), or call the parish office at (217) 352-8748.

Thank you for your patience as we continue to work on this project!



*Always  
 Home,  
 Always  
 Family!*



## National Eucharistic Congress July 17—21, 2024 Indianapolis, Indiana

The Diocese of Peoria has a limited number of discounted tickets for the National Eucharistic Congress (NEC) at \$250/ticket and we are making them available to anyone who would like them. If you would like to purchase a ticket, please use the registration link below. Note that tickets do not include housing or transportation. The Diocese will not be planning an organized Diocesan trip, but rather will host an event at the Congress.

For more information on the National Eucharistic Congress visit <https://www.eucharisticcongress.org/>.

To purchase tickets visit <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScPrMkWiSkUX503XFJBOm70iH1OVT8Oe7k51ELURUb8VR0Efg/viewform>.

## Collections

Offering for May 25th/26th.....	\$7,437.35
Offering for June 1st/2nd.....	\$9,094.42
Tuition Assistance.....	\$730.00

Thank you very much!



## OSF VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY



Come volunteer with OSF Hospice!

We have a variety of opportunities that help serve our patients and their families. Available opportunities: visiting with patients, crocheting prayer shawls, sewing fidget blankets, office help, etc. Training is provided.

For more information on requirements or to obtain an Application, please call 217-355-4120 Ext 7 or email [Mary.Cox@osfhealthcare.org](mailto:Mary.Cox@osfhealthcare.org).

**A Heartfelt Thank You** to all Eucharistic Outreach Ministers who bring Holy Communion to our homebound parishioners every Friday! They are so grateful.



## High School of St. Thomas More

217-352-7210  
www.hs-stm.org

**Registration is NOW LIVE for the Golf Outing at** <https://www.hs-stm.org/page/golf>. Lake of the Woods Golf Course, 405 N Lake of The Woods Rd., Mahomet. Rotary Hill Pavilion, 901 Geranium Dr., Mahomet. When? Friday, August 2nd, 2024 (Rain Date Friday, August 9th).

**STM Flag Football Tournament.** Registration is now live for Flag Football. We will have 8 teams of 10 players and all games will be played at Henneman Field at STM. Students entering Grades 5-8 in the Fall of 2024 are eligible to participate. This is a co-ed tournament and t-shirts are included. Sign up as an individual (\$20/player) or as a team (\$200/team). Visit <https://www.hs-stm.org/page/flag-football> for more info or to sign up. Questions? Contact Nathan Watson at [nwatson@hs-stm.org](mailto:nwatson@hs-stm.org)

**STM Youth Summer Sports Camps.** Camps are available for Grades K-8 and will take place throughout May and June. A free non-padded event will be offered on August 1st that introduces the fundamentals of football (limited to 40 participants). All camps are located at the High School of Saint Thomas More, 3901 N Mattis Ave. in Champaign. Cost: Varies by Camp. Visit [www.hs-stm.org](http://www.hs-stm.org) for more info and to register.

**Summer Office Hours.** The STM office will be on summer hours, Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. to 12 noon **from May 28 through July 29**. The office will be closed during the weeks of June 10 and July 2. We can be reached at 217-352-7210 or [info@hs-stm.org](mailto:info@hs-stm.org).

**Job Opportunities:** STM is seeking applications for a Boys Head Golf Coach, Boys Head Tennis Coach and a Bus Driver. If interested, email Sr. M. Bridget at [stmbridget@hs-stm.org](mailto:stmbridget@hs-stm.org), Mr. Corapi at [acorapi@hs-stm.org](mailto:acorapi@hs-stm.org), and Jon Marston, Athletic Director, at [jmarston@hs-stm.org](mailto:jmarston@hs-stm.org).



Holy Cross School  
217-356-9521  
www.holycrosselem.org

As we close out another school year, I'd like to thank everyone for all the support you've given Holy Cross school. It takes a community to support a school. You have showed us understanding, kindness, and love. Thank you!

We have said goodbye to our 8th graders and Mrs. Bolen, our librarian. Our former 8th graders and Mrs. Bolen will be missed but we wish them all the best as they start their high school years and retirement.

As you may know, Empower Illinois has gone away. What this means is that some of our students might not have the opportunity to attend Holy Cross. These students have relied on the scholarships they received from the state to attend Holy Cross. Last year out of the generosity of your hearts we were able to fund 40 students. Please continue to support our tuition assistances program so we can continue to grow our school.

We have one big ticket item that needs to be addressed. The school roof needs to be replaced. The current roof is 24 years old and leaks. We have been patching it over the years and we will patch it again this summer. The current roof is out of warranty and needs to be replaced. We have received two quotes and the cost is \$260,000. Please consider donating toward this much needed project.

Our Back-to-School open house is scheduled for August 13th from 4 to 8 p.m. This is a great opportunity for students to meet their teachers and to drop off supplies. There will be food trucks available for parents to purchase food for their families. Our official first day of school will be a half day on August 14th.

### WE ARE HOLY CROSS!

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY:** Part time school office help/ PreK 4 classroom teacher. Please call the school at (217) 356-9521 if interested.



### CAREER OPENING

St John's Catholic Newman Center (SJCNC) at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign is seeking a creative, collaborative Marketing Specialist to help develop, execute, and monitor marketing strategies for SJCNC ministries, events, and programs. SJCNC is comprised of St. John's Catholic Chapel, serving the spiritual needs of thousands of Catholic Illini on campus, and Newman Hall, a 586-bed coed private certified housing facility serving University of Illinois freshmen and above.

The Marketing Specialist will work under the direct supervision of the Director of Marketing & Communications to execute integrated marketing and promotional campaigns designed to recruit incoming residents, inform current residents and student ministry participants, conduct outreach for ministry programs, and connect alumni and donors.

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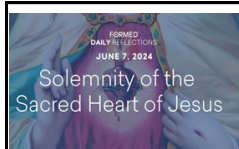
**TO APPLY:** Send letter of application, resume, 2 examples of prior marketing work (can be print, social media, or digital), and 2 letters of recommendation to: [Tristan.pisarczyk@sjcnc.org](mailto:Tristan.pisarczyk@sjcnc.org)

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DAY PROGRAM (1ST-6TH) MONDAY-FRIDAY (JUNE 17-21), 9 AM - 2:30 PM  
TEEN PROGRAM (7TH-12TH) SUN-THURSDAY (JUNE 16-20) 6:30 - 8:15 PM  
QUESTIONS: EMAIL JON AT [JON.MCCOY@STPATURBANA.ORG](mailto:JON.MCCOY@STPATURBANA.ORG)



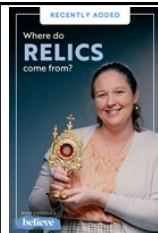
**FORMED DAILY REFLECTIONS**  
**SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS**  
**JUNE 7, 2024**

Action Item: Reflect on Christ's great love for you, and return that love. Help us share the truth and beauty of the Gospel and reach Catholics worldwide. Become an Augustine Institute Mission Circle Partner.

**THE SACRED HEART AND THE IMMACULATE HEART - SACRED ART**



Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp sit down with different pieces of Sacred Art to discuss their theological meanings and how they can speak to us today. View all episodes of [Sacred Art](#).

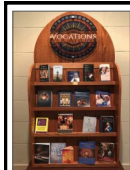


**WHAT CATHOLICS BELIEVE**  
**RELICS | WHAT CATHOLICS BELIEVE**

Join Dr. Elizabeth Klein, associate professor of Theology at the Augustine Institute Graduate School of Theology, as she answers some of the internet's most pressing questions about relics.

What are relics? Where do they come from? Do Catholics worship relics? Find out answers to these and many more questions in this episode.

Our Parish has a FORMED subscription. Visit [formed.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup) to sign up



**Check out the new bookcase in the back of church!**

**Books are free – read, return or pass along to someone else.**

Donations accepted but not necessary. Place any money in an envelope marked 'bookcase' and drop it in the collection basket or drop it off at the parish office.

**A Word from Joy**

New: we have a mom who is a parishioner at a local parish who is a victim of domestic violence. She needed to leave her home with the police assistance, and has had to start over with virtually nothing. She is now working at a new position and has an apartment for her and her young-adult daughter. There is also another adult daughter who is living in the Chicago area. They are all traumatized. This situation of DV was going on for a long time, and of course hidden from the other family members and the public. We are looking for home items for her: 2 chests of drawers so they can have a place to put their clothes, dishes, silverware, glasses, a broom or vacuum, clothes hangers, a small set of drawers to put towels in the bath room, laundry basket and probably more. We are looking for those items now. We are also anticipating that sometime soon they may need some financial assistance.

**New:** We had a great response from the mom's groups at Holy Cross, St. Patrick and St. Matthew. I am so grateful and happy. This Mom knows there are good people in the world and people care for her and her family. That is so beautiful and our pleasure and our marching orders to love one another!

*The only purpose of our prayers and sacrifices is to be an apostle of the apostles, to pray for priests while they evangelize souls."*

St. Therese of Lisieux

**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK**

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 Robert F. Reiser Family  
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 Nichols, Oetzel, Parod & Foltzer Families  
 Dec. Mem. of Happ, Krueger Families  
 Ed & Jean Bown  
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 Larry Hausmann, Bob Soucie  
 Living & Dec. Mem. of Cler & Flavin Families  
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 Rakers-Wade Families  
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 Liv. & Dec. Mem. of David & Bernice Williams Family  
 Liv. & Dec. Mem. of Graham, Fellers & Gordon Family  
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 Theresa Brya

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 Raymond Timpone  
 Maxine Timpone  
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 Perrodin Family  
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 Liv. & Dec. Mem. of Eli & Hazel Kinser Family  
 Menacher & Sizer Families  
 Leonard & Loretto Doyle  
 Alan & Patricia Berndt  
 Thomas McCarthy  
 Costello Family  
 Leta & Kenny Porter  
 Ron Murphy  
 Dec. Mem. of Murphy & Sullivan Families  
 Living & Dec. Mem. of Williams, Lykins, Barham Fam.