



**Saturday, September 1:**

5:00 p.m. Mass

**Sunday, September 2**

9:30 a.m. Mass

**Monday, September 3: Gregory the Great, pope, doctor**

1 Thes 4: 13-18, Lk 4: 16-30  
No Mass Today

**Tuesday, September 4: Weekday**

1 Thes 5: 1-5, 9-11, Lk 4: 31-37  
No Mass Today

**Wednesday, September 5: Weekday**

Col 1: 1-8, Lk 4: 38-44

8:30 a.m. Mass

**Thursday, September 6: Weekday**

Col 1: 9-14, Lk 5: 1-11

8:30 a.m. Mass

**Friday, September 7: Weekday**

Col 1: 15-20, Lk 5: 33-39

8:30 a.m. Mass

**TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Wis 9: 13-18b, Phlm 9-10, 12-17, Lk 14: 25-33

**Saturday, September 8:**

5:00 p.m. Mass

**Sunday, September 9:**

9:00 a.m. Mass (K/C Corporate Communion)

11:00 a.m. Mass



Please note we will be starting our Fall Mass Schedule **next weekend**. Beginning **September 8/9** our Masses will be Saturday @ 5:00 pm and Sunday @ 9:00 & 11:00 am.

**REMINDERS**

**Parish Council** will meet this Thursday, September 6 @ 7:00 pm in the Rectory basement.

**Christian Service** will meet Tuesday, September 11 @ 7:00 pm in the Parish Center. All parishioners are welcome to attend.

**Rest in Peace**

Our prayers and sympathy to the family of Lorraine Wachowicz who was buried from Sacred Heart recently. Also, our prayers and sympathy to the family of Herman Block whom the Lord has called home.

May they find eternal peace and joy with Jesus the Lord.

**PARISH BREAKFAST**

You are most welcome to enjoy a hearty breakfast served in the Parish Center after both Masses next Sunday, September 9, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. Enjoy great food and great fellowship!

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 8 and SUNDAY, SEPT. 9**

**LECTORS:**

5:00 p.m. Mary Knoll  
9:00 a.m. Mario D'Addezio  
11:00 a.m. Renee Wood

**MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST:**

5:00 p.m. Richard Emery\*  
Dolly Emery, Paul Langlois  
Irv & Ginny DeRoche  
9:00 a.m. Carolyn Graff\*  
Art Graff, Bruce Mellendorf  
Carol Papp, Angie Campbell  
11:00 a.m. Carol Starling\*  
Lee Starling, Chris Creguer  
Jenny Sabo, Lil Guild

**ALTAR SERVERS:**

5:00 p.m. Jared Burkey, Jerzy Kolanowski  
9:00 a.m. Liz Schlaud, Amanda Perez  
11:00 a.m. Claire Starling, Beth Roesner

**GREETERS:**

5:00 p.m. Brad Hartel Family, Art Rollend Family,  
Pat Strozkeski, Jill, Stephanie Brink  
9:00 a.m. Cal, Joanne Richardson, Jerry, Sandy  
Noeker, Jeff, Tammy, Kaela, Jacob  
Foor, Rick, Ann Reinelt  
11:00 a.m. Sam Pistolesi, Christine Harbec, Pat  
Gettel, Irene Aymer

**USHERS FOR SEPTEMBER**

5:00 p.m. John Merz\*, Dave Kolacz  
Pat Hepfer, Kyle Nordstrom  
9:00 a.m. Thomas Braun\*, Richard Bertrand  
Kris Ball, Jason Kappen  
11:00 a.m. Chris Taylor\*, Pete O'Brien  
John Kopko, Joe Fessler



They've arrived! We invite everyone to join us for refreshments at the Parish Center after this weekend's Masses. Directories will be distributed at that time to all who participated. Additional directories will be available for everyone at a cost of \$10.00 each. (Christian Service)

**THANK YOU**

God Bless our volunteers who helped serve the funeral luncheon of Lorraine Wachowicz: Barb Beecher, Mary Gettel, Jo Learman, Sue Laceski, Dick & Dolly Emery and Bob & Pat Chisholm. We also appreciate everyone from our Church family who donated food when called. Our ministry provides great unity for everyone.

**DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN**

The annual meeting of the Saginaw Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will be held on Thursday, September 6 at the Center for Ministry, Saginaw. Registration is from 10-10:15 a.m. Activities will conclude at approximately 3:00 p.m. Mass will be celebrated. Cost for the day is \$11.00, which includes lunch. All women of the diocese are invited to attend. Please RSVP by Sept. 2 to (989)-635-7072.

**CSA 2007**

Parish Target.....	\$60,112.00
Pledges.....	\$49,958.00
Balance Needed.....	\$10,154.00
Our thanks to those who have already pledged.	

**OUR PARISH SUPPORT**

Our Weekly Need.....\$5800.00  
 Last Weekend.....\$5850.75  
 Envelopes Used Last Weekend: 195

Peace begins with a smile.

**ROAD RALLY**



**When:** Saturday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>  
**Time:** 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.  
**Where:** Rectory Basement  
**Why:** To have fun!  
**What:** Get a team of 3-5 friends & a digital camera to do "Acts of Kindness" & fun things in the community. **Who:** 6<sup>th</sup> thru 12<sup>th</sup> grade youth  
 Call Karen @ 673-2276 to sign up!

**T-SHIRT CONTEST**

Our diocese is sponsoring a "T-Shirt Contest" for 7-12<sup>th</sup> grade youth. The theme is "Respect Life". Designs will be entered in two categories: 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> grade and 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade. It must be original artwork of the student. First place wins a trip to "March for Life" or \$50.00 cash. Deadline is October 14<sup>th</sup>. Call the Parish Center (673-2346) for more info.

**RIDE TO CHURCH**

A parishioner from Fairgrove is looking for a ride to Church on the weekends. To help him, please call 693-6436.



**LITURGICAL MINISTRY WORKSHOP**

The Catholic Diocese of Saginaw, Office of Liturgy, invites everyone involved in Liturgical Ministry, Musicians, Cantors, Lectors, Liturgists, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Ushers, Hospitality Ministers, as well as Priests, Deacons, Pastoral Administrators, and Seminarians, to attend a Liturgy Workshop here at Sacred Heart Church. Dr. Ed Hogan, who is director of Deacon Formation and Diocesan Theology, will present the workshop entitled "Source and Summit, Part I, The Challenge of Authenticity in Liturgical Ministry". Please join us for this time of interactive reflection on your Liturgical ministry.

This workshop will be offered on **Wednesday, September 12 from 6:30-8:30 pm** here at Sacred Heart Church. Please call Alma @ 673-2276 if you plan to attend. Hope to see you there!



**WORDS AND INSPIRATION OF MOTHER TERESA**

Love begins at home, and it is not how much we do, but how much love we put into what we do.

If all the money that is being spent on finding ways to kill people was used instead to feed them and house them, clothe them and educate them, how beautiful that would be. We are too often afraid of the sacrifices we might have to make. But where there is true love, there is joy and peace.

Do not allow yourself to be disheartened by any failure, as long as you have done your best.

Be kind to each other—I prefer you make mistakes in kindness, than that you work miracles in unkindness.

**Monday Faith Formation** classes will begin on **September 17<sup>th</sup> @ 3:30 and 6:15 pm.**

**Sunday Faith Formation classes** will begin on **September 23<sup>rd</sup>** for those enrolled in **Pre-school, Kindergarten** and the **Sunday 7/8-grade** class. If you have not registered your children yet, please do so soon. Some of the after-school classes are already full. Registration forms are available in the Parish Center, or call 673-2276 to have one mailed to you.

Caro Community Schools will continue to provide bus transportation for youth attending classes on Monday @ 3:15 pm. **High School youth** will receive a schedule soon of classes and activities for the upcoming school year.

#### **WANTED: NEW MEMBERS FOR**

#### **♪THE SACRED HEART HANDBELL CHOIR♪**

The Sacred Heart Handbell Choir is open to 7-12 grade members of the parish AND ANY INTERESTED ADULTS who have some experience in reading music. The Handbell Choir rehearses on Monday evenings, 7:00-8:00, starting September 10, and participates at one of our weekend Masses once a month.

Consider giving one hour of your week to help continue one of our fine Sacred Heart traditions. Info: Jessica Dudek, 693-6785, or Mary Gettel, 673-8281.

#### **SACRED HEART CHILDREN'S CHOIR**



The Sacred Heart Children's Choir rehearsals will be on **Thursdays, 3:30-4:30**, in Church starting **September 27**.

The choir is open to **all Third through Eighth grade students**. This is an opportunity for our young people to share their talents with GOD and the people of Sacred Heart.

Choir registration forms will be in church and the Religious Education office in the Parish Center. Contact Mary Gettel 673-8281 for more information.

#### **YOUTH MISSION UPDATE**

I would like to thank everyone for your generous donations and thoughtful prayers while I was in Mississippi. The group I went down with was the smallest out of 100 volunteers. There were nine of us, and we completed two projects on our own. The first project was a house owned by an 87 year old woman who lived alone. We had to re-do the flooring in her kitchen because of the mold, and we also painted the outside of her house. The second project involved yard work, which meant mowing a yard that hadn't been touched in two years. We also picked up lost memorabilia's that were around the foundation of a house and gave them back to the owner.

There were many things both good and bad about this trip that I will treasure forever...I never realized how much I appreciate Michigan until a snake slithered down the side of the house we were painting, and the temperatures being 100 °. But one positive thing I will never forget is the looks on the people's faces when you reassure them there is hope! Mother Teresa once said, "When we come face to face with God, we are going to be judged on love, not on how much we have done, but on how much love we have put into our actions.

Thanks again,  
Courtney Smith