



14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | JULY 5, 2026

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OUR PARISH MISSION: PUTTING HEARTS ON A
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WEEKEND MASS

Sat: 4:30 PM
Sun: 8:00, 9:30,
11:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASS

Mon - Fri: 6:30 & 8:05 AM
Thu: 6:00 PM
Sat: 8:05 AM

RECONCILIATION

Mon, Tues, Fri: 7 - 8 AM
Wed: 6-7 PM
Thu: 5 PM
Sat: 3-4 PM

PASTOR

Fr. Jaime Zarse

ASSOCIATE PASTOR

Fr. Joseph Asante

EVENTS OVERVIEW

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WALKING WITH MARY

 Join us Wednesdays this summer for Youth Ministry! Find more details on our website.



SMALL GROUP MENTORS

Adults are invited to serve as small group mentors for our Youth Ministry programs for the 2026–27 year! As mentors, they will help build relationships with students and lead discussions each week. The time commitment is approximately 2 hours per week. No prior experience required. If you are interested, please contact Jen at jen.zans@shoj.org to schedule a meeting.



FLOAT TRIP

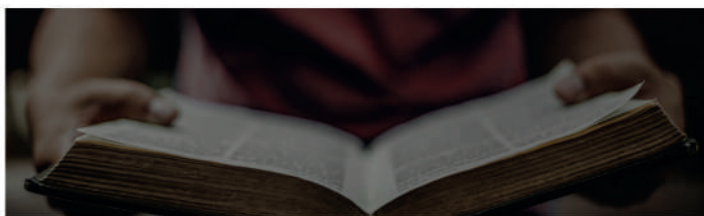
 Dads with boys 5+ are invited to a DASH Father-Son Float Trip July 8th-10th! Join us for camping and canoeing at White River.



NEW PARISHIONER HAPPY HOUR



Are you new to Sacred Heart—or were unable to attend our most recent new parishioner gathering - join us on July 9 at 6:30 PM. Come hear Fr. Zarse share his vision and hopes for our parish, learn how to get involved, and connect with fellow parishioners with hors d'oeuvres and beverages. This event is for adults only.



LECTOR TRAINING



Please join us for our Lector Training Workshop on July 12th at 12:30 PM. This training is for those who are interested in becoming lectors, as well as for current lectors who may want a refresher.



PITCHING FOR PRIESTS TAILGATE



Join us on July 31, 2026, from 4:30–6:00pm for a parish tailgate before the State Line Showdown between both the priests from the Missouri Diocese and Kansas Archdiocese! We'll provide the main meal - just bring a side to share, drinks, lawn chairs, and yard games. Please RSVP so we know how much food to prepare! (Make sure to wear red!)

WE'RE HIRING!



Sacred Heart of Jesus School is hiring a Paraprofessional for the 2026-27 school year! This position will provide K-8 support in math, reading, and the Resource Room. Applications must be submitted online by visiting our website and the employment opportunities page: <https://shoj.org/employment-opportunities>



FAITH NIGHT AT THE K



Faith Night at the K is Back on August 21 as we kick off the school year at Kauffman Stadium. Watch the Kansas city Royals vs. Detroit Tigers at 7:10 p.m. and enjoy a postgame concert with TobyMac. Tickets are \$15. RSVP is due by July 19. For questions, contact Tara Green at tara.green@shoj.org.

YOUTH MINISTRY REGISTRATION

2026-2027 Youth Ministry Registration (Middle School, High School, and Confirmation) is now open!



Middle School /
Confirmation



High School

If you have any questions, please reach out to Jen at jen.zans@shoj.org.



ENTHRONEMENT: DEVOTION



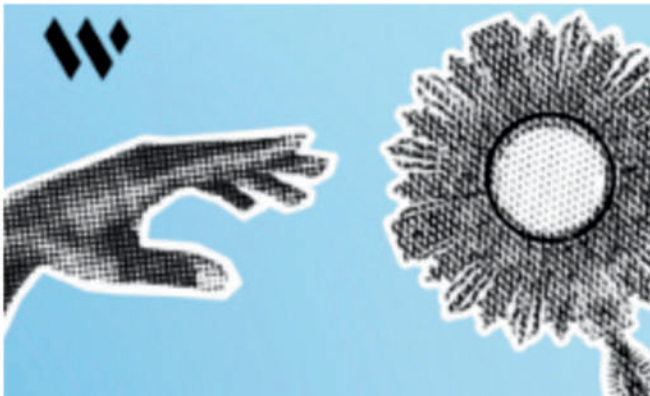
As part of our Renewal from the Heartland, Archbishop Shawn McKnight invites all throughout the Archdiocese to consider enthroning the Sacred Heart of Jesus in their homes and renewing their trust in Christ's love and mercy.

PRAYER AND ACTION

Our youth ministry team had such a fun time at Prayer and Action in Maryville, KS as they helped serve the community!

Find out how to join our Highschool Youth Ministry and to find more information on upcoming events at <https://shoj.org/ysdisciple>





WAR ON MEDIOCRITY

Drawing from the Latin origin of mediocris —“halfway up the mountain”—this media apostolate is here to inspire and equip you to climb higher, living life abundantly as God intended, not halfway.

Tune in this week for a new exciting episode from Fr. Zarse!



[Listen Here!](#)

-MASS INTENTIONS-

Monday, July 6

6:30 - Mary Nell Welter +

8:05 - Jerry & Kellie Arndt +

Tuesday, July 7

6:30 - Betty Wilson +

8:05 - Linda Kaminsky +

Wednesday, July 8

6:30 - Dobbeleare Family

8:05 - Thomas Hermes +

Thursday, July 9

6:30 - Dennis Jason +

8:05 - Jack & Ruth Raidt +

6:00 - Rosemary Bush +

Friday, July 10

6:30 - Lucas Hansen

8:05 - Richard Monley +

Saturday, July 11

8:05 - - Lisette L Quirion +

4:30 - Savannah Armendariz +

Sunday, July 12

8:00 - Margaret Mary Witherspoon

9:30 - Doug Friedly +

11:00 - - Lilly Bassett + and Jackie Bassett

CONSTRUCTION UPDATES



Find all updates about construction on our website including our May Update.
<https://shoj.org/capital-campaign>



BECOMING CATHOLIC



Interested in becoming Catholic? Our new year-round OCIA process welcomes unbaptized inquirers at three different start times each year. Already baptized? You may begin right away. To learn more about the process pick up a flyer at the information desk.

GOD'S GENTLE PEACE

Fr. Joseph Asante Sunday Reflection

Summary:

The readings show Jesus as a humble and peaceful king. God cares for the weak and tired. Jesus invites people to trust him and find rest in his gentle way. This Sunday in Ordinary Time shows us how God works in quiet and simple ways. The readings remind us that God does not always show strength in power or force. Instead, he shows his love through peace, mercy, and care for those who are weak or tired. In the first reading, the prophet Zechariah speaks of a king who comes riding on a donkey. This king is humble and brings peace, not war. The psalm continues this message, praising God for lifting up those who fall and giving help to those in need. Paul's letter to the Romans explains that life in Christ is guided by the Spirit. It is the Spirit who gives true life and freedom. Finally, in the Gospel, Jesus calls the weary to himself. He promises rest to all who trust in him and take on his gentle way.

Challenge:

Slow down and trust God instead of trying to carry every burden alone. Choose kindness, patience, and peace in daily life.

Call to Action:

Spend a few quiet minutes with Jesus in prayer today. Give him one worry or burden you are carrying.

Verse to Remember:

"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest." (Matthew 11:28)



FEED HIS LAMBS



Feed His Lambs is a community-based project that provides meals to families in need. Sacred Heart assists by providing cookies once a month (can count for service hours.) During the summer months our numbers get lower, please help if you can.



Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic School

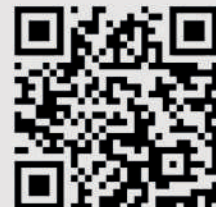


2025-2026

Our Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic School students have provided faith-filled service to others this past year through several projects. Our Cereal Bowl collected over 2,200 cereal boxes to support Catholic Charities, helping provide food to those in need in our community. Students also spent time making treats and cards for St. Mary's Food Kitchen, bringing a smile to those they serve. In addition, our students continue to serve our school by assisting younger classmates in the classroom, building leadership skills and spreading kindness.

We are grateful for your support as we encourage our students to grow through service and compassion.

Please reach out to our principal, Mr. Jared Herzet, for more information or scan the QR code below to schedule a tour.



(913) 422-5520 / www.school.shoj.org



LOVE BOX

Love Boxes are available at the Greeters Counter and in the Parish office. Each box inspires a mom who is unexpectedly pregnant to be brave and choose life and also includes an invite to a local Embrace Grace group.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Parisioner Jared Mullinax

Parishioner Kevin Friedrichs' brother, Ryan Friedrichs

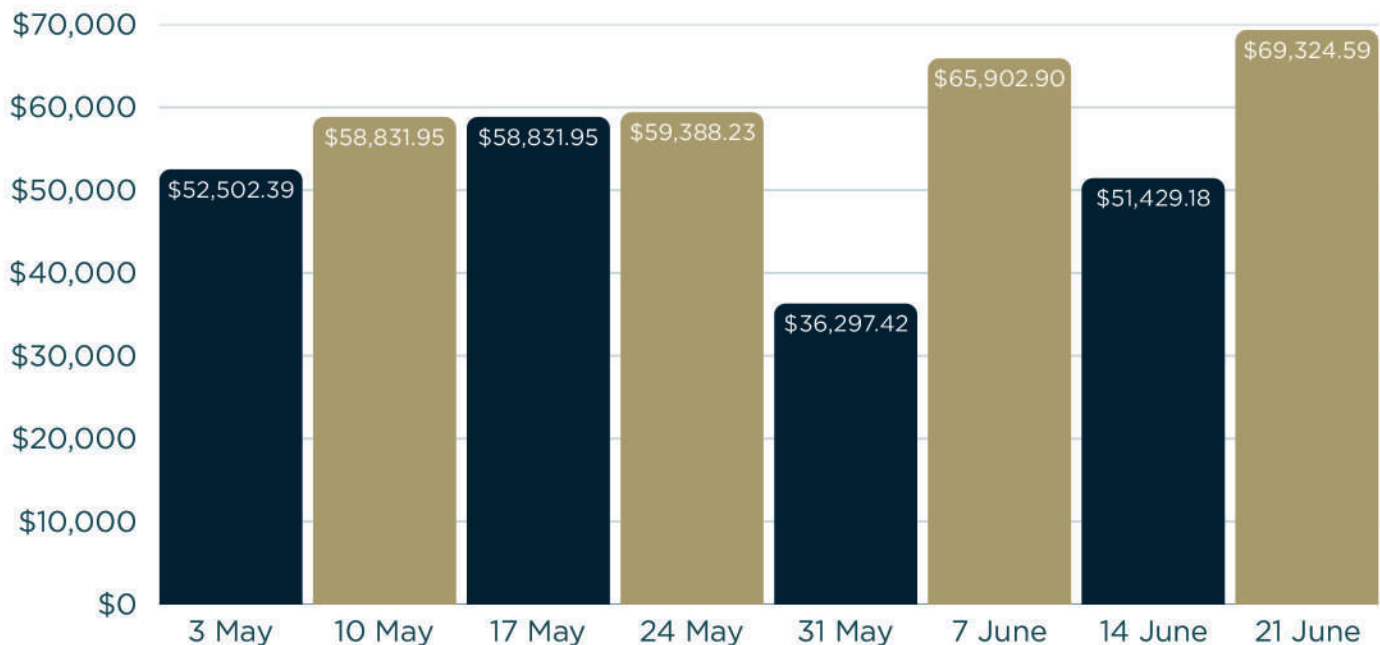
Eternal rest grant onto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

FINANCIALS



As we enter the summer season, a time often filled with rest, travel, and renewed family rhythms, we are reminded that God continues to work in every season of our lives. Even in these quieter months, the mission of Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish & School moves forward through your faithful generosity.

Your continued support helps sustain our ministries, form our students, and care for our parish community all year long. If you are able, we invite you to prayerfully consider making or increasing your gift during the summer months as an expression of gratitude for God's ongoing blessings. Thank you for being part of this mission. May your summer be filled with peace, rest, and the abundant grace of Christ.



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