

SACRED HEART & ST. THOMAS

Pastor: Fr. Michael Raj Kothalamuthu

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

SACRED HEART

Saturday, October 3

5:00 pm + Virginia (Tina) Bobek

Sunday, October 4

10:30 am + Charles Hansen

Tuesday, October 6

8:15 am + Shirley VonFeldt

Thursday, October 8

8:15 am + Iola Harrison Ruder

Friday, October 9

8:15 am + Deceased Family of
Ernest & Nora Hammerschmidt

Saturday, October 10

5:00 pm + Henry Plante Family

Sunday, October 11

10:30 am For the People of
Sacred Heart & St. Thomas

SAINT THOMAS

Sunday, October 4

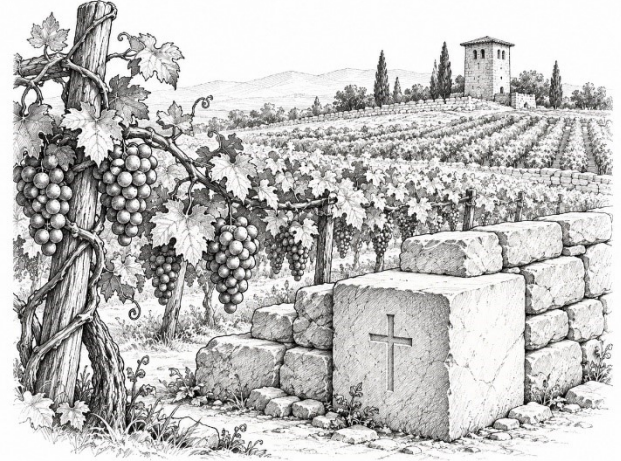
8:30 am For the People of
Sacred Heart & St. Thomas

Monday, October 5

5:15 pm + Laska & Koziol Families

Sunday, October 11

8:30 am + Scot Murchie



The stone that the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone.

Matthew 21:33-43

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SACRED HEART GRADE SCHOOL

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SACRED HEART ORGANIZATIONS

Parish Council Chair: Pat Hageman

School Council Chair: Lolly Brewster

Finance Council Members:

John Ruder, Justin Casey, Lenee

Horting, Carol Parker

K of C Grand Knight: Dalton Nuttle

D of I Regent: Raina Hrabe

Director of Religious Ed:

Cassandra St. Germain

CYO Sponsors: Colton & Jaci Wise

ST. THOMAS ORGANIZATIONS

Parish Council Chair: Peter Bellerive

K of C Grand Knight: David Reed

Altar Society President: Cindy Kriley

Director of Religious Ed: Nikki Berkley

CYO Sponsor: Tera Yohon

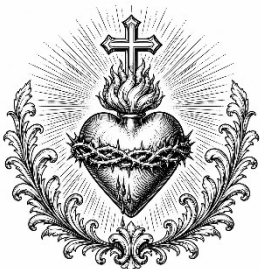
SACRAMENTS

Marriage There is a six month preparation period. Call the parish office to begin the process. The latest a wedding can be scheduled on a Saturday is 2:00 pm.

Baptisms may be celebrated after weekend Masses. Parents of firstborns must attend a preparation class. Please call the office at least two weeks in advance of the desired date.

Anointing of the Sick Please call and set up a time with Father before any surgery or major tests. **In case of emergency, please call Father Michael at 785-259-5967.**

Communion to the Homebound or Hospitalized Father or a Minister to the Homebound is happy to bring Holy Communion to the hospital or homes. Please call the parish office.



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St. Thomas

Sun. 7:45 am—8:15 am

Mon. 4:45 pm—5:00 pm

Sacred Heart

Thurs. 5:00—5:30 pm,

Sat. 4:00 pm—4:30 pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

St. Thomas:

Mon. 7:00 am—5:00 pm

Sacred Heart:

Thurs. 9:00 am—Fri 8:00 am



Sacred Heart—Plainville

Knights of Columbus: The Plainville K of C meet on the third Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm for a meal with a meeting to follow at the Knights Hall.

Annual Tootsie Roll Drive

The Plainville Knights have scheduled their Tootsie Roll Drive for October 9th - 11th. This important fundraiser helps make the Kansas Special Olympics possible for our special athletes. A work list is included in this bulletin

Plainville K of C Council #1857 November Cash

Giveaway: November 1-26, 2026

*\$20 Donation = 1 ticket (*Max 400 tickets sold)*

November 1 – 25: \$125 winner each day

November 26: \$750 winner

Every ticket is included in all daily drawings

Tickets can be purchased from the Knights and at Ruder Oil.

Daughters of Isabella: If you know someone who is ill or needs a card, please call Charlotte Littrell at 785-434-2758 and let her know.

Sacred Heart Prayer Chain: If you would like to add a prayer request please contact Mary VanSchuver at 785-434-6777 or vanskca@ruraltel.net. You can also call the parish office.

Patriotic Rosary: Every Wednesday at 6:00 pm at Sacred Heart.

Sacred Heart Religious Education

Dear parents and parishioners,

Sacred Heart Church Religious Education is seeking volunteers to provide a meal on selected Wednesday evenings for our students and teachers. Thanks to a generous grant from the William Andreson Trust, the cost of food will be fully reimbursed, making it possible for anyone who'd like to help. Providing a shared meal is a wonderful way to support our students and teachers, strengthen our parish community, and offer hospitality to those gathered together each week. If you would be willing to provide a meal, please contact Kathy Ramsay to sign up. We are grateful for your generosity and support. Jesus ate many meals with his disciples. It was during those times He gave them the heavenly food of himself; His time, His spirit, His kingdom message, His love. Thank you for being that example to these students and our parish community.

Sincerely, Kathy & Charlie Ramsay 785-737-3590

St. Thomas—Stockton

Mission Quilter's Committee: Meets every Monday, Residence basement, 10 am. If you would like to help, please stop by on Mondays, or call Karen Reed at 785-205-0456 for further information.

St. Thomas Cleaning Schedule—October:

Berkleys, Lee & Theresa Niblock, Don & Norma Braun & Dianne Voss. If you would like to help but are not scheduled please contact the first person on the list.

St. Thomas Prayer Chain: If you would like to add a prayer request please contact Megan Riener at 785-626-4383 or megcahoj@gmail.com.

Donut Sundays: The next Donut Sunday is October 11th. Thank you Julie and Chris Kriley for signing up to serve donuts in October (please add to the next bulletin).

Parish Announcements: The "St Thomas Parish" GroupMe has been created for parish announcements. Join by scanning the QR code with your phone.



Upcoming Diocesan Retreats

- *Women's Retreat:* October 30 – November 1 in Victoria. Silent Spiritual Exercises Retreat led by members of the Cor Jesu Apostolate
- *Men's Retreat:* December 11 – 13 in Victoria. Silent Spiritual Exercises Retreat led by members of the Cor Jesu Apostolate.

DAILY READINGS

Monday, October 5:

Galatians 1:6-12; Psalm 111:1-2, 7-10; Luke 10:25-37

Tuesday, October 6:

Galatians 1:13-24; Psalm 139:1-3, 13-15; Luke 10:38-42

Wednesday, October 7:

Galatians 2:1-2, 7-14; Psalm 117:1-2; Luke 11:1-4

Thursday, October 8:

Galatians 3:1-5; Luke 1:69-75; Luke 11:5-13

Friday, October 9:

Galatians 3:7-14; Psalm 111:1-6; Luke 11:15-26

Saturday, October 10:

Galatians 3:22-29; Psalm 105:2-7; Luke 11:27-28

WEEKLY GIVING REPORT: SUNDAY, SEPT. 27, 2026

Sacred Heart

Loose/Non-Parishioner:	\$	258.00
60 Envelopes/Children's:	\$	4,213.00
Online Giving:	\$	214.96
Votive Lights/Holy Days:	\$	55.00
TOTAL	\$	4,740.96

Sacred Heart Church & School Weekly Budgeted Amount:

\$11,707.37

Ahead or <behind> for fiscal year: <\$79,370.94>

(fiscal year began July 1)

St. Thomas

Loose/Non-Parishioner:	\$	153.00
24 Envelopes/Children's:	\$	2,200.00
Online Giving	\$	71.64
Votive Lights/Holy Days	\$	0.00
TOTAL	\$	2,424.64

St. Thomas Weekly Budgeted Amount: **\$1,808.00**

Ahead or <behind> for fiscal year: \$448.82

(fiscal year began July 1)

Envelopes

If you are not receiving tithing envelopes in the mail you are not a registered parishioner!! Even if you grew up here but now live on your own you must register as your own household. Please call the parish office to register.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS

Sacred Heart—Plainville

Saturday, October 10—5:00 pm

EMHC:	Pat Hageman, Karen Hageman, Janet Languein
Lector:	Charlie Ramsay
Altar Servers:	Jesse Akoh, Lexi Younger, volunteer
Greeters:	Roger Kriley
Ushers:	Troy Hixon/volunteers
Gift Bearers:	Volunteers
Rosary Leader:	Volunteer

Sunday, October 11—10:30 am

EMHC:	Roger Meitler, Shannon Meitler, Jay Casey
Lector:	Kristin Lyle
Altar Servers:	Alivia Lyle, Ava Lyle, Lauryl Klein
Greeters:	Hillard Family
Ushers:	Ty Horting/volunteers
Gift Bearers:	Bill & Karen McCune
Rosary Leader:	John Ruder

Nursing Home/Assisted Living

Cassie St. Germain & Deb Meyers

Homebound Communion

Cathy Schaukowitch

St. Thomas - Stockton

Sunday, October 11—8:30 am

EMHC:	Chelsey Peterson, Lee Niblock, Jeff Riener
Lector:	Pam Wilson
Altar Servers:	Harper & Halle Becker, Shae Yohon
Greeters:	Rieners
Ushers:	Berkleys
Musicians	Denise Murchie & Rick Gianni

FORMED.ORG

We are blessed to have access to formed.org for everyone in our diocese. There is so much awesome content on this site for people of all ages. This is a great education opportunity for all of the families in our diocese. Please check it out and encourage other families to give it a try!

1. Go to formed.org;
2. Click "Sign Up";
3. Select "Sign Up as a Parishioner";
4. Find your parish name by entering your ZIP Code;
5. When prompted, enter your email address

SACRED HEART GRADE SCHOOL

Enter to learn Christ...Leave to serve Christ.

Mission Statement

Sacred Heart Catholic Grade School's mission is to provide students with Christian values and life skills necessary to be responsible, productive citizens in their world.

Website

Parents and Grandparents, please check the school website at www.shcplainville.org then click on "School" to access the school website.

SHGS Rosary

SHGS Students say a rosary together the first Wednesday of each month in the school gym.

Parishioners are welcome to attend.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

October 7 – Donuts with Dad – 7:30 am

October 7 – Early Dismissal – 1:30 pm

October 9 – Early Dismissal – 11:30 am

October 22 – Early Dismissal – 11:30 am

October 22 – P/T Conference – 11:30 am to 7:00 pm

October 23 – No School

Opportunities to Support SHGS

- Raise Right: Purchase gift cards from your favorite brands and earn a % back for SHGS
- Guardians of Sacred Heart: Make a monthly or annual donation and become a Guardian of our school.
- RADA Cutlery: Year-round online fundraiser—40% of every purchase goes back to our school.
- God's Little Acre/Gift of Grains: Pledge any amount of livestock or crops raised and sold.
- Casey's Convenience Store Rewards: Join Casey's rewards and choose SHGS as your organization.
- Sacred Heart Scholarship Fund: Contributions provide financial assistance to families in need and ensure a Catholic education is accessible to all.
- Red Wheel: sales begin August 13.
- Pizza Hut: A % of all sales on the first Wednesday of each month is donated to SHGS.
- AdoptAClassroom: donations provide needed classroom supplies throughout the year.

If you would like more information on any of these, please call the school office.

PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH FOR RAIN

Blessed Saint Joseph, God chose you to be the husband of the Virgin Mary and the foster father of Jesus. You cared for the Son of God as your own son and taught him a trade. Because you were so close to him, He will not refuse anything you ask. Intercede for us in our great need. Pray for the blessing of rain. We are grateful for the moisture that we have received, but the land needs more. Ask God to water our fields and gardens, to fill the rivers, streams and lakes, and to bless our crops and livestock. Help us to live close to Jesus and Mary, as you did, strong in faith and good works, caring for one another.

Amen.

Mary, Mother of God and spouse of Joseph, pray for us. St. Isadore, Patron of farmers and farm life, Pray for us.



THANK YOU, FATHER MICHAEL!

Today, on Priesthood Sunday, we thank you for your faithful service, your prayers, and the care you give to our parishes. We are grateful for the many ways you lead us closer to Christ. Please know that you are in our prayers!

PARISH CALENDAR

October 4: Soup Luncheon for Life at Sacred Heart – 11:30 am – 1:00 pm

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October 7: Feast of the Holy Rosary Celebration at St. Thomas – 7:00 pm

October 8: Sacred Heart Finance Council – 12:30 pm