

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.

School Calendar

August 11—Back to School Night—5:30 pm

August 14—First Day of School—11:30 am dismissal

Summer Office Hours

M-F 10:00 am—2:00 pm or by appointment

If you would like to donate towards our scholarship fund to help give a child a Christian Education. Please contact the school office 434-2157 or the church office 434-4658.

Pizza Hut is having a fundraiser on the first Wednesday of each month from 11 am—9 pm. A portion of the each sale will be donated to Home & School.

Sacred Heart is looking for part-time help for the Breakfast Program. Hours will be from 6:30 am to 8:00 am. For more information or to apply contact the school at 785- 434-2157 or stop by the office.

A Prayer For Rain

Almighty God,
We are in need of rain.
We realize now,
looking up into the clear, blue sky,
what a marvel even the least drop of rain really is.
To think that so much water can fall out of the
sky, which is now empty and clear!
We place our trust in You.
We are sure that You know our needs.
Look on our dry hills and fields, dear God,
and bless them with the
living blessing of soft rain.
Then the land will rejoice,
and the rivers will sing Your praises,
and the hearts of all people will be made glad.
+Amen.

Parish Calendar

August 12: St. Thomas Parish Co—6:00 pm

August 22: Sacred Heart Finance Co—12:15 pm

DAILY MASS/CONFESSION SCHEDULE
CHANGES EFFECTIVE AUGUST 1

Monday

7:00 am—5:30 pm—Adoration - St. Thomas

5:00 pm—5:15 pm—Confession—St. Thomas

5:30 pm—Mass—St. Thomas

Tuesday

8:15 am—Mass—Sacred Heart

Wednesday

No Mass

Thursday

8:15 am—Mass—Sacred Heart

Followed by 24 hour Adoration

5:00 pm—5:30 pm—Confession—Sacred Heart

Friday

8:15 am—Mass—Sacred Heart

Saturday

No morning Mass

5:00 pm—5:30 pm—Confession—Sacred Heart

6:00 pm—Mass—Sacred Heart

Sunday

7:45 am—8:15 am—Confession—St. Thomas

8:30 am—Mass—St. Thomas

10:30 am—Mass—Sacred Heart

Confessions are also available by appointment.
Please call Fr. Michael at 785-259-5967 to set up.

Catholic Parishes of
Sacred Heart in Plainville
& St. Thomas in Stockton

August 4, 2024
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Clergy

Fr. Michael Raj Kothalamuthu
salinamichaelhgn72@gmail.com

Parish Office

109 NE 2nd St, Plainville, KS 67663
785-434-4658 Fax: 785-434-2480
Office Hours:

Mon-Fri 9:00 am—3:00 pm

Parish Secretary: Jennifer Staab
shcparish@shcplainville.org
Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday Noon
Website: shcplainville.org

Sacred Heart Grade School

785-434-2157
Principal: Sara VonFeldt
svonfeldt@shcplainville.org
Superintendent: Geoff Andrews

Sacred Heart Organizations

Parish Council Chair: Bob Plante
School Council Chair: Brodie Pfannenstiel
Finance Council Members: John Ruder,
Justin Casey, Lenee Horting, Carol Parker
K of C Grand Knight: Aaron Lawver
D of I Regent: Raina Hrabe
Director of Religious Ed: Troy Hixon
CYO Sponsors: Chris & Kelli Hansen

St. Thomas Organizations

Parish Council Chair: Megan Gasper
K of C Grand Knight: David Reed
Altar Society Pres.: Cindy Kriley
Director of Religious Ed: Tera Yohon &
Nikki Berkley
CYO Sponsor: Tera Yohon

Sacrament of Reconciliation

St. Thomas
Sun. 7:45 am—8:15 am
Mon. 4:45 pm– 5:15 pm

Sacred Heart
Thurs. 5:00—5:30 pm,
Sat. 5:00 pm—5:30 pm

Eucharistic Adoration

St. Thomas:
Mon. 7:00 am—5:30 pm
Sacred Heart:
Thurs. 9:00 am—Fri 8:00 am

Weekly Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sacred Heart

Saturday, August 3—6:00 pm + Clarence Hageman
Sunday, August 4—10:30 am + Bill Lumpkins
Tuesday, August 6—8:05 am + Herman & Lenora Mick
Thursday, August 8—8:15 am + Ernest, Roger & Marchelle
Hammerschmidt
Friday, August 9– 8:15 am + Raymond & Grace Gasaway
Saturday, August 10—6:00 pm + Therean Towns
Sunday, August 11—10:30 am + Markus Loney

Saint Thomas

Sunday, August 4—8:30 am For the People of
Sacred Heart & St. Thomas
Monday, August 5—5:30 pm + Elaine Maddy
Sunday, August 11—8:30 am For the People of
Sacred Heart & St. Thomas

New Parishioners

We welcome you to the Parishes of Sacred Heart and St. Thomas.
Please stop by the parish office to register or call for information.

Marriage

There is a six month preparation period. Call the parish office to begin the process. Those wanting a traditional Catholic wedding should be living a traditional Catholic lifestyle.

Baptisms

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 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.

Funerals

Prior to scheduling any funerals please contact the parish office & talk to Fr. Michael

Parish Activities & News

Sacred Heart

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.

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.

Our next monthly meeting is August 19 at 7:00 pm. Hostesses are Sara VonFeldt, Raina Hrabe & Dorothy VonFeldt. There will also be an audit meeting that night a 5:30 pm.

Sacred Heart Prayer Chain: Mary VanSchuyver is in charge of the prayer chain. She can be reached at 785-434-6777 or you can call the parish office at 785-434-4658.

Volunteers Needed: Sacristans to set up prior to Mass on Sundays. Please call the parish office if you are interested in doing this. Our hope is to get4 or 5 volunteers on a rotating schedule.

St. Thomas

Server Training: Fr. Michael will have server training on Monday, August 26 after Mass (approx. 6:00 pm) and on Wednesday, September 18 at 5:30 pm

Please join us in welcoming Fr. Michael with a potluck at the St. Thomas Parish Center on Sunday, August 25th starting at 6 PM. Hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided. Parishioners are asked to bring a side dish and/or dessert.

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Religious Education Registration: PSR registration is still available. Please check the Facebook page for a link or use this: <https://forms.gle/T9iMV59KXAvxG2EUA> The form can also be used to sign up to teach or volunteer. **We do need more teachers and subs!!** If you have questions please contact Tera Yohon or Nikki Berkley. There will be a teacher worknight on August 14th at 6:30 pm in the Parish Center.

Van Driver: *We are in search of someone to drive the St. Thomas van to transport Stockton students to SHGS. Please call the parish office or the school office for more information!*

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 425-6650 for further information.

St. Thomas Cleaning Schedule—August: Iwanskis, Janet Kuhlmann & Larry Gosselin. If you would like to help but are not scheduled please contact the first person on the list.

St. Thomas Prayer Chain: Megan Riener is taking over the Prayer Chain requests. She can be reached at 785-626-4383 or megcahoj@gmail.com.

Sunday Breakfast: We look forward to seeing everyone for breakfast after Mass—please sign up for an open date on the sheet at the back of church.

August 11—Rieners & Keslers

Parish Announcements: To sign up for parish announcements to be sent to your phone, text @stocktonks to 81010; for PSR announcements, text @psrks to 81010; and for Altar Society announcements, text @altarks to 81010.

Are you interested in learning to play the piano? We are looking for a new home for the digital piano located in the St. Thomas Parish Center. It needs a new power cord, but otherwise should work fine. Contact Dayna Kriley at 785-410-5942 if you are interested!

Daily Readings

- Monday, August 5: Jeremiah 28:1-17; Psalm 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102; Matthew 14:13-21
- Tuesday, August 6: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14; Psalm 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Peter 1:16-19; Mak 9:2-10
- Wednesday, August 7: Jeremiah 31:1-7; Jeremiah 31:10-13; Matthew 15:21-28
- Thursday, August 8: Jeremiah 31:31-34; Psalm 51:12-19; Matthew 16:13-23
- Friday, August 9: Nahum 2:1,3, 3:1-3, 6-7; Deuteronomy 32:35-41; Matthew 16:24-28
- Saturday, August 10: 2 Corinthians 9:6-10; Psalm 112:1-9; John 12:24-26

Weekly Giving Report Sunday, July 21, 2024

Sacred Heart		St. Thomas	
Loose/Non-Parishioner:	\$ 399.00	Loose/Non-Parishioner:	\$ 125.00
52 Envelopes/Children’s	\$4,795.00	15 Envelopes/Children’s	\$1,083.00
Online Giving	\$ 148.03	Online Giving	\$ 47.90
Votive Lights/Holy Days	\$ 40.00	Votive Lights/Holy Days	\$ 0.00
TOTAL	\$5,382.03	TOTAL	\$1,255.90
Sacred Heart Church & School Weekly Budgeted Amount: \$11,373.92		St. Thomas Weekly Budgeted Amount: \$1,808.00	
Running total for July: \$20,496.66		Running total for July: \$5,782.85	
Ahead or <behind> for fiscal year: <\$24,999.02>		Ahead or <behind> for fiscal year: <\$1,449.15>	
(fiscal year began July 1)		(fiscal year began July 1)	

Full monthly reports are available at the parish office.

Liturgical Ministry Assignments

Sacred Heart—Plainville		St. Thomas - Stockton	
Saturday, August 10—6:00 pm		Sunday, August 11—8:30 am	
EMHC:	Fred Adam, Ken Adam, volunteer	EMHC:	Pat Lingg, Jeff Riener, Jen Kesler
Lector:	Charlie Ramsay	Lector:	Pam Wilson
Altar Servers:	Trevor Gosser, Emmitt Gosser, Jesse Akoh	Altar Servers:	Henry Berkley, Tessa Look, Emery Peterson
Ushers:	Brodie Pfannenstiel/volunteers	Ushers:	Chelsey & Andy Peterson
Gift Bearers:	McNamee Family	Musicians:	Denise Murchie & Cindy Kriley
Rosary Leader:	Pat Hageman		
Sunday, August 11—10:30 am			
EMHC:	John Ruder, Mark Becker, Karen McCune		
Lector:	Taylor David		
Altar Servers:	Braylon Klein, Cayden Klein, Lauryl Klein		
Ushers:	Bill McCune/volunteers		
Gift Bearers:	Dennis & Susan Mick		
Rosary Leader:	John Ruder		
Just a reminder—the first person on the list for EMHC will distribute the host.			
Homebound Communion			
Linda & Ken Adam			
Nursing Home/Assisted Living			
Cassie & Deb Meyers			

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.