

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 26—School Council Meeting—7:00 pm

September 2—No School—Labor Day

September 4—Early Dismissal—1:30 pm

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.

If you would like to donate towards the future of SHGS, please consider a gift to the Guardian Fund of Sacred Heart. Donations collected for this fund stay here and are used directly for the needs of the school. Please call the Parish or School Office if you are interested in giving or have questions. The following link and QR code to the right can be used for online giving.

<https://givebutter.com/pqQa12>



Patriotic Rosary

Every Wednesday at 7:30 pm at Sacred Heart we will be saying the Rosary for our Catholic Church, schools, the safety of all military & law enforcement, politicians, the end to abortion, the conversion of sinners and reparations for the blasphemy against our Lord.

Parish Calendar

- September 2:** Parish Office Closed—Labor Day
- September 3:** Sacred Heart Parish Council—7:00 pm
- September 9:** St. Thomas Parish Council—6:00 pm
- September 12:** Sacred Heart Finance Council—12:30 pm

Volunteers are needed to run the Annual Benefit Auction for SHGS next year. Decisions need to be made soon regarding a theme so classes can get started on their projects. Call the parish office if you have questions or would like more information.

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.

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

August 25, 2024
Twenty-First 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, Lenae 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 24—6:00 pm + Deanna Becker
Sunday, August 25—10:30 am + Acetin Benedick
Tuesday, August 27—8:05 am + Bob Kriley
Thursday, August 29—8:15 am + Gene Theleman
Friday, August 30— 8:15 am + Melvin Fellhoelter
Saturday, August 31—6:00 pm For the People of
Sacred Heart & St. Thomas
+ Bob Malin
Sunday, September 1—10:30 am

Saint Thomas

Sunday, August 25—8:30 am For the People of
Sacred Heart & St. Thomas
Monday, August 26—5:30 pm + Bob Malin
Sunday, September 1—8:30 am + Mae Wilkens

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.

Sacred Heart Prayer Chain: Mary VanSchuyver is in charge of the prayer chain. She can be reached at 785-434-6777 and vanskca@ruraltel.net 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.

Blood Drive

Monday, August 26 11:00 am–5:00 pm at the K of C Hall in Plainville.
A light lunch will be served by the RCH Auxiliary.

St. Thomas

Religious Education kickoff will be September 4th starting with Family Mass at 6:00 pm and supper to follow. We encourage all families to attend to celebrate and learn about our upcoming year. If you haven't done so, please register your child for classes. This can be done online through the link on our Facebook page and also in person on September 4th.

Server Training: Fr. Michael will have server training on Wednesday, August 28 at 6:00 pm and on Wednesday, September 18 at 6:00 pm.

Please join us in welcoming Fr. Michael with a potluck followed by a card party at the St. Thomas Parish Center on Sunday, August 25th starting at 5:30 PM. Hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided. Parishioners are asked to bring a side dish and/or dessert.

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.

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.

September 8–Bealls & Bellerives

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.

Mass Intentions

There are a few weekday Masses open for both Sacred Heart & St. Thomas for 2024. Masses can also be scheduled for 2025. Please call or stop by the parish office to schedule.

Daily Readings

- Monday, August 26: 2 Thessalonians 1:1-5, 11-12; Psalm 96:1-5; Matthew 23:13-22
- Tuesday, August 27: 2 Thessalonians 2:1-3a, 14-17; Psalm 96:10-13; Matthew 23:23-26
- Wednesday, August 28: 2 Thessalonians 3:6-10, 16-18; Psalm 128:1-2, 4-5; Matthew 23:27-32
- Thursday, August 29: 1 Corinthians 1:1-9; Psalm 145:2-7; Mark 6:17-29
- Friday, August 30: 1 Corinthians 1:17-25; Psalm 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11; Matthew 25:1-13
- Saturday, August 31: 1 Corinthians 1:26-31; Psalm 33:12-13, 18-21; Matthew 25:14-30

Weekly Giving Report Sunday, August 18, 2024

Sacred Heart		St. Thomas	
Loose/Non-Parishioner:	\$ 252.00	Loose/Non-Parishioner:	\$ 136.00
70 Envelopes/Children’s	\$4,758.00	17 Envelopes/Children’s	\$1,195.00
Online Giving	\$ 129.18	Online Giving	\$ 47.90
Votive Lights/Holy Days	\$ 724.00	Votive Lights/Holy Days	\$ 231.00
TOTAL	\$5,863.18	TOTAL	\$1,609.90

Sacred Heart Church & School Weekly Budgeted Amount: \$11,373.92	St. Thomas Weekly Budgeted Amount: \$1,808.00
Ahead or <behind> for fiscal year: <\$41,126.92> (fiscal year began July 1)	Ahead or <behind> for fiscal year: <\$3,035.45> (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 31—6:00 pm		Sunday, September 1—8:30 am	
EMHC:	Fred Adam, Ken Adam, volunteer	EMHC:	Jeff Riener, Julie Kriley, Pat Lingg
Lector:	Jenny Molina	Lector:	Joanie Bellerive
Altar Servers:	Trevor Gosser, Emmitt Gosser, Jesse Akoh	Altar Servers:	Henry Berkley, Tessa Look, Emery Peterson
Ushers:	Todd VanSchuyver/volunteers	Ushers:	Rusty & Cheryl Hrabe
Gift Bearers:	McNamee Family	Musicians:	Denise Murchie & Rick Gianni
Rosary Leader:	Pat Hageman		
Sunday, September 1—10:30 am			
EMHC:	John Ruder, Mark Becker, Karen McCune		
Lector:	Karla Ruder		
Altar Servers:	Ayden McCune, Ryker Riley, Reagyn Riley		
Ushers:	Bill McCune/volunteers		
Gift Bearers:	Bill & Karen McCune		
Rosary Leader:	Jerry Casey		
Just a reminder—the first person on the list for EMHC will distribute the host.			
Homebound Communion			
Janice Benedick			
Nursing Home/Assisted Living			
Kathy Ramsay			

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.