

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.

School Calendar

April 17-21—No School—Easter Break
April 27—SHGS Carnival

SHGS Lottery Winners - March

3/7—Elvin McNamee
3/14—Jerry & Karen Casey
3/21—Aryn Gosser
3/28—Amy Melendez

Pizza Hut has 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.

BIDS NEEDED:

We are asking for sealed bids on a bathroom project at SHGS. This includes making stalls ADA accessible and an epoxy finish on the floors. Please call Sara at the school office for further information. Bids can be dropped off at the parish or 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.

Holy Week Schedule

Holy Thursday—April 17
5:00 pm Mass at Sacred Heart
followed by Adoration until midnight
7:00 pm Mass at St. Thomas
followed by Adoration until midnight
Good Friday—April 18
3:00 pm at Sacred Heart
5:00 pm at St. Thomas
7:00 pm—Sacred Heart CYO Living Stations
Holy Saturday—April 19
8:30 pm Easter Vigil at Sacred Heart
Easter Sunday—April 20
8:30 am Mass at St. Thomas
10:30 am Mass at Sacred Heart

Parish Calendar

* Every Friday during Lent....Stations of the Cross
St. Thomas—5:30 pm
Sacred Heart—7:00 pm
April 7.....“Town Hall Meeting” at SHGS—6:30 pm
April 10.....Morning Mass (SH) moved to 8:00 am
April 10.....Chrism Mass at
Sacred Heart in Salina—11:30 am
April 14.....St. Thomas Parish Council—6:00 pm
SEE HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE FOR April 17-20
April 21.....No Mass or Adoration at St. Thomas
April 17-21.....Parish Offices Closed

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

April 6, 2025

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Parish Clergy

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Sacred Heart Grade School

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Principal: Sara VonFeldt
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Superintendent: Geoff Andrews
Sacred Heart Organizations
Parish Council Chair: Pat Hageman
School Council Chair: Brodie Pfannenstiel
Finance Council Members: John Ruder,
Justin Casey, Lenée 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

Sacrament of Reconciliation

St. Thomas
Sun. 7:45 am—8:15 am
Mon. Call 785-259-5967 for appt.
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, April 5—6:00 pm + Harry & Sharyl Moos
Sunday, April 6—10:30 am L/D Members of the Daughters of Isabella
Tuesday, April 8—8:15 am + Leon Hammerschmidt
Thursday, April 10—8:00 am + Juanita Casey
Friday, April 11—8:15 am + Leo VonFeldt
Saturday, April 12—6:00 pm + Mike & Clemence Polcyn
Sunday, April 13—10:30 am + David Riley

Saint Thomas

Sunday, April 6—8:30 am For the People of Sacred Heart & St. Thomas
Monday, April 7—5:30 pm + Lucille L. Laska
Sunday, April 13—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 Fr. 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.

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 meeting is Monday, April 21 at 6:30 with a salad potluck. Hostesses are Emily Nuttle, June Mongeau, Becky Morris & Teresa Pittman.

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.

CCD Meals: If you would like to help organize a meal for the CCD students on Wednesdays please call Kathy Ramsay at 785-737-3590. We have a grant to cover the cost of the meal.

Patriotic Rosary: Every Wednesday at 6:00 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.

Adoration Time: We are looking for someone to fill the 3:00 pm Thursday Adoration hour. If you would like to cover this time, please call the Parish Office.

Holy Thursday Adoration: We will have Eucharistic Adoration on Holy Thursday, April 17, starting after Mass and going until midnight. If you are already scheduled for weekly Adoration please plan to keep your time. Everyone is welcome to come and send some time in Adoration.

“Town Hall Meeting”

Monday, April 7 at 6:30 pm in the Sacred Heart Grade School Cafeteria

All parishioners and parents of SHGS students are encouraged to attend a meeting to answer questions about the financial situation and future of SHGS.

St. Thomas

Cemetery Crucifix: If you would like to donate towards the new crucifix at St. Thomas cemetery you may drop it in the monthly collection or bring it to the office in Plainville. Please make checks payable to “St. Thomas Cemetery”

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—April: David Reed & Thelma Berland. 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.
April 27—Altar Society—1st Communion Brunch

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.

Outside church clean up TODAY, APRIL 6 AFTER MASS: Please stay to help if able. Many hands make light work!

Holy Week Ministries: Please sign up for ministries for Holy Week at the back of church.

Holy Thursday Adoration: We will have Eucharistic Adoration on Holy Thursday, April 17, starting after Mass and going until midnight. Please sign up for a 0.5-1 hour time slot at the back of church or by using the google sign up that is on the St Thomas Facebook page.

Daily Readings

- Monday, April 7: Daniel13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62; Psalm 23:1-6; John 8:12-20
Tuesday, April 8: Numbers 21:4-9; Psalm 102:2-3, 16-21; John 8:21-30
Wednesday, April 9: Daniel 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Daniel 3:52-56; John 8:31-42
Thursday, April 10: Genesis 17:3-9; Psalm 105:4-9; John 8:51-59
Friday, April 11: Jeremiah 2:10-13; Psalm 18:2-7; John 10:31-42
Saturday, April 12: Ezekiel 37:21-28; Jeremiah 31:10-13; John 11:45-56

Weekly Giving Report Sunday, March 30, 2025

Sacred Heart		St. Thomas	
Loose/Non-Parishioner:	\$ 723.00	Loose/Non-Parishioner:	\$ 210.00
66 Envelopes/Children’s	\$3,814.00	28 Envelopes/Children’s	\$2,045.00
Online Giving	\$ 175.91	Online Giving	\$ 47.60
Votive Lights/Holy Days	\$ 55.00	Votive Lights/Holy Days	\$ 20.00
TOTAL	\$4,767.91	TOTAL	\$2,322.60

Sacred Heart Church & School Weekly Budgeted Amount: \$11,373.92	St. Thomas Weekly Budgeted Amount: \$1,808.00
Ahead or <behind> for fiscal year: <\$190,821.31> (fiscal year began July 1)	Ahead or <behind> for fiscal year: <\$3,760.91> (fiscal year began July 1)

Liturgical Ministry Assignments

Sacred Heart—Plainville		St. Thomas - Stockton	
Saturday, April 12—6:00 pm		Sunday, April 13—8:30 am	
EMHC:	Janet Languein, Fred Adam, Troy Hixon	EMHC:	Peter Bellerive, Dustin Kriley, Jen Kesler
Lector:	Charlie Ramsay	Lector:	Caitlin Beall
Altar Servers:	Olivia Luna, Ava Ryan, Ruthie Brewster	Altar Servers:	Henry Berkley, Ira Beall, Oran Beall
Ushers:	Brodie Pfannenstiel/volunteers	Ushers:	Keslers
Gift Bearers:	Pfannenstiel Family	Musicians:	Megan, Tessa & Makinley
Rosary Leader:	Volunteer	HOLY WEEK	
Sunday, April 13—10:30 am		Thursday, April 17—7:00 pm	
EMHC:	John Ruder, Bob Plante, Ty Horting	Friday, April 18—5:00 pm	
Lector:	Mary Jo Buresh	Sunday, April 20—8:30 am	
Altar Servers:	Corbyn Meyer, Alivia Lyle, Lauryl Klein	Please sign up for ministries for Holy Week at the back of church.	
Ushers:	Justin McCune/volunteers	Envelopes	
Gift Bearers:	Randy Hrabe & Lyle Family	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.	
Rosary Leader:	Jerry & Karen Casey	HOLY WEEK	
Homebound Communion		Thursday, April 17—5:00 pm	
Nursing Home/Assisted Living		Friday, April 18—3:00 pm	
Cassie & Deb Meyers		Saturday, April 19—8:30 pm	
HOLY WEEK		Sunday, April 20—10:30 am	
If you can help with any ministries during Holy Week please call the parish office ASAP.			