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July 5, 2026 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Exult greatly, O daughter Zion! Shout for joy, O daughter Jerusalem! Behold: your king is coming to you, a just savior is he, Humble, and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

Zechariah 9:9

WELCOME

Sacred Heart Catholic Church welcomes our visitors and friends to our Worship and Liturgical Celebrations.

If you would like us to pray for your intentions, please call (931) 762-3183, or stop by the Parish office in the school at any time during our office hours.

Pastor: Reverend Andrew Forsythe

Bookkeeper & Parish Secretary: Jillian Stout

Parish Pastoral Council: Lee Piovarcy

Music Coordinator: Bob Augustin

Knights of Columbus: Danny Piovarcy

SHCCW—President: Becky Patt

Principal: Julie Owens

Assistant Principal: Tina Harris

Parish Office Hours:

8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. - Monday through Friday

Mailing Address

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
220 Berger Street
Lawrenceburg, Tennessee 38464

Parish Office: (931) 762-3183 Fax: (931) 762-5128

School Office: (931) 762-6125 Fax: (931) 244-7234



Website: www.shclb.org

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Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5:30 p.m.

Sunday - 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Monday - Friday - 8:00 a.m.

Sacraments

Sacrament of the Sick: Call the office

Confession: Saturday 9:30 a.m.

Any other times : Call the office

Baptism: Call the church office at least four weeks before the baptism. Baptismal instruction is required for the parents and godparents.

Marriage: Call the church office at least six months before for the registration and required marriage preparation.

Prayer Requests: Call the church office or send an email with the details to parishoffice@shclb.org.

Emergencies: Call 931-762-3183

St. Vincent de Paul Society: Call 931-201-0786

Mass Intentions this week:

Sun: 07/05/2026 - 8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	James Butler Sacred Heart Parish
Mon: 07/06/2026 - 8:00 a.m.	No Daily Mass
Tues: 07/07/2026 - 8:00 a.m.	No Daily Mass
Wed: 07/08/2026 - 8:00 a.m.	Bob Garner ☩
Thurs: 07/09/2026 - 8:00 a.m.	Darlene Schwind ☩
Fri: 07/10/2026 - 8:00 a.m.	James Butler
Sat: 07/11/2026 - 5:30 p.m.	Immogene Garner ☩
Sun: 07/12/2026 - 8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Frances Neel ☩ Sacred Heart Parish

Please welcome newly ordained Father Reed Robinson to our Parish this weekend as Father Forsythe enjoys the holiday with his family. Father Robinson's home parish is St. Mary of Seven Sorrows in downtown Nashville.



**Please remember
in your prayers:**

Please email or call the parish office to add to the prayer list

David P. Yurchak ☩	James Manuele Sr. ☩	Jimmy Crawford ☩	Dr. Scott Benefield	Donna Spearman
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Jerry Whitehead ☩	Barbara Gower ☩	Mary LeFils ☩	Dorothea Ellis	Lori Dollar
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Antonio Santini ☩	Maria Delgado ☩	David Ihrle ☩	Tim Niedergeses	Darlene Schwind
Thomas Rohling ☩	Kevin Carpenter ☩	Mary Ann Ihrle ☩		
Linda Remke ☩	Charles Edward Bishop ☩			

Collection Report for 6/28/2026

Cash:	\$	1,309.00
Envelopes/Loose Checks:	\$	2,460.00
School:	\$	365.00
Restoring Our Heritage:	\$	19,830.00
Online Giving (Weekly):	\$	1,546.00

Special collections INCLUDED in totals

Mass Intentions:	\$	0.00
Peter's Pence	\$	385.00
Memorial Donations	\$	5,000.00

Memorial Donations

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Second Collection for July

July 12th: Cemetery Fund

July 19th: School Collection

Please place all other envelopes in the main collection

Liturgical Ministry Schedule - July 11th & July 12th

	Saturday 5:30 pm	Sunday 8:00 am	Sunday 10:30 am
<i>Lectors</i>	Lee Piovarcy	Mark Harris	Kimberly Cox
<i>Extraordinary Ministers</i>	Korey Whitehead	Becky Patt	Wallace Coleman

Announcements

THE AMERICAN RED CROSS

Will be hosting a blood drive In Honor of
DR. THOMAS SCOTT BENEFIELD
The Blood Drive will be held on August 26,
2026 from 1-6pm at the
Lawrenceburg Rotary Club
927 N Military Ave

White Mass for Healthcare Professionals

A White Mass for healthcare professionals, including doctors, nurses, pharmacists, and therapists, will be celebrated by Bishop J. Mark Spalding of Nashville at 5 p.m. on **Saturday, Sept. 26**, the Feast of Sts. Cosmas and Damian, at the Cathedral of the Incarnation.



THE POPE'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION -

JULY

For respect for human life

Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognizing it as a gift from God.

Barbecue Picnic

Save the date for St. Lawrence Church in Joelton's will hold its 144th annual Summer Barbecue Picnic beginning at noon on **Saturday, Aug. 1**, at 5655 Clarksville Hwy. The event will include freshly smoked barbecue and other foods, bingo, face-painting, games, and more. Event proceeds go to support tuition subsidy for any children at St. Lawrence who attend one of the diocesan Catholic schools. For more information, call 615-876-2127 or email stlawrence@comcast.net.



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St. Maria Goretti

July 6th, Optional Memorial of Saint Maria Goretti

St. Maria Goretti was born of a poor family in Corinaldi, Italy, in 1890. Near Nettuno she spent a difficult childhood assisting her mother in domestic duties. She was of a pious nature and often at prayer. In 1902 she was stabbed to death, preferring to die rather than be raped. (Office of Readings)

"It is well known how this young girl had to face a bitter struggle with no way to defend herself. Without warning a vicious stranger (actually Alessandro Serenelli who lived with his father in the same house as the Goretti's.) burst upon her, bent on raping her and destroying her childlike purity. In that moment of crisis she could have spoken to her Redeemer in the words of that classic, *The Imitation of Christ*: "Though tested and plagued by a host of misfortunes, I have no fear so long as your grace is with me. It is my strength, stronger than any adversary; it helps me and gives me guidance." With splendid courage she surrendered herself to God and his grace and so gave her life to protect her virginity.



"The life of this simple girl—I shall concern myself only with highlights—we can see as worthy of heaven. Even today people can look upon it with admiration and respect. Parents can learn from her story how to raise their God-given children in virtue, courage and holiness; they can learn to train them in the Catholic faith so that, when put to the test, God's grace will support them and they will come through undefeated, unscathed and untarnished.

"From Maria's story carefree children and young people with their zest for life can learn not to be led astray by attractive pleasures which are not only ephemeral and empty but also sinful. Instead they can fix their sights on achieving Christian moral perfection, however difficult and hazardous that course may prove. With determination and God's help all of us can attain that goal by persistent effort and prayer.



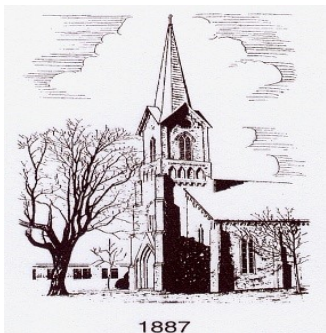
"Not all of us are expected to die a martyr's death, but we are all called to the pursuit of Christian virtue. This demands strength of character though it may not match that of this innocent girl. Still, a constant, persistent and relentless effort is asked of us right up to the moment of our death. This may be conceived as a slow steady martyrdom which Christ urged upon us when he

said: The kingdom of heaven is set upon and laid waste by violent forces.

"So let us all, with God's grace, strive to reach the goal that the example of the virgin martyr, Saint Maria Goretti, sets before us. Through her prayers to the Redeemer may all of us, each in his own way, joyfully try to follow the inspiring example of Maria Goretti who now enjoys eternal happiness in heaven."

—Excerpted from a homily at the canonization of Saint Maria Goretti by Pope Pius XII

Maria appeared to her murderer in his prison cell to forgive him, and he was subsequently converted. He sat next to her mother at the beatification, who also forgave him.



Parish & School Dates Coming Up

Sunday, July 5th	Fraternity of Exodus 90	After the 8:00 a.m. Mass in the cafeteria
Monday, July 6th	No Daily Mass	
Tuesday, July 7th	No Daily Mass	
Wednesday, July 8th	Fraternus	<u>Beginning again on August 19th</u>
Thursday, July 9th		
Friday, July 10th		
Saturday, July 11th		
Sunday, July 12th	Fraternity of Exodus 90	After the 8:00 a.m. Mass in the cafeteria

St. Benedict is the patron of bee-keepers, and those who themselves have bees could not do better than mark his day by praying for their hives. In some parts of France it was, and may still be, customary for bee-keepers to have a medal of St. Benedict affixed to their hives:

O Lord, God almighty, who hast created heaven and earth and every animal existing over them and in them for the use of men, and who hast commanded through the ministers of holy Church that candles made from the products of bees be lit in church during the carrying out of the sacred office in which the most holy Body and Blood of Jesus Christ thy Son is made present and is received; may thy holy blessing descend upon these bees and these hives, so that they may multiply, be fruitful and be preserved from all ills and that the fruits coming forth from them may be distributed for thy praise and that of thy Son and the holy Spirit and of the most blessed Virgin Mary. Amen.

July 11th

Memorial of St. Benedict, Abbot

Born in Norcia about 480, Benedict's first studies were in Rome but, disappointed with city life, he retired to Subiaco, where he stayed for about three years in a cave—the famous *sacro speco*—dedicating himself wholly to God. In Subiaco, making use of the ruins of a cyclopean villa of the emperor Nero, he built some monasteries, together with his first disciples, giving life to



a fraternal community founded on the primacy of the love of Christ, in which prayer and work were alternated harmoniously in praise of God.

Years later, he completed this project in Monte Cassino, and put it in writing in his Rule, the only work of his that has come down to us. Amid the ashes of the Roman Empire, Benedict, seeking first of all the kingdom of God, sowed, perhaps even without realizing it, the seed of a new civilization which would develop, integrating Christian values with classical heritage, on one hand, and the Germanic and Slav cultures on the other.

There is a particular aspect of his spirituality, which today I would particularly like to underline. Benedict did not found a monastic institution oriented primarily to the evangelization of barbarian peoples, as other great missionary monks of the time, but indicated to his followers that the fundamental, and even more, the sole objective of existence is the search for God: "Quaerere Deum."

He knew, however, that when the believer enters into a profound relationship with God he cannot be content with living in a mediocre way, with a minimalist ethic and superficial religiosity. In this light, one understands better the expression that Benedict took from St. Cyprian and that is summarized in his *Rule* (IV, 21)—the monks' program of life: *Nihil amoris Christi praepone. Prefer nothing to the love of Christ.*

Holiness consists in this valid proposal for every Christian that has become a true pastoral imperative in our time, in which one perceives the need to anchor life and history in solid spiritual references.

Parish Ministries

The St. Vincent de Paul Conference of Sacred Heart-Lawrenceburg

wishes to thank everyone who supported our Father's Day Bake Sale.

Special thanks to the Ladies Guild for their delicious contributions.

We are grateful.

In addition to serving these neighbors, we also assisted:

- an individual with an electric bill
- a father needing help getting parts to repair his vehicle so he could continue his trip to Louisiana, where he planned to rescue his daughter from an abusive relationship and bring her home.

Thank you all for continuing to make it possible for us to help so many people in need. The Saint Vincent de Paul Society

Service Report
Quarter 2
2026

Month	Calls	Individuals	Families	Total
April	19	1	16	50
May	19	1	18	68
June to date:	12	0	12	50
				168



Meeting time: every Sunday (unless notified otherwise) in the Cafeteria after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Coffee and donuts are served.

Men of the Parish - young, old or in between: consider joining the Fraternity of Exodus 90 during the month of July. During this month, the theme is "Holy Friendship" and our readings and reflections will be from the Gospel of John. In addition to studying the Word, we will be practicing a few disciplines and will meet once a week to compare notes and learn from each other as we strive to become better men for our families and loved ones. Try us out—it's an awesome Brotherhood!



fraternus

Meeting time: Wednesday, August 19th, in the Cafeteria at 6:30 p.m. A shared meal, good conversation, prayer, and time to be active.

Fraternus begins again August 19 in the cafeteria at 6:30 pm. We are the largest, oldest, and most effective Catholic brotherhood of its kind. We help Catholic men and fathers lead in their homes and communities and inspire young men to grow in virtue, strength, and service through a unique framework of prayer, mentoring, and formation.



St Vincent de Paul Society

Meeting time: every second Wednesday (unless otherwise notified) in the Art Room at 5:00 p.m.

SVDP offers food assistance to neighbors in need. If you know of someone struggling to provide food for themselves and or family, call 931-201-0786. You may also make donations to the SVDP charity through the collection plate at Mass with your donations marked "SVDP".

Sacred Heart School News

These students officially completed their first year at Sacred Heart School. With Mrs. Debbie Scott as their teacher, she helped lay a strong foundation for their future. We are incredibly proud of how much they have grown, not only in their reading, writing, and academic skills, but also in their confidence, curiosity, and love of learning. Most importantly, they have spent the year growing in their faith. Watching them develop into kind, compassionate, and enthusiastic learners has been a true blessing. Congratulations, Kindergarten Class!

We can't wait to see all that God has in store for each of you.

Principal Owens



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