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St. Patrick's Parish

**303 S. Locust • P.O. Box 440
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RECONCILIATION
Saturday.....2:45-3:25 P.M.

MASS TIMES
Saturday.....4:00 P.M.
Sunday.....9:30 A.M.

PARISH OFFICE
Southeast entrance, located in Sacred Heart School.
Monday-Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Office Phone(217) 562-5396
Office Fax.....(217) 562-2308

PARISH STAFF
Pastor: Rev. Joseph Havrilka, KCHS
Emergencies/Rectory 562-9221
Email...pastorstpatrick@yahoo.com
Secretaries: Chrisy Nollman.....825-9899/Home
Gina Gruber.....827-9588/Home
Maintenance: Derek McFarland.....827-4584/Home
CRE/PSR: Cindy Duez.....561-1916/Home



SACRED HEART SCHOOL
Monday-Friday: 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
(While school is in session)
(217) 562-2425
www.shspana.com
Principal SHS: Mrs. Grace Holthaus 562-2425
Secretary SHS: Samantha Jostes 562-2425

SACRED HEART CHURCH
P.O. Box 45 • Oconee, IL
Phone: (217) 539-4325
Secretary: Zetta Wolf
RECONCILIATION
Tuesday.....5:00-5:30 P.M.
MASS TIME
Sunday.....7:30 A.M.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE
Please contact Fr. Joseph at least 6 months before the desired wedding date. All those wishing to be married at Saint Patrick's Parish are required to attend a Pre-Cana conference or weekend for the Engaged. To be married at Saint Patrick's Parish you must be a practicing Catholic. Please contact Fr. Joseph for more information.



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General Information: *www.dio.org*
Diocesan Child Abuse Reporting and Investigation
217-321-1155

PARISH REGISTRATION
Welcome to Saint Patrick's Parish! We invite you to register as a member of the Parish if you are new in town. Also we invite those young adults, graduated from high school and no longer living at home, to register as well. Please contact the Parish Office and we will gladly assist you in this process.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM
Baptisms are ordinarily celebrated at Sunday Celebrations of the Eucharist. Parents wishing to have their child baptized must be registered and practicing members of Saint Patrick's Parish. A sacramental preparation program for all parents is held prior to baptism. It is necessary for all parents to participate. God-parents are also welcome. Please call the Parish Office prior to your child's birth to schedule your participation in the preparation program.

**ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION
OF ADULTS**
Inquiry sessions are held each fall for adults interested in learning about our Catholic Faith, and for those interested in becoming Catholic. If you are interested, or know someone who is, please call the Parish Office at 217-562-5396 or email Gina at *stpats@shspana.org*.

**COUNCILS/COMMITTEES/OTHER
ORGANIZATIONS**
Children's Choir
Sacred Heart Organization of Parents (S.H.O.P.)
Adult Choir
Eucharistic Ministers
Lectors
Pastoral Council
Buildings & Grounds
Parish Finance Council
Parish Board of Education
Cemetery Board
Liturgy Committee
Knights of Columbus

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, September 22 – Ferial Day (XXV)
8:15 a.m.....No Mass
6:00 p.m.Oconee – No Mass

Wednesday, September 23 – St. Padre Pio
8:15 a.m.....No Mass

Thursday, September 24 – Ferial Day (XXV)
8:15 a.m.....No Mass

Friday, September 25 – Ferial Day (XXV)
8:15 a.m. + Ryan LeDuc by Family

Saturday, September 26 – Vigil of the XXVI
Sun. in Ord. Time
2:45-3:25 p.m. Confessions
4:00 p.m. + Samuel Hackler by Family

Sunday, September 27– XXVI Sun. in
Ordinary Time
7:30 a.m.....Oconee – + Irene &
Clarence Schmitz
9:30 a.m..... + Joyce Schmitz by Bill & Kathi Beyers

Ministry Schedule

Servers
September 26-27
Saturday 4:00 p.m.....Ethan Lehn
Sunday 9:30 a.m.....Rylan Czaikowski,
Jack Morrell

Extraordinary Ministers
September 26-27
Saturday 4:00 p.m.....Deb Zueck
Sunday 9:30 a.m.....Cheryl Swenny

Lectors
September 26-27
Saturday 4:00 p.m.....John McLeod
Sunday 9:30 a.m.....Parker Morrison

Security Schedule
September 26-27
Saturday 4:00 p.m.....Dave LeDuc, Gary Henigman
Sunday 9:30 a.m.....Sam Nollman, Chuck Perry,
Bryan Swisher

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO BE AN EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER, LECTOR, OR
SERVER AT YOUR ASSIGNED TIME, PLEASE FIND A REPLACEMENT.

Volunteers Needed – CEFS Meals on Wheels, based in the
Pana Senior Citizens building, are needing volunteers to help deliver
meals to those in need in our community. One day a month, one
day a week, or more days if possible Monday –Friday mornings. It
interested contact Paige at 217-994-1602 from 8:30 – 12:00 (noon).

LOAVES & FISHES VOLUNTEERS
Volunteers are needed from St. Patrick Church to fill a time slot at our
local food pantry, Loaves & Fishes, on every third Monday from 9:00 –
12:00 (noon). Please reach out to the Parish Office if you are willing to
lend a hand to help support our community neighbors in need.

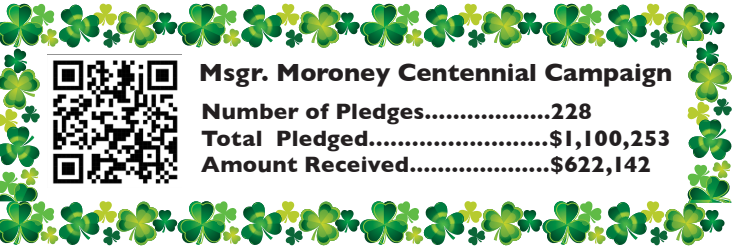
UNITED IN MARRIAGE
Parish congratulations to Shaye Czaikowski and Colleen Weddle on celebrating the
Sacrament of Holy Matrimony on Sep-
tember 19, 2026. May God bless you with
health and happiness as you begin your lives
together.



“Thus, the last will be first, and the first will be last.” – Matthew 20:16
You’ve heard the saying “it’s not where you start, but how you finish.”
This certainly applies to this Bible passage. We have a responsibility
not only for our own lives, but for the lives of others as well. We are
called to generously share our gifts with others, not hoard them for
our own use. Our sincere gratitude and cheerful generosity will help us
live “God-centered” lives and not “self-centered” lives.

Weekly Contributions
September 12-13
We Need \$10,363 Each Week
Church Operations

Regular.....	\$4,370.00
Buildings & Grounds.....	\$70.00
Major Repairs.....	\$65.00
Loose	\$598.00
School (Church’s Support)	\$1,040.00
Needy	\$15.00
Catholic University	\$15.00
Church in Africa	\$10.00



SCHOOL NOTICE

Sacred Heart School is again looking for air conditioners in good
condition. They need to be 18,000 BTU or as close to that as pos-
sible, but not over that size. If interested in donating, call the Parish
Office.

K OF C KING OF CLUBS

The Pana K of C “King of Clubs” drawing on September 19, 2026
at 7:00 p.m. Board will be set up live at 5:00 p.m. 50/50 available.
Jackpot is \$17,200. Serving Pork Chop Sandwiches & Fries for \$7.00.
Must have a PIN number to play. Numbers are free and available at
the K of C on Wednesdays prior to the drawing from 4-7:00 p.m.
and until 6:45p.m. day of drawing. Please visit [facebook.com/Pana-
KofC896](https://facebook.com/Pana-KofC896) for updated information.

QUEEN OF HEARTS

Join us every Wednesday night at Station 502 to support Sacred
Heart School. Ticket sales at the door from 6:00 -7:15 p.m. or stop
in the school office. Drawing at 7:30 p.m. Jackpot is \$8,700. 50/50
drawing. Station 502 will have its full menu and bar throughout the
game. All proceeds after winner goes toward Sacred Heart School.

MEETINGS

SPY – Sun., Sept. 20 – 4-5:00 pm – Parish Hall. SPY welcomes all youth
(Grades 6-12) to join us. For information, contact Jamie Glick 217-823-1561
SCHOOL BOARD – Tues., September 22 – 7:00pm – Rectory Basement
OCIA – Wed., September 23 – 6:30 pm – Rectory Basement

SHOP FUNDRAISERS

PHOTO FUNDRAISER on Saturday, September 26 at
Kitchell Park. These 10-minute photo sessions are taken by
J-Wag Photo costing \$30, with J-Wag donating their time, \$15
back from each session to SHS, and an 8x10 portrait to each
participating family. Sessions can be scheduled online at [jwag-
photo.as.me](http://jwag-photo.as.me). or by calling Jeff Wagner at 217-259-6133.

SCHOOL FUNDRAISERS

• **SHS PIZZA MAN TAKE AND BAKE TICKETS FUND-
RAISER** – Throughout this fall, Sacred Heart School will have
pizza tickets available in the school office for you to purchase,
as you want/need them at a cost of \$12. Stock up to have on
hand for those busy, dinner nights. You can buy in the school
office or by sending back one of the forms from last week’s
bulletin with Cash or Check made out to SHS or by Venmo.
Share with your friends and family; every pizza sold helps SHS
towards their fundraising goal.
• **SHS CROSS PIN** – show your Sacred Heart School pride
wherever you go with our 1-inch metal SHS pin featuring the
Sacred Heart logo and shamrock! Available in the school of-
fice for purchase at a cost of \$10.
• **QUEEN OF HEARTS RAFFLE GAME** – Want to play but
can’t make it in person – get your tickets every week. Forms
available in the School Office or by sending one of the forms
from last week’s bulletin. Tickets 6/\$5, 12/\$10, and 30/\$20.
Pay by Cash or Check to SHS or Venmo.

OCONEE FALL FESTIVAL

Oconee Sacred Heart Parish 33rd Annual FALL
FAMILY FESTIVAL will open on Sunday, September 27
from 11am – 4pm and continue the next 2 Sundays on Oct.
4 and Oct. 11. Be entertained with an array of fun family ac-
tivities, a wide variety of delicious food, and quilt raffle. The
Jack-O Pot Raffle will have an Early Bird Drawing of \$500 on
Sept. 20, 4 drawings of \$200 each on Sept. 27 and Oct. 4, and
3 drawings of \$1000 on Oct. 11. Tickets available at 1/\$20,
3/\$50, or 7/\$100 thru any Oconee Sacred Heart Parish pa-
rishioner, calling the Oconee Parish Office (217-539-4325), or
on site. Visit www.oconeefallfestival.com for a detailed list of
events and activities.

NOTICE

CEMETERY RULES & REGULATIONS

Ground decoration will be permitted beginning October
2-March 31. Ground decorations shall be in unbreakable, shat-
terproof containers. Use of wire to secure decorations is not
permitted. Rules and regulations will be strictly enforced.

PRAYER INTENTIONS RECEIVED
FROM OUR SCHOOL FAMILIES

Please pray for all sick & homeless and please pray for all hurt
from natural disasters; Uncle Jeff and Samuel



SANCTUARY CANDLE
The Sanctuary Candle, the Eternal Light, will be lit the
week of September 20, 2026 for Jerry Holthaus by Betty
Holthaus.



Baptisms
Born Again In The Holy Spirit

Baptized in Christ: We welcome into the Family of St. Patrick’s Parish and
the Universal Church the daughter of Karson Johnson and Lydia McFar-
land, Leighton Grace Johnson, reborn of water and the Holy Spirit in the
saving waters of baptism on September 20, 2026. May she and her family
continue to grow in the Faith.

OCTOBER COUNT

It is time for the 2026 October Count to record attendance at regularly
scheduled weekend Masses. Counting will begin on the weekend of Octo-
ber 3-4 and conclude on the weekend of October 24-25.

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