



GOOD SHEPHERD

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Next Meeting - August 3rd !

Mark your calendars for this wonderful event chocked full of exciting stuff going on! We have events, kids coming back to school, Otters game, Big Bingo numbers, Right to Life table, and an update on our Columbiettes. The fun starts at 5pm with the "Officers Meeting", then at 5:30, if we have a new dude, we can have one of those exemplification meetings, or better known as a "Three Degree Guarantee" in 27 minutes. Then at 6:00 we will be treated to a plethora of heavenly food prepared by a one of a kind, culinary wizard. There will be polish sausage, grilled and seasoned tenderloins, crinkle cut fries, famous baked beans, salad and maybe some delicious Sammy Winn pastries. Then, to settle that food and get us ready for our riveting meeting, we shall grab our Rosaries as weapons and pray for the well-being of others and our continued success. Some guys may not understand how powerful this small 24 minute excursion is, but we getting' things done around here and we've all been blessed. Then at 7ish, Dan will strike the gavel and get the meeting started. Meeting may end around 8pm and then post meeting will start, which includes going to Mancave to watch Reds at Cubs for night game in Wrigley, in which the Reds will slaughter them. Or we could watch the Cards try to escape last place, we'll see !! Otherwise, we hope to see everyone of you at the meeting, c'mon down boys! Weez fun !!!!

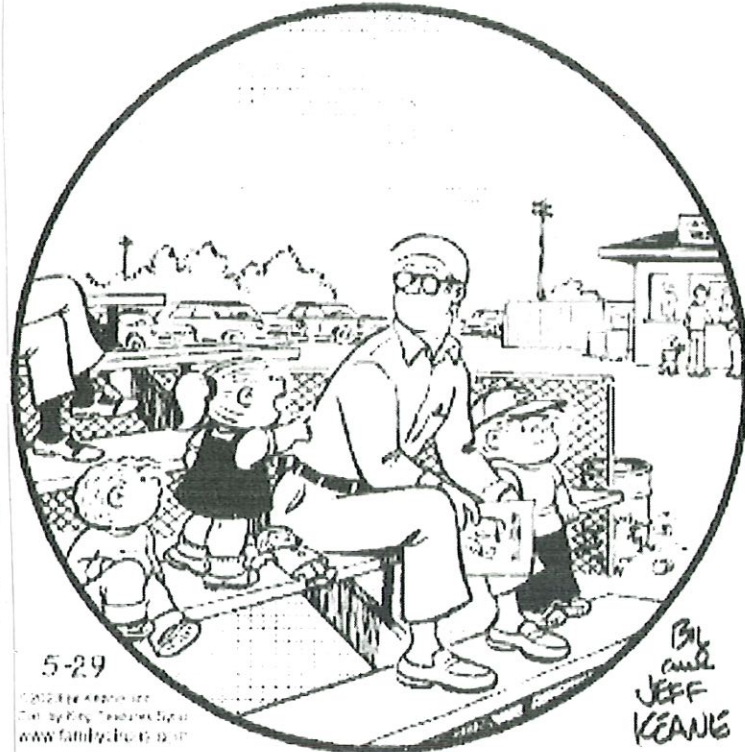
Good Shepherd Ultreya - August 1st

Join us in the Narthex on Tuesday August 1st after

5:30 Mass and 6:00 Adoration for a wonderful

event. Keynote speaker will be Jim Mattingly and attendance is free. See Al Bragin for further details.

THE FAMILY CIRCUS



"Daddy, when are we goin' over to the confession stand?"

When's the last time, you, made it to the "Confession Stand" ???

Thank You Fr. Zach !!!!

Hey, if you see Fr. Zach, make sure to thank him for all he does for us. He brings us Sacraments, leads our parish, blesses the sick, hears our Confessions, teaches, represents, visits folks, counsels, orchestrates activities, and lots of other stuff. He is a Rock Star as our Shepherd and we are blessed to have him @ GS !!!!



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M.C. Training Camp !

This year, Fr. Tyler had his training camp from July 12th to July 14th. The young guys gathered at Sacred Heart and learned about the Mass and how to be ready for big Church events in our diocese. It was great to see almost 30 boys as well as many priests and Deacons that came out for this. Our Council jumped in and provided lunch and Dinner for everyone on Thursday. We provided corn dogs and fixens for lunch and then fish, fries and fixens for Dinner. Because "Our Cod, is an awesome Cod". Thanks to all volunteers that jumped in, including some gals from the maybe future Columbiettes. This activity of ours, is as good as it gets, serving our priests who are trying to show young guys the beauty of the Mass and maybe even open the thought process of priesthood someday. WOOO!



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Are you a Catholic female over the age of 18?

Are you looking for a way to get involved
in Parish or School events?

Do you enjoy social activities?

Are you interested in enriching your Catholic faith?

Consider joining the Columbiettes.

If interested, please contact (phone/text/email) Megan Knies
at (812) 617-1988 or goodshepherdldadies@gmail.com.

**Informational Luncheon scheduled for Sunday,
September 17, 2023 after 10:30 am Mass
in the School Cafeteria.**

Who We Are

The Columbiettes are a unified body of Catholic women who work side-by-side with the Knights of Columbus Councils with which they are affiliated.

Sts. Peter & Paul Ultreya

On Monday July 24th, Caleb Scherzinger will be witness speaker at this event. There is a Mass at 6:30, then Ultreya at 7:05. We are still praying & backing Caleb as he continues his classes and discernment of priesthood. Heck, go check him out if you get the chance !!!

ARISE

ADORATION + RECONCILIATION + INTERCESSION + SCRIPTURE + EXALTATION

Third Sunday of Every Month | Good Shepherd Catholic Church
Music begins at 6:45 p.m. | Adoration begins at 7:00 p.m.
Join us at our next two ARISE nights on March 19th and April 16th!
Follow us on Facebook at @EvansvilleARISE for more info.



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Masons and the Catholic Church

Many active, faithful Catholics are not aware of the history of the conflict between masons and the Catholic Church, or the current stance we hold as Catholics. Many have been unknowingly participating in masonic rites, unaware of the context of those rituals. It is important for us to understand what is at the heart of this division and why the Catholic Church has reaffirmed that "Catholics enrolled in Masonic associations are involved in serious sin and may not approach Holy Communion" (Declaration on Masonic Associations, Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith, November 1983). This is a very serious claim and one that demands our attention.

The first thing we should note is that the mentality behind masonry is secular; that is, it diminishes the role of faith and proposes an alternative foundation for living one's life: in this case, to be a good mason and serve a higher notion of natural virtue. This is precisely why, in 1738, Pope Clement XII banned freemasonry. During the initiation rite, the candidate expresses a desire to seek "light," and he is assured he will receive the light of spiritual instruction that he could not receive in another Church, and that he will gain eternal rest in the "celestial lodge" if he lives and dies according to masonic principles. Such secularism puts the members at risk of losing sight of Jesus Christ as the Lord of life and salvation.

The second thing to be attentive to is that the rituals are hostile to Catholicism. Since masonry involves non-Christians, the use of the name of Jesus is forbidden within the lodge. When one reaches the 30th degree in the masonic hierarchy, called the Kadosh, the person crushes with his foot the papal tiara and the royal crown, and swears to free mankind "from the bondage of despotism and the thralldom of spiritual tyranny."

Finally, there is an explicit hostility in the masonic tradition towards the Catholic Church. In the United States, one of the leaders of freemasonry, General Albert Pike (d. 1891) referred to the papacy as "a deadly, treacherous enemy," and wrote, "The papacy has been for a thousand years the torturer and curse of humanity, the most shameless imposture, in its pretense to spiritual power of all ages." Such words, along with masonic rituals, illustrate a real and irreconcilable division between Catholicism and masonry.

The Church has stated clearly: "Therefore the Church's negative judgment in regard to Masonic association remains unchanged since their principles have always been considered irreconcilable with the doctrine of the Church and therefore membership in them remains forbidden. The faithful who enroll in Masonic associations are in a state of grave sin and may not receive Holy Communion" (Declaration on Masonic Associations, Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith, November 1983).

It is critical for us to understand the promises we make and what the organizations we belong to stand for. We cannot support organizations such as the masons that stand against the Catholic Church and have its downfall as one of their objectives. I encourage you to speak to friends whom you may know are involved in masonry and ensure, for their own spiritual well-being, they are aware of the Church's position on masonic membership. But most importantly why: Jesus Christ is our salvation and He cannot be replaced by any organization, even one that seems to provide brotherhood and service to the community.

BY FATHER ALEX ZENTHOEFER
Special to The Message

Big Bingo 7-30

Here we go again! A chance to help our parish AND make a little for ourselves on July 30. Doors will open early and we'll be asking for all hands on deck. So mark your calendars and be ready to tear it up. We'll plan on having food for workers and be ready for 300+ patrons to show up! WE ARE THE KNIGHTS!



An "A" has been
added to their logo,

FYI !



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"I once had a manager
tell me to 'grab a bat
and stop this rally'"

- Bob Uecker

"The most I ever made in
the majors was \$17,000
in 1966. \$11,000 of it
came from selling other
players equipment"

- Bob Uecker

"Visit the sick" = corporal work of Mercy

Hey, just a heads up, our buddy Tom Schuler is now hanging out at "Brickyard Healthcare" on the corner of the Lloyd Expressway and Frame Road right there in Newburgh. He is in room 601 and says he's trying to make it back to get to our meetings again. But Tom has some healing to do and still needs lots of prayers. So, keep him in your prayers, and heck, if you can, get over there and say "Hi" to him, it'll mean so much !!!!!

Sip and Support- Sept 23rd

Save the date for this huge Good Shepherd Marketing Committee event. Space is limited and ticket info will be coming soon in our GS bulletin. This will be an evening of wine tasting and Hors D'oeuvres not to mention fellowship. You must be 21 or older and the event is from 6 to 8 at the Rumjahn Gallery. Some of you may know Howie, who is a fellow Knight. Cheers !

Grand Knight's Corner

Hello brother Knights, I would like take this opportunity to thank you all for the honor of being your Grand Knight for the next year. I joined the Knights in 2013, have been married to Shari for 23 yrs and have 3 kids. Jacob (22) Katie Jo (20) and Justin (9), all attended GS and Memorial. Shari and I have both made a Cursillo weekend and I'm also involved with the Summer Social, Cub Scouts and Bingo.

My vision is to grow our council through family oriented events for the entire GS parish. Also to help grow our parish in spirituality by providing programs that are sponsored by the Knights. I really look forward to what we can do together because , we are the Knights !

KNIGHTS

At the



Thursday

August 24, 2023

Game Time 6:35

Opponent

Joliet Slammers



- Reservations are to handled by each council and are due by Tuesday, August 1, 2023 to Brother Knight Scott Allen jscottallen@duck.com
- Each council will be invoiced and to pay Otters directly
- Once final numbers are received by each council. Bill Bussing will issue a check to each council to be used for payment of invoice from the OTTERS.
- Councils are responsible for their reservations, pick up and distribute tickets to members
- Each tickets includes, Game Admission, Hamburger, Hot Dogs, Chicken, baked beans, Potato Chips, Water, Soda and complimentary peanuts. AND ONE OF A KIND OTTERS HAT. Food served from one hour prior to game to 1 hour after game starts.
- **REMEMBER, it is THIRSTY THURSDAY—Special Prices for beer**



KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

2023 GOOD SHEPHERD SUMMER SOCIAL
PRELIMINARY FINANCIAL REPORT of GROSS INCOME

<u>BOOTH</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	Increase <Decrease>
Baseball Toss	\$ 523.45	\$ 155.40	\$ 368.05
Basketball Shoot	\$ 644.25	\$ -	\$ 644.25
Bingo - Sunday	\$ 14,399.92	\$ 11,599.90	\$ 2,800.02
Cake Wheel / Baked Goods Booth	\$ 561.50	\$ -	\$ 561.50
Candy Wheel	\$ 679.00	\$ -	\$ 679.00
Cash Over/Short	\$ 309.85	\$ -	\$ 309.85
Cash Wheel	\$ 2,411.00	\$ -	\$ 2,411.00
Corn Dog Booth	\$ 3,247.00	\$ -	\$ 3,247.00
Cotton Candy, Sno Cones, Nachos	\$ 802.00	\$ -	\$ 802.00
Dart Throw	\$ 632.00	\$ -	\$ 632.00
Dime Toss	\$ 689.43	\$ 186.65	\$ 502.78
Dinners	\$ 17,274.00	\$ 7,900.00	\$ 9,374.00
Dinners - Carry Out / Drive Thru	\$ 7,163.60	\$ 4,360.00	\$ 2,803.60
Donations	\$ 733.00	\$ 274.00	\$ 459.00
Gift Card Grab (Silent Auction)	\$ 2,340.00	\$ 1,180.00	\$ 1,160.00
Gold Fish Toss	\$ 452.75	\$ 147.80	\$ 304.95
Hamburger Booth	\$ 5,279.55	\$ -	\$ 5,279.55
Holiday World Tickets	\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ 100.00
Ice Cream Floats / Lemonade Shake-ups	\$ 2,353.50	\$ -	\$ 2,353.50
Kiddie Land (Cherry Tree/Duck Pond/Lollipop)	\$ 494.00	\$ 293.00	\$ 201.00
Kona Ice	\$ -	\$ 117.00	\$ (117.00)
Kuchens	\$ 2,396.00	\$ 838.00	\$ 1,558.00
Luck of the Draw	\$ 3,915.00	\$ 855.00	\$ 3,060.00
Lucky Buck Prizes	\$ 1.00	\$ -	\$ 1.00
Papa Johns Pizza	\$ 1,886.00	\$ 321.00	\$ 1,565.00
Plinko	\$ 710.25	\$ 126.00	\$ 584.25
Pot of Gold	\$ 497.06	\$ -	\$ 497.06
Pull Tabs - Ticket Jar	\$ 492.00	\$ -	\$ 492.00
Putt-Putt Mini Golf	\$ 722.75	\$ -	\$ 722.75
Raffle - \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	\$ 43,730.00	\$ 42,931.00	\$ 799.00
Raffle - Quilts	\$ 5,680.00	\$ 4,414.00	\$ 1,266.00
Religious Articles	\$ 1,054.10	\$ -	\$ 1,054.10
Ride Tickets	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Silent Auction	\$ 10,247.00	\$ 4,079.00	\$ 6,168.00
Skeeball	\$ 450.50	\$ -	\$ 450.50
Soda Ring Toss	\$ 1,203.00	\$ 193.50	\$ 1,009.50
Soft Drink Booth	\$ 1,773.25	\$ 161.50	\$ 1,611.75
Sponsors	\$ 13,350.00	\$ -	\$ 13,350.00
Sweet Corn Sale	\$ -	\$ 530.00	\$ (530.00)
Tic-Tac-Toe	\$ 519.05	\$ 98.00	\$ 421.05
Used Book Sale	\$ 922.56	\$ -	\$ 922.56
TOTALS	\$ 150,639.32	\$ 80,760.75	\$ 69,878.57

MASTER OF CEREMONIES *Training Camp*

In the summer of 2021, the House hosted a “Master of Ceremonies Training Camp.” More than 20 guys from almost as many parishes attended the three-day, overnight camp facilitated by diocesan priests and seminarians. There, each teenage guy learned the basics of how to serve various liturgies in addition to learning more about the history, symbolism, and sacramental reality found in the Mass, the Eucharist, and more. The second camp was hosted in 2022, with even more parishes participating.

At the close of the camps, each trained MC is given a red cassock and white surplice. These match the vestiture of some of the patron Saints of altar servers: St. John Berchmans and St. Dominic Savio being two of them. To date, the more than 45 trained servers from about half of our diocesan parishes have served well in their own parishes at ordinary and at special Masses, helping guide other servers and assisting their pastors to make



Seminarian Caleb Scherzinger explains the vestments of clergy as part of the “MC Training Camp” in 2021.

the liturgy reverent and smooth. They have also begun serving for Bishop Siegel at diocesan events when our seminarians are unavailable. †



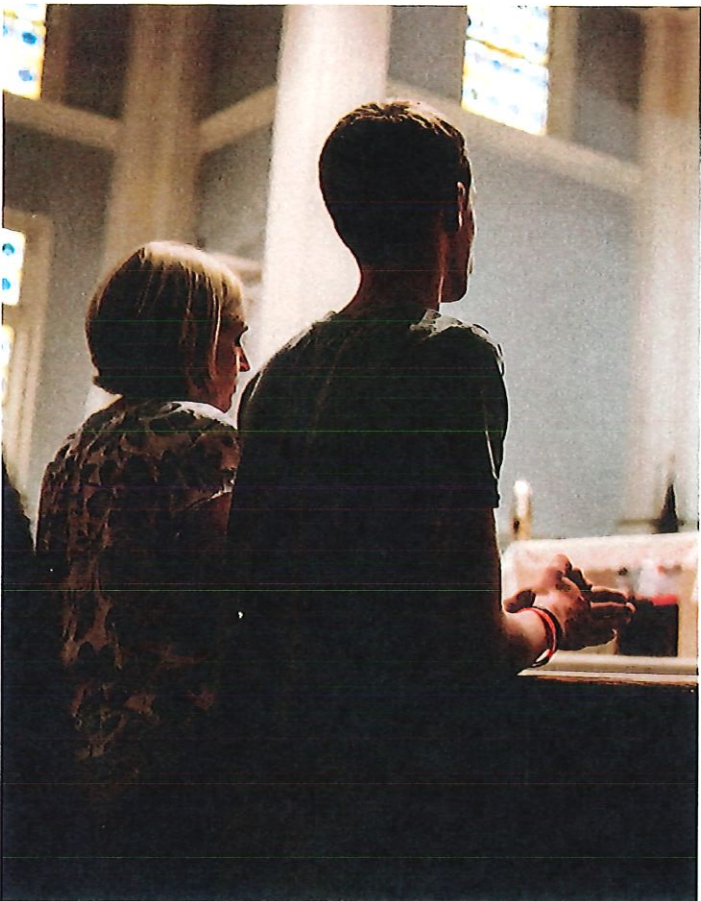
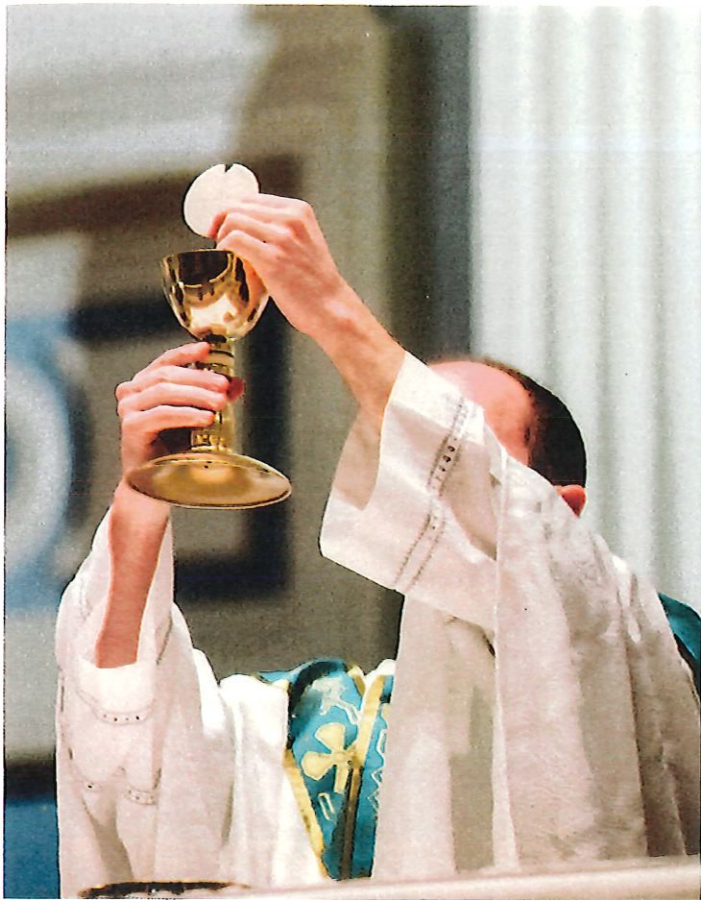
Monday Night

HOLY HOUR & MASS FOR VOCATIONS

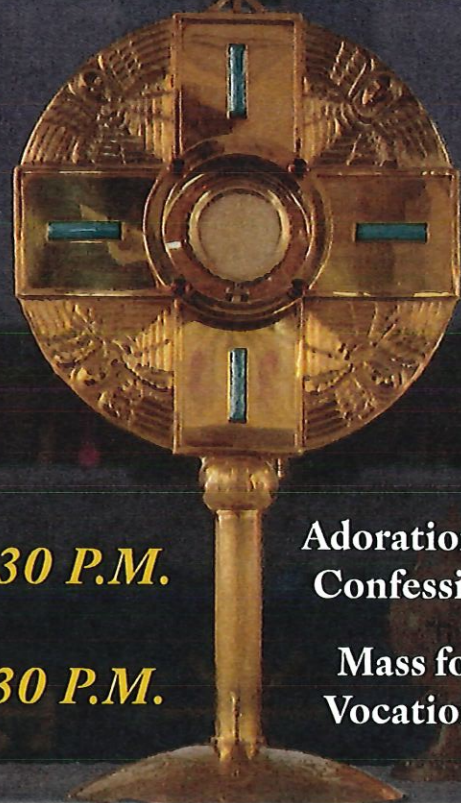
In August 2018, just a few weeks after the House of Discernment had opened for its first year, House Director, Fr. Tyler Tenbarge, decided to offer a "Holy Hour & Mass for Vocations" on Monday evenings at Sacred Heart Church next to the House of Discernment. The intention was to provide the House residents an opportunity to serve a liturgy in public and to open a door to our community to come and pray with us and for vocations. The structure was simple: Eucharistic Adoration with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, an opportunity for Confession, and Benediction and Reposition before a Monday evening Mass. Within a few months, the regular attendance was more than 100 people, and today, it regularly exceeds twice that number.

Attendees now call the "Holy Hour & Mass for Vocations" evening "Monday Nights." Since its inception nearly five full years ago, some 250 Masses have been offered at Sacred Heart Church for the intention of increasing and deepening vocations across our diocese. More than 25 different priests from our diocese have presided over one of those Masses. The FOCUS Missionaries at USI have used Monday Nights as a natural gathering place for evangelization and fellowship, including regularly praying Night Prayer from the Liturgy of the Hours with college students after Mass concludes. Many religious sisters have also joined us for Monday Nights and spent time with our community after. †





JOIN US EVERY MONDAY



6:30 P.M.

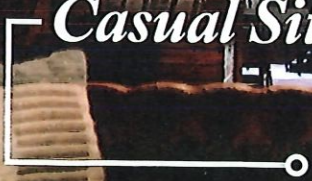
**Adoration &
Confession**

7:30 P.M.

**Mass for
Vocations**

A LOOK INSIDE

St. Joseph's Attic



Casual Sitting Area



Life-Size Statue of St. Joseph



Heating & Air Conditioning



Snack Bar



Half-Bath



Individual Bed Lights & Outlets



Poker Table



Extra Pull-Out Beds & Several Sleeping Mats



8 Beds