

St. Brigid - St. Joseph - St. Edward

CATHOLIC CHURCHES



TRI-PARISH MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.—St. Brigid

Sunday: 7:30 a.m.—St. Brigid

9:00 a.m.—St. Joseph

10:30 a.m.—St. Edward

Monday: 6:30 p.m.—St. Brigid

Tuesday: 8:00 a.m.—St. Edward

Wednesday: 8:00 a.m.—St. Joseph

Friday: 8:00 a.m.—St. Brigid

First Friday ONLY: 8:00 a.m. St. Edward
w/ Adoration to follow

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:45 p.m.—4:15 p.m. @ St. Brigid

Tuesday: 7:15 a.m.—7:45 a.m. @ St. Edward

Wednesday: 7:15 a.m.—7:45 a.m. @ St. Joseph

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Friday until Noon

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Wednesday 8am to 4 pm

217-434-8442

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Pastor's Letter

November 9, 2025—The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Dear Church Family,

The Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica, which we celebrate today, is a significant occasion in the Catholic liturgical calendar, honoring the Pope's cathedral church in Rome and symbolizing the unity of the universal Church. Though many associate St. Peter's Basilica in the Vatican with the Pope, St. John Lateran is, in fact, the official cathedral of the Pope as the Bishop of Rome and holds the title of "Mother and Head of all Churches in the City and the World."

The history of the basilica dates back to the fourth century, following Emperor Constantine's Edict of Milan, which granted religious freedom to Christians. Constantine donated the Lateran Palace, which previously belonged to the Laterani family, to the church, and the basilica was built next to it. Pope Sylvester I dedicated the new structure in 324 A.D., initially naming it the Archbasilica of the Most Holy Savior. The dedication of this first official Christian place of worship marked a turning point in the life of the church, signifying the end of centuries of persecution and a huge shift for the Church in its relationship with the society and culture of the time.

Over the centuries, the basilica has endured fires, earthquakes, and wars, leading to several reconstructions. It was later also dedicated to St. John the Baptist and St. John the Evangelist, eventually becoming known popularly as St. John Lateran. Our celebration today reminds us of our roots and our connection to the universal church in every time and place.

As beautiful and historic as the basilica of St. John Lateran is, St. Paul reminds us of something very important. The physical structures that we build as our places of worship are not the true church. We are. As St. Paul says, "Do you not know that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you? As significant as our buildings are, the greatest monument we can build for God is to proclaim the good news of salvation by our words and actions and dedicate ourselves to living as a people united in mind, heart, and spirit. Each of us are living stones, built on the foundation of Christ into a house where all people can come and experience the love of God.

Blessings,

Fr. Scott



Today we will hear the true story of a fellow parishioner who has embraced stewardship as a way of life and the difference it has made for them. Is something holding you back from embracing this incredible way of life?

Pray about it this week. Review the stewardship materials you received in the mail and take a step forward in faith. Remember to bring your commitment card to Mass next week.

Next Sunday is Commitment Sunday!



Big news! The 50/50 raffle for Catholic Heart Workcamp is currently at \$970! Right now your half would be \$485!!! Drawing is at St Joseph Donut Day, December 7.

Tickets will be available for purchase:
-November 9 @ St. Brigid during the Donut Social
-November 9 @ St. Thomas after Mass

Calendar

Saturday, November 8

3:45 p.m.—4:15 p.m. Reconciliation @ St. Brigid
4:30 p.m. Mass @ St. Brigid, Donut Social to follow
CHWC Childcare Fundraiser—
REGISTRATION REQUIRED!!

Sunday, November 9

7:30 a.m. Mass @ St. Brigid
9:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Joseph
9:15 a.m.—10:15 a.m. PSR @ St. Edward
10:00 a.m.—11:15 a.m. PSR @ St. Joseph
10:30 a.m. Mass @ St. Edward

Monday, November 10

6:30 p.m. Mass @ St. Brigid
7:00 p.m. OCIA @ St. Brigid

Tuesday, November 11

7:15 a.m.—7:45 a.m. Reconciliation @ St. Edward
8:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Edward

Wednesday, November 12

7:15 a.m.—7:45 a.m. Reconciliation @ St. Joseph
8:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Joseph
3:10 p.m.—4:30 p.m. PSR (K-4) @ St. Edward
6:30 p.m.—7:45 p.m. PSR @ St. Brigid

Thursday, November 13

6:30 p.m.—Altar Society @ St. Joseph

Friday, November 14

8:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Brigid

Saturday, November 15

3:45 p.m.—4:15 p.m. Reconciliation @ St. Brigid
4:30 p.m. Mass @ St. Brigid

Sunday, November 16

7:30 a.m. Mass @ St. Brigid
9:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Joseph
9:15 a.m.—10:15 a.m. PSR @ St. Edward
10:00 a.m.—11:15 a.m. PSR @ St. Joseph
10:30 a.m. Mass @ St. Edward

Monday, November 17

6:30 p.m. Mass @ St. Brigid

Tuesday, November 18

7:15 a.m.—7:45 a.m. Reconciliation @ St. Edward
8:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Edward

Wednesday, November 19

7:15 a.m.—7:45 a.m. Reconciliation @ St. Joseph
8:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Joseph
3:10 p.m.—4:30 p.m. PSR (K-4) @ St. Edward
6:30 p.m.—7:45 p.m. PSR @ St. Brigid

Friday, November 21

8:00 a.m. Mass @ St. Brigid

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8

4:30 p.m.—St. Brigid: *+Robert Richmiller*
+ James Windoffer

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9

7:30 a.m.—St. Brigid: *For the People of Our Parishes*

9:00 a.m.—St. Joseph: *+Nick Dietrich*
+Alan Hildebrand

10:30 a.m.—St. Edward: *+Allie O'Donnell*
+Don Maas

+Mary Ellen Woodworth

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10

6:30 p.m.—St. Brigid: *+Russ & Norma Ellwood*
+Naomi & Leonard Jurgers

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11

8:00 a.m.—St. Edward: *+Patty Lieurance*
+Bob McCleary
+Martha Koetters

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12

8:00 a.m.—St. Joseph: *+Marie Gramke*
+Linda & Michael Hoaglin
+Katie, Dan, Bob, & Rose Hugenberg

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14

8:00 a.m.—St. Brigid: *+Rose Mary Howell*

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15

4:30 p.m.—St. Brigid: *+Roger Hummel*
+ David Windoffer
+Michael Volk

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9

7:30 a.m.—St. Brigid: *+Herman & Rita Huber*
+Alan Hildebrand

9:00 a.m.—St. Joseph: *For the People of Our Parishes*

10:30 a.m.—St. Edward: *+Rose Mary Howell*
+John Blickhan

Bulletin Deadline

All information must be submitted by noon on Tuesday.

Submit to: church@stsbej.org

QCES Mass Attendance Cards

Mass attendance cards are available at the
back of church.

Parish Collection: November 2

St. Brigid \$ 6,180.00

St. Edward \$ 2,999.00

St. Joseph \$ 7,590.25

Thank you for your generous support!

All Collections included in total this week

Ministry Schedules

ST. BRIGID CHURCH						
November 15 & 16	Altar Server	Communion Minister	Usher	Lector	Greeter /Hospitality	Gift Bearer
SATURDAY 4:30 p.m.	Kade Klauser Harper Obert	Norma Neisen Theresa Neisen Angela Obert	Ava Fessler Dave Fessler Need 1	Cheryl Schutte	Jerry & Pam Totsch	Randy & Laura Maas
SUNDAY 7:30 a.m.	Dylan Hocking Mason Hocking	Vickie Cramsey Nancy Obert	Ron Cramsey Mike Hummel Kyle Leonard	Justin Mewes	Greg & Nancy Obert	Glen & Sara Obert

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH						
November 16	Altar Server	Communion Minister	Usher	Lector	Greeter /Hospitality	Gift Bearer
SUNDAY 9:00 a.m.	Makayla Drebes Myra Drebes Warren Drebes	Barb Frese Jolinn Tripp Brenda Siebers	Kerwin Cramsey Frank Siebers	Ben Hugenberg		Cramsey/Siebers Families

ST. EDWARD CHURCH						
November 16	Altar Server	Communion Minister	Rosary	Lector	Greeter /Hospitality	Gift Bearer
SUNDAY 10:30 a.m.	Abel Zimmerman Brynlee Zimmerman Braylee Brackensick	Susan York Paul Bealor Connie Bealor	Donna Voss	Holly Klusmeyer	Seth Knox Family	Jason Fleeer Family

* Please continue passing the basket for collection.

Please Remember to Pray For:

Daran Knuffman	Monica Mast	Connie Dietrich
Zoey Obert	Elizabeth Leonard	Virginia Berhorst
Julia Winfield	Ben Venvertloh	Corey Sheurman
Haddlei Burnett	Ripken Rangel	Lisa Bohan
Jim Steinkamp	Tony Peters	Rinley Barry
Kayle Sheely	Joy Huebotter	Bill Hilgenbrinck
John Kroner	Raleigh Bess	Lily Jean Roberts
Marvin Meyer	Karen Woodworth	Sandra White
Carl Schisler	Doug Woodworth	Dorothy Mayfield
Rachel Cramsey	Ryan Wiemelt	Phil Freiburg
Denny Meyer	Bernice Dittmer	Jim Brinkman
Rosie Miller	Joann Walton	Bennett Duesterhaus
Joe Rice	Kent Hilgenbrinck	Bill Ervin
Linda Windoffer	Jim Wilson	Sophie Shriver

Stewardship Reflection

“Do you not know that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells within you?” 1 corinthians 3:16

Simply remembering that we are “temples of the Holy Spirit” should make our daily decision making relatively easy. If we truly want to imitate Jesus, then our words and actions should reflect the love, mercy, and forgiveness that flow from His Sacred Heart. Try it for one week. Try to remember that we temples of the Holy Spirit and see how it affects the way that you live.

Please contact us if we need to remove your name from our prayer list.

Dying Without Fear

A talk from Deacon Dennis Holbrook



Monday, Nov. 17th at 6:30 PM
St. Thomas Parish Hall in Camp Point
All are welcome!

Living a Christ-centered life means we can face suffering and death without fear. I pray that this talk will enlighten our perspective on this topic and how our relationship with God can truly help us approach the end of our earthly life. Ray Wheeler will accompany us that evening with music and songs.

Project Rachel

Help for women and men to heal from the pain of abortion.
For assistance call 1-877-RACHEL-5.




The Turkey Dinner Committee would like to thank our Parishioners for their generous contributions for this year's turkey dinner. With your help, we were able to bake and carve 64 (21-23 lbs.) turkeys, 60 large steam table pans of dressing and cut over 170 pies! We successfully served 311 in house and 770 carry outs for a total of 1081 meals! Whether you contributed monetarily, through donation of items or by spending your time helping at the dinner, we cannot thank you all enough for your support in making the day a huge success!

Come & See Dinner



All men of the Quincy Deanery discerning a vocation to the permanent diaconate are invited to a Come and See Info Dinner on Sunday, November 16, 2025, at 6 p.m. at Saint Francis Solanus Parish. Wives are also invited and encouraged to attend. The evening will begin with prayer followed by dinner and conversation. You will hear deacons tell of their journey through discernment of entering and throughout formation and life after ordination. Wives of deacons will also tell of their journey and discernment throughout the formation process. There will also be plenty of time for questions during the conversations. If interested, please tell your pastor of your desire to attend and [Register for Andrew Dinner here](#).

Advertise In Our Bulletin

If you are a business owner, please consider underwriting the printing of our bulletins by buying an advertisement. Our church family would be happy to know of a fellow parishioner or friend of our parishes whose business we can support. Information on how to buy an ad is on the back of the bulletin. If you know of a business owner who might be interested in advertising with us, please let us know. If we can get 30 advertisers our bulletins will be printed at no charge to our parishes. Thank you for your support.

 **To All Women of the Quincy Deanery**
Join us for our Fall Gathering at St. Francis

Quincy Deanery Council of Catholic Woman's Fall Gathering

 **Liturgical Living**
Speaker Karilyn Williams 

Registration and Eucharistic Adoration
7:45-8:30
Registration and Luncheon \$10
8:30 - Mass
Celebrant: Fr. Arisman
Co-Concelebrant: Fr. Ken Ahanonu

10 AM Breakfast followed by meeting and Luncheon

Please Bring a Wrapped "White Elephant" gift to be auctioned to support the Seminarian Fund!!

Share Table:
Bring Items you no longer want, but other might Love!


Donation Opportunities:
Water for Life and Pro-Life Charities

Charity Collection:
Bring donation of Women & Childrens Socks Soaps & Shampoo

Wednesday
November 12, 2025

St. Francis Catholic Church,
1721 College Ave,
Quincy, IL
Hosted by
The Ladies of St Francis

White Elephant Gift Auction


LIVE Auction by Leon Obert

If you have any questions, please contact Claudia Coggeshall,
President ODCCW
Phone: 217-653-6716 Email: rccogg@adams.net



QUINCY CATHOLIC
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

QCES Foundation Faith in Our Future Campaign

This weekend marks the kickoff of our *Faith in Our Future* campaign, supporting our Catholic grade schools in Quincy. Your gifts provide tuition assistance for families in need and classroom grants for our dedicated teachers. In the coming days, parish families will receive a letter in the mail with more details and ways to give. Please take a moment to read it, pray about your participation, and help ensure every child who desires a Catholic education can receive one.



Online Giving

Below are the links:

<https://pushpay.com/g/stbrigidliberty>

<https://pushpay.com/g/stedwardmendon>

<https://pushpay.com/g/stjosephquincy>

It will walk you through setting up your giving account.



St. Brigid PSR

The 5th-8th Grade Classes at St Brigid packed shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child this week at PSR. The students donated items for the boxes and made Christmas cards to include in them.

ST. BRIGID – ST. EDWARD – ST. JOSEPH PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR)

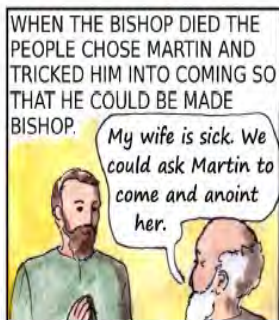


DATES TO KNOW

- . November 23—St. Joseph 3rd-8th Reconciliation
- . November 26—NO PSR—Edward & Brigid
- . November 30—NO PSR—Joseph & Edward
- . December 3—St. Brigid **Practice** for Program
- . December 7—St. Joseph **Practice** for Christmas Program
- . December 10—St. Brigid Christmas Program @ 6:30 p.m.
- . December 14—Joseph—Christmas Program after Mass
- . December 17—St. Edward (K– 4TH) Christmas Caroling
- . December 21—NO PSR— St. Edward
St. Edward Children’s Christmas Mass @ 10:30
- . December 24—NO PSR—Edward & Brigid
- . December 28—NO PSR—Edward & Joseph
- . December 31—NO PSR—Edward & Joseph

Saint Martin of Tours

November 11



SAINT MARTIN OF TOURS IS A GREAT EXAMPLE TO US OF BEING GENEROUS. FIRST HE GAVE HIS OWN CLOTHING TO A POOR BEGGAR. LATER HE GAVE HIS TIME TO GOD BY LIVING FOR HIM AND SERVING HIS PEOPLE. HOW CAN YOU BE GENEROUS WITH WHAT YOU HAVE? CAN YOU BE GENEROUS WITH YOUR TIME?

Birthday of the Church's Church!

Today is a rather unusual feast day. On most feast days we celebrate Our Lord or Our Lady or one of the saints. But today we celebrate the day that a church in Rome was started.

Did you know that every parish has a special feast day when it has its birthday or the feast day of its patron saint? The Saint John Lateran Basilica in Rome was dedicated to God, sort of like its birthday, on November 9. And because it is the Pope's main church- and all Catholics belong to his parish, we celebrate its birthday because it's our church too!




You might be wondering why we have a birthday for a building, though! Well, a church is not just an ordinary building. It is made specially for the worship of God in the Mass. A church is also a symbol of the mystical Body of Christ, which is the people who belong to His Church. Today is a good day to remember and celebrate that we are part of Jesus' Church and His family on earth!



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