

# Sacred Heart Catholic Parish

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<b>Weekend Mass Schedule</b> .....	Saturdays 5:30 pm; Sundays 9:00 am & 11:00 am
<b>Weekday Mass Schedule</b> .....	Tuesday through Friday 8:05 am
<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b> .....	(by appointment) Fridays 8:40 am and Saturdays 4:30 pm
<b>Wednesday Faith &amp; Family Night</b>	
(CGS, Youth, RCIA / all adults) .....	Dinner - 6:00 pm; Class 6:30 - 8:00 pm

## Weddings

Begin your wedding preparation with a minimum of 6 months (preferably 1 year) prior to your wedding date with a meeting with your pastor

## Baptisms

Baptisms are usually celebrated after weekend Masses.

Baptismal Preparation classes are offered by Pastor through appointment

Preregister by calling (785) 242-2174

## New Parishioners

Welcome to Sacred Heart Parish Community! Get involved and begin meeting your fellow parishioners. Start with a phone call to the Parish Office.

Parish Office .....	(785) 242-2174
Pastor's Office Phone Number .....	(785) 915-1508
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Carmelita Sieg (Parish Secretary) .....	office@shottawa.org
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Sacred Heart School Office .....	(785) 242-4297
Patrick Greer (Principal) .....	principal@shottawa.org
Shayla Siebenthall (School Secretary) .....	school@shottawa.org

**FEB. 22 – FEB. 23, 2025**

MONDAY, Feb. 24, 2025

NO MASS

TUESDAY, Feb. 25, 2025

8:05 AM MASS

+ Beverly Turner (Aunt)  
by: Elaine & Robert Covin  
(rescheduled)

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 26, 2025

8:05 AM MASS

+ Ron Myers  
by: Angie & Tim Larson  
(rescheduled)

THURSDAY, Feb. 27, 2025

8:05 AM MASS

+ Michael Kendrick  
by: Angela & Charles Gurule

**ADORATION IN THE CHAPEL**

8:40 AM to 8:00 PM

FRIDAY, Feb. 28, 2025

8:05 AM MASS

+ Rupert Miller (Uncle)  
by: Eileen Bowling

SATURDAY, Mar. 1, 2025

First Saturday Mass – 8:05 am

+ Leila Mae Santarpia  
by: Don & Carol Fischer

4:40 PM – Confession/ 5:30 PM MASS

+ John Madrid  
by: Aracely, Brianna, & Isabella

SUNDAY, Mar. 2, 2025

9:00 AM MASS

For the People of the Parish

**CONFESSION: 10:00 AM**

SUNDAY, Mar. 2, 2025

11:00 AM MASS

+ Lee Crane by: the Altar Society

CHURCH CLEANING ANGELS

SUSAN & KIRBY SOPH/ ANGIE WALKER

**LITURGICAL ROLES**

SAT., Mar. 1, 2025 – 5:30 PM MASS

Gifts: Rob & Suzy Hedrick Family  
Ushers: George & Weng Mendez /  
Charles Patry

Servers: Owen & Finley Wirth  
Eucharistic Minister: Angie Cameron  
Lectors: Dustin Wirth/ Shannen Freeman  
Sacristan: Debbie Blakeley

SUN., Mar. 2, 2025 – 9:00 AM MASS

Gifts: Michael & Michelle Stephan  
Ushers: Steve & Dawn Bones/ Rosemary Pratt  
John Golden

Servers: Gibson Sayler / Eve Slocum  
Eucharistic Minister: Maureen Downing  
Music: Becky Shrimplin  
Lector: Dave Hornung  
Sacristan: Elizabeth Lowderman  
Rosary Leader: Rosemary Pratt

SUN., Mar. 2, 2025 - 11:00 AM MASS

Gifts: Lisa Snow / Rachel Nelson  
Ushers: Jim & Sherry Huschka / Carol Finch  
Eucharistic Minister: Brenda Pfizenmaier  
Music: Praise Band  
Lectors: Alex & Steve Boetel  
Sacristan: Stephanie Orr

ASH WED., Mar. 5, 2025 - 6:00 PM MASS

Gifts: Dan & Michelle Gast  
Ushers: Joe White/ Joan Hazelton/ Carol Finch  
Servers: Lilli & Haiden Moll  
Eucharistic Minister: Dan Gast  
Lectors: Blake Jorgensen/ Caroline Hooper  
Sacristan: Kelly Jorgensen  
Rosary Leader: David Moll  
Ashes Distribution: Dan Gast

FINANCIAL CORNER – Offertory: Feb. 15-16  
(WILL BE AVAILABLE IN NEXT WEEKEND'S  
BULLETIN)

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**ALTAR SOCIETY'S GRAB & GO SNACK DRIVE**

The Altar Society's annual "Grab & Go" snack drive, benefitting the OHS & OMS Sparkwheel program, is now underway through to Spring Break. Please help fill the baskets at each entrance with individually packaged healthy snacks. The schools go through almost 100 items/day and there is always a great need. Contact any Altar Society officer if you have any questions - Betty Birzer, Maureen Downing, Stephanie Orr, Teresa McClay. Thank you, in advance, for your help.

**March 2** - Hospitality Sunday, after both Masses

**March 11** - dinner/meeting at PrimeTime Grille, 5:30pm

**March 20-22** - Rummage Sale

**April 4** - Fast Food Friday hosted by Altar Society, baked potato bar

At our most recent meeting, we approved the 2025 Altar Society budget. If you would like a copy, please contact Betty Birzer.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**Fast Food Friday on 3/07/25:** Fried catfish, fries and coleslaw.

*To love your enemies, to do good  
to those who hate you  
This is what it means to be a  
follower of CHRIST*

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**ENCOUNTER CITY-WIDE HEALING SERVICES**

Are you in need of prayer for physical healing - chronic conditions, broken bones, pain, cancer? Encounter School of Ministry is hosting two upcoming healing services. We have an expectation and faith for Jesus to work physical healing miracles on these nights. The night will consist of a time of worship, gospel presentation on healing, corporate prayer for healing, and individual prayer for healing. We encourage anyone in need of physical healing to come as well as anyone wanting to encounter manifestations of God's presence. This is an open event - no cost or registration. Jesus still heals today and desires to demonstrate the truth of the Gospel through healing.

**March 30** - St. Pius X Catholic Church in Mission, KS at 2pm

**June 8** - St. Patrick Catholic Church in Kansas City, KS at 6pm

**NEW MINISTRY & SUPPORT GROUP**

**RESOURCE APP** - This Jubilee Year, we are all called to be "Pilgrims of Hope," reflecting the love of Jesus through concrete acts of love and mercy for others. Check out this new listing of Archdiocesan and parish-based ministries and support groups for your own healing journey or as you encounter the wounds of others. Download the Archdiocesan "Catholic Spirit App" on Google Play or the Apple App Store today to access the list of ministries as well as many other useful resources to keep you connected on your faith journey.

**IGNITE FOR LIFE SPEAKER VIDEO** - Recordings are Now Available! Thank you to over 2,000 Catholics from across Kansas that attended IGNITE for Life 2025 and the Kansas March for Life this past January! The theme was "On Mission for Life" and the three IGNITE speakers, including keynote Leah Darrow, are on mission for life but in different ways, bringing the Gospel of Life message to the world through their life stories and how they live their lives. **SAVE the DATE** for IGNITE for Life 2026. Visit [archkck.org/ignite](http://archkck.org/ignite) to view the recording of each speech

## CHURCH IN CENTRAL & EASTERN EUROPE

Next week we will take up this collection. It supports the Church in more than 25 countries that are still struggling to recover from former communist rule. It also aids communities throughout the region that are affected by the war in Ukraine. Funds support pastoral care, catechesis, renovations, and seminary formation. Your contribution restores the Church and builds the future in this region. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection next week. You can find more information at [www.usccb.org/ccee](http://www.usccb.org/ccee). **#GiveCatholicTogether** also accepts funds for this collection if you prefer to donate online.

## ARCHBISHOP'S CALL TO SHARE

"Thank you to all those who responded generously by making a commitment to the Archbishop's Call to Share, helping our parish work toward its goal and joining with all other parishes in our Archdiocese to provide resources for vital ministries. Please take a moment to fill out a commitment envelope (located at the Church entrance), place it in the collection basket or hand it to an usher after Mass. If you would like to make a gift online, you can take out your phone and scan the QR code on the form. If you are making a gift online, you do not need to fill out the commitment card. On the back side of the envelope, please fill out the donor information section. Your phone number and email address are very helpful in ensuring that the gift is credited to the correct person." If you have already made a gift this year, thank you!

**NOTE: Please only use the envelopes you received from us this year as our processing office has changed. Using the older envelopes will result in a delay in gifts being processed or your reports being updated.**

## ACTS Goal Participation 2025

Sacred Heart Church, Ottawa

ACTS Goal 35,000.00

Participation Goal 35%

# Donors Goal 113

## FIRST FRIDAY - FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONALS JUBILEE YEAR 2025

*The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph began the ordinary Jubilee year on Saturday, Dec. 28 with the Opening of the Holy Door at Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Kansas City, MO. The theme for this holy year is Pilgrims of Hope, meaning hope does not disappoint ....Romans 5:5.*

*Every Jubilee entails that Pilgrimage is a journey quest for meaning in life. There will be many opportunities to participate in your own pilgrimages and devotions with opportunities for mercy in our Archdiocese and around the world.*

## Devotions at SHC

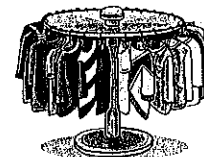
*First Saturday: March 1 at 8:05 am*

*First Friday: March 7 at 8:05 am*

*7<sup>th</sup> Sacred Heart of Jesus Devotional Promise  
Tepid souls shall grow fervent.*

*Fr. Clem will be enrolling in the Brown Scapular on First Saturday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, and he will also be blessing sacramentals.*

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE CHURCH RUMMAGE SALE



**MARCH 15-22, 2025**

Setup: Saturday March 15: 9:00 AM-noon  
Donations accepted: Sunday, March 16: Noon-4:00  
Monday March 17: 8:30-6:00  
Tuesday March 18: 8:30-6:00  
Wednesday March 19: 8:30-Noon

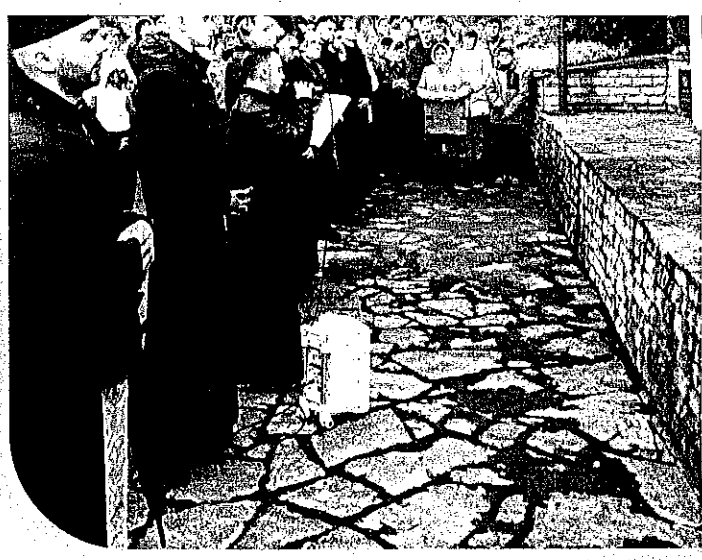
Due to liability, we will not be accepting baby car seats. We will not accept mattresses, metal bed frames, and entertainment centers (where we take unsold items does not accept these items so we cannot either).

Sorting, organizing tables, and pricing will be done Monday and Wednesday 8:30-6:00. Tuesday 8:30-7:00PM

Tear down: Saturday, March 22: noon-2:00

All help is greatly appreciated for setting up, sorting and organizing tables, and pricing prior to the sale. working the sale, tear down, and providing food for the workers during the week. Sign Up Genius information will be provided soon or call Teresa McClay, 785-418-0301 to volunteer.

If you need items picked up from your home on Sunday March 16 please call Teresa McClay, 785-418-0301



# RESTORE THE CHURCH BUILD THE FUTURE

Decades ago, the bishops of the United States established a program to aid the Church in Central and Eastern Europe and help it rebuild after decades of communist oppression. The program is funded by an annual collection taken up in dioceses across the United States. That response continues today, even as the rebuilding Church faces the new challenges of war and the mass migration of refugees.

From the beginning of the Russian Federation's invasion of Ukraine in February 2022 and the subsequent war, the Catholic Church has vigorously responded to the ongoing humanitarian catastrophe by offering shelter, food, medicine, and necessities—as well as spiritual support and comfort—to displaced persons and other war victims. Among those leading this charitable response are the consecrated religious sisters and brothers of the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church. Whether by providing shelter and basic necessities to internally displaced persons who have fled their homes for safety in other regions of the country, or by helping priests provide pastoral and humanitarian support in areas where the fighting is most heavy, these sisters and brothers have truly showed Christ's mercy to those most in need.

For them, the human suffering of war is compounded by the unique challenges that wartime conditions present for them as consecrated religious. Questions of how religious communities balance ministry to the needy with the sisters and brothers' needs to live their vows of prayer and community under such extraordinary circumstances require thoughtful responses.

Aided by funding from the collection, the Patriarchal Curia of the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church gathered sisters, brothers, and their superiors for the spiritual renewal of a pilgrimage as well as formation sessions to address the challenges facing their communities. Your support for the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe is a vital way for you to make a tangible difference in the lives of Catholics in Ukraine and more than 25 other countries in Central and Eastern Europe.

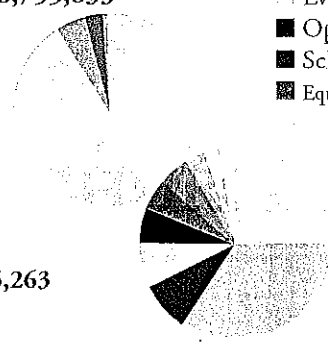
More information about the collection and the range of projects it supports can be found at [www.usccb.org/ccee](http://www.usccb.org/ccee).

## 2023 DISTRIBUTION OF GRANTS

**Total Number of Grants Approved: 329**  
**Total Amount Approved: \$8,755,833**

### EXPENSES

Grants and Donations	90.60%
Program Costs	5.19%
Promotions and Fundraising Expenses	3.23%
Administrative Expenses	0.97%
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$9,665,263</b>



PROGRAM AREA	GRANTS	AMOUNT	PERCENT
Construction	60	\$2,201,384	25.14%
Emergency*	7	\$1,890,000	21.59%
Evangelization	82	\$1,346,352	15.38%
Operational Support	31	\$720,215	8.23%
Scholarships	67	\$573,407	6.55%
Equipment/Accommodation Purchase	12	\$473,431	5.41%
Seminary Support	17	\$428,538	4.89%
Social Aid	20	\$383,579	4.38%
Education	11	\$282,916	3.23%
Vehicle Purchase	9	\$235,889	2.69%
Multimedia	13	\$220,122	2.51%

\*Includes grants for urgent humanitarian and pastoral responses to the crisis in Ukraine.



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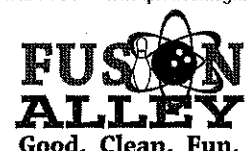
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