



# SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

JANUARY 18, 2026

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



## MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday Vigil**

4:30 PM

**Sunday Mass**

10:00 AM

**Weekday Masses\***

Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays

11:00 AM

\*Preceded by the Rosary at 10:40 AM

## CONFESSION TIMES

**Saturdays**

3:30 PM to 4:15 PM

Father Mike is also available for confessions via appointment.

If you are in need of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, please contact Father Mike or the Parish Office.

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(Monday - Thursday: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM)

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## Readings for Third Sunday in Ordinary Time\*

January 25, 2026

### First Reading

Isaiah 8:23—9:3

### Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 27:1, 4, 13-14

### Second Reading

1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17

### Gospel

Matthew 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

### **\*Wednesday Bible Study at 11:45 AM**

led by Mary Merrick

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## **PARISH PRAYER LIST**

Raemarie Arrigotti, Gloria Bigej, Kim Crittelli, Ron Etzel (Bev Parscale's brother), Nancy Fiorante, Mike Hanslits, Sally Hanslits, Sue Unfred Hays (Helen Unfred's daughter), Michele Heckenberger, Joe Hennesey, Joe and Jake Hoffart, Pam Hren, RuthAnn Kessler, Harold LeBlanc (friend of the Middendorff's), Jen Lanning (Ron's daughter-in-law), Steven O'Neal, Julie Oster (Jeanne Thomas' sister), Jackie Paramorem, Paul Rager, Allan Raschio, Bill Rose, Conor Ryan, Angela Schmitz (friend of the Millers), Todd Small (Bev Parscale's cousin), Debbie Smeraglio, Michael Tanda (Judy Caruso's relative), Michelle Whiteaker, Jim Wieland, Ron Zaraza, Kory Zimmerman, Elaine Fandrem (Lisa Hodge's mother), Cynthia Birch, Jack West, Joe West and Family (Joanna West), Tom Morgan, Judith Yocom (friend of Carol Middendorff), Bernita Schoenheit

## **PARISH NEWS & ACTIVITIES**

- ✧ The baskets with the tags for Prayer Partners are located at the back of the church. Please take a tag and become a Prayer Partner! Pray for the individual(s) throughout the year, send them cards, and/or do other acts of kindness to let the individual(s) know that they are being held up in prayer. Most people do this anonymously and reveal the following year that they were the individual's Prayer Partner. Let us unite in prayer for one another.
- ✧ The 2026 Catholic Extension Society Calendars for Sacred Heart Catholic Church are here! Please only take one calendar per family. That way, each household will get a calendar. Thank you!

## FROM THE PASTOR

Rev. Michael Kueber, Brotherhood of the People of Praise

The world has gone crazy! My country has gone crazy! As you listen to the news or watch television, you may feel like things are moving too fast and are out of control. There is so much confusion, division and violence. What are we to do?

Keep close to Christ, his mother Mary and the holy Father, Pope Leo XIV. Stay close to Christ by praying and reading the Bible, attending mass and loving your neighbor. Stay close to Mary by praying the rosary and inviting her to take care of you and your loved ones.

Stay close to the Holy Father by reading his addresses. Here he spoke on society and the human person. He spoke on the Anniversary of Centesimus Annus, an encyclical from Saint John Paul II. Here is the beginning of his address in which he speaks about a previous Pope, Pope Leo XIII, who is hailed as the founder of the Church's social doctrine, also called Catholic Social Teaching:

Pope Leo XIII, who lived in an age of momentous and disruptive change, sought to promote peace by encouraging social dialogue between capital and labor, technology and human intelligence, and different political cultures and nations. Pope Francis spoke of a "polycrisis" in describing the dramatic nature of our own age, marked by wars, climate change, growing inequalities, forced and contested migration, stigmatized poverty, disruptive technological innovations, job insecurity and precarious labor rights (*Message to Participants in the General Assembly of the Pontifical Academy for Life*, 3 March 2025). On such important issues, the Church's social doctrine is called to provide insights that facilitate dialogue between science and conscience, and thus make an essential contribution to better understanding, hope and peace.

This doctrine helps us to realize that more important than our problems or eventual solutions is the way we approach them, guided by criteria of discernment, sound ethical principles and openness to God's grace.

You have the opportunity to show that the Church's social doctrine, with its specific anthropological approach, seeks to encourage genuine engagement with social issues. It does not claim to possess a monopoly on truth, either in its analysis of problems or its proposal of concrete solutions. Where social questions are concerned, knowing how best to approach them is more important than providing immediate responses to why things happen or how to deal with them. The aim is to learn how to confront problems, for these are always different, since every generation is new, and faces new challenges, dreams and questions.

You can find the rest of his address at this link:

<https://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/264179/full-text-pope-leo-xiv-addresses-centesimus-annus-foundation-on-catholic-social-teaching>

Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. Mike

## MASS INTENTIONS

<p><b>Saturday, January 17, 2026</b> 4:30 PM</p>	<p><i>Offered for:</i> <b>Kathy Eisenzimmer</b> <i>From:</i> Carol Miner</p>
<p><b>Sunday, January 18, 2026</b> 10:00 AM</p>	<p><i>Offered for:</i> <b>Parishioners</b> <i>From:</i></p>
<p><b>Wednesday, January 21, 2026</b> 11:00 AM</p>	<p><i>Offered for:</i> <b>+Alice Rose</b> <i>From:</i> Bill Rose</p>
<p><b>Thursday, January 22, 2026</b> 11:00 AM</p>	<p><i>Offered for:</i> <i>From:</i></p>
<p><b>Friday, January 23, 2026</b> 11:00 AM</p>	<p><i>Offered for:</i> <i>From:</i></p>
<p><b>Saturday, January 24, 2026</b> 4:30 PM</p>	<p><i>Offered for:</i> <b>Parishioners</b> <i>From:</i></p>
<p><b>Sunday, January 25, 2026</b> 10:00 AM</p>	<p><i>Offered for:</i> <b>+Don Kolibaba</b> <i>From:</i> Carol Nieman</p>

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE (JANUARY 24/25, 2026)

MINISTRY	SATURDAY VIGIL 4:30 PM	SUNDAY MASS 10:00 AM
<b>Greeter</b>	Carol Miner Rosemarie French	Bryan Schmunk Cheryl Russo
<b>Usher</b>	John McNulty Hyginus Igwe	Liz Richard Joanne Hoffart
<b>Sacristan</b>	Walter Englert	Margaret Barilko
<b>Altar Server</b>	Anthony Rivelli	Clayton Stacey
<b>Lector</b>	Maria Ruckwardt	<b>First Reading:</b> Ana Maria Milburn McClellan <b>Second Reading;</b> <b>Prayers of the Faithful:</b> Barbara Hill
<b>Host Minister</b>	Char Parr	Amy Delegato
<b>Cup Minister</b>	Alicia Trenta Theresa Rivelli	Carol Middendorff Sylvia Kelner
<b>Coffee and Donuts Host</b>	N/A	Cydney Gordan Lee Mahoney