

# Sacred Heart Parish & St. Cecilia Parish

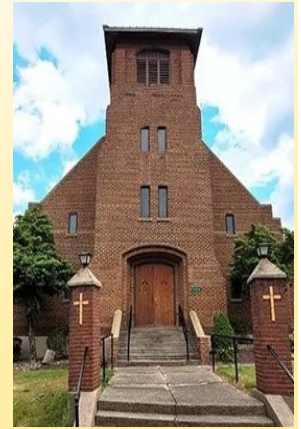
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**Parish Office & Mailing Address:**

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**Office Hours: Mon. thru Thurs., 8am to 3pm. Closed Fridays.**

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**Fr. James F. Podlesny, O.S.B., Pastor**

## Welcome!

We are happy you are here. We invite you to be a full, active participant in our community.  
*Let no one feel like a stranger here!*

### MASS TIMES:

Tues. & Thurs. Mass 8am at Sacred Heart;  
Wed. & Fri. Mass 8am at Saint Cecilia;  
Saturday 4:00pm at St Cecilia Church  
Saturday 6:00pm at Sacred Heart Church  
Sunday 8:00am at St Cecilia Church  
Sunday 10:30am at Sacred Heart Church

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# May 10, 2026

## Sixth Sunday of Easter



# 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Call Father anytime 724-423-3777.

Please Note: By law, Hospitals and Care Facilities are prevented from notifying us of admissions or status changes. Please contact the Office to request visits or Communion calls as soon as possible.

**Home visits are continuing for the Homebound.**

**CONFESSIONS:** ½ hour before Saturday & Sunday Mass or by appt.

**WEDDINGS:** Couples must meet with the pastor at least twelve months in advance of the planned marriage date.

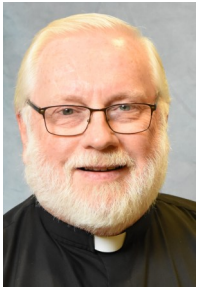
**BAPTISMS:** Call the pastor to schedule & prepare for Baptism.

Please Note: Certificates to be a Sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation can only be given to one who is a registered and practicing member of the Parish.

**FIRST COMMUNION or CONFIRMATION:** We have a 2 year Preparation Program, please contact Mary Stoner at 724-972-1472.

**REGISTRATION:** Every family should be registered at either Sacred Heart or at St. Cecilia Parish [one or the other]. Of course you can go to Mass at either parish. To register: call the office or see page 2.

# SACRED HEART & ST. CECILIA PARISHES



## From the Pastor

Mother's Day is the day we honor and thank the woman who gave us birth and nurtured us throughout our entire lives. At every moment, she is there to nurture, to educate, to console and to strengthen us.

On earth, Jesus was also a source of help and comfort to His disciples. He told His disciples He would ask His Father to send us the Holy Spirit, who would stay with us forever as our Counselor and Helper. *I will not leave you orphans.*

A counselor does not solve problems for people, but helps them grow stronger so they can solve their own problems. So, too, the Holy Spirit guides us. The Spirit is our Advocate who brings us safely through the challenges and adversities we face in this life to continue Jesus' saving work.

We do this by walking in His way of love. True love is more than sentiment or good intentions. True love led Jesus to give up His life for us. True love for God, true discipleship of Jesus, is expressed in our love. *Whoever has my commandments and observes them is the one who loves me.*

Our parish community is where we stay connected with Jesus in the sacraments, in the Word, and in each other. This should be our goal -- to meet Jesus and to help others to do the same -- so that we all get the help we need and may know we are not alone, abandoned, or orphaned, because the Risen Christ stands in our midst.

If we do this, Jesus solemnly promises us, *You will see me; and because I live, you also will live!*

*Fr Jim*



Scripture Readings for the Week of May 10, 2026	
Sixth Sunday of Easter	
	Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; 1 Pt 3:15-18; Jn 14:15-21
Monday	Acts 16:11-15; Jn 15:26—16:4a
Tuesday	Acts 16:22-34; Jn 16:5-11
Wednesday	Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Jn 16:12-15
The Ascension of the Lord	
	Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20
Friday	Acts 18:9-18; Jn 16:20-23
Saturday	Acts 18:23-28; Jn 16:23b-28
Sunday	Acts 1:12-14; 1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 17:1-11a



## SACRED HEART/ST. CECILIA CHURCH MEMBERSHIP FORM

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**SELECT YOUR PARISH:**  ST. CECILIA or  SACRED HEART

CHECK:  New Registration  Change of Address  Moving out of Parish  Want Envelopes

*Please drop Membership Form into offertory basket or mail to either parish office—addresses are on the front cover.*

# Consider Remembering Your Parish in Your Will

*St. Cecilia Sanctuary Candle*

In memory of **Andrew & Helen Rabic** by Marlene



## Mass Intentions

### LORD'S DAY MASSES - Sixth Sunday of Easter

#### Saturday, May 9

4:00PM(SC) St. Cecilia & Sacred Heart Parishioners

6:00PM(SH) † Richard & Luella Meyer by Sondra & Steve

#### Sunday, May 10

8:00AM(SC) † Christine Holsopple by Vasinko Family

10:30AM(SH) † Margaret Smith by Janet Bunch & Ed Butina

### WEEKDAY MASSES

#### Monday, May 11

No Mass

#### Tuesday, May 12 *Saints Nereus & Achilleus, Saint Pancras*

8:00AM(SH) † Irene Balazek by Sister-in-law, Loraine

#### Wednesday, May 13 *Our Lady of Fatima*

8:00AM(SC) † Bernie Benyak by Sue Musick

### The Ascension of the Lord

#### Wednesday, May 13 *Vigil Mass*

6:30PM(SC) † Andrew & Helen Rabic by Marlene

#### Thursday, May 14 *Ascension of the Lord*

8:00AM(SC) † Joseph Stas by Ray & Mary Helen Vasinko

5:15PM(SH) † Betty Marshall by Mary Butina

#### Friday, May 15 *Saint Isidore*

8:00AM(SC) † Vicki Glover by Tom & Julie Zoppetti

### LORD'S DAY MASSES - Seventh Sunday of Easter

#### Saturday, May 16

4:00PM(SC) † Chuck Dziak by Marlene Berg

6:00PM(SH) † Steve Shafran by Family

#### Sunday, May 17

8:00AM(SC) St. Cecilia & Sacred Heart Parishioners

10:30AM(SH) † Danny S. Slivko by Kathy Slivko & Family

2026

Monday Night **ROSARY 7:00pm** SC Church

### May

10 Faith Formation Classes, 9am -10:10am

13 "Month of Mary" ROSARY, 5:30pm SH Church

14 **Ascension Thursday, HOLY DAY**

**The Parish office will be closed on Thurs., May 14.**

15 200 CLUB Dinner & Basket Raffle, SC Hall

16 BURGER BASH, SC 11AM to 2PM

17 Catholic Communication collection, all Masses

17 Faith Formation Classes, 9am -10:10am

17 Adoration Hour, 9:00 to 10:00AM

St. Cecilia Church All are welcome!

19 Fr. Jim, Mass at Kadima Healthcare, 10:30am

20 "Month of Mary" ROSARY, 5:30pm SH Church

25 MEMORIAL DAY, Parish office closed

### EARLY BULLETIN DEADLINES:

Please have your articles in by **Mon., May 18 for the May 31 bulletin AND Thursday, May 21 for June 7 bulletin.**

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS May 16 - 17, 2026

#### LECTORS

4:00pm(SC) Cliff Ridilla

6:00pm(SH) Ann Repko

8:00am(SC) Kayla Ellis

10:30am(SH) Cindy Lou Fiorina



#### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4:00pm(SC) Mary Smith, Cliff Ridilla

6:00pm(SH) Jan Noel, Nancy Noel

8:00am(SC) Helen Carson, Whitney Liske

10:30am(SH) Lucille Knapczyk, Cindy Kaminski

#### ALTAR SERVERS

4:00pm(SC) Michael Leachman

8:00am(SC) Jeremy Zawelensky, Henry Liske

#### COLLECTION COUNTERS

(SC) Ken & Sandy Stas

(SH) Cindy Harr, Jan Noel

## Mass Intention / Sanctuary Candle Intention Form

You may request specific dates and times if they are available. Please place your form in the offertory basket (envelope marked Mass Intention / Sanctuary Candle) or at the Parish Office during office hours. All Mass Intention / Sanctuary Candle Intention must be in writing along with the \$10 Offering for each intention.

Mass Intention / Sanctuary Candle Offering: \_\_\_\_\_

Sanctuary Candle Intention for: \_\_\_\_\_ by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Mass Intention Requests must include Date requested: 1<sup>st</sup> Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ 3<sup>rd</sup> Choice: \_\_\_\_\_

Intention for: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # needed: \_\_\_\_\_

Offered by: \_\_\_\_\_ Church: SC [ ] or SH [ ]

## Given With Grateful Hearts

### SACRED HEART

Budgeted Weekly Offertory \$3,890

**May 3 Parish Collection \$3,599**

Catholic Accent \$46 Catholic Communications \$25

Good Friday/Holy Land \$50

**Thank You for your support of God's work  
in our Parishes each week!**

Your sacrificial gifts go a long way in helping us carry out our Mission to bring the Lord's Good News to Sacred Heart and Saint Cecilia.

Thank you for helping to build the Kingdom of God here on earth through His church by your prayers, your time, your talents and your financial support.

Please consider how just a one or two dollar increase per week from every family would help us meet our normal operating expenses.

Please take a moment to prayerfully reflect on your current giving; then, with trust in God, challenge yourself and your family to give more.

*May God bless you for your generosity!*

### The Diocesan Lenten Appeal (DLA) OUR PARISH MAINTENANCE & IMPROVEMENT CAMPAIGNS

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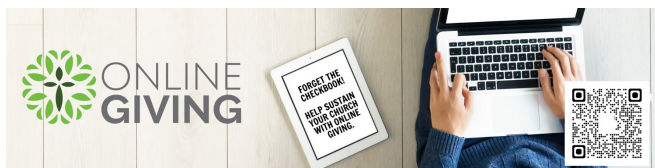
We have met our Goals for the Diocesan portion of the Lenten Appeal. **THANK YOU!**

**Sacred Heart 2026 TOTAL GOAL—\$59,856**

Diocese portion—\$24,856 Parish portion—\$35,000

**Received toward 2026 TOTAL GOAL—\$42,798**

**Thank you for your support!**



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### **SACRED HEART Prayer List**

Bernie Balko, William Charles, Verinia Clark, Ken Coup, Graham Davis, Rose Dominick, Blake Doyle, Desiree Doyle, Jennifer Dupilka, Don Eglhaut, Catherine Ennis, Henry James Farkas, Fr. Earl Henry, O.S.B., Joyce B. Gainey, Joseph Havilla, Ruth Henderson, Judy Janusek, Peggy Jasper, Edward C. Kelly, Margaret Kelly, Richard Carl Kintz, Brenda Knapczyk, Kristi Knapczyk, John Korzak, Ronna B. Layne, Cathy McMaster, Bernice Miedel, Richard A. Noel, Agnes Onusko, Renee Onusko, Nathan Overly, Andrea Playso, Roseann Playso, Henry Probst Sr., David Ridilla, Mary Ann Seaman, Rachelle Sherback, Scott Smith, Chuck Stahl, Emanuel Stynchula, Ethel Thomas, Lujean Wasnesky, Judy Wasnesky

Names in the **PRAYER LIST** can **ONLY** be Added at the request of immediate family members by contacting the Parish Office. Please let us know when a name can be removed.

### **MONTH OF MARY**

*The Rosary will be prayed to honor our Blessed Mother every Wednesday in May at 5:30pm, Sacred Heart Church. All are welcome.*



### **SACRED HEART**



**200 CLUB DINNER  
& Basket Raffle  
Friday, May 15**

**Doors open at 5:30pm**


**Dinner at 6:30pm**



**SAINT CECILIA Prayer List**

Vern Ashbaugh, Megan Carroll, Christina Courville, Hudson Donahue, Douglas Facemyer, Ron Fajt, Grace Gardner, Roger Gorley, Melinda Hawk, Lucas Haefner, Fr. Earl Henry, O.S.B., Russ & Mary Henry, Stacey Jarvis, Kasey Lanier, Theresa Loosley, Betty Marinchek, Virginia McCracken, Jim Milko, Hutch Morris, John Pasztor, Chuck Pope, Margaret Quinn, Francis Rolniak, Nancy Scekeres, Myron Severa, Ted Severa, Patty Spisak, Jeremiah Springer, Matthew Springer, Ron Stahl, Tricia Henry Sulek, Marie Talarovich, Ethel Thomas, Samantha Springer Thompson, Ronald Thompson, Elizabeth Verduo, Jessica Yasurek, Linda Williams, Walter Williams

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**To the BINGO CLUB Leadership Committee, and all Volunteers, as well as our patrons, donors of food and other assistance!**

**ALL of which helped us successfully provide this quality social and entertainment opportunity for people who enjoy the game of BINGO!**

**DON'T MISS our 1<sup>st</sup> 2026 SAINT CECILIA**

**BURGER BASH**  
**Saturday, May 16**  
**11AM to 2PM**



If you would like to assure the financial success of our St. Cecilia Burger Bashes, we would appreciate donations of the following items: Bottled Water; cubes of Diet Pepsi, Pepsi, Sierra Mist; and of course Cash Donations are always welcome! Donations can be dropped off at the Parish office or at the Saturday Burger Bash day.

**2026 Dates: June 13, July 18, August 15, September 19 & October 17**

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**SAINT CECILIA**

Budgeted Weekly Offertory \$4,803

**May 3 Parish Collection \$5,524**

Catholic Accent \$20

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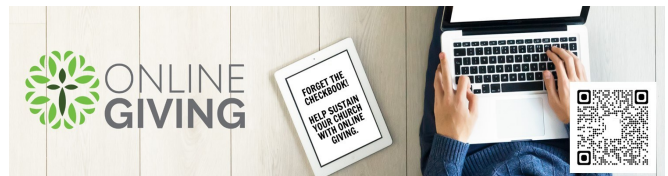
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**We have met our Goals for the Diocesan portion of the Lenten Appeal. THANK YOU!**

**Saint Cecilia 2026 TOTAL GOAL—\$73,460**  
 Diocese portion—\$30,141 Parish portion—\$43,319  
**Received toward 2026 TOTAL GOAL—\$42,655**

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The Sacrament of First Holy Communion enables our children to become one with God by receiving the Body and Blood-the Soul and Divinity-of Our Lord Christ Jesus through the Eucharistic Meal, which is the source and summit of our Catholic faith.

~We would like to **CONGRATULATE** our **First Holy Communion Sacramental Class**

**Sylvia Anderson Michael DePalma**  
**Greyson Ellis Finn Herrholtz Levi Liske**  
**Xarriah Nicholson Joseph Repko**

May every Communion be just as  
**BEAUTIFUL** as the first!!!



**ADORATION HOUR** Sunday, May 17  
 9:00 to 10:00AM St. Cecilia Church  
*All are welcome!*

Anyone that would be interested in being an  
 "ADORER" for Adoration. Contact Mary Stoner  
[mstoner@dioceseofgreensburg.org](mailto:mstoner@dioceseofgreensburg.org)

"ADORER" as a general term:

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**Sixth Sunday of Easter - May 10, 2026**

*"If you love Me, you will keep My  
 commandments." (John 14:15)*

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 priests pour out their lives for God's people. Could this be  
 your path to love others as Christ does? Talk to Fr. Jim or  
 reach out to Fr. Tyler Bandura, Vocations Director:  
[tbandura@dioceseofgreensburg.org](mailto:tbandura@dioceseofgreensburg.org).

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 bus trip to see *JOSHUA* on July 16.  
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 After 10:30am Mass  
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 David Ridilla at 724-640-6999. Thank you.**

**CONGRATULATIONS**

**To**

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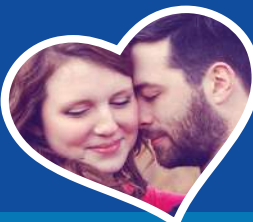
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