



26TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME | SEPTEMBER 28, 2025

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OUR PARISH MISSION: PUTTING HEARTS ON A COLLISION COURSE WITH THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS



**LAZARUS LIKEWISE
RECEIVED WHAT WAS BAD;**

**“BUT NOW HE IS
COMFORTED HERE”**

WEEKEND MASS

Sat: 4:30 PM
Sun: 8:00, 9:30,
11:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASS:

Mon - Fri: 6:30 & 8:05 AM
Sat: 8:05 AM

RECONCILIATION

Mon, Tues, Fri: 7 - 8 AM
Wed: 6-7 PM
Sat: 3-4 PM

PASTOR

Fr. Jaime Zarse

SACRAMENTAL ASST.

Fr. Dan Morris

ASSOCIATE PASTOR

Fr. Joseph Asante

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40 DAYS FOR LIFE



Come pray at the Center for Women's Health in Overland Park with 40 Days for Life. They have dates from September 24th – November 7th so you can choose when is convenient for you. Bring your rosary but signs are provided. Come pray at the Center for Womens Health in Overland.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BBQ



Join the Knights of Columbus on October 4th from 5:30 PM - 10:00 PM for an Amateur BBQ

Competition with Live Music and activities for the kids. Tickets are \$20/per adult - children in highschool and under are free with adult ticket purchase.



KFL LIFE CHAIN

The KFL Life Chain is October 5th 1:30 - 2:30 PM. SHOJ will meet at 95th and Bluejack in front of the Oak Park Public Library.



RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY

Join Archbishop Emeritus Naumann for Mass at Sacred Heart on October 5th at 9:30 AM where he will bless all those who help care for the most vulnerable. Reception to follow in MPC.

MARRIAGE SURVEY RESULTS



A Special Invitation for Married Couples of Sacred Heart
Thank you to everyone who took the time to complete our recent marital health survey (366 responses). Your feedback is helping us better understand and support marriages in our parish.

- 70% of couples have not yet attended a marriage enrichment opportunity.
- 19% of couples shared that their marriage could use extra support, and most of these couples have not yet participated in enrichment programs.

We know that taking time to invest in your marriage can make a meaningful difference. We warmly invite you to join the Marriage Course starting October 6 (scan the QR code to register)—a wonderful opportunity to grow closer, strengthen your bond, and nurture your relationship.

You can find the full Survey Results on our website.



LECTOR TRAINING



Are you interested in proclaiming the Word of the Lord? Join us for Lector Training on Sunday, October 12th at 12:30 in the Church.

MINISTER DINNER VOLUNTEERS



We're expanding our Food Ministry Team to help nourish both the bodies and souls of our students. We'll cover the cost of all ingredients. Responsibility include cooking, serving, and cleaning the tables. Not a fan of cooking but still want to help? You can also donate a catered meal! Reach out to Jen for any questions: jen.zans@shoj.org.



PRO-LIFE EVENTS



In October, the Catholic Church in the United States celebrates Respect Life Month. All across the Archdiocese, there will pro-life events.



WAR ON MEDIOCRITY

After exploring the corporal works of mercy in a recent episode, Fr. Zarse and Carson now turn to the spiritual works of mercy. They highlight how accessible they are, offer creative ways to live them out, and reflect on the fruit that comes from practicing them in everyday life.



Listen Here!

-MASS INTENTIONS-

Monday, September 29

6:30 - James "Bub" Finley +

8:05 - Melvin Bergman +

Tuesday, September 30

6:30 - Marcella Noble +

8:05 - George & Marge Marstall +

Wednesday, October 1

6:30 - Mary Scott Gordon +

8:05 - Sister Mary Delight of the Holy Trinity

Thursday, October 2

6:30 - Ted Gordon +

8:05 - Claudette Wieseler +

Friday, October 3

6:30 - Heidi Witherspoon

8:05 - Bob & Rose Marie Hoag +

Saturday, October 4

8:05 - Fallen away parishioners and the
reparation of sinners

4:30 - Cathy Long +

Sunday, October 5

8:00 - SHoJ Parishioners

9:30 - John Beggs +

11:00 - Allan Pickert +



MUSIC ON THE LAWN



Our first Music on the Lawn was electric! Hundreds came out as the Mikey Needleman Band kept the night rocking. It was just one of those nights that was so fun, so joyous, and so good to be together.

SUNDAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING:

Therefore, now they shall be the first to go into exile, and their wanton revelry shall be done away with.

(Amos 6:1a, 4-7)

PSALM:

Praise the Lord, my soul!

(Psalm 146)

SECOND READING:

But you, man of God, pursue righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience, and gentleness. Compete well for the faith.

(1 Timothy 6:11-16)

GOSPEL:

My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented.

(Luke 16:19-31)

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Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic School

2025-2026



Sacred Heart School loves to see its students become confident creators.

These students first came together in early September to establish their group dynamic and group norms for STEM time. This collaborative group tried their hands at engineering. We love to see the joy of curious learners who collaborate to solve problems.



WHY A PILGRIMAGE MATTERS



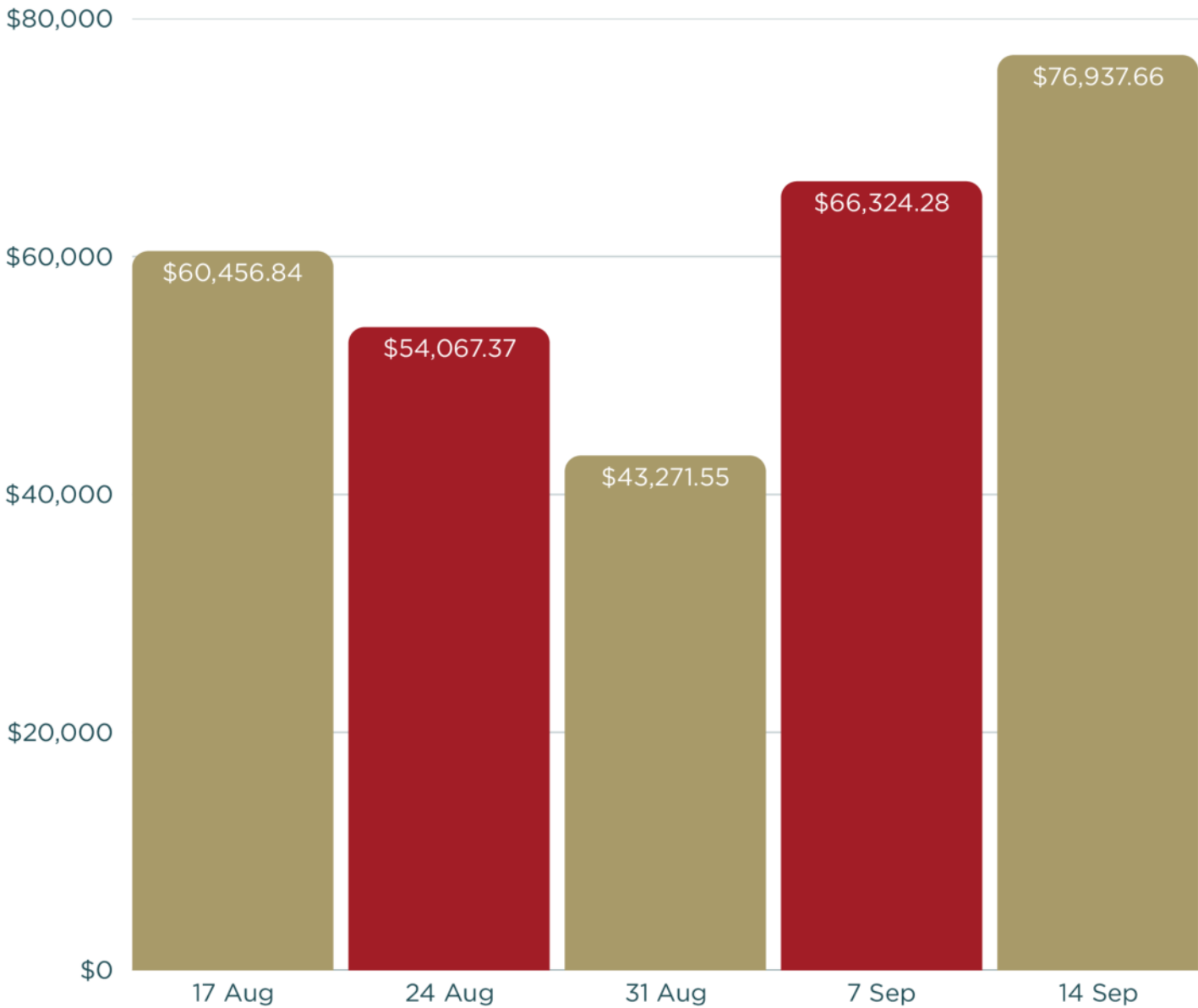
Fr. Zarse shares why the Jubilee Year is the perfect time to make a pilgrimage—big or small.

Financials

In Quarter 3 of 2025, we needed \$60,381.98 per week for our operating budget
We are at 83% of our quarterly need
We are averaging \$58,827.78 per week in Quarter 1 of 2025 (Fiscal Year)



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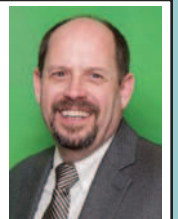
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