

# St. Stephen Catholic Church

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*Júníus - Juni - June 2018*

Parish Office Hours:  
Monday-Friday: 9:00am – 12:00pm & 1:00pm – 7:30pm  
Saturday : 9:00am – 12:00pm & 1:00pm – 3:30pm  
Sunday: 9:00am – 1:30pm

Parish Office is located at:  
St. Patrick Church  
1046 E. 34th St.  
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## Corpus Christi is Sunday June 3.

At the end of the German Mass (approximately 10:00-10:15) there will be a procession on the street in front of the church.

**The procession will begin right after Mass has ended, so please arrive early to be in place and ready to proceed.**

After the procession, lunch will be available, prepared by the St. Stephen Society.

All flower donations are welcome, and we especially **need lots of rose petals**, as well as baskets for the children to use. If you have flowers you wish to donate, please bring them early Sunday morning, well before the start of Mass.

### Please Note:

All children attending the Corpus Christi Mass who have received their First Communion this year will receive a gift from St. Stephen Church. The children can have received their First Communion at any church, not just St. Stephen, and are encouraged, but not required, to dress in their First Communion outfits.

Daily Mass readings and prayers in German may be found online at: <http://erzabtei-beuron.de/schott/index.php>

## June 10 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection – Retirement Fund for Archdiocesan Priests

We are truly blessed by the men who have given their lives in service to thousands of families as a priest. As life begins to change in their later years, so too do their needs.

Together we are invited to join and bless those who have blessed us by making a meaningful gift to the Priest Retirement Fund.

Have you ever wondered what happens to our priests after they retire from teaching, preaching, and serving on a regular basis? Where do they go? Who takes care of them? What do they need?

Like us, they desire rest and have needs for care and medical treatment as they grow older. Unlike most of us, though, their modest salaries were never meant to provide for them after many years of service.

Your gift to the Priest Retirement Fund is a meaningful investment and true blessing for the care and comfort of our spiritual fathers as they enter the later chapters in life.

They deserve nothing less.

Or give at: <https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=acc413>

Please contact Monika Mohos before or after Sunday Mass for any Mass intentions you would like to request. You may also contact her by phone at:

**(818) 846-2651**

or by email at:

**monikamohos@yahoo.com**

The bulletins are sent to the printing company at least one month in advance. Mass intentions received after the printing deadline may not appear in the bulletin, but are offered all the same.

**Parish Calendar for June 2018**

**June 3, Sunday – The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) – white**

9:15 AM - German Mass / Deutsche Messe

Barbara, Johann and Adam Quintus (all deceased)

Katl Mayer

Wendell Weiss (First anniv. of death)

Ron Weiss

**At the end of the German Mass (approximately 10:00 - 10:15) there will be a procession on the street in front of the church. The procession will begin right after Mass has ended, so please be in place and ready to proceed.**

Immediately Following the Procession:

Hungarian Mass / Magyar mise

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11:00 AM or after the procession - Lunch served by the St. Stephen Society

**June 10, Sunday – Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – green - 2nd Collection – Retirement Fund for Archdiocesan Priests**

9:15 AM - German Mass / Deutsche Messe

Maria Kolostori (deceased)

Maria Buhbe

Emma Zeigler (deceased)

St. Emmerich Verein

10:45 AM - Hungarian Mass / Magyar mise

Ferenc Máyer (deceased)

A friend

Jenő Ferenc Nagy (deceased)

Xénia Nagy

**June 17, Sunday – Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time – green**

9:15 AM - German Mass / Deutsche Messe

Sofie Haberstroh (deceased)

The Burmeister Family

Katharina “Kathi” Zeller (deceased)

St. Emmerich Verein

10:45 AM - Hungarian Mass / Magyar mise

István Prihisztál (deceased)

The Prihisztál Family

Ildikó Túri Vodnák (living)

The Vodnák Family

**June 24, Sunday – The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist – white**

9:15 AM - German Mass / Deutsche Messe

Georg and Sofie Haberstroh (deceased)

The Burmeister Family

10:45 AM - Hungarian Mass / Magyar mise

Mártha Gonda (living)

Her Faithful Friends

# The Sacred Heart of Jesus



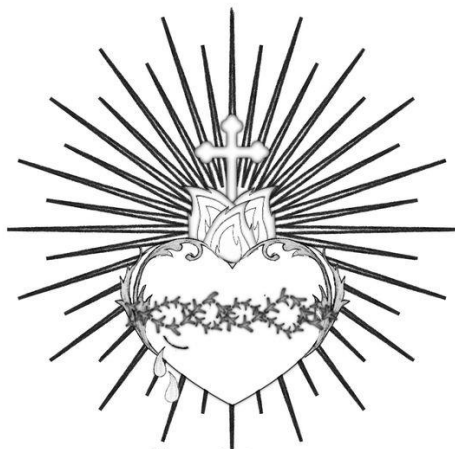
## The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

19 days after Pentecost (in 2018 - June 8)

The heart has always been seen as the "center" or essence a person ("the heart of the matter," "you are my heart," "take it to heart," etc.) and the wellspring of our emotional lives and love ("you break my heart," "my heart sings," etc.) Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus is devotion to Jesus Christ Himself, but in the particular ways of meditating on his interior life and on His threefold love -- His divine love, His burning love that fed His human will, and His sensible love that affects His interior life.

The Friday that follows the Second Sunday in Time after Pentecost is the Feast of the Sacred Heart which brings to mind all the attributes of His Divine Heart mentioned above. Many Catholics prepare for this Feast by beginning a Novena to the Sacred Heart on the Feast of Corpus Christi, which is the Thursday of the week before. On the Feast of the Sacred Heart itself, we can gain a plenary indulgence by making an Act of Reparation to the Sacred Heart.

From the earliest days of the Church, "Christ's open side and the mystery of blood and water were meditated upon, and the Church was beheld issuing from the side of Jesus, as Eve came forth from the side of Adam. It is in the eleventh and twelfth centuries that we find the first unmistakable indications of devotion to the Sacred Heart. Through the wound in the side, the wound in the Heart was gradually reached, and the wound in the Heart symbolized the wound of love."



OH MOST  
SACRED HEART OF JESUS  
HAVE MERCY ON US

This general devotion arose first in Benedictine and Cistercian monasteries of that time, especially in response to the devotion of St. Gertrude the Great, but specific devotions became popularized when St. Margaret Mary Alacoque (1647-1690), a Visitation nun, had a personal revelation involving a series of visions of Christ as she prayed before the Blessed Sacrament. She wrote, "He disclosed to me the marvels of his Love and the inexplicable secrets of his Sacred Heart." Christ emphasized to her His love -- and His woundedness caused by Man's indifference to this love.

He promised that, in response to those who consecrate themselves and make reparations to His Sacred Heart, that:

- ❖ He will give them all the graces necessary in their state of life.
- ❖ He will establish peace in their homes.
- ❖ He will comfort them in all their afflictions.
- ❖ He will be their secure refuge during life, and above all, in death.
- ❖ He will bestow abundant blessings upon all their undertakings.
- ❖ Sinners will find in His Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
- ❖ Lukewarm souls shall become fervent.
- ❖ Fervent souls shall quickly mount to high perfection.
- ❖ He will bless every place in which an image of His Heart is exposed and honored.
- ❖ He will give to priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
- ❖ Those who shall promote this devotion shall have their names written in His Heart.
- ❖ In the excessive mercy of His Heart that His all-powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the First Fridays in nine consecutive months the grace of final perseverance; they shall not die in His disgrace, nor without receiving their sacraments. His divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.