

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT SUNDAY, APRIL 2, 2017



CHURCH AND GIFT SHOP

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MON.-FRI. 8:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M.

MASS AT ST. PAUL

SUNDAY, 10 A.M., 12:30 P.M., 5 P.M.

SPANISH MASS 1ST SUNDAY EACH MONTH; 12:30P.M.

MISA EN ESPAÑOL PRIMER DOMINGO DEL MES; 12:30P.M.

RECONCILIATION AT ST. PAUL (FRIDAY, 5 - 5:20 P.M.)

WEEKDAYS AND HOLY DAYS:

AS SCHEDULED IN THE WEEKLY BULLETIN

MASS AT HOLY FAMILY, GAS CITY

SATURDAY, 5 P.M.

SUNDAY, 8:00 A.M.

RECONCILIATION AT HOLY FAMILY (SATURDAY, 4:15 - 4:45 P.M.)

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: CALL PARISH OFFICE FOR DETAILS.
PARENT PREPARATION SESSION REQUIRED.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: CONTACT PRIEST AT LEAST SIX MONTHS IN
ADVANCE OF THE DESIRED WEDDING DATE.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS: ADULTS INTERESTED IN
INQUIRING INTO THE CATHOLIC FAITH, PLEASE CALL
PARISH OFFICE FOR DETAILS.

QUINCEAÑERA CELEBRATIONS (15 YR. OLD) ARRANGEMENTS SHOULD BE
MADE AT LEAST SIX MONTHS IN ADVANCE. PARISH GUIDELINES ARE
REQUIRED. CALL DEACON DOMINGO CASTILLO
765-662-6078 FOR APPOINTMENT.

PARISHIONERS WHO CHOOSE TO HOMESCHOOL
FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEED APPROVAL
FROM THE PASTOR FOR SACRAMENTAL
PREPARATION.

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

PRE - 6TH GRADE

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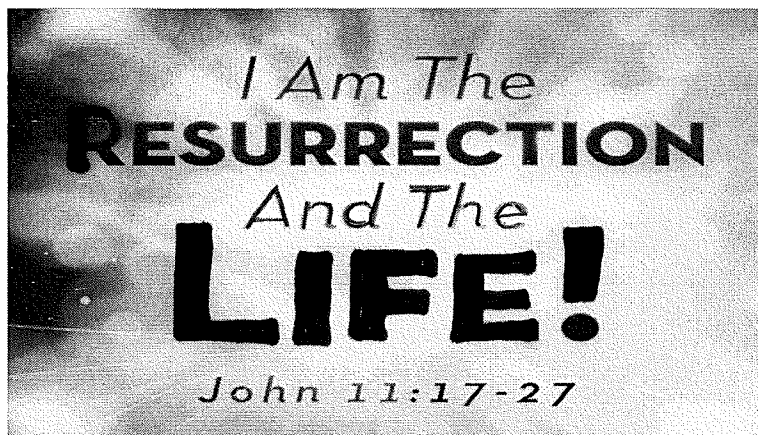
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Except school holidays and summer break

BULLETIN DEADLINE:
BY TUESDAY NOON

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, Apr. 2	10:00am	Edna May Johnston
	12:30pm	Robert Sturm (Misa en Español)
	5:00pm	For the Parish
Monday, Apr. 3	8:45am	Cornell Bailey
	8:45am	Beverly Kinch
Tuesday, Apr. 4	8:45am	George Harvey Fries (All School)
Wednesday, Apr. 5	8:00am	Communion Service
Thursday, Apr. 6	5:30pm	Robert A. Wiesler
Friday, Apr. 7	10:00am	For the Parish
	12:30pm	Mildred Edlen & Della Marie Edlen
	5:00pm	Mary Heaton (Special int.)

SCRIPTURE READINGS WITHIN THE FIFTH WEEK OF LENT

Monday, Apr. 3— Lenten Weekday

Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62/Jn 8:1-11

Tuesday, Apr. 4— Lenten Weekday

Nm 21:4-9/Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday, Apr. 5— Lenten Weekday

Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Jn 8:31-42

Thursday, Apr. 6— Lenten Weekday

Gn 17:3-9/Jn 8:51-59

Friday, Apr. 7— Lenten Weekday

Jer 20:10-13/Jn 10:31-42

Saturday, Apr. 8— Lenten Weekday

Ez 37:21-28/Jn 11:45-56

Sunday, Apr. 9— Palm Sunday Of The Passion Of The Lord

Mt 21:1-11/Ls 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11/Mt 26:14—27:66

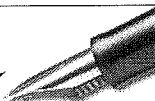
Mission Statement

The members of St. Paul Parish are gathered by the Holy Spirit to worship God in word, action and sacrament and to serve Jesus Christ by serving others, especially the poor and needy. We are committed to handing on the faith we have received from the Apostles to our children and others.

Nuestra misión

Los miembros de la Parroquia de San Pablo, estamos aquí reunidos, por el Espíritu santo, para glorificar a Dios, de palabra, acción y sacramento, para servir, a Jesucristo, sirviendo a los demás, especialmente a los pobres y necesitados. Estamos dedicados a compartir, con los niños y los demás, la fe que hemos recibido de los Apóstoles.

From the Pastor



Dear Parishioners,

Included with this bulletin today is an insert about Holy Week. In this space I want to make a few additional comments about those most holy days. First, the Easter Vigil is to begin and end in darkness. This is the reason there are signs by the votive candles requesting that they not be lit. Second, the Vigil Mass will take place at St. Paul and there will not be Saturday evening Mass at Holy Family. The only Mass at Holy Family for Easter will be at 8A.M. Also there will not be a Sunday evening Mass at St. Paul. Third, there will not be confessions scheduled during the Triduum. However, it might be possible to schedule a confession by telephoning me. Fourth, there is no Mass scheduled for Wednesday morning of Holy Week, April 12. The reason for this is that I need to attend the Chrism Mass in Lafayette on Tuesday evening. I have decided to stay in Lafayette overnight rather than return here immediately following the Chrism Mass.

Fr. Richard Weisenberger

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017

Offertory Income Report 3/19/17

Total Income needed to meet weekly operating expenses	\$	12,518.00
Offertory Income received this week	\$	7,734.93
Other Income received this week	\$	905.00
Offertory Income received year to date	\$	429,941.61
Other Income received year to date	\$	59,695.52
Total income needed year to date	\$	475,684.00
Amount over (under) operating expenses	\$	13,953.13

Offertory Income Report 3/26/17

Total Income needed to meet weekly operating expenses	\$	12,518.00
Offertory Income received this week	\$	10,905.15
Other Income received this week	\$	62.25
Offertory Income received year to date	\$	440,846.76
Other Income received year to date	\$	59,757.77
Total income needed year to date	\$	488,202.00
Amount over (under) operating expenses	\$	12,402.53

- 03/19/17 \$386.75, 5% of our Offertory Income was given to Gilead Ministries.
- 03/26/17 Collection for the Catholic Relief Services
- 04/02/17 Collection for the St. Martin Center
- 04/09/17 5% of our Offertory Income—Bridges to Health
- 04/16/17 5% of our Offertory Income—Pregnancy Help Center
- 04/23/17 5% of our Offertory Income—Cancer Services of Grant County
- 04/30/17 5% of our Offertory Income—First Light
- 05/07/17 Collection for the St. Martin Center
- 05/14/17 5% of our Offertory Income—Meals on Wheels

Liturgical Ministers for Palm Sunday April 9, 2017

Time	Ministers of Communion	Readers	Altar Servers
10:00 AM	S. Krevda	BC R. Esparza	L. Waters
	J. Roper	PB A. Rawlings	M. Waters
	M. Roper	PB	G. Scher
	B. Krevda	PB	
12:30 PM	M. Rangel	BC M. Frecker	T. Gary
	P. Rangel	PB M. Aguilar	M. Marin
	J. Rodriguez	PB	
	C. W. Esparza	PB	
5:00 PM	L. Day	BC C. Leon	K. Fairbanks
	B. Weirich	PB D. Dailey	K. Fairbanks
	M. Weirich	PB	
	A. Karlin	PB	

Sunday Greeters in April 2017

10:00 A.M. J. Breen, R. Clawson, J. Mucenski
12:30 P.M. E. Crawford, C. Small, K. Kidwell
5:00 P.M. J. Zoch, A. Karlin, J. Macy

Parish Staff Directory: 664-6345

Pastor.....Rev. Richard Weisenberger - ext.107
Business Manager.....Karen Browder - ext.108
Secretary.....Maria Esparza - ext.104
Liturgical/Music Director.....Carla Tucker - ext.119
Development Director.....Kelly Scher - ext.110
Maintenance.....Nathan Huff - ext.102
Dir. Religious Education.....Nora Reynolds - ext.117

BE A PRAYER WARRIOR; WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE PART OF THE PARISH PRAYER CHAIN AND PRAY FOR THOSE WHO REQUEST PRAYERS?



CALL SANDY LEIGHTY, 664-6492, OR NORA REYNOLDS, 662-2883, AND ENLIST IN THIS POWERFUL PRAYER MINISTRY.

DON'T DO IT

THE HYMNALS ARE PLACED IN THE PEWS.
PLEASE DO NOT TRY TO INSERT THE FRONT COVERS OF THE BOOK INTO THE LEFT POCKET. DOING SO BREAKS THE BINDING OF THE BOOK; OFTEN DAMAGES COVER AND/OR SEVERAL PAGES; AND RIPS THE PLASTIC POCKET.

NO FLOWERS DURING LENT

If you would like to purchase flowers in memory of a loved one, please call the parish office.

The cost is \$23.00

Dates Available: May 7, 21, 28

OUR LENTEN COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICES WILL BE ON THURSDAY, APRIL 6. THE ONE AT ST. PAUL WILL BE AT 2P.M. AND THE SERVICE AT HOLY FAMILY WILL BE AT 6:30P.M. EVERYONE IS ENCOURAGED TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS OPPORTUNITY TO CONFESS OUR SINS AND CELEBRATE GOD'S MERCY.

NUESTROS SERVICIOS DE PENITENCIA COMUNAL CUAR-ESMAL SERÁN EL JUEVES, 6 DE ABRIL. EL DE SAN PABLO SERÁ A LAS 2P.M. Y EL SERVICIO EN HOLY FAMILY SERÁ A LAS 6:30 PM. SE ANIMA A TODOS A APROVECHAR ESTA OPORTUNIDAD PARA CONFESAR NUESTROS PECADOS Y CELEBRAR LA MISERICORDIA DE DIOS.

Applications for the following scholarships are available in the parish and school offices Monday - Friday 8:00 A.M.—4:00 P.M:

- St. Paul Parish Renewable Scholarship
 - Knights of Columbus Scholarship
- Christopher Warner Memorial Scholarship
 - Diocesan Leadership Scholarship
- NorthCentral Indiana Hispanic Scholarship

The local scholarships are available on our website, they're via pdf and the diocesan ones are linked to their website where electronic copies are available.

- Please note the deadlines on each individual scholarship application

READERS MEETING

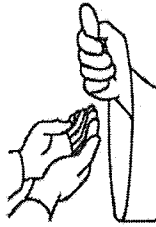
The next formation session for all Readers will be **This Sunday, April 23, 2017 at 3 P.M.** **St. Hannah's Room.**

These sessions are especially designed for Readers, Catechists for Liturgy of the Word with Children and RCIA Catechists. Readers bring your workbooks. All parishioners are welcome.

"7 Secrets of Confession"

Now in the Church Library for all to read. "As a convert it has been one of the most inspiring books that I have read. I realized that I can't earn God's Love, I always have it. But I can reject His love, that's sin. Confession removes that sin. Vinny Flynn addresses the most misunderstood Sacrament of the Church and after reading it, I just couldn't wait to go to Confession." Give it a try this Lenten Season.

Communion of the Sick and Homebound



If you or anyone in your family is sick or advanced in age and subsequently unable to attend Mass regularly and would like Holy Communion brought to them at home, please contact the Parish Office.

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ALL YOU CAN EAT
Pancake Breakfast
April 9th

from 8 A.M. to Noon

in the school cafeteria.

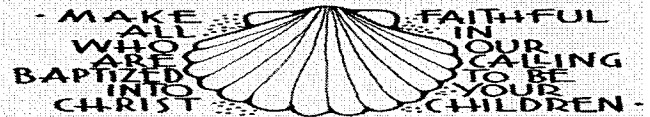
\$4 per person, \$12 per family,
Tamales \$1 extra when available.

BAPTISM

We welcome into the Body of Christ

Josefina Esmeralda Aguilar daughter of Jose Aguilar and Megan Johnson Aguilar who was baptized on March 17, 2017

Efrain Morales Hernandez son of Jesus Morales Robles and Maria Emilia Hernandez Ortiz who was baptized on March 26, 2017



TOUR OF HOMES UPDATE : We are so excited to report that we have an anonymous donor who is helping us complete the flooring at McCarthy. This is being scheduled and hopefully completed soon. We also had two donors who purchased a new entrance light. McCarthy Hall has seen a tremendous listing of improvements during the past year thanks to the help of donors and parishioners. What a blessing! Please continue to support the Tour of Homes and we totally wish to thank all the committee members for their dedication and hard work. We are always looking for committee members. Would you like to join us? Contact Carol at 765-661-6188.

SPONSOR FOR THIS WEEK'S BULLETIN:
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Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament
in April, 2017

**All Night Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament
Fri. April 7, and Sat. April 8, 2017**

Following 5:30 P.M. Mass
Evening Prayer (Vespers), 7:30 P.M. Fri.
Benediction at noon Sat.
Please sign up for a time slot from
8 P.M. Fri. until 12 P.M. Sat.
Sign-up sheet is on the wall at the
East entrance of the church.

Una sesión de información acerca de la Escuela Parroquial de San Pablo se llevará a cabo el domingo, 2 de abril, en McCarthy Hall después de la misa de las 12:30, de 1:30 a 2:30. Venga a disfrutar de refrescos y escuchar sobre las grandes cosas que suceden en su escuela. Las inscripciones ahora se están tomando para el preescolar hasta el sexto grado para el año escolar 2017 - 2018. Fondos de becas hacen posible para todos a pagar la excelente educación St. Paul School proporciona.

Thank You!

On Saturday, March 5th, the Help the Hopeful Auction was held in the school gymnasium and was successful in raising funds for both the Help the Hopeful organization and St. Paul School. The students and staff at the school want to thank all of those who gave of their time to prepare for and assist during this event. Volunteers included school staff, school families, parishioners, St. Paul Student Ambassadors, St. Paul alumni and students from community high schools. Without the donation of their time, the event would not have been possible.

Grupo de Oración

Se le invita a toda la comunidad de Marion, IN. A formar parte de un grupo de oracion el 10 y 24 de Abril a las 7:00p.m. en la iglesia St. Paul. no olvides que Jesus esta llamando a la puerta de tu Corazon y espera que pronto le abras.
Te eperamos!

When Jesus heard about the illness of His friend, Lazarus, He responded, "This illness is not to end in death; rather it is for God's glory, that through it the Son of God may be glorified." Every aspect of our lives- - - our gifts as well as our sufferings- - - can, if surrendered to Christ, lead to blessing for others and ourselves.

PARISH EGG HUNT

Once again, we are collecting items for the Easter Egg Hunt which will take place on Easter Sunday, April 16 after the ten o'clock Mass. Anyone willing to help, please drop off donations of wrapped candy or small toys to the school or church office before April 14. Thank you in advance. All the children truly love this event. If any questions, please contact Kari Persinger 765-661-4534

**CHOIRS FOR HOLY WEEK
FINAL PRACTICE THURSDAY APRIL 6**

**Palm Sunday 5pm
Easter Sunday 5:30pm
Good Friday 6pm
Easter Vigil 6:30pm
Thursday 7pm**



PREPARE FOR EASTER—

our church as well as our hearts...
Saturday morning, April 15th, starting at 9am—
We need to build the pond for new water and fill the church with flowers to celebrate the Resurrection. So: we need people with artistic skills, folks who can climb ladders and tote rocks and pails full of water. We need helpful hands and strong backs and those wonderful people who like to clean up.



**Mark Your
Calendar**

St. Paul Parish (Adult Ed.)
Presents
Wednesday, April 26th

Father Matthew C. Kuczora, CSC
Rector, Dunne Hall & Associate Director of
Vocations at Moreau Seminary on the Campus of the
University of Norte Dame.
Presentation on "Reflection on the Resurrection"

MORE INFORMATION COMING SOON

Church bulletin available at
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