



WEEKDAYS AND HOLY DAYS: AS SCHEDULED IN THE WEEKLY BULLETIN

**CHURCH AND GIFT SHOP**

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**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.)

**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

1009 W. Kem Road  
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**THE FEAST OF THE  
TRANSFIGURATION  
OF THE LORD  
SUNDAY, AUG. 6, 2017**



**MASS INTENTIONS**

Sunday, Aug 6	10:00am	Sandy Adams
	12:30pm	For the Parish
	5:00pm	Benita Gehlhausen
Monday, Aug 7	8:00am	Robert Charles
Tuesday, Aug. 8	8:00am	William & Dorthea Kennedy
Wednesday, Aug. 9	8:00am	Dr. Rohan Tiruchelvan
Thursday, Aug. 10	8:00am	Communion Service
Friday, Aug. 11	5:30 pm	Jorge Pacheco
Sunday, Aug. 13	10:00am	Virginia Frantz
	12:30pm	Catherine E. Rusby-Simons
	5:00pm	For the Parish

**SCRIPTURE READINGS  
WITHIN THE EIGHTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

**Monday, Aug 7— Weekday**

Nm 11:4b-15/Mt 14:13-21

**Tuesday, Aug 8— Mem. of St. Dominic, Priest**

Nm 12:1-13/Mt 14:22-36

**Wednesday, Aug 9— Weekday**

Nm 13:1-2,25—14:1, 26-29a, 34-35/Mt 15:21-28

**Thursday, Aug 10— Feast of St. Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr**

2 Cor 9:6-10/Jn 12:24-26

**Friday, Aug 11 — Mem. of St. Clare, Virgin**

Dt 4:32-40/Mt 16:24-28

**Saturday, Aug 12— Weekday**

Dt 6:4-13/Mt 17:14-20

**Sunday, Aug 13— Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a/Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:22-33

***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,

Tuesday, August 15, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a Holyday of Obligation. This feast celebrates our belief that because of her unique connection with Jesus Christ the Blessed Virgin Mary shares in a particular way in her Son's victory over death. The Blessed Virgin Mary is taken up into the eternal life of heaven without undergoing bodily corruption. In most things Mary is a model, an example for us. She is the first to hear and believe the good news of the Incarnation (the Annunciation) and the first evangelizer (the Visitation). In the Assumption we notice Mary as a promise for us. We are promised that if we imitate her faithful discipleship then with her we will share eternal life with Christ. There will be a Vigil Mass at Holy Family at 6P.M. on Monday, August 14. On August 15 there will be a Mass at 6:30A.M. at Holy Family and at 12:15P.M and 7P.M. at St. Paul. Please note that there will not be a Mass at St. Paul on Monday, August 14.

*Fr. Richard Weisenberger*

### ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018

#### Offertory Income Report

Total Income needed to meet weekly operating expenses	*\$	13,281.00
Offertory Income received this week	\$	10,474.75
Other Income received this week	\$	63.55
Offertory Income received year to date	\$	47,134.52
Other Income received year to date	\$	1,693.45
Total income needed year to date	\$	66,405.00
Amount over (under) operating expenses	\$	(17,577.03)

\*This amount includes \$1,000 to meet the anticipated 2016-2018 Fruitful Harvest Shortfall

- 07/30/17 \$523.74, 5% of our Offertory Income was given to Habitat for Humanity
- 08/06/17 Collection for the Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa
- 08/13/17 Collection for the St. Martin Center
- 08/20/17 5% of our Offertory Income—Grant County Rescue Mission
- 08/27/17 5% of our Offertory Income—Hands of Hope
- 09/03/17 Collection for the St. Martin Center
- 09/10/17 5% of our Offertory Income—CASA

#### 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

#### NO LO HAGAS

LOS HIMNALES QUE ESTAN COLOCADOS EN LAS BANCAS.  
 POR FAVOR, NO TRATE DE INSERTAR LAS PORTADAS DEL LIBRO EN EL BOLSILLO IZQUIERDO. HACER ESTO ROMPE LA ENCUADERNACIÓN DEL LIBRO; A MENUDO DAÑA LA CUBIERTA Y/O VARIAS PÁGINAS; Y ARRANCA EL BOLSILLO DEL PLÁSTICO.

#### Liturgical Ministers for Sunday, Aug 13, 2017

Time	Ministers of Communion	Readers	Altar Servers
10:00 AM	B. Krevda J. Roper M. Roper S. Krevda	BC PB PB PB	T. Chowattukunnel A. Spitzer P. Spitzer R. Spitzer
12:30 PM	P. Rangel M. Rangel J. Rodriguez C. W. Esparza	BC PB PB PB	F. Bir J. Sebastian R. Sebastian
5:00 PM	B. Weirich M. Weirich K. Bisdorf N. Rosen	BC PB PB PB	M. Frecker M. Marin I. Khalouf

#### Sunday Greeters in Aug. 2017

10:00 A.M. R. Gallagher, R. Clawson, J. Fitzgerald  
 12:30 P.M. R. Maxey, M. Rangel, P. Rangel  
 5:00 P.M. J. Zoch, C. Hamilton, J. Macy

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Come and pray the Stations of the Cross,  
 right after 5:30 PM Mass on Fridays  
 Except on the First Friday of each month.

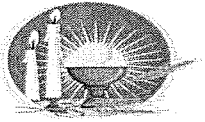
#### Lorraine's Catholic Gift Shop



Hours are 8:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.  
 Monday through Friday.

The shop is located in the Parish office  
 at St. Paul, 1031 W. Kem Rd.  
 For information call 765-664-6345.

WE HAVE A VARIETY OF BOOKS & RELIGIOUS  
 ITEMS. COME BEFORE YOU SHOP OUT OF  
 TOWN.



Adoration of the  
Blessed Sacrament  
in September, 2017

**All Night Adoration of the  
Blessed Sacrament  
Fri. Sept. 1, and Sat. Sept. 2, 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.

**VA Northern Indiana Health Care  
System Voluntary and Community  
Resources Department**

*We're searching for volunteers*

*Please join Voluntary and Community Resources  
Department in serving those who have served  
We have volunteer opportunities currently open for  
these areas:*

- Coffee Cart Shuttle Cart Driver Escort**
- Front Desk Greeter Voluntary Service assistant**
- Volunteer Transportation Network Driver**
- Cookie maker/Bread Baker Social Visitor**
- No Veteran Dies Alone program**

VANIHCS 1700 E. 38th Street, Marion, IN 46953  
1-765-674-3321 ext. 73431 or  
1-800-360-8387 ext. 73431  
Email: Tamara.Thomson@va.gov

**Where is God Calling You to Serve?**

- DISCOVER WHERE GOD IS CALLING YOU TO SHARE YOUR GIFTS OF TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE. VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES ARE AVAILABLE IN YOUR PARISH.
- LEARN MORE ABOUT THE DIFFERENT MINISTRIES IN THE PARISH BY CALLING THE PARISH OFFICE.
- SHARE WHAT YOU LOVE AND SEE WHERE YOUR GIFTS MIGHT FIT IN THE PARISH.

"ONE FAITH ... ONE FAMILY"

In the Gospel today, Peter yearns to do something to make concrete the Transfiguration he had witnessed. But to be a good steward of this spiritual gift, he was instructed to be still, to listen to Jesus, and to wait for His direction. Good advice for us, too!

**A NEW SCHOOL YEAR BEGINS! It is not too late to register your child/grandchild to attend St. Paul Parish School. There are openings in Grades Kindergarten through 6th grade with a waiting list for the 3's and 4's preschool classrooms. Come by and see what your school is all about! With small student to teacher ratios your child can receive individualized instruction in a Catholic setting devoted to meeting each child's academic and spiritual needs. We welcome visitors. ENROLL TODAY. The first day of classes is August 10, 2017.**

**"BIBLE BINGO"**

Nuns 4 Fun Entertainment will present "Bible Bingo: An Act of Charity ... in Two Acts" by Vicki Quade at 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 27, at St. John the Baptist Parish, 335 Mill St. Tipton, IN. Cost for premium seating (first five rows) is \$30 per person; cost for other seats is \$25 per person. For more information, call the parish office 765-675-2422 to reserve your seats. This is a fundraiser for the Parish to rebuild their church.

**SCRIP**

Don't think of them as just GIFT CARDS, think of them as SHOPPING CARDS to use in Grant County or while traveling. Use them like debit cards for most of your needs and wants - gas pumps, grocery store, fast food drive thru and sit-down restaurants. Use these SHOPPING CARDS like you would your debit card to purchase shoes, clothing, hardware and repair kits, bath and beauty items, and other items for your home. Think of using SCRIP as you do debit cards - ONLY instead of the bank making a profit on your expenditures, ST. PAUL SCHOLARSHIP FUND makes a profit between 2-15%. A portion of the profits from purchases of SCRIP can be assigned to a specific student enrolled in St. Paul School or all of the profit from purchases can go into the general scholarship fund. Check out the hundreds of stores available on the St. Paul Parish SCRIP program @ shopwithscrip.com. It is a painless - no additional cost to you - way to donate! For more information please contact 664-6345.

**You can purchase scrip in school office beginning Aug. 1st**

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR CHILDREN**

In order for your children to celebrate the sacraments of Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation, they must attend SRE classes or a Catholic School for at least one (1) year prior to the year that they will celebrate these sacraments.

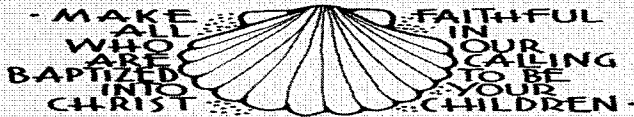
**PREPARACIÓN SACRAMENTAL PARA NIÑOS**

Para que tus hijos celebren los sacramentos de la Reconciliación, la Comunión y la Confirmación, deben asistir a las clases de la SRE o una escuela católica durante al menos un (1) año antes del año que van a celebrar estos sacramentos.

**BAPTISM**

*We welcome into the Body of Christ*

*Riley Allen James King son of  
Randy Lee King and Alexis Marie Nemes-Sparks  
who was baptized on July 30, 2017*



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**SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF  
THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

**August 15, 2017**

**12:15pm**

READER: SCHOOL TEACHER  
ALTAR SERVERS: SCHOOL CHILDREN  
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION: P. MORTON,  
P. GARTLAND, M. WEIRICH, E. CRAWFORD

**7pm**

READER: M. FRECKER  
ALTAR SERVERS: L. & M. WATERS, A. ESPARZA  
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION: T. & S. McGrath  
S. KREVD, J. MAGNER

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MARIBEL G. BARRIDO, M.D.  
PARISHIONERS



**Flower Memorial**

This Sunday, Aug 6, 2017

The flower memorial is in

**Memory of Joseph Fitzgerald**

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

*The cost is \$23.00 - Available Sept. 10, 17 & Oct. 1, 15*

**SUNDAY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (SRE)**

**GRADES PRESCHOOL - 8**

SRE classes resume **Sunday, September 10.**

Classes are held in St. Paul School from 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Families that had children enrolled in SRE last year will receive registration forms in the mail in mid-August. Families who are new to SRE may register their children in the school lobby on Sunday, September 10 at 11 a.m. Registration forms are also available in both the parish/school offices Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The registration fee is \$50 per child - not to exceed \$100 per family.

Lifeteen Kickoff

Grades 9 - 12

The Lifeteen youth group will kick off the beginning of our Sunday evening meetings on Sunday, September 10 at 6 p.m. in the youth room of St. Paul School. Meetings are from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. and follow the SRE calendar. Come, bring a friend and have fun!

Mark Your Calendars!

The annual Lifeteen Car Wash for Life will be held Sunday, September 24, from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on the parish grounds. Donations of old, used towels are needed.

All proceeds go to Pregnancy Help Center.

Any questions, please contact Nora Reynolds-  
662-2883 ext. 117, or  
[nreynolds@stpaulcatholicmarion.com](mailto:nreynolds@stpaulcatholicmarion.com)

**ATTENTION PARISHIONERS**

Are you moving? If you are moving out of the parish or have a change of address or phone number, please contact St. Paul Parish Office at 664-6345 with your change. This will ensure our records are up to date. Are you new to the parish- let us welcome you.