

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY, JULY 9, 2017



CHURCH AND GIFT SHOP

WABASH AVENUE & KEM ROAD
1031 W. KEM ROAD
MARION, INDIANA 46952
765-664-6345 (OFFICE)
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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

1009 W. Kem Road

765-662-2883; 765-664-5953 (FAX)

www.stpaulcatholicmarion.com

Mon.-Fri 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Except school holidays and summer break

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

By **TUESDAY NOON**

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*I am gentle
and humble
of heart*

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, July 9	10:00am	For the Parish
	12:30pm	Benedict Balasandiran
	5:00pm	Nicholas Steinbrunner
Monday, July 10	8:00am	Catherine E. Simons
Tuesday, July 11	8:00am	Naomi Ruth Baldwin
Wednesday, July 12	8:00am	Leon Kita
Thursday, July 13	8:00am	Communion Service
Friday, July 14	5:30pm	Mary Ann Weisler
Sunday, July 16	10:00am	William A. Mooney
	12:30pm	For the Parish
	5:00pm	Deceased mem. of the Kriegbaum family

SCRIPTURE READINGS WITHIN THE FOURTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Monday, July 10— Weekday

Gn 28:10-22a/Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday, July 11— Mem. of St. Benedict, Abbot

Gn 32:23-33/Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday, July 12— Weekday

Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/Mt 10:1-7

Thursday, July 13— Weekday

Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5/Mt 10:7-15

Friday, July 14— Mem. of St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

Gn 46:1-7, 28-30/Mt 10:16-23

Saturday, July 15— Mem. of St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/Mt 10:24-33

Sunday, July 16— FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Is 55:10-11/Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23

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,
 "He/she started it." Most of us have probably heard someone say this to justify her/his own bad behavior. We usually recognize that one person's bad conduct does not justify someone else's bad acts. We can apply this to our present political situation in which the bad behavior of one person or group is used to rationalize other's. By the way the notion that political discourse is worse today than ever before is questionable. Past political campaigns were often vicious. For example, John Adams and Thomas Jefferson engaged in brutal attacks on one another. What is important for us is to avoid the impulse to respond to the bad acts of another with our own bad conduct. This applies not only to partisan political activity but to every aspect of our lives. In the words of an old saying, "An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth leaves everyone blind and toothless."

Fr. Richard Weisenberger

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018 NO OFFERTORY REPORT

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

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

Liturgical Ministers for Sunday, July 16, 2017

Time	Ministers of Communion	Readers	Altar Servers
10:00 AM	M. Greenwald BC C. Zavala PB D. Barrido PB K. Trautvetter PB	T. Chowattukunnel	A. Reynolds K. Reynolds I. Reynolds
12:30 PM	M. Esparza BC J. Garcia PB E. Crawford PB C. Esparza PB	F. Bir M. Aguilar	R. Sebastian J. Sebastian
5:00 PM	R. Trujillo BC C. Trujillo PB C. Greene PB E. Greene PB		J. Velasquez K. Miller

Sunday Greeters in July 2017

10:00 A.M. L. Knight, J. Breen, J. Mucenski
 12:30 P.M. K. Kidwell, C. Small, J. Rodriguez
 5:00 P.M. J. Beck, N. Rosen, 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 OR THE PRAYER LIST.

Lorrayne'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.

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.

MCCARTHY HALL RENTAL

WEDDING RECEPTIONS,
REUNIONS, ETC.

CALL 765-664-6345 EXT 104 TO CHECK ON
AVAILABLE DATES.

BULLETIN ADVERTISING

If you would be interested in having your business advertised in our bulletin or if you know someone who might be interested, please call the parish office at 664-6345 for details.

MEN IN BLACK

The Second Annual Serra Series will take place at noon on Saturday, August 5, 2017, in Kokomo Municipal Stadium. All ticket sales for this event benefit the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana Seminarian Fund. At just \$5 per ticket or \$20 per family it's a family-friendly deal you won't want to miss! You will definitely want to bring out your family in support of our Diocesan priests as they battle the Seminarian team in this one-of-a-kind softball game. Will the priests rack up another victory? Bragging rights are on the line in this rematch on the diamond! Sponsors are still being sought – for details contact kokomoserra@yahoo.com. Batter up!

SPONSOR FOR THIS WEEK'S BULLETIN:

HOSTESS HOUSE



Flower Memorial

This Sunday, July 9, 2017

The flower memorial is in Memory of the deceased members of the Kriegbaum Family

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

The cost is \$23.00 - Available July 30 & Aug. 6, 20, 27

**Pastoral Assistant for Evangelization & Youth Ministry
St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church - Peru, Indiana**

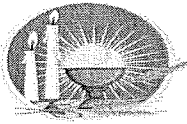
Job Summary: Our parish is looking for a dynamic, self-motivated individual who will serve as the Pastoral Assistant for Evangelization and Youth Ministry in the "Circus Capital of the World." No juggling experience is required, but said individual must be willing to be a servant leader to the Church of St. Charles Borromeo while also ensuring opportunities for Evangelization and Comprehensive Youth Ministry Programs are provided. Individual will work with the Pastor and Director of Religious Education, and they must ensure that necessary collaboration and cross training occurs among all areas of ministry and discipleship. Requirements: No experience with wild animals or mimes is necessary, but a minimum of a Bachelor's in Theology, religious studies or a related field and 3 years' experience in Parish ministry would certainly help. Or, some combination of education and experience will certainly be considered. Applicants should have a love for the Catholic faith, knowledge of and commitment to the Diocesan policies and Faith Formation Guidelines and the ability to work together with staff, volunteers, and members of our community. Are you a practicing Catholic who respects and upholds Catholic Church teaching? Familiarity with Church documents, Scriptures, and resources are also very important. Benefits: This is a full time salaried position, with competitive health and benefits also being offered. The candidate selected (and his/her family) would also have the option to live in a furnished, four-bedroom townhouse on-site for a minimal cost.

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.

Greeters

If you would like to be a greeter for any Sunday Mass or funerals, please contact the parish office at 664-6345



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in August, 2017

All Night Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Fri. Aug 4, and Sat. Aug. 5, 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.

"Let all Your works give You thanks, Oh Lord, and let Your faithful ones bless You," says the psalmist. Stewardship is this "attitude of gratitude" for the many gifts God has given us.

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 thrus 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.
We will have them in the rectory for the summer.


Help for hurting marriages –The Married Singles Lifestyle is experienced by couples who may have lost a sense of closeness they once had as marriage partners and are living more like roommates. Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) is a worldwide program that teaches couples how to rediscover each other and work through difficult times in their marriages. Tens of thousands of couples headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending the weekend and follow-up sessions. To learn more about the program or to register for the August 11 - 13 weekend and follow-up post-weekend sessions in Indianapolis, visit the website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com or www.retrouvaille.org. You can also email: RetrouIndy@gmail.com or call 317-489-6811 for confidential registration information.

Were you out of town last weekend?
Copies of the most recent bulletin are available at the EAST door of the church. You will always find fliers, posters and information about the parish and school at that door.

Dear Parishioners
Thank you once again for your continuing support of Services for the Visually and Hearing Impaired, Inc! Your gift of \$379.55 will enable us to assist others living with a vision or hearing loss to retain their self-confidence, maintain their independence and continue to be active, productive citizens of their community. Your kindness and caring is greatly appreciated. God bless you St. Paul Parish!

Thank you
Linda J. Taylor
Executive Director


July 23th



Coffee & Conversation

Also juice and milk and donuts
The Parish Social Committee provides this opportunity for St. Paul parishioners, newcomers, and visitors to meet after 10am Mass

Sunday Musicians Practice
Thurs. 6:30pm



READERS MEETING
The next formation session for all Readers will be
Sunday, July 9, 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.

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.