

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY, JULY 29, 2018



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.
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.

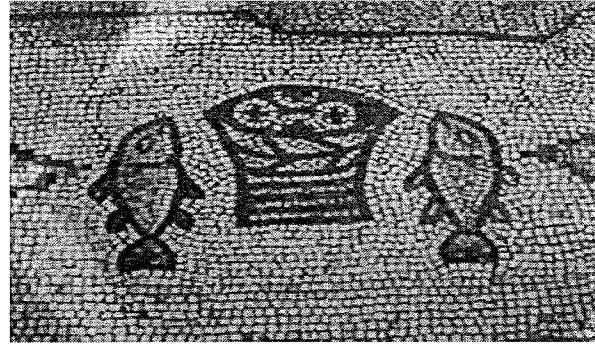
ST. PAUL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

PRE - 6TH GRADE
1009 W. Kem Road
765-662-2883; 765-664-5953 (FAX)
www.stpaulcatholicmarion.org
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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"Jesus gave out as much as was wanted to all who were sitting



MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, July 29	10:00 am	Fr. Joseph Grace
	12:30 pm	Janice Kay Clelland
	5:00 pm	For the Parish
Monday, July 30	8:00 am	Laura Knuth
Tuesday, July 31	8:00 am	Leon Kita
Wednesday, Aug. 1	8:00am	Sally Rusby
Thursday, Aug. 2	8:00 am	Communion Service
Friday, Aug. 3	5:30 pm	Patricia Combs
Sunday, Aug. 5	10:00 am	Mary Ann Wiesler
	12:30 pm	For the Parish
	5:00 pm	Catherine Rusby Simons

SCRIPTURE READINGS

WITHIN THE SEVENTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Monday, July 30— Weekday

Jer 13:1-11/Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday, July 31— Mem. of St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

Jer 14:17-22/Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday, Aug. 1— Mem. of St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Jer 15:10, 16-21/Mt 13:44-46

Thursday, Aug. 2— Weekday

Jer 18:1-6/Mt 13:47-53

Friday, Aug. 3— Weekday

Jer 26:1-9/Mt 13:54-58

Saturday, Aug. 4— Mem. of St. John Vianney, Priest

Jer 26:11-16, 24/Mt 14:1-12

Sunday, Aug. 5— Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35

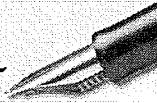
Mission Statement

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

From the Pastor



Dear Parishioners,

Thank you for your warm welcome these past five weeks. Every transition poses challenges, but is also full of opportunities. On more than one occasion, parishioners have asked if I needed anything. In light of those requests, I have come up with some things that would be helpful for me right now.

- 1) Someone to clean the rectory (the former cleaner resigned). Currently this job would only include downstairs, but would eventually involve both floors. Since the Holy Family Rectory is residence for the pastor of Saint Paul, those cleaning the rectory need not necessarily be Holy Family parishioners.
- 2) Volunteers to work with me in leading convert classes (RCIA). Also, lots of invitations for people to consider making from inquiries into the Catholic faith through attending convert classes.
- 3) People at Holy Family to help open and close the church. Sometimes I get back to Gas City very late at night and it is dangerous to leave the church unlocked until 11pm or later. On my day off, I will sometimes be away from the rectory from 10am to 10am.
- 4) Volunteer sacristans at both parishes. Sacristan work involves setting up and cleaning up before and after Mass as well as attending to care of church plate and vestments.
- 5) Help with high school youth ministry at both parishes.
- 6) A used small couch that can fit through a narrow door so that those coming into my office at Saint Paul can be comfortable during appointments when speaking with me.
- 7) Understanding. While my being your pastor comes before my graduate work, my assignment still includes finishing this degree. Doing so will take a good deal of work. This fact will mean that I will have to let some things go.
- 8) Openness to change. I want to make as few changes as possible in my first year. That said, I have my style and persona and these things will make it seem like everything is changing. Please resist the temptation to live in the past and be open to the present, which is God's gift to us. Also, be aware that if I am not doing something to which you are accustomed, it might be simply because no one told me.

To Jesus through Mary,
Fr. Christopher Roberts

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH FISCAL YEAR 2018-2019

Offertory Income Report

Total Income needed to meet weekly operating expenses	\$	11,438.00
Offertory Income received this week	\$	7,588.37
Other Income received this week	\$	400.75
Offertory Income received year to date	\$	38,148.93
Other Income received year to date	\$	1,962.15
Total income needed year to date	\$	45,752.00
Amount over (under) operating expenses	\$	(5,640.92)

07/22/18	\$379.42, 5% of our Offertory Income, was given to Jail Chaplaincy
07/29/18	5% of our Offertory Income—Grace House
08/05/18	Collection for Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa
08/12/18	Collection for St. Martin Center
08/19/18	5% of our Offertory Income—Habitat for Humanity

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.

We have several open spots that we would like to fill.

Liturgical Ministers for Sunday, Aug. 5, 2018

<u>Time</u>	<u>Ministers of</u>	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Altar</u>
10:00 AM	S. Krevda	BC	A. Rawlings
	B. Krevda	PB	
	J. Roper	PB	
12:30 PM	M. Roper	PB	E. Lopez
	M. Marin	BC	
	P. Rangel	PB	
	M. Rangel	PB	
	J. Rodriguez	PB	
5:00 PM	N. Rosen	BC	D. Dailey
	B. Weirich	PB	
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	R. Faulk	PB	

Greeters for Sundays in Aug. 2018

10:00 A.M. J. Mucenski, B. Perez
12:30 P.M. M. Rangel, P. Rangel
5:00 P.M. A. Karlin, J. Zoch

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Right after 5:30 PM Mass on Fridays.
Except on the First Friday of each month.



Flower Memorial

This Sunday, July 29, 2018
The flower memorial is in memory of
Louise Kormos

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: Sept. 9, 23, 30)

You Can Help Your Marriage – Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you stopped talking to each other? Do you wonder if your marriage might end? Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vī) is a worldwide program that offers tools needed for hurting couples to rediscover a loving marriage relationship. For more than 30 years, the program has helped hundreds of thousands of couples heal their hurting marriages. To learn more about the program or to register for the August 3 - 5 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.

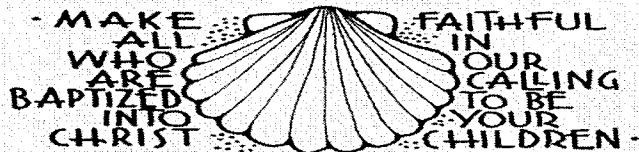
BAPTISM

We welcome into the Body of Christ

*Celena Skye Trahan daughter of
Samuel Trahan and Cindy Perez Medina
who was baptized on July 21, 2018*

*Noble Ismael Hernandez Jr. son of
Noble Hernandez and Alesha Flores
who was baptized on July 21, 2018*

*Robert Gaspar Jr. son of
Robert Gaspar and Maria Edith Garrido
who was baptized on July 21, 2018*



“THE SERRA CLUB OF KOKOMO IS HOSTING THE THIRD ANNUAL MIB (MEN IN BLACK) SERRA SERIES AT BEAUTIFUL KOKOMO MUNICIPAL STADIUM ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 2018. THIS FUN SOFTBALL GAME FEATURES THE PRIESTS VERSUS SEMINARIANS! ALL PROCEEDS FROM TICKET SALES FOR THIS EVENT BENEFIT THE DIOCESAN SEMINARIAN FUND. GATES OPEN AT 11:00 AM, PREGAME ACTIVITIES START AT 11:45 AM, AND THE FIRST PITCH IS AT NOON! A \$5 DONATION PER GUEST (OR \$20 PER FAMILY) IS REQUESTED. THIS EVENT HAS BEEN MADE POSSIBLE BY THE GENEROUS SUPPORT OF OUR SPONSORS: RICHARD BUILDING SUPPLY, EYE PHYSICIANS INC., MOORE TITLE COMPANY, ERIK’S CHEVROLET, SOUTHSIDE MARATHON, ADVANCED MEDICAL IMAGING, QUEEN OF ANGELS GIFT SHOP (MUNCIE), TRUE REALTY, THE WYMAN GROUP, DR. DAWN SABAU, AND THE MAHER FAMILY. THIS BRAND NEW STADIUM IS LOCATED CONVENIENTLY AT 400 S UNION STREET IN DOWNTOWN KOKOMO ADJACENT TO THE WALK OF EXCELLENCE ON THE BANKS OF WILDCAT CREEK. PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE DAY AND SUPPORT OUR SEMINARIANS! “

Sunday Religious Education Classes Grades Preschool - 8

SRE classes resume Sunday, September 9. 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 9 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.

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.

SPONSOR FOR THIS WEEK’S BULLETIN
CENTRAL INDIANA ORTHOPEDICS, PC
W. MICHAEL ROPER, MD
PARISHIONER

If you have not enrolled your child for school yet, there is still time. Call the school office 765-662-2883 to make an appointment. School starts Aug. 8th

St Paul Tour of Homes is scheduled for 9/16/18 but homes are needed. Do you have a home that would be worthy of The Tour? Can you suggest a home for the tour (we will need a contact phone number)? The proceeds from the tour go to benefit McCarthy Hall. Tour Committee is working NOW to get these homes scheduled. If you have suggestions please contact Carol Hamilton 661-6188. If we can't secure the proper number of homes we will not be able to have a tour this year.

SCRIP

Are you concerned that your debit card may be compromised when you use it at a gas pump? Do you worry a bit about skimmers and scammers and identity theft?

MORE REASONS TO USE SCRIP.

SCRIP doesn't cost you anything and your parish school makes money every time you use a SCRIP card purchasing school supplies, at the grocery, driving thru your favorite fast food place, shopping for your family or friends --use SCRIP and benefit your parish school.

Pick up a sheet at the bulletin boards in church, fill it out, sign a check, then turn it in to the rectory. Pick up your cards the day of or next week for **WORRY- FREE SHOPPING**

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"

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 or have changes in the members of your household? Please let us know.

JOB OPPORTUNITY:

St. Paul School has an Academic Specialist position for the 2018 – 2019 school year. This is a tutoring position which pays \$25/ hour. Applicants must have a current Indiana teaching license. The position is for 5 days a week for 5.5 hours/day. Qualified applicants may contact Ms. Rebecca Spitznagel at St. Paul School by calling 662-2883 (ext. 112) or send resume to St. Paul Parish School, 1009 Kem Rd. Marion, IN 46952 Attn: Ms. Rebecca Spitznagel.

"The hand of the Lord feed us," says the psalmist; "He answers all our needs." Both Elisha's servant in the first reading and the disciples in the Gospel story who witnessed the feeding of the five thousand saw this happen and knew it to be true.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
In Aug, 2018

All Night Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Fri. Aug. 3, and Sat. Aug. 4, 2018

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 door of the church.

"Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration with exposition needs a great push. People ask me: "What will convert America and save the world?" My answer is prayer. What we need is for every parish to come before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament in holy hours of prayer." ~St. Teresa of Calcutta

Dear Parishioners,

Thank you so much for your generous donation of \$447.01 to Services for the Visually and Hearing Impaired, Inc. Your kindness is greatly appreciated and will enable us to continue assisting our clients who are living with a sensory loss to maintain their independence and keep working toward their goals.

Sincerely,
Linda Taylor
Executive Dir.

Estudio Biblico

Queridos feligreses se les invita al estudio de Biblia en español. En el estudio de Biblia estudian la palabra de

Dios para alimentarse espiritualmente y crecer en la fe. Se reúnen cada Lunes a las 6 P.M. Para mas informacion llame al 662-6078 or 662-3624

Enroll your 3-year-old in Preschool. We are now a Paths to Quality, Level 4 Preschool. Spots are available in the 3/4 year-old class. Spread the word to your friends, neighbors and family. For additional information please contact the school office at 765-662-2883

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 ADD A NAME OR INTENTION TO THE PRAYER LIST.