

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY, FEB. 3, 2019



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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, 6 - 6:30 P.M. & SATURDAY, 9-10 A.M.)

WEEKDAYS AND HOLY DAYS: AS SCHEDULED IN THE WEEKLY BULLETIN

MASS AT HOLY FAMILY, GAS CITY
THURSDAY, 8AM & SATURDAY, 5 P.M.
RECONCILIATION AT HOLY FAMILY (SATURDAY, 4:15 - 4:45 P.M.)

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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.

*The Spirit of the Lord is
upon me, because he has
anointed me to bring glad
tidings to the poor.*

Luke 4:18

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, Feb. 3	10:00 am	Wayne Suever
	12:30 pm	Nivan Chowattakunnel (Thanksgiving)
	5:00 pm	For the People
Monday, Feb. 4	8:45 am	Anne Carellas
Tuesday, Feb. 5	8:45 am	Paulette Charles
Wednesday, Feb. 6	8:45 am	Rebecca Parks Overley (All School)
Thursday, Feb. 7	8:00 am	Communion Service
Friday, Feb. 8	5:30 pm	Robert A. & Eleanor Wiesler
Sunday, Feb. 10	10:00 am	Elton Goodman
	12:30 pm	For the People
	5:00 pm	Michael Hipskin

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOURTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Monday, Feb. 4— Weekday
Heb 11:32-40/Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday, Feb. 5— Mem. of St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr
Heb 12:1-4/Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday, Feb. 6— Mem. of St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs
Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Mk 6:1-6
Thursday, Feb. 7— Weekday
Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Mk 6:7-13
Friday, Feb. 8— Weekday
Heb 13:1-8/Mk 6:14-29
Saturday, Feb. 9— Weekday
Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Mk 6:30-34
Sunday, Feb. 10— Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time
Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/1 Cor 15:1-11/Lk 5:1-11

From the Pastor



Dear Parishioners,

Two weeks ago, I promised a bulletin note that would address how to welcome Hispanics more effectively. When I wrote that I had not taken into account that last Sunday was the beginning of Catholic Schools' Week and that I wanted to cede my weekly bulletin note to the school principal. Catholic schools are very important to the mission of the Church. This Sunday, I endeavor to fulfill my promise from two weeks ago.

How do we welcome Hispanics in our parishes? The first thing necessary is recognizing that for Hispanics who are baptized Catholics, this population already belongs to the parish just as much as people who have attended Mass at Holy Family or Saint Paul for their whole lives. Our church is a global church. While it is useful for record purposes to register at a parish, membership in a parish has to do with whether or not one is Catholic and one's geographic location. We should never speak as if "we" are welcoming "them."

The second thing necessary is recognizing that immigrant parents who do not have English as their mother tongue have special needs in passing on the faith to their children. Catholic Hispanic immigrants come from cultures that have been saturated with the Catholic faith for five centuries. Making the transition into an American culture and English language that first received its shape in the shadows of the Protestant Reformation and Enlightenment two and half centuries ago can pose significant challenges in passing down the faith to the next generation. Parents who grew up in a strongly Catholic culture reinforced by family ties can find it very difficult to transmit the faith that they received to children who prefer to speak English and just want to be like their peers.

How can one put these two things into practice? Every place is different, but my general experience in twenty years of being involved in Hispanic ministry is that building bridges works much better than putting up walls. Even if we use Spanish at Mass, our goal is to have one parish unified and walking toward Jesus Christ, our Lord. We all know that this is easier said than done. But when, with the help of divine grace, it is done well, it is a beautiful sight indeed.

To Jesus through Mary,

Fr. Christopher

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH FISCAL YEAR JULY 2018– JUNE 2019

Offertory Income Report 1/27/19

Income/(Deficit)-excluding depreciation as of December 31, 2019	\$1,187.00
Income/(Deficit)-excluding depreciation as of December 31, 2018	\$73,410.00
Offertory needed to meet weekly operating expenses	\$13,238.00
Income received this week	\$10,820.28
Income/(Deficit) this week	\$(2,417.72)

FATHER'S HOLY HOURS THIS WEEK

SUN. 6:15–7:15PM (ST. PAUL)

MON. 9:15–10:15AM (ST. PAUL)

TUES./WED. 7:40–8:40AM (ST. PAUL)

TH. 6:55–7:55AM (HOLY FAMILY)

FRI. 6:30–7:30PM (ST. PAUL)

SAT. 8AM–9AM (ST. PAUL)

Liturgical Ministers for Sunday, Feb. 10, 2019

10:00am Mass

EMHC: B. Krevda, J. Roper, M. Roper, S. Krevda

Readers: R. Esparza

Altar Servers: G. Scher, A. Reynolds, K. Reynolds

Greeters: L. Parlee, M. Parlee, R. Ducharme

Sacristan: S. Krevda

12:30pm Mass

EMHC: P. Rangel, J. Rodriguez, E. Ballinger, M. Rangel

Readers: N. Trout

Altar Servers: J. Morales, L. Morales

Greeters: R. Maxey, M. Rangel, P. Rangel

Sacristan: J. Rodriguez

5:00pm Mass

EMHC: L. Day, B. Weirich, M. Weirich, A. Karlin

Readers: D. Dailey

Altar Servers: I. Khalouf, M. Caritos

Greeters: J. Zoch, A. Karlin, J. Macy

Sacristan: B. Royse

Reflections for Ordinary Time

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

3 February 2019

Throw under the bus. All he said was, God is for everybody, even the ones who you do not expect! The home town folks get so mad at Jesus, they want to throw him off the hill into the ravine. People get “thrown under the bus” all the time, it seems. People at whom we get mad. People with whom we do not agree. Saint Paul takes a different tack. Love, love, love he says. Faith and hope are good. But love is the greatest. The list of how we can love is long [1 Corinthians 2:31-13:13]. Let us focus on three this week.

- ◆ Who needs me to be patient and kind? What will I do or not do?
- ◆ What truth will I seek and rejoice over?
- ◆ How can I love the interest of another over my own?

In Memorial— Rebecca J. Parks Overley
Jan. 22, 1942 - Jan. 16, 2019

You are invited to her memorial mass:
Becky’s former students, their parents,
fellow teachers and staff members,
and all the people who love her.
Mass at 11am, March 30th, St. Paul Catholic Church

Wasn't that revolutionary AND revelatory

To listen with the Assembly to the scriptures last Sunday!!!

Instead of singularly reading the missalette, we all, as community, sat up and listened to the Word proclaimed.

Perhaps you would like to try that again— this week and next -- don't bury your nose in a paper missalette, but listen with ears, and brain, and heart, and with your parish family - to the scriptures proclaimed.

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.

The PTO has a very limited supply of extra Terri Lynn nuts and candy available for sale at 50% off while supplies last. Call 765-662-2883 or stop by the school office to purchase before supplies are gone.

Available in narthex Feb. 10th

Thank you, St. Paul Parish for your generous gift of \$3,457.88 from November-January donation. We are so grateful for your faithful giving!

In 2018, Kay's Kitchen provided 70,033 free, hot meals to those in need. St. Martin Center also provided 12,995 people with pantry food, to prepare in their own homes.

Thank you again for your support and love to those in need in Grant County. St. Martin de Porres Center continues to be a strong and supportive blessings for those in Grant County. Fifty-one years ago, when the Center was opened in the basement of the old St. Paul Parish; I'm sure no one realized the long-term good that they were doing. What an abundant blessing that a handful of faithful members of St. Paul gave to their community and beyond. It truly is, the gift that keeps on giving!

Thank you, for believing in helping those in need. Thank you, for being the hands and feet of Jesus our Lord. Please pray for St. Martin Center that we may do God's will in serving others.

With abundant thanks,
Teresa Campbell
Director, St. Martin de Porres Center

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We cannot thank you enough for your continuing support of Services for the Visually and Hearing Impaired, Inc! Your gifts 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 are greatly appreciated.

God bless you!

Your donation of \$623.48 is much appreciated.

Thank you!

Linda J. Taylor
Executive Director

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Fri., Feb. 22nd

Use all of that knowledge you have at a fun-filled evening of trivia! Friday, Feb. 22nd teams of up to 8 will compete against each other to see who can answer the most questions correctly in a variety of categories. Cost is \$10 per person. Bring yourself or a team of up to 8, snacks for yourself or your table and your beverages of choice. Only 16 tables available, so book early! Make your reservations by Feb. 19th to 765-662-2883 ext. 110 or to kscher@stpaulcatholicmarion.com. Doors open at 6 p.m. with Trivia starting at 7 p.m.

The Bennett High School class of 1969 will be celebrating their 50th anniversary in September 2019. The committee is trying to put together email addresses and phone numbers so the word can get out to all of our classmates so they can receive the necessary information. If you would contact Linda Earnest (Hopen) at 765-661-3333 or lindajearnest@gamil.com or Mariann Pearcy (Morgan) at 765-661-4049 or mariann.pearcy396@gmail.com it would be so helpful in planning this event.

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 573-5817

The Bible: www.usccb.org/bible/index.cfm

Diocese: www.dol-in.org

United States Bishops: www.usccb.org

Vatican & Pope: www.vatican.va

Vatican Information Service: visnews-en.blogspot.com

Catholic News Service: www.catholicnews.com

Catholic News & Encyclopedia: www.NewAdvent.com

Central Indiana Cursillo Center: www.cursillo-cicc.org

V Encuentro: www.vencuentro.org/esp/

Daily Gospel Reflections from Bishop Robert Barron

www.dailycatholicgospel.com

Daily Reflections: dynamiccatholic.com/daily-reflections

Jeremiah declares that the Lord knew him before he was born, and dedicated and appointed him to his role as prophet even before he drew breath. We, too, are known and sent by the Lord. What deeds of love and service are mine to perform?

RCIA "Breaking Open the Word" (BOTW) Schedule for Catechumens and Candidates for

10:00 a.m. Mass (Cycle Year C)

"If you have questions, please leave a message for Anita Rawlings at (765) 668-1182."

2/3/19 - 4th Sunday Ordinary Time - Jeremiah 1:4-5 and 17-19, 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13, and Luke 4:21-30, pages 42 and 43 in "At Home with the Word". Also Beatitudes/Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy/Gifts of the Holy Spirit/Theological and Cardinal Marks of the Church/St. Peter/The Papacy

About RCIA?

As our Catechumens and Candidates continue their conversion to full communion with Jesus Christ and His Church, join them in praying:

Act of Faith: O my God, I firmly believe that you are one God in three divine Persons, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. I believe that your divine Son became man and died for our sins and that He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe these and all the truths which the Holy Catholic Church teaches because you, who are eternal truth and wisdom, have revealed them, and you can neither deceive nor be deceived. In this faith I intend to live and die. Amen.

Act of Hope: O Lord God, I hope by your grace for the pardon of all my sins and after life here to gain eternal happiness because you have promised it who are infinitely powerful, faithful, kind, and merciful. In this hope I intend to live and die. Amen.

Act of Love: O Lord God, I love you above all things and I love my neighbor for your sake because you are the highest, infinite and perfect good, worthy of all my love. In this love I intend to live and die. Amen.

SRE NEWS

First Communion Parent Meeting

Wednesday, February 6, 2019

7 p.m. in McCarthy Hall

Interested in learning more about the Catholic faith?

RCIA

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

"Dear Parishioners, when you have a chance, please say "Thank You!" to the other catechists (Larry Parlee, Craig Persinger, and Edna Crawford) who help me represent St. Paul Parish (that's you) in embracing and nurturing potentially new Catholics into the Body of Christ. If you have questions about the RCIA process and its mission, or you would like to help us guide our Catechumens and Candidates to Christ, please leave a message for Anita Rawlings at 765-668-1182."