

Sacred Heart Parish Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter



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MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday 10:00 am
Mon, Tues & Thurs 7:30 am
Wed & Fri 6:00 pm
Saturday 9:00 am
Holy Days Check Bulletin

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (Confession)

Friday 5:30 pm Saturday 8:30 am Sunday 9:30 am

Anytime by appointment. (Please call the office)



MARRIAGE

Active registered parishioners should contact the Pastor at least six Months before the wedding date.

BAPTISM

Please call the office.

LAST SACRAMENTS AND SICK CALLS

Please contact the office. In an emergency requiring Extreme Unction or Viaticum please call 267-6123



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK



Mass Schedule:

Sunday, Sept 4 - 16th Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 a.m. Pro Populo

Monday, Sept 5 - St. Laurence Justinian, Bishop

7:30 a.m. Poor Souls

Tuesday, Sept 6 - Feria

7:30 a.m. †Helen Coomes

Wednesday, Sept 7 - Feria

6:00 p.m. †Gerard Voland

Thursday, Sept 8 - The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary,

7:30 a.m. †Debra Shininger

Friday, Sept 9 - St. Peter Claver, Confessor

6:00 p.m. Sacred Heart Mass Servers

Saturday, Sept 10 - St. Nicholas of Tolentino, Confessor

9:00 a.m. †Carole Imes

Sunday, Sept 11 - 17th Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 a.m. Pro Populo

Prayer Request, Announcements and Other Info

We have set up a google.com group for the parish, so that parishioners can more easily share prayer requests, announcements, and other information with each other. This can be found at *groups.google.com/group/sacred-heart-fort-wayne*

If you wish to be added to this group, simply log in to a google account, go to the above link, and click the "Request to be added to the group" button. Note that if you do not wish to receive further emails from the group, you can opt out, and you can also read the past posts to the group there.

If you do not have and do not wish to have a google account, you can request to be added to the loop with your existing email address. Simply emailsacredheart-fortwayne@gmail.com with your request to be added. You can then continue to submit news items to that same email address. Please put "for the email loop" or some such specifying verbiage in the subject line.

Special Collection

A special collection next Sunday, September 11th, for the Catholic Communications Campaign. There will be an envelope marked Special Collections Envelope at the entrances. Please pick one up if you would like to be accounted for your contribution. At the top of the Envelope please mark what the collection is for along with your name. Thank You!

Signs of Respect for the Blessed Sacrament

The tabernacle in which the Blessed Sacrament is reserved, at least in the Western Catholic tradition, was usually the focal point of the interior of the church. Tabernacles were often constructed very elaborately or of precious materials. Nevertheless, a parallel tradition also prevailed that the tabernacle be veiled. So strict was this requirement that even if the tabernacle were made of solid gold, it was still required that it be veiled.

This practice has fallen out of use in many places, but it served a number of functions. One of them goes back to the first Good Friday. We are told in the gospels that when Christ died on the cross, the veil of the temple in Jerusalem was split from top to bottom. The manner in which the tabernacle is veiled, with a split down the middle, recalls this event and reminds us that we have direct access to God, mediated by no one but Christ. The temple ceased to serve that function at that moment, and the New Testament in Christ's Blood was inaugurated.

The other function it serves is to remind us that holy things ought not be exposed to the view of the common masses. It might surprise many who read this that in most Catholic liturgical traditions, including the Roman tradition in some places in Europe (and especially in England), the altar was NOT easily visible by the people in the nave of the church. This continues to be the practice in the Eastern Catholic churches, where the iconostasis obstructs the view of the sanctuary, and communication with the people is done through doorways, and also by simply hearing the priest as he chants various prayers from the altar. Once again, this does not imply an unworthiness on the part of the people (who indeed share in the common priesthood of all faithful) but to underscore the otherworldliness of what is going on in the course of the liturgy. The sanctuary really is seen to be heaven brought down to earth, and it must by necessity remain somewhat mysterious as long as we are in this vale of tears.



16TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

30th Annual Bishop's Appeal

Our Annual Bishop's Appeal will begin next week in our parish. Our goal for this year is \$11,109.34. If we exceed our goal, the parish gets back 100% of the overage. Many people are aware that dioceses typically take a percentage of the weekly collection from every parish for their operating expenses. Many, however, are not aware that this diocese keeps that percentage very low compared to other dioceses some of which have assessments approaching 20% of the Sunday collection! Our Bishop relies on this appeal to run various diocesan programs and ministries including education of seminarians, pro-life activities, and works of charity towards those in need. Please be generous in supporting the work of Bishop Rhoades, and know that your pledges are appreciated!

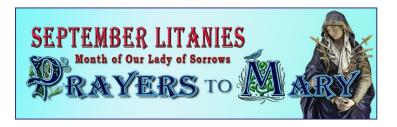
SUBMITTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Redeemer Radio is looking for volunteers!

Volunteers don't have time they have heart! Redeemer Radio is looking for volunteers for the upcoming Fall Sharathon on Oct 24-28. Volunteers are needed for various jobs and responsibilities during the on-air fundraiser. Contact Redeemer Radio's Director of Community Relations, Jennifer Zurbuch, at Jennifer.Zurbuch@RedeemerRadio.comor call 260-436-9598 to learn more about how you can be a vital part of the Redeemer Radio Family.

Bishop Luers High School Class of 1966

The Bishop Luers High School Class of 1966 will hold its 50th reunion on Saturday, Oct. 1, at Parkview Field 400 Club, next door to the Downtown Marriott Courtyard. Cost is \$55 per person and includes a dinner buffet, beverages and desserts. A cash bar will be available. Gather for Mass at 5 pm at the MacDougal Chapel, followed by the reunion from 6-11 pm Parking is free. For more information, please contact Ron Choka at 260-432-4365.



SACRED HEART PARISH FINANCES

 8/28 Offertory
 \$ 1,736.00

 Loose
 \$ 78.00

 Year to Date Budgeted
 \$ 21,566.67

 Year to Date Actual
 \$ 17,322.35

 Surplus (Shortfall)
 \$ (4,244.32)

 Donation
 \$ 5,068.88

 Visiting Missionaries
 \$ 1,598.50

 May God reward youl

A Devotion in Honor of the Sorrowful Heart of Mary

V. Incline unto my aid, O Lord.

R. O Lord, make haste to help me. Glory Be...

- 1. I compassionate Thee, sorrowing Mary, for that affliction which thy tender heart suffered at the time of the prophecy of the holy old man Simeon. O dear Mother, by thy heart thus afflicted, obtain for me the virtue of humility, and the gift of the fear of God. Hail Mary...
- 2. I compassionate thee, sorrowing Mary, for those bitter pangs which thy most feeling heart suffered in thy flight and sojourn in Egypt. O dear Mother, by thy heart immersed in so great sorrows, obtain for me the virtue of liberality, especially towards the poor, and the gift of piety.

Hail Mary...

- 3. I compassionate thee, sorrowing Mary, for those griefs which thy solicitous heart experienced in the loss of thy beloved Son. O dear Mother, by thy heart filled with maternal anxieties, obtain for me the virtue of chastity and the gift of knowledge. Hail Mary...
- 4. I compassionate thee, sorrowing Mary, for that sorrow which oppressed thy maternal heart, in meeting Jesus carrying His Cross. O dear Mother, by thy most loving heart, so much afflicted, obtain for me the virtue of patience, and the gift of fortitude. Hail Mary...
- 5. I compassionate thee, sorrowing Mary, for that martyrdom which thy generous heart sustained, in being present with thine agonizing Jesus. O dear Mother, by thy heart undergoing so severe a martyrdom, obtain for me the virtue of temperance, and the gift of counsel.

Hail Mary...

6. I compassionate thee, sorrowing Mary, for those pangs which thine afflicted heart endured, when the lance pierced the side of Jesus, and wounded His most amiable Heart. O dear Mother, by thy heart transfixed, obtain for me the virtue of fraternal charity, and the gift of understanding.

Hail Mary...

7. I compassionate thee, sorrowing Mary, for that anguish which thy loving heart experienced in the burial of Jesus. O dear Mother, by thy sacred heart, thus steeped in bitter grief, obtain for me the virtue of diligence, and the gift of wisdom.

Hail Mary...

V. Pray for us, O most sorrowful Virgin, R. That we may be made worthy of the promise of Christ.

Let Us Pray, - We beseech Thee, O Lord Jesus Christ, that the Blessed Virgin Mary whose heart at the time of Thy passion was pierced through with the sword of sorrow, may intercede for us before the throne of mercy, now and at the hour of our death; who, with the Father and the Holy Ghost, lives and reigns, one God, world without end. Amen.