WORLD Here I am, send me NISSION SUNDAY



The celebration of World Mission Day is aimed at supporting the missionary work carried out in my name by the Pontifical Mission Societies, in order to meet the spiritual and material needs of peoples and Churches throughout the world, for the salvation of all. ~Pope Francis

Parish Office Hours

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Mass Schedule

Tuesday	5:30pm
Wednesday-Friday	8:00am
Saturday Vigil Mass	5:00pm
Sunday	8:00am & 10:30am
Holy Day Masses	See Mass Schedule

Sacraments

Penance/Reconciliation

Saturday......4:00pm or by appointment

Sacrament of Baptism

Call Parish office to arrange.

Marriage

At least 6 months prep is required. Call the pastor.

Annointing of the Sick/Communion

Please keep the Parish Office informed of parishioners who are homebound, hospitalized, or in a nursing facility.

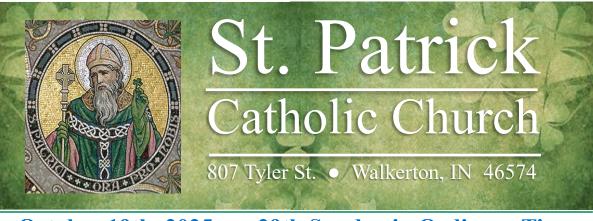
New Parishioners

We are glad you are here! To get acquainted and/or to REGISTER call the Parish Office during office hours .

Rosary

Thursdays 6:30pm & Sundays 5:30 pm





October 19th, 2025 • 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule

Saturday October 18

5:00 pm Richard & Rita Eby+

By Don & Mary Parker

Sunday October 19

8:00 am For the Parish 10:30 am Joan Barth+

By Gary & Karen Barth

Tuesday October 21

5:30 pm Living & Deceased of the Mary Ellen

Coyne Family

Wednesday October 22

8:00 am Tom & Peggy Vild's 65th Anniversary

Thursday October 23

8:00 am William McNamara

By Eric & Lisa Myers

Friday October 24

8:00 am For the Holy Souls

By Kathy Eichstedt

Saturday October 25

5:00 pm Robert Powers+

By Don & Mary Parker

Sunday October 26

8:00 am For the Parish

10:30 am Anniversary Blessings for the

Families of Denny & Eillen Wyant

Ministry Schedule

Saturday October 25 5:00 pm

Proclaimer Janice Allsop EMHC'S Stephanie Daube Server Jacob Daube

Sunday October 26..... 8:00 am

Sunday October 26...... 10:30 am

Proclaimer Pauline Fraiser
EMHC'S Joyce Palmateer
...... Dave Guseilla
Server

Money Counters......Charles KulpEric Myers

Prayer Requests

Dear God, we place our worries in your hands; we place our hospitalized and infirm in your care; and we humbly ask that you restore them to health once more...

Helen Doan
Danny Beem
Nathan Braun
Kackie Chrapliwy
Pauline O'Hern Fraiser
Jennifer Moritz
Terri Schmeltz
Ken Waite
Katherine Ganger
Lyla Hendryx
Bob Holland
Katie JeLovcic

Teresa Kemp Dave, Kaye & Linda Laney Donny Wyant Jessica McGwin Robert Moore, Jr. Tom Rzepka **Brad Schmeltz** Travis Bunch Msgr. Peter Smith Lisl Stemmelen Craig Vandenbouch **Shelley Anderson** Jaxon Bogard Carol Carolyn

Pat G
Paula L.
William & Nancy
Walker
Todd Zellers
Janet Futa

Sheila Gomez
Larry Turner
Dave "Duck"
Kominkiewicz
Donna Banks
Thelma Stachowski
Stephanie McGwin
Judy (Holland) Lemler
Steve Beem
Jeanette O'Brien
Charlotte Walker
Alex Reyes
Lucas Bradshaw
Joyce MacMillan
Georgianne Compton

And all the parishioners who are homebound or reside in nursing homes.

Amen

Parish News

TRIVIA NIGHT SAVE THE DATE

The Knights of Columbus will be holding a trivia night in Letko Hall Saturday, November 8th. Doors will open at 6 and trivia begins at 7. \$10 per person. All are welcome. Bring your own food and drinks. Contact TJ Phelan at Tjphelan1@gmail.com or call 574 -344-7206 to reserve your spot.



ANNUAL BISHOPS APPEAL

WOW! We have again exceeded our ABA goal this year. We are now at \$19,925.00 which is \$7028.51 over. The overage will come directly back to our Parish. Thank you to everyone who contributed to this important campaign.

VISIT FROM OUR VICAR

The Parish had a visit from Rev. Jason Freiburger, Pastor of St. Monica's in Mishawaka who is the Vicar for our Parish. He toured the property, reviewed Parish records, and spoke with us about the activities of our Parish. It was a great visit and her really enjoyed understanding the history of previous pastors, and how Saint Patrick's was formed.

Parish News (continued)

SPOOKY SENIOR SUPPER

Please join us for a Spooktacular evening on Wednesday October 29th at 5:30 pm in Letko Hall for those 60 and up. Polish Sausage, mashed potatoes, green beans, sweet & sour cabbage, and dessert will be served. Please sign up in the back of the church as RSVP is necessary.



PROJECT RACHEL: HEALING AFTER ABORTION

If you are hurting after an abortion, you are not alone. It's normal to grieve a pregnancy loss, including loss through an abortion. It can form a hole in one's heart, a hole so deep that sometimes it seems nothing can fill the emptiness. There is healing through God who is Love and Mercy. Project Rachel is a postabortion reconciliation program offered by the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend. Project Rachel ministers and counsels individuals regardless of religious affiliation. For more information, please visit diocesefwsb.org/project-rachel.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Although the hours of daylight are rapidly dwindling, many people would say that these October days bring the year's most splendid weather. Americans are riders and joggers, not strollers, and so the pleasures of the season are often lost on us. This is not the case with many Jewish people, who observe an ancient rule in walking to synagogue on the Sabbath. On city streets and suburban sidewalks in many cities, we may notice around sunset the nicely dressed families walking and chatting on Friday afternoon. After a short prayer at dusk, the families stroll home again for a relaxing and festive meal. They return to synagogue in the morning, and then spend an afternoon in family leisure until three stars appear in the night sky and Sabbath ends.

Catholics, on the other hand, pile into the car and drive even a short distance to Mass; some even divide the family to participate at different hours. For Jews, the leisurely walk marks a dividing line between hectic life commitments and a day of abundant joy and enrichment. Before we became an automobile culture, Catholics embraced a similar pace, and in most places walked to church. These lovely days of fall invite us to tap into an old and lifegiving tradition. If you live within a mile of your church, walk next week. If you must drive, park at a good distance and walk the rest of the way. Talk about your life, greet strangers, notice the crunch of leaves under your shoes. You may be surprised at how different Sunday Mass feels when it is framed by leisure!

—James Field

Upcoming Events

Oct 19 No Religious Ed.

Oct 20 Klinedinst Family

Church Cleaning

Oct 21 Food Pantry

Oct 27 Borton Family

Church Cleaning

Nov 8 Trivia Night

Thursdays: 6:30 pm Rosary & Adoration

Sundays: 5:30 pm Rosary



Offertory

Regular Collection for

October 5, 2025

Envelopes (31)	.\$1135.00
Loose	\$181.00
Online Giving	\$663.51
Special Envelopes	\$315.00
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Capital Improvement...\$315.00

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Oct 19 World Missions Nov 9 Military Services Diocesan is proud to now be printing

St. Patrick's Sunday Bulletin

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