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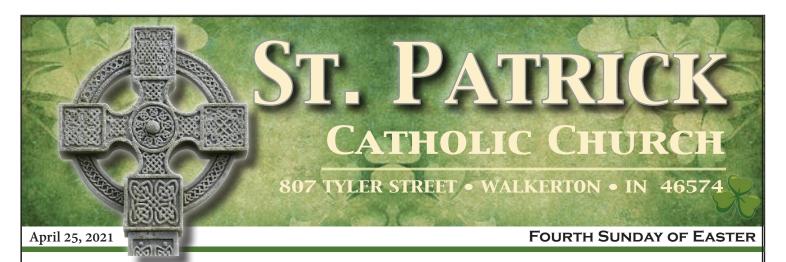
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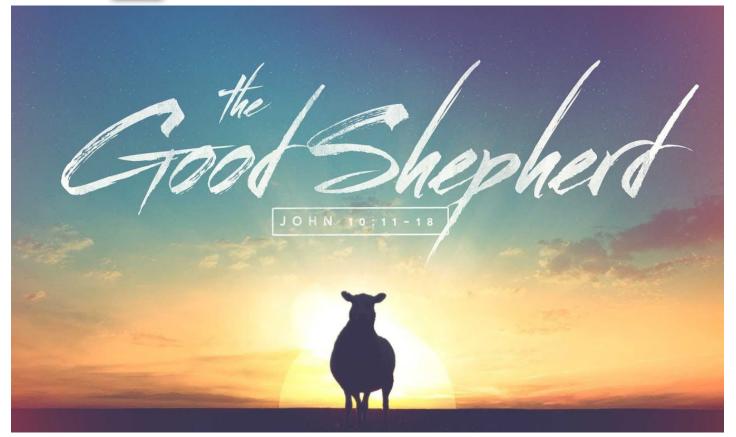


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Tuesday, 5:30pm
Wednesday-Friday, 8am
Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00pm
Sunday Masses:

8:00am &10:30am Holy Day Masses: See Mass Schedule

Sacrament of Baptism:

Call Parish office to arrange.

Marriage: At least 6 months preparation is required. Call the pastor.

Annointing of the Sick/Communion:

Please keep us informed of the sick and homebound, particularly in serious illness. If you know of any parishioner homebound or in the hospital, please let us know.

Penarce/Reconciliation:
Sat., 4pm or by appointment



Mass Schedule

Saturday, April 24

5pm Eileen Wyant Sunday, April 25

8am Richard & Rita Eby + By Don & Mary Parker 10:30am For the People

Tuesday, April 27 5:30pm Fred Kohn +

Wednesday, April 28

8am In Thanksgiving for Carmen Bartista Family

Thursday, April 29

8am In Thanksgiving by

Beem Families

Friday, April 30 8am Germaine Hesters +

Saturday, May 1

5pm Wegenka Family +

By Lorraine Borton

Sunday, May 2

8am Braun Family Birthdays & Anniversaries by Suellen Braun 10:30am For the People

MINISTRY SCHEDULE Saturday, May 1, 5:00 pm

Proclaimer: Janice Allsop Servers: Julia Rudecki

Sunday, May 2, 8:00 am Proclaimer: Cassie Phelan

Servers: Izzy Kogiones
Sunday, May 2, 10:30 am
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Fourth Sunday of Easter

THANK YOU FROM CRS RICE BOWL... Our community changed lives this Lent, CRS Rice Bowl wants to THANK YOU! Our church donation was \$359.75.

SYMPATHY PRAYERS TO THE FAMILY OF PHILIP BRAUN, SR... Phil was an active member of this parish ushering at 8am Mass and a member of the Knights of Columbus. He passed away on April 17th in his home. Our prayers of sympathy are extended to his wife, Suellen Braun and his whole family.

CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL SECOND COLLECTION... Support the Catholic Home Missions Appeal today! Right now, over 40% of diocese in the United States and its territories are considered mission territory, because they are unable to fund essential pastoral activities needed in their communities. Your support funds religious education, seminary formation, lay ministry training and order programs that build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States. Please be generous. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions

MONTH OF MAY CHURCH CLEANING

May 3	TJ Borton Family	
May 10	Brinkhoff Family	
May 17	Lorraine Borton	
May 24	Stephanie Daube	

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE BISHOP: CARE FOR CREATION... Care for Creation is a collaborative effort co-published by the Catholic Association of Diocesan Ecumenical and Interreligious Officers with the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops and Catholic Climate covenant to stimulate the exchange of ideas, promote programs that further the work of Christian unity and interreligious cooperation, and promulgate the Roman Catholic Church's teachings on caring for creation. Creation.cadeio.org is a website created as a call to action to care for our common home where you will find a <u>resource guide</u> that can be downloaded for diocesan, parish and individual use.

DIOCESE LATEST ON HEALTH PROTOCOLS... As Mass crowds increase, parishes are permitted to provide areas of seating that feature three-foot distancing and potentially the use of every pew — if Mass crowds cannot otherwise be accommodated in the church. The prescribed distances surrounding masked cantors and choir members are being relaxed to six feet. Although the state-wide mask mandate is now an advisory, masks will remain required in our churches. The CDC and our Catholic infectious disease consultants recommend retaining that diocesan requirement (which predated the state's mask mandate) for the time being.

BLOOD DRIVES, MARK YOUR CALENDERS... Plan ahead now! Upcoming blood drives at the Walkerton-Lincoln Twp Public Library are scheduled for all of 2021. Schedule: 4/30/21 from 11am-4pm; 6/25/21 from 11am-4pm; 8/20/21 from 11am-4pm; 10/15/21 from 11am-4pm; 12/10/21 from 11am-4pm.

THE KofC COUNCIL 5709/FINANCIAL AID... to those students whose immediate families are members of St. Patrick's attending any grade of college or trade school or in a Catholic Elementary or High School. K of C Council 5709/ Westhues Endowment Fund **Trustees** Bernard approximately \$200/ea as they are able based on the number of applications to eligible students who apply. Financial aid applications are available at the Office. Applications due to the parish debbieandtom73@gmail.com by April 30.

PARISH SUPPORT FOR APRIL 18, 2021

OFFERTORY Regular Collection Envelopes (36)	\$ 1,510.00	SPECIAL ENVELOPES Walkerton Food Pantry	\$ 415.00
Loose Regular Collection Total Special Envelopes Total Collection	\$ 306.30	Capital Improvements Good Friday	\$ 10.00 \$ 5.00

ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE... St. Monica Catholic Church, Mishawaka is holding their Annual Rummage Sale on Friday, June 18 (\$5 donation to shop the Early Bird Evening from 5-7pm), Saturday, June 19, 9-2pm, and Sunday, June 20 (TBA). If you have any items to donate, you may drop them off at Door S6 on Wednesdays and Fridays 3:15-5:15pm, and Saturdays 9-11am. Accepting clothes (new, nice, or gently worn), small appliances, furniture, dishes, knick knacks, electronics, linens, books, kitchen items, holiday items, toys, kids' items, pictures, artwork, yard items, and man cave items. LET THE CHILDREN LEAD: Diocesan-Wide Rosary... May 13, at 10:00 am. On this, the 104th anniversary of the Blessed Mother's first appearance at Fatima, our diocese will unite in praying the Luminous Mysteries. A rosary with our school children will be made available on diocesefwsb.org/let-thechildren-lead as well as on the diocesan Facebook and YouTube channels @diocesefwsb. You are invited to join our school children as they follow Mary and her message at Fatima, either at 10 a.m. when this will be prayed in schools or on your own time.

"Our Mother revealed to the children at Fatima that her Immaculate Heart will triumph. We don't know exactly how that will happen, but it must begin with each one of us, in our own hearts, our own conversion from sin, our own repentance, our own prayer and sacrifices, just as Mary asked for these things from the shepherd children in their own lives... So that's Fatima; that's the Gospel: penance, conversion and growth in faith, hope and love... That's the way to salvation" — Bishop Kevin C. Rhoades.

THE WAY OF ST. JOSEPH PILGRIMAGE... Celebrate the Year of St. Joseph by participating in a family-friendly walking pilgrimage from St. Joseph Church, Mishawaka to St. Joseph Church, South Bend on May 1st, the feast of St. Joseph the Worker. The Way of St. Joseph will begin at 9am at St. Joseph Church, Mishawaka, wind its way along the River Walk, and eventually end up at St. Joseph Church, South Bend. There will be three other on-ramps along the way for families for whom the entire pilgrimage would be too taxing. The event will end with a prayer service, food and fellowship in the fenced-in parking lot and playground at St. Joseph parish. Registration is strongly recommended, but free. For more information and to register, visit: diocesefwsb.org/joseph-pilgrimage.

ANNUAL EIGHTH-GRADE FATIMA ESSAY CONTEST... The 8th grade Fatima essay theme is: Our Lady of Fatima warned that Russia would multiply her errors if we did not honor her request. During Our Lady's last apparition, on October 13, 1917, she identified herself as "I am the Lady of the Rosary," and asks the children to continue to pray the Most Holy Rosary each day. Three weeks later, Russia suffered its revolution and the Christian government was overthrown. Identify one or more errors of Russia and give examples of how we still suffer from these errors today. Also, initiate one of Our Lady of Fatima's request that involves your school and/or parish. Rubic: Essay submissions are written in 12 point/Times New Roman font, no less than 500 words and up to 2500 words in length. All essays need to be submitted no later than May 13, 2021 to Anita Senesac. Email: (preferred) your essay anitasenesac@yahoo.com US or mail your ATTN: 8th Grade Fatima Contest, FWSB WAF Blue Army, Inc P.O. Box 10032

The three \$500 winners will be announced June 5, 2021. We hope you participate in the Fatima Essay contest and enjoy learning about Our Lady of Fatima's most important message of peace!

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... Alice Moore, Katherine Ganger, Craig Vandenbouch, Pauline O'Hern Fraiser, Dave Noble, Ken Waite, Pat G., Jessica McGwin, Tom Rzepka, Carolyn, Linda O., Carol, Jaci Smith, Shellee Anderson, Paula L., Lydia Kolacz, Jack Vukovits, Katie JeLovcic, Lisl, Stemmelen, Bob Holland, Dave, Kaye & Linda Laney, Jaxon Bogard, Brad Schmeltz, Paul Holland, Msgr. Peter Smith, Deb VanArsdale, Mary Vukovits, Nathan Braun, Wilda Henry, Teresa Kemp, Lyla Hendryx, Michael Sentar and all parishioners who are homebound or reside in nursing homes.

New Parishioners

We are glad you are here. To get acquainted and/or register, call the Parish Office to make an appointment during regular business hours by calling 574-586-7152.

Upcoming Events

KofC Financial Aid Deadline: 4/30 Blood Drive Walkerton Library: 4/30 St. Joseph Pilgrimage: 5/1 Let the Children Lead: 5/13 St. Monica Rummage Sale: 6/18-19

Parish Schedule

Parish Office Hours:

Monday through Friday 9am –1pm

Confession: Saturdays 4pm or by appointment

Religious Ed Schedule: Sunday's at 9am

Coffee & Donuts: Suspended KofC Sponsored Pancake Breakfast:

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Rosary: Sundays at 6:30pm in the church All are welcome and encouraged to join.



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