



St. Gaspar del Bufalo Catholic Church

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“We must let it be known how the Blood of Christ cleanses the souls and sanctifies them, particularly by means of the sacraments.”

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY YEAR A

JULY 16, 2023

The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest.



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Chairperson Finance Committee - Cathy Putman
St Gaspar On-Line Giving Site:
<https://www.osvhub.com/st-gaspar-church/funds>
LOOK US UP ON FACEBOOK
Gaspar Del Bufalo
Please, send any info for Facebook to
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Office Hours

Tuesday and Thursday: 8:00am to 4:00pm

Confessions

20 Minutes before each Mass

Saturday and Sunday

Wednesday 8:30am to 9:00am

Saturdays 9:00am to 10:00am

except first Saturday of the Month.

You can also schedule a private one by calling the office.

Adoration

Wednesday 8:30am to 9:00am

Precious Blood Adoration

First Tuesday of the Month

6:00pm to 7:00pm

July 9, 2023 Collections

Weekly Collection	5285.26
Donations	2470.00
Votives	100.10
Emergency Fund	60.00
St. Vincent DePaul	145.00
Copier	59.34
Pictures	15.00
Peter's Pence	20.00
Golf	2059.00
Total	10213.70

Thank you for your generous giving

JULY BIRTHDAYS

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|------------------------|------------------------|
| 7/3 Dave Desper | 7/4 Kathy Pfister |
| 7/5 Lynn Weaver | 7/11 Ryan Bond |
| 7/11 Lanny Leppo | 7/12 Ed Keil |
| 7/12 Suzanne Jordan | 7/13 Rick Arend |
| 7/13 Jennifer Dukehart | 7/15 Lucy Higginbotham |
| 7/16 Roberta O'Boyle | 7/17 Sue Burns |
| 7/18 Dan Tatman | 7/18 Mary Krouse |
| 7/18 Barney Farris | 7/20 Molly Morris |
| 7/21 Dave Bowers | 7/22 Eric Hulen |
| 7/25 Sue Dukehart | 7/26 Madeline Lock |
| 7/29 Greg Luebke | |



We extend our sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of Phillip Millus and Ralph Christman. May they rest in the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ.

JUBILEE ANNIVERSARY MASS AND RECEPTION-FORT WAYNE

All couples celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, 65th or 70th wedding anniversary this year, along with their families, are invited to attend the Jubilee Anniversary Mass with Bishop Rhoades on Sunday, Sept. 10, at 11:30 a.m. at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. A ticketed reception will follow in the hall at St. Mary, Mother of God parish. Anniversary couples will receive a commemorative certificate and two free tickets to the reception. Additional reception tickets for family and friends may be purchased for \$10 each. Children age 10 and under may attend the reception at no charge. To register, go to diocesefwsb.org/anniversary-masses.



Do you love to cook? Or do you cook, but have no idea what to make? We are working on a cookbook to help you with that! Please bring at least five of your favorite recipes to share. We will do all of the work to fill the cookbook but we need your recipes. Please pick up the forms from the white box, in the gathering area, fill them out and drop them in the other white box. Please get your recipes in by August 13th. We look forward to some delicious, yummy, food!

**FROM THE CATECHISM:
PART ONE: THE PROFESSION OF FAITH
SECTION TWO I. THE CREEDS
CHAPTER TWO I BELIEVE IN JESUS CHRIST,
THE ONLY SON OF GOD.**

**Article 3 THE MYSTERIES OF CHRIST'S LIFE
Paragraph 3. THE MYSTERIES OF JESUS'
PUBLIC LIFE**

The signs of the kingdom of God

547 Jesus accompanies his words with many "mighty works and wonders and signs", which manifest that the kingdom is present in him and attest that he was the promised Messiah.

548 The signs worked by Jesus attest that the Father has sent him. They invite belief in him. To those who turn to him in faith, he grants what they ask. So miracles strengthen faith in the One who does his Father's works; they bear witness that he is the Son of God. But his miracles can also be occasions for "offence"; they are not

intended to satisfy people's curiosity or desire for magic. Despite his evident miracles some people reject Jesus; he is even accused of acting by the power of demons.

549 By freeing some individuals from the earthly evils of hunger, injustice, illness and death, Jesus performed messianic signs. Nevertheless he did not come to abolish all evils here below, but to free men from the gravest slavery, sin, which thwarts them in their vocation as God's sons and causes all forms of human bondage.

550 The coming of God's kingdom means the defeat of Satan's: "If it is by the Spirit of God that I cast out demons, then the kingdom of God has come upon you." Jesus' exorcisms free some individuals from the domination of demons. They anticipate Jesus' great victory over "the ruler of this world". The kingdom of God will be definitively established through Christ's cross: "God reigned from the wood."

DIVINE GOLF 2023



Congratulations to Our 2nd Place team



Longest Drive : Dave Spoltman



MASS INTENTIONS		
Saturday	4:30PM	✠ Dale Hummer
Sunday	7:30AM	People of the Parish
	10:00AM	✠ Chuck Pluchar
Monday	NO MASS	
Tuesday	8:00AM	✠ Ginny Roesler
Wednesday	8:00AM	✠ Lina Rice
Thursday	8:00AM	✠ Kathleen Costello
Friday	8:00AM	✠ Grace Hanewinckel

Ladies!

JOIN US FOR THE KINGDOM BUILDERS
 Outstretched arms-Deep within our souls, we know we were created for something more; we were chosen for a greater purpose. Our Heavenly Father awaits each of His beloved daughters with outstretched arms. Ladies Come and rest in Jesus and allow him to unveil the “more” for which your soul was created., Indiana
 Tuesday, July 18th at 7:00 pm
 St. Mary’s Catholic Church-Avilla
www.buildingthrough him.com

July 23, 2023 MINISTRY SCHEDULE					
Altar Cloth: Pam Neu			Altar Flowers: Karen Edwards		
Ushers and Greeters			Altar Servers		
4.30PM	7:30AM	10:00AM	4.30PM	7:30AM	10:00AM
Jerry Goldsmith	Dave Singleton	Tom Pfister	Paige McDonald	Kaleb Strater	George Vandermier
Nancy Goldsmith	Jeff Strong	Gary Shull	Natalie McDonald	Sam Strater	or Matt Kelty
Mike Uszak (Hall)	Bill Creigh (Hall)	Sam Lash (Hall)			
Proclaimers: Saturday and Sunday			Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion		
4:30PM	7:30AM	10:00AM	4:30PM	7:30AM	10:00AM
Mandy McDonald	Ed Keil	Kelly Payne	Janie Schoenle	Dave Putman	Deacon Ray
	Sharon Wilsey	Edwina Payne	Gail Martin	Cathy Putman	Bob Distler
			John Kessen	Roberta O’Boyle	Meg Distler
			Bob Berghoff	Kevin Strater	John Cazier
			Macharri Vorndran Jones	Steve Smith	Terry Luebke
			volunteer	volunteer	Mary Krouse
Proclaimer Daily Masses			Collections		
July 18	Elena Lock		July 18	Roberta O’Boyle	Vicki Domer
July 25	Tim Worman		July 25	Margaret Baskett	Roberta O’Boyle
August 1	Mary Krouse		August 1	Mary Krouse	Nancy Goldsmith
August 8	Sharon Wisey		August 11	Laura Weaver	Vicki Domer
Please call Karen 260-336-1703, if you are unable to serve. Thanks					