



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.”

CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY YEAR A

JUNE 11, 2023

The Body
and the
Blood of
Jesus
whisper
peace
within.



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St Gaspar On-Line Giving Site:
<https://www.osvhub.com/st-gaspar-church/funds>

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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 confession by calling the office.

Adoration

Wednesday 8:30am to 9:00am

Precious Blood Adoration

First Tuesday of the Month

6:00 pm to 7:00pm

THEOLOGY ON TAP-FORT WAYNE

Young people in their 20s and 30s are invited to the Summer 2023 Theology on Tap Series titled "Discovering God's Image." The weekly series runs every Tuesday from June 20 through July 25, and begins with a panel discussion titled "Dignity of Work: Reflecting the Creator." Individuals of any faith are encouraged to attend. The event is hosted at the University of Saint Francis Cougar Den at 2701 Spring Street in Fort Wayne. Doors open with food and a cash bar at 6:30 p.m. Weekly talks begin at 7 p.m. Come for the food and drink, explore your faith, and invite a friend. Learn more about the series at diocesefwsb.org/tot-fw.

EUCCHARISTIC SAINT FOR JUNE: ST. THOMAS MORE

St. Thomas More (1478-1535) was born in London. With a reputation for being honest and effective, he served King Henry VIII, rising to become Lord Chancellor in 1529. Thomas was ultimately beheaded by the King for his fidelity to the Catholic faith. Of the Eucharist, he said, "Now, when we have received Our Lord, let us not then leave Him alone as we get involved in other things. Instead, let all our concern be focused on Him. Let us by devout prayer and

meditation talk with Him. Let us say with the prophet: 'I will hear what our Lord will speak within me.' If we set aside all other things and attend to Him, He will inspire us and grant us great spiritual comfort and profit. Having received the Blessed Sacrament, we have a special time of prayer. Let us not allow this occasion to slip by." St. Thomas More's feast day is June 22. Learn more about his Eucharistic devotion at diocesefwsb.org/eucharist.

EUCCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE SITE FOR JUNE: SS. PETER AND PAUL HUNTINGTON

Each month, you are invited to take a self-guided pilgrimage to a site of Eucharistic significance in the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend. The June pilgrimage site is SS. Peter and Paul in Huntington. This is the final pilgrimage site of this 12-month pilgrimage. Pilgrims are invited to download a pilgrimage passport

at diocesefwsb.org/eucharist and self-stamp the passport each time you visit a site. If you missed a month, you may go back to that pilgrimage site and still self-stamp by writing the date of your visit. When six sites have been visited, bring the passport to Divine Mercy Gifts in South Bend or to [Good Shepherd Books & Gifts](https://www.goodshepherdbooks.com/) in Fort Wayne to receive a free gift!

EUCCHARISTIC REFLECTION FOR JUNE: SENT FORTH

The love that we celebrate in the Eucharist is not something we can keep to ourselves. By its very nature, it demands to be shared with all. The new evangelization calls for personal involvement on the part of each of the baptized. Every Christian is a missionary to the extent that he or she has encountered the love of God in Christ

Jesus. Anyone who has truly experienced God's saving love does not need much time or lengthy training to go out and proclaim that love. All of us are called to offer others an explicit witness to the saving love of the Lord. Let us adore Jesus who ever remains with us, on all the altars of the world, and lead others to share in our joy! Read this month's full reflection at diocesefwsb.org/eucharist.

**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 baptism of Jesus
537 Through Baptism the Christian is sacramentally assimilated to Jesus, who in his own baptism anticipates his death and resurrection. the Christian must enter into this mystery of humble self-abasement and repentance, go down into the water with Jesus in order to rise with him, be reborn of water and the Spirit so as to become the Father's beloved son in the Son and "walk in newness of life":
Let us be buried with Christ by Baptism to rise

with him; let us go down with him to be raised with him; and let us rise with him to be glorified with him.

Everything that happened to Christ lets us know that, after the bath of water, the Holy Spirit swoops down upon us from high heaven and that, adopted by the Father's voice, we become sons of God.

Jesus' temptations
538 The Gospels speak of a time of solitude for Jesus in the desert immediately after his baptism by John. Driven by the Spirit into the desert, Jesus remains there for forty days without eating; he lives among wild beasts, and angels minister to him. At the end of this time Satan tempts him three times, seeking to compromise his filial attitude toward God. Jesus rebuffs these attacks, which recapitulate the temptations of Adam in Paradise and of Israel in the desert, and the devil leaves him "until an opportune time".

LOST & FOUND: A ring was found in the parish hall last weekend please call the church office to identify and pick up. 854-3100

Have you thought about using your talents here at St. Gaspar? Please consider Joining the ministry of St. Gaspar Parish! We need you! Please join us Saturday June 17, 2023 for an informational meeting to address how to serve in each ministry.

9:00-10:00 am Ushers/Servers
10:00-11:00 am Eucharistic Ministers
11:00am -12:00 pm for Lectors

Please sign up in the gathering area!
Sandwiches will be served. **GOD BLESS YOU!**

June 4, 2023 Collections	
Weekly Collection	3362.50
Donations	900.00
Votives	56.05
Children	5.00
Emergency Fund	20.00
ABA Over Goal	750.00
Divine Golf	300.00
Pentecost Seminarian Educ.	150.00
Sanctuary Flowers	190.00
Cemetery	500.00
Total	6233.55

Thank you for your generous giving

It's time for our new Parish Directory!
Our church Family Album will not be complete without you! The dates are July 13-15. Everyone who is photographed will receive a complimentary 8 x10 portrait and a directory! Please sign up in the gathering area.

The Parish Council will meet Tuesday June 13th at 7:00 p.m.

Attention Ladies of the Parish!
Please join the Altar & Rosary Sodality for a meeting and a carry in dinner this Tuesday, June 13th at 5:00 pm.
We hope to see you there!

MASS INTENTIONS		
Saturday	4:30PM	✠ Kathy Costello
Sunday	7:30AM	✠ Rita Garrett
	10:00AM	People of the Parish
Monday	NO MASS	
Tuesday	8:00AM	✠ Suzanne Arnold
Wednesday	8:00AM	✠ Rose Worman
Thursday	8:00AM	✠ Kathleen Costello
Friday	8:00AM	✠ Dennis Hogan



St. Gaspar Parish would like to Congratulate Elena and Madeline Lock for graduating with honors from Kolbe Academy!

Come join in the fun!! Please join us for
BOARD GAME BONANZA
 June 24, 2023 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

June 18, MINISTRY SCHEDULE					
Altar Cloth: Roberta O'Boyle			Altar Flowers: Vicki Domer		
Ushers and Greeters			Altar Servers		
4.30PM	7:30AM	10:00AM	4.30PM	7:30AM	10:00AM
Mike Edwards	Matt Martin	Bob Distler	Grant Lake	Kaleb Strater	George Vandermeir
Karen Edwards	Kiaya Martin	Meg Distler	Cole Lake	Sam Strater	Or Matt Kelty
Proclaimers: Saturday and Sunday			Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion		
4:30PM	7:30AM	10:00AM	4:30PM	7:30AM	10:00AM
Sara Lake	Dan Tatman	John Edwards	Machari Vorndran Jones	Steve Smith	Al Langsenkamp
	Kaleb Strater	Ben Schortgen	Janie Schoenle	Laura Weaver	Terry Langsenkamp
			Gail Martin	Robin Aspy	John Cazier
			John Kessen	Deacon Ray	Terry Luebke
			Volunteer	Mary Krouse	Terry Gust & Mary Lash
Proclaimer Daily Masses			Collections		
June 13	Sharon Wilsey		June 13	Roberta O'Boyle	Margaret Baskett
June 20	Elena Lock		June 20	Mary Krouse	Nancy Goldsmith
June 27	NO MASS		June 27	Laura Weaver	Vicki Domer
July 4	Mary Krouse		July 3	Roberta O'Boyle	Margaret Baskett
Please call Karen 260-336-1703, if you are unable to serve. Thanks					