

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*The Son of Man
will send His angels*

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ST. CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC CHURCH

SUNDAY, JULY 19, 2026

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The mission of St. Charles is to spread the life-saving message
of Jesus Christ through the Sacraments,
Prayer and Service to others.

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Bishop of Fort Wayne/South Bend
Monsignor Tom Shoemaker, Pastor
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MASSES

Saturday, July 18, Vigil, Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. † Emma Momper

Sunday, July 19, Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. † Sharon Saron

9:00 a.m. † Tom Eckrich

11:00 a.m. † Deceased Members of Enyedy & Lothamer Families

5:00 p.m. For Our Parish Community

Monday, July 20, Weekday, St. Apollinaris, Bishop & Martyr

6:15 a.m. † Harry Miller

7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions

8:15 a.m. † Dr. Robert Schleinkofer & Jeff Davis

6:30 p.m. † Evelyn Siegel

Tuesday, July 21, Weekday, St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Doctor of the Church

6:15 a.m. † Evelyn Potts

7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions

8:15 a.m. † Maurice Linder

6:30 p.m. † Cesar de la Guardia

Wednesday, July 22, St. Mary Magdalene

6:15 a.m. † Mary Ann Doelling

7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions

8:15 a.m. † Joan Klein

6:30 p.m. † Helen Nieder

Thursday, July 23, Weekday, St. Bridget, Religious

6:15 a.m. † Kathrine Thrower

7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions

8:15 a.m. † Jordan Miller

6:30 p.m. † Richard Sines

7:00 p.m. Confessions

Friday, July 24, Weekday, St. Sharbel Makhluf

6:15 a.m. † George & Theresa Eix

7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions

8:15 a.m. † Alvin & Irene Kleber

6:30 p.m. † Joseph & Christina Florin

7:00 p.m. Adoration & Benediction

Saturday, July 25, St. James, Apostle

7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions

8:15 a.m. † Roger A. Steup, Sr. & Riley Enrietto

2:30-4:30 p.m. Confessions

Saturday, July 25, Vigil, Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. † Mark Buchler

Sunday, July 26, Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. For Our Parish Community

9:00 a.m. † Barbara J. Davies

11:00 a.m. † Rudny Family

5:00 p.m. For Our Parish Community

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 19

Sun., July 19: Wis 12.13, 16-19/Rom 8.26-27/Mt 13.24-30

Mon., July 20: Mi 6.1-4, 6-8/Mt 12.38-42

Tues., July 21: Mi 7.14-15, 18-20/Mt 12.46-50

Wed., July 22: Sg 3.1-4b/Jn 20.1-2, 11-18

Thurs., July 23: Jer 2.1-3, 7-8, 12-13/Mt 13.10-17

Fri., July 24: Jer 3.14-17/Mt 13.18-23

Sat., July 25: 2 Cor 4.7-15/Mt 20.20-28



OVERCOMING WEAKNESS

Reading I

Wisdom 12.13, 16-19
(On God's mercy)

Reading II

Romans 8.26-27
(The intercession of the Spirit)

Gospel

Matthew 13.24-30
(The parable of the weeds)

Key Passage: Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words.

Adults: What weakness can the power of the Spirit help you overcome?

Child: When will you need the help of the Holy Spirit this week?

Saturday, July 25

5:00 p.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Edward Koors, Linda Schneider, Marijo Sliger, Kirk & Lisa York

Altar Servers: Maddy Marshall, Cohe O'Rourke, Alie Saleem, JJ Coleman

Lector: Brooke Barton, Joe Tratnyek

Sacristan: Gerry Brubaker

Sunday, July 26

7:30 a.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Mona Sproat, Margie Stier, Lori Stock

(1 Volunteer Needed)

(C Maggie Kleber)

Altar Servers: Matthew Bulanda,

Henry Gabet, Lilyana Ealing

(1 Volunteer Needed)

Master to Ceremonies: Danny Jacob

Lector: Nik Kleber, Lillian Lothamer

Sacristan: Christy Jacob

9:00 a.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Tom Ade, Audrey Clauser, Stephanie Keefer,

Ezenwa Opara, Theresa Thissen,

Kathy Vande Zande

(C Jan Hoy)

Altar Servers: Luke Clauser,

Annabelle Keefer, Elizabeth Keefer,

Lincoln Wilson

Master of Ceremonies: Vincent Clauser

Lector: Bev Peters, Dennis Redding

Sacristan: Emma Peat

11:00 a.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Edwin Capuyan, Carole Fuller, Bill Jackson,

Kelly Tippmann, Judi Ueber

(C Tes Sanderlin)

Altar Servers: Bela Antunovic,

Christina Lun, Olivia Stroh, Bexleigh Bokhart

Master of Ceremonies: Rafael J. Cucueco

Lector: Cindy O'Shaughnessey,

Matthew O'Shaughnessey

Sacristan: Darlene Simpson

5:00 p.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Chuck Luther, Dave Stevens

(2 Volunteers Needed)

(C Debbie Stevens)

Altar Servers: Gabriela Morris, David Morris,

Joey Williams, Frannie Silkworth

Master of Ceremonies: Rafael J. Cucueco

Lectors: Nicole Scott, Annie Shank

Sacristan: Lynn Adamson

Fr. Tom



Religious Education

SPIRITUAL PEER SUPPORT GROUP



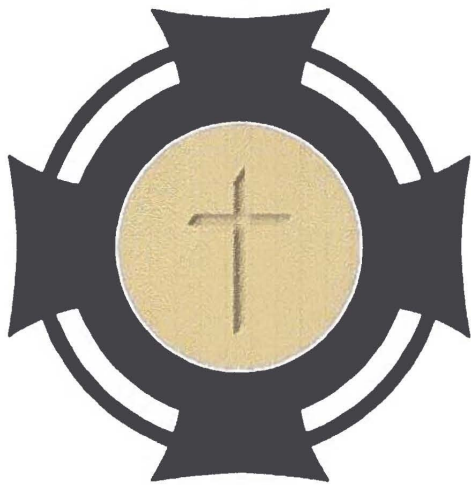
Contact: mental.health.wellness@scbfbw.org

Are you or someone you know interested in Becoming Catholic?

You and that someone are invited to
our first OCIA session on August 11th.

Call Casey Ryan at the office
for more info: 260-969-4026

Please Join Us for our next...



VOCATIONS HOLY HOUR

Wednesday, July 29th at 6:30 pm

OUR LADY OF GOOD HOPE CATHOLIC CHURCH

7215 St. Joe Road | Fort Wayne

SVdP Walk for Hope



Thank you to St. Charles Church, our parishioners, corporate sponsors, and all walkers for your generous support of the 2026 St. Charles SVdP **Walk for Hope** fundraising event. Your gifts of time, talent, and financial support make a meaningful difference, and we are deeply grateful for your continued commitment.

We invite you to join us in fighting hunger and homelessness in our community by becoming a sponsor of the **10th Annual SVdP Walk for Hope**, held on **Sunday, October 4, 2026**, at **Parkview Field** in downtown Fort Wayne. Your partnership helps us serve our Neighbors with compassion, dignity, and hope.

If you are interested in sponsoring or partnering with SVdP, please contact **Herb J. Halley** at Herbjhalley@gmail.com or by phone at **317-750-2713**.

If you know a Neighbor in need, please reach out to the **St. Charles Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society Helpline** at **260-446-3112**.

Thank you for your thoughtful consideration, your generosity, and your prayers for our Neighbors.

Virtual, In-Person Taizé Prayer Scheduled for August 11

Join the Sisters of Providence of Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, Indiana, for song, quiet contemplation and inspiring readings during the ecumenical Taizé Prayer service from 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 11. People of all faith traditions are welcome to this service which takes place the second Tuesday of every month. Join us in person in the Church of the Immaculate Conception at Saint Mary-of-the-Woods or via livestream. Find a livestream link and learn more at Taize.SistersofProvidence.org.

Please pray for the following members of our parish community who will soon marry.



**I & II Addison Shovek—
Elliott Tippmann**
I Diana Becerril—Adam Kien



MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Are all your conversations with your spouse about the chore list, work, or transporting kids? Does the busy-ness in your life leave you too tired for

romance? Do you "tune-out" of conversations? Sounds like time for a "Tune-Up"!

**Lindenwood Retreat Center, Plymouth IN
June 26-28**

A Marriage Encounter Experience is a unique opportunity for married couples to get away from work, kids, or other obligations and focus on each other. You deserve time to reconnect and rekindle the romance in your marriage. Apply at www.wwme.org, or contact Jeff and Brenda with any questions at: application@wwme-ni.org or 260-484-1664.

Couples who attend a Marriage Encounter Experience:

- Experience greater intimacy and joy in their marriage.
- Live the true meaning of the Sacrament of Marriage as Christ intended.
- Feel a greater connection to their parish and priests.

Divine Will Cenacle

*Adoration
Following
Cenacle*

*Thy Will be done
on earth as it is in
Heaven.*

When: 1st & 3rd Wed
7:00 - 8:30 PM

Where: St. Charles
Community Room



Joe Heschmeyer, staff apologist of Catholic Answers will be giving a Retreat at Mother of the Redeemer Retreat Center in Bloomington, IN on August 14th - 16th, 2026. Joe's introduction to Catholic apologetics came with his blog "Shameless Popery" which he launched in 2009 to share the truth of Jesus Christ and his Catholic Church.

The title of the retreat is,
"The Eucharist, Mary & the Early Church"
Call: 812-825-4642 ext.1 or maryschildren.com

Bibles & Burgers with Fr. Drew and Mason

6:00-7:30pm every Thursday in June and July on the lawn by the Hession Ctr.



what to bring: your family, lawn chairs, drinks, a side dish to share

SIGN UP NOW TO TAKE HOME THE ST. CHARLES VOCATION CROSS

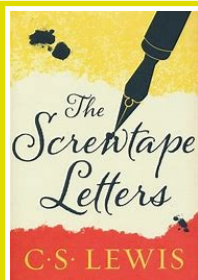
Month of **JULY & AUGUST**

Sign-up book is located in the
Gathering Space

We are in need of more people to take home the Vocation Crucifix. Simply pick up the crucifix in the old sacristy before or after Mass and pray the short prayers in the included booklet each day to encourage more vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. The Vocation Cross would need to be returned to the Sacristy before the following weekend Masses. If you have questions, please ask a priest, or call the parish office.



Yeast which a woman kneaded....Say thanks today to that special woman who has kneaded the yeast of God's love into your life. Pray God's blessing on all people who bring heaven and light.



There will be a book study on C.S. Lewis's book, "The Screwtape Letters." This is a fictional conversation between an apprentice demon and a seasoned demon, to turn souls away from God and condemn them to hell. C.S. Lewis's book will help us recognize temptation and help us battle against sin. And with the Catechism, we will learn how to use the teachings of Christ to outwit the devil.

This 5 week study will be offered on Tuesday evenings 7:15 p.m. to 9:15. p.m., starting August 18. We are meeting in Rooms C & D in the Hession Center.

Please see the bulletin for more information.

ST. MONICA PRAYER GROUP EVERY TUESDAY, 6:00 P.M.

The Friends of St. Monica say the rosary every Tuesday evening at 6:00 p.m. There are baskets in the back of the church with paper/pen for anyone to write the names of those they would like us to pray for on Tuesday nights. We also have a basket on the tables in the back of church with free copies of the Novena to St. Monica for you to take and say at home. Join us on Tuesday evenings or pray along at home!!



Sponsor of the Week

(Driving Academy)

**MAINTENANCE POSITION
FULL TIME — NIGHTS
GREAT PAY AND BENEFITS.
CONTACT STEVE SPRINGER AT 260-969-4029**

PILGRIMAGE TO IRELAND

Fr. Jay Horning will be leading a 9-day "Saints & Scholars" Pilgrimage to Ireland Sept. 7-15, 2026.

Contact Mary Hilger 260-438-8356

Register for the pilgrimage on the link:

<https://stcharlespilgrimages.com/horning>

29th Annual Right to Life of Northeast IN October 12, 2026

For the past 29 years, we have hosted our annual Fall Banquet and invited area businesses to support the event. Churches can help by:

- Becoming an event sponsor
- Hosting a table at the banquet-table of 8= \$400
- Purchasing a program advertisement to help off set printing costs

Featured Guests:

This year, we are honored to welcome keynote speaker **Keyleigh McEnany** to the Memorial Coliseum, along with a testimony from **David Scotton**, whose story inspired the film "LIFEMARK."

Keyleigh McEnany is the former White House press secretary and currently hosts *Saturday in America* and co-hosts *Outnumbered* on Fox News Channel.

The link below includes additional details about the event. Contact information is also included below if you have any questions. Thank you for considering support for our organization and for helping advance our mission to protect life from conception to natural death.

29th Annual Fall Banquet -

<https://www.ichooselife.org/resources/events/upcoming-events/29th-annual-fall-banquet>

ROSARY, MASS ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Friday, July 24

Rosary—6:00 p.m.

Mass—6:30 p.m.

After Mass 7:00 p.m.
Adoration & Benediction

ST. CHARLES FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

07/01/2026 - 06/30/2027

July 12, 2026

Budgeted Collection Needed	\$	43,010.00
July 12	\$	38,054.54
Deficit This Week	\$	4,955.46
Surplus Fiscal Year to Date	\$	9,464.69