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## MASSES

### Saturday, August 16, Vigil, Twentieth Sunday in **Ordinary Time**

5:00 p.m. † Eric Anthony

### Sunday, August 17, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

For Our Parish Community 7:30 a.m.

9:00 a.m. † Denny Hatfield

† Living & Deceased Members of Larry 11:00 a.m.

**Brost Family** 

5:00 p.m. † Ric Stoner

### Monday, August 18, Weekday

† Katie Bloom 6:15 a.m. 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions † Joanna Jacobs 8:15 a.m. 6:30 p.m. † Pamela Wolfe

### Tuesday, August 19, Weekday, St. John Eudes, Priest

† John & Jean Braff 6:15 a.m. 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions † David Abbot 8:15 a.m.

> † Living & Deceased of Mettler & 6:30 p.m. DeGrandchamp Families

### Wednesday, August 20, St. Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church

6:15 a.m. Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions † Patrick & Jessica Murphy 8:15 a.m.

† Eugene "Bob" Wagner 6:30 p.m.

### Thursday, August 21, St. Pius X, Pope

† Frank & Rita Carteaux 6:15 a.m.

7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions † Living & Deceased of the Kindred 8:15 a.m.

Family † Tom & Teresa Dirig 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Confessions

### Friday, August 22, The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:15 a.m. † James Van Buran 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions

8:15 a.m. Priests. Deacons & Seminarians

Special Intention CF 6:30 p.m.

### Saturday, August 23, Weekday, St. Rose of Lima, Virgin

7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions 8:15 a.m. † Gustav Enyedy 2:30-4:30 p.m. Confessions

### Saturday, August 23, Vigil, Twenty-First Sunday in **Ordinary Time**

5:00 p.m. † Deceased Members of the Mettler Family

### Sunday, August 17, Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary **Time**

7:30 a.m. For Our Parish Community 9:00 a.m. † Msgr. John Suelzer George Schenkel 11:00 a.m.

† John Wilkinson 5:00 p.m.

"It is a good and holy thought to pray for the dead. Our Beepest (2 Maccabees 12)

We extend our sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of Mary P. Hornak.



### TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

An Unsettling Truth

### Reading 1

Jeremiah 38.4-6,8-10 (Jeremiah in the miry cistern)

Gospel: Reading II

Hebrews 12.1-4 (God's treatment of his sons and daughters)

Luke 12.49-53 (Jesus' mission of division)

Key Passage: Jesus said, "Do you think that I have come to establish peace on the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division.'

Adult: What has your taking a strong stand on a moral issue created division rather than healing in the short team?

Child: Is it important to do the right thing even if others are angry as a result? Why or why not?

Saturday, August 23 5:00 p.m. Extr

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Gerry Brubaker, Edward Koors,

Kevin Hoersten, Becky Kien, Kathy O'Neil

Altar Servers: Gianna Colone, Gabby Colone, Lincoln Miller

Master of Ceremonies: Mason Vogelwede Lectors: Steve Harper, Joe Tratnyek Sacristan: Gerry Brubaker

Sunday, August 24
7:30 a.m. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Stephanie Eifrid, Krystle Harless, Marijo Sliger,

Mona Sproat (C Jane Relue)

Altar Servers: Joey Gabet, Andrew Jacob,

Violet James

Master of Ceremonies: Danny Jacob

Lector: Cece Dunderman, Ron Russell, Jr.

Sacristan: Christy Jacob

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

Arianne Davis, Katie Eckrich, Lee & Trinh Ly, Ezenwa Opara, Dan Vought, Sr.

(C Kathy Vande Zande)
Altar Servers: Sophia Crates, Vincent Mathews, Samantha Voors Master to Ceremonies: Lily Hilger Lectors: Patricia Henry, Emily Parker

Sacristan: Jill Redding

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

Edwin Capuyan, Betty Dobosz, Kate Jones, Teresa Michel, Elaine Moser, Rhonda Walton (C Thomas Auer)

Altar Servers: Addy Jones, Noah Jones,

Joseph Lavelle

Master of Ceremonies: Ronnie Buskirk Lectors: Cindy O'Shaughnessey, Matthew O'Shaughnessey Sacristan: Julie Weingartner

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Audrey Stauffer, Dave Stevens 5:00 p.m.

(2 Volunteers Needed) (C Debbie Stevens)

Altar Servers: Deacon Hartman, Bryson Merrell, Liam Shannon Master of Ceremonies: Rafael J. Cucueco Lectors: Debra Rorick, Nicole Scott

Sacristan: Lynn Adamson



### MARK YOUR CALENDARS: CARDINAL FEST IS COMING!!



St. Charles will host our annual CARDINAL FEST this September—our beloved parish family festival! Bring your family and join in the fun. Below are the key dates and events. Stay tuned for more details in the coming weeks!

Friday, September 5

Junior High Dance for Grades 6th-8th: 6:30 PM-8:30 PM

#### Saturday, September 6

Carnival and Games: 3:00 PM-7:00 PM
Food/Drink Vendors: 3:00 PM-7:00 PM
FREE Bingo: 4:00 PM-6:00 PM
Adult Beer/Music Tent: 7:30 PM-11:00 PM

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HOW CAN YOUR BUSINESS AND YOU HELP? We are seeking sponsors to help offset festival expenses and offer businesses an opportunity to connect with our parish community. Sponsorship levels start at \$100, and all contributions are deeply appreciated.

To learn more, please email stcharlescardinalfest@gmail.com or contact Stephanie Keefer at 260-415-7200 or visit www.cardinalfest.com.

### MUSHBALL A GAME FOR ALL:

A Kinder, Gentler Softball
The Knights of Columbus Council 451
would like to invite you and at least nine of
your closest friends to join us in a friendly
one-day Mushball tournament on Saturday,
September 6, on the baseball field at St.
Charles. We're hosting an adults-only event
to introduce Mushball to our parish



to introduce Mushball to our parish community and add to the fun of the Cardinal Fest activities! The cost to enter a team is \$50, and members of the winning team will receive a few complimentary drink tickets to enjoy in the Cardinal Fest beer tent (21+). There is a limit of 8 teams, and the schedule will be determined by the number of teams. The tournament will end no later than 7:00 p.m. Email knights451fw@gmail.com or mike.ripley50@gmail.com or call Mike Ripley at 260-205-3690 for more information or to enter a team.

### Central Catholic Class of 1958 Reunion

Saturday, August 23, 2025 from 12:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.
American Legion Post 47
601 Reed Rd, Fort Wayne 46815
\$15 per person at the door
Contact: Robert Schlensker (260) 341-7482

### **Ave Maria Prayer & Concert**

Honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary Sunday September 7, from 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m. Located at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 943 Powers Street, New Haven, IN, 46774 JOIN US! FREE AND OPEN TO ALL. For more info., call 260-493-4553

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<b>Budgeted Collection Needed</b>	\$	42,320.00
August 10 Collection	\$	20,684.22
This Week	\$	(21,635.78)
Fiscal Year to Date	\$	31,318.98

Many children are in need of foster care, a temporary or long-term family environment where they can thrive. If you would like to learn more about foster care and the support which is provided to families, contact Beloved Shepherd, a local organization which provides training, respite care, and support for foster families. They can be reached at belovedshepherd1@gmail.com or 260-422-9243.

## Friends of St. Zélie Family Picnic All Are Welcome!

Saturday, August 23 • 11:00 AM • Youth Center

Join the Friends of St. Zélie, our Ministry for Mothers, as we kick off the new school year with a family picnic! Bring your kids, spouses, and a dish to share—there will be food, fellowship, and fun for all ages. Whether you're a returning member or curious to learn more about the group, this is a perfect opportunity to meet other Catholic families in a relaxed and joyful setting.

RSVP & sign up to bring a dish at this link or use the QR code: www.stcharlesfortwayne.org/friends-of-saint-zelieimage.png

Questions?
Email Caela Kleber at caelamillar@gmail.com



#### **OUTDOOR PRAISE NIGHT**

Immaculate Conception Parish, Auburn Sunday, August 17

4:00 p.m.—Adam Trudel & Friends 5:00 p.m.—Grateful Hearts 6:00 p.m.—Fr. Drew & Friends

> Bring Family & Friends All Are Welcome

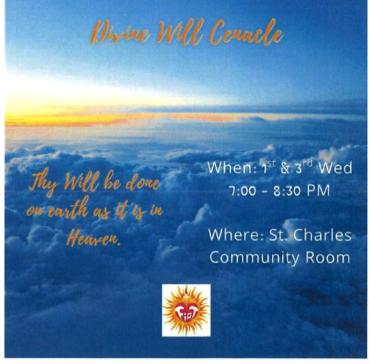
# **Sponsor of the Week**

(St. Anne Communities)



St. Anne's Home on Randallia is renovating a wing to become a Catholic hospice, with plans to open in the spring of 2026. A black-tie Hospice Benefit Gala will be held on *October 21*. For more information, visit <a href="www.sacfw.org">www.sacfw.org</a>. To sponsor, attend, or donate to the silent auction, contact <a href="mailto:maria.nancarrrow@sacfw.org">maria.nancarrrow@sacfw.org</a> or call (260) 602-4822.



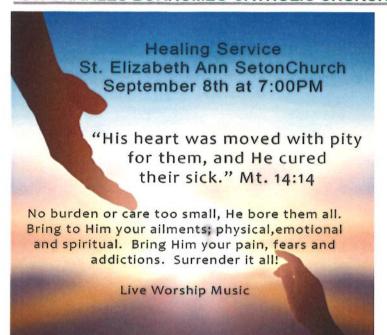


### KINGDOM BUILDERS

Join us Ladies in August for Kingdom Builders We were created for peace and joy, but there is so much suffering in this world. How do we journey through this Valley of Tears with peace and joy? Ladies, come join us as we unveil the wisdom offered to us through the Seven Sorrows of Mary.

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 21 AT 7:00 P.M.

St. Vincent de Paul Church 1502 E. Wallen Www.BuildingThroughHim.com



## RESPECT—HONOR—INTEGRITY IT'S CUB SCOUT TIME!!

Please join our Pack 3307 for an amazing new year filled with great adventures including, camping, kayaking, fishing, hiking, school lock-in, pinewood derby, and so much more. Cub Scouts will teach your child responsibility and survival skills they can use their whole life. Cub Scouts also is a great way for parents to get involved WITH their kids and you might even learn a few things yourself. We welcome ALL new adults who want to get involved as a leader, or work on the committee.

Join us on Thursday, August 21, @ 7:00 P.M. Grades: K-5. Door #13-St Charles School (Parish Hall).

Are you or someone you know interested in Becoming Catholic?

You and that someone Tues, Aug 19

are invited to our 7:00pm in the first OCIA session.

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

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Tues, Aug 19

7:00pm in the parish office basement



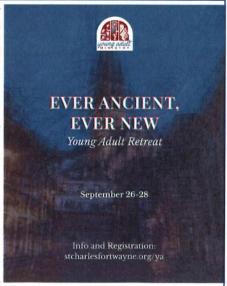
## Take Time Out to Get Spiritually Refreshed As You Start the New School Year!

Please join us for a Morning of Reflection at St. Jude Parish, Saturday, August 23

- 8:15 a.m. Mass
- Light Breakfast
- 9:30 a.m. Reconciliation
- Rosary
- Stations of the Cross
- 10:00 a.m. Meditation lead by Father Bobby Krisch

For information call Barb Federspiel (260)484-4251

Young Adults in their 20's & 30's (must be at least 18+) are invited to a retreat at St. Felix Catholic Center from Friday evening through Sunday morning, September 26-28, 2025. The retreat will focus on the theme of "Ever Ancient Ever New." taken from Saint Augustine's Confessions. It is a time withdraw everyday hustle. to spend time with God, and to build a stronger faith. On the weekend, we will reflect on the foundation of our faith throughout the history of



the Church and how we are called to go out into the world as witnesses of hope.



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