October 28, 2024—October 28, 2025

All Soul's day commemorates all of the faithful departed, and offers us the opportunity to aid the poor souls in purgatory by our prayers and devotions. In fact, an indulgence for the souls in purgatory is granted to the faithful who devoutly visit a cemetery and pray for the departed.

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MASSES

Saturday, November 1, All Saints Day

† Living & Deceased of the Robert 5:00 p.m.

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Sunday, November 2, The Commemoration of All the **Faithful Departed**

7:30 a.m.	For Our Parish Community
9:00 a.m.	† Everett & Mary Redding
11:00 a.m.	† Henry & Rose Renninger

† In Thanksgiving for the St. Charles 5:00 p.m.

Priests & Deacon

Monday, November 3, Weekday

6:15 a.m.	† Bill Pequignot		
7:30-8:00 a.m.	Confessions		

† Walter & Nellie Wood 8:15 a.m.

6:30 p.m. † Killian Oberstar

Tuesday, November 4, St. Charles Borromeo

6:15 a.m. † Mary Louise Roberts 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions † Jordan Miller 8:15 a.m.

† Bill Peters 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, November 5, Weekday

Thanking the Virgin Mary 6:15 a.m.

7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions † Dorla Rice 8:15 a.m. † Fred Jehle 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, November 6, Weekday

† Marlene Romie 6:15 a.m. 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions

† Michael & Marilyn Patterson 8:15 a.m.

† Richard Stieglitz 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Confessions

Friday, November 7, Weekday

6:15 a.m. † Dale Scherman 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions

8:15 a.m. † Edward Muhlenkamp † Herman & Lucille Koors 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, November 8, Weekday

Confessions 7:30-8:00 a.m. 8:15 a.m. † Mary C. Purdy 2:30-4:30 p.m. Confessions

Saturday, November 9, Vigil, The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

5:00 p.m. † Stephen Forte

Sunday, November 10, The Dedication of the Lateran **Basilica**

7:30 a.m. For Our Parish Community

9:00 a.m. † Joe & Dene Dahm 11:00 a.m. † Eric Anthony 5:00 p.m. † Ky Hoang

PLENARY INDULGENCE OPPORTUNITIES **DURING THE 2025 JUBILEE YEAR**

As part of the Jubilee Year of Hope, the faithful are invited to receive special indulgences by participating in particular acts of devotion and charity. By fulfilling the required conditions - including confession, Eucharistic Communion, Prayer for the Intentions of the Pope, and more - you can open the door to God's grace and mercy in a profound way. For the specific requirements for obtaining indulgences. visit diocesefwsb.org/jubilee25.

NATIONAL VOCATION WEEK

O God, Father of all Mercies, Provider of a bountiful Harvest, send Your Graces upon those You have called to gather the fruits of Your labor; preserve and strengthen them in their lifelong service of you. Open the hearts of Your children that they may discern Your Holy Will; inspire in them a love and desire to surrender themselves to serving others in the name of Your son, Jesus Christ. Teach all Your faithful to follow their respective paths in life guided by Your Divine Word and Truth. Through the intercession of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary, all the Angels, and Saints, humbly hear our prayers and grant Your Church's needs, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

ST. CHARLES FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP				
07/01/2025 - 06/30/2026	Octol	October 26, 2025		
Budgeted Collection Needed	\$	42,320.00		
October 26	\$	32,605.37		
This Week	\$	(9,714.63)		
Fiscal Year to Date	\$	1,883.57		

Saturday, November 8

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Gerry Brubaker, Edward Koors, Cheryl Morello, Chuck Smith, Phillip Tyndall 5:00 p.m.

Altar Servers: Gabby Colone,

Gianna Colone, George Federspiel, Ruby Finn Master of Ceremonies: Mason Vogelwede Lectors: Donna Kaiser, Robert Vandell Sacristan: Cheryl Morello

Sunday, November 9

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Sean Digan, Cheryl Prater, C.J. Steigmeyer, 7:30 a.m.

Lori Stock (C Margie Stier)

Altar Servers: Joey Gabet, Daniel Tippmann, Juliet Underwood, Miles Till

Master of Ceremonies: Matthew Bulanda

Lector: Lillian Lothamer, Chris Stock

Sacristan: Cheryl Roy

9:00 a.m.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Katie Eckrich, Mary Lou Morris, Ezenwa Opara, Matt Smith, Anna Tippmann, Dan Vought, Sr.

(C Jan Hoy)

Altar Servers: Lena Pfeiffer,

Charlotte Pfeiffer, Joseph Scherschel Master of Ceremonies: Charlotte Pfeiffer Lectors: Deb Wagner, Martin Sweigert Sacristan: Jill Redding

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

Ann Gabet, Teresa Michel, Sharon Nuerge, Cindy O'Shaughnessey, Kelly Tippmann,

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Altar Servers: Addison Rivas, Josh Tippmann, Zack Tippmann,

Chandler Huston

Master of Ceremonies: Lorenzo Escueta Lectors: Jerry Nuerge, Rita Barile Sacristan: Darlene Simpson

5:00 p.m.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Susan Badenhorst, Malachi Palumbo,

Jill O'Sullivan

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Altar Servers: Scarlett Lesh, Liam Shannon,

Declan Tippmann, Olivia Stroh Master of Ceremonies: Rafael J. Cucueco Lectors: Lucy Blakey, Retta Kohrman

Sacristan: Jill O'Sullivan

A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

On the cover of this weekend's bulletin, you will see a list of parishioners whose funerals have been celebrated this year. On Monday evening, Nov. 3, we will have our Annual Parish Mass of Remembrance at 6:30 p.m. Mass will be celebrated by candlelight in a dark church. We will read the names of each of these parishioners and light a candle for each. If you have a

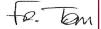
loved one who died in the past year and didn't have a St. Charles funeral, call us by Monday morning. We will add these names to our list and include them in the Mass.

I will be offering a Mass on Monday, Nov. 3, at noon at Catholic Cemetery. If the weather is fine, the Mass will be at the outdoor altar. In case of rain or snow, we'll move into the large mausoleum. Everyone is welcome. A plenary indulgence is offered with a visit to the cemetery during the first week of November and with all of the usual requirements.

On Monday, Nov. 10, we will have a gathering to talk about Catholic funerals and funeral planning. Join us at 7:00 p.m. in the Hession Center. A representative from Divine Mercy Funeral Home will join Karen Hope and me to share information about the many options for Catholic funerals. We will be happy to answer questions and we will encourage anyone who wants to make advance plans. Planning a funeral in advance can be a great act of charity for family members, sparing them a lot of decisions during a time of grief. If funeral expenses are paid in advance, that will also be a relief to a grieving family.

For those who are dealing with divorce or family breakup, you might want to check the website aboundingjoyministry.com. You will find that there is an online Catholic support group available, along with many other resources. If you are suffering through the trauma of a broken marriage, be assured that you are not alone.

Finally, this weekend is a National Vocations Awareness Weekend. As a parish, this has been a focus. We offer our prayer for vocations at every Mass, we send our Vocation Cross with a family every weekend, and we are strong financial backers of our diocesan seminarians. We need to continue are prayers and our encouragement of our young parishioners. We currently have Austin Roy preparing to be a Carthusian priest and Deacons Sam Martinez and Noah Isch will be ordained to the priesthood in our diocese in June. We are in need of more young men to consider priesthood and especially young women to consider religious life. We continue our prayers.





SIGN UP NOW TO TAKE HOME THE ST. CHARLES VOCATION CROSS **Months of NOVEMBER & NOVEMBER**

Sign-up book is located in the **Gathering Space.**

Each Sunday a family, couple, or individual will come forward during the Parish Vocation Prayer to receive the "Vocation Cross and A Special Book of Vocation Prayers" written for each day of the week. In taking the cross, they commit themselves to pray during the week to encourage more vocations



to the Priesthood and Religious Life. The Vocation Cross would need to be returned to the Sacristy before the following weekends Masses.





- Knights of Columbus Council 451 will be hosting their 6th and final Red Cross Blood Drive of 2025 on *Saturday, Nov 29*, in the school prive of the school of th cafeteria from 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

To sign up to donate. Go to Red Cross (2) "find a blood drive 3) type in knights451 as sponsor code

We will have in person sign ups in the Gathering Space after Mass November 22—23

Let's make this final drive a real success and push us over the 330 donated units for 2025 You can donate if you have NOT donated since October 4.



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Saturday Mornings in the Community Room 8:45 p.m. thru November 22 Join us for Study, Fellowship and to Grow Spiritually

ST. CHARLES EUCHRE CARD "Saturday, November 8"

We will meet in the Hession Center with doors opening at 6:30 p.m. We will play from 7:00 p.m. -9:00 p.m. If you have any questions or are interested in joining the group, call Darlene at 260-403-3294. Bring your own drinks and a snack to share, if desired.



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ST. CHARLES INDULGENCE GROUP

The Saint Charles Indulgence Group will host a public Rosary the first Sunday evening of every month after the 5:00 p.m. Mass as an act of gaining a plenary indulgence. You are welcome to join us in the Community Room just off the Gathering Space. You can pray for a loved one who has passed, or you can ask for the indulgence to be applied to yourself. The requirements include being in a state of grace and a sacramental confession 20 days before or after the act. The group is also looking for volunteers to pray for those souls whose names have been recorded in the Saint Charles Book of Remembrance. These names are added every November, so we are currently praying for those who passed in 2024. JOIN US November 2, after the 5:00 p.m. Sunday Mass and LEARN what indulgences can do for you.

Miss Virginia's Food Pantry Volunteers Needed

Miss Virginia's Food Pantry, located at 1312 S Hanna Street, is looking for **VOLUNTEERS** to support the Food Pantry operation, primarily on Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 9:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

We distribute meat, bread, fruit, eggs, canned goods, and other items. Help is needed with bagging and distribution of food, to those in need in the Allen County and surrounding areas. Also includes light warehouse work, which includes sorting and restacking products received. All help and assistance are provided in the spirit of giving, set by the example of our founder Miss Virginia Schrantz. It is truly rewarding and meaningful work! If you are available from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., and feel a need to give back what has been given to you, please contact:

Greg Witte, Pantry Director: Cell: (260) 450-3575 Email: greg@missvirginiafoodpantry.com

Olisit a cemetery —PLENARY INDULGENCE— PRAY FOR THE DEAD

A plenary indulgence is granted each day from November 1-8 to those who visit a cemetery and pray for the dead for a soul in purgatory.

For the convenience of the faithful, Mass will be held in Catholic Cemetery in Fort Wayne on the following dates:

- Monday, November 3 at 12 p.m. Monsignor Tom Shoemaker
- Wednesday, November 5 at 3 p.m.
 Father Emmanuel Abuh
- Thursday, November 6 at 4 p.m.
 Father Bobby Krisch
- Friday, November 7 at 12 p.m.
 Father Bartholomew Okorie

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Sacramental Confession within 20 days before or after the cemetery visit



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In a spirit completely detached from sin, visit any cemetery and pray for the dead any day or days from November 1-8.



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Friends of St. Zelie – November Gathering Saturday, November 16 • 2:00 P.M.–4:00 P.M. • Youth Center (4904 Trier Rd)

Join our Catholic moms' group for a special *Friendsgiving* celebration! Our theme this month is **gratitude** — let's share faith, friendship, and thanksgiving together. Bring your favorite snack, appetizer, or dessert to share.

Children are welcome — we'll have space for them to play while moms connect and unwind. RSVPs are helpful but not required. Sign up using the QR code or at

www.stcharlesfortwayne.org/friends-of-saint-zelie

The St. Vincent DePaul Society

The St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store is able to help the community in many ways through the sale of used merchandise. Furniture sales are a major source of income for the store. If you have usable furniture that you no longer need, please consider donating it to the Thrift Store. For large items, call the store at 260-456-3561, to arrange for free pick-up. Smaller items can be left in the Charity Room off the Gathering Space at Church. Thank you for your continued support.



CPR/AED TRAINING CLASSES

CPR/AED Training Classes will be held at St. Charles on Wednesday, November 5 and Tuesday, November 11. 6:00 p.m. in the Art Room. Enter Hession Center through door #3. The cost of the class is \$20.00. If you are interested in signing up for the class, registrations will be

signing up for the class, registrations will be accepted at the Parish Office, 482-2186, during regular business hours, or e-mail stcparishoffice@yahoo.com. At the time of payment, you will receive your training book which should be reviewed before your class and returned the night of the class.



St. Peter's Turkey Bingo

St. Peter's is holding the annual Turkey Bingo again this year!

Join us Sunday, November 9,. Doors open at 11:30 a.m. and Bingo starts at 12:00 p.m. Instead of winning a turkey, you have the chance to win a grocery gift card to pick out your own turkey. There will be several jackpot games to win cash and at 50 cents per Bingo card and \$1 for jackpot cards, who wouldn't want to play! Affordable concessions will be available.

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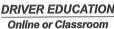
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