

September 23-24, 2023
Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacred Heart of Jesus Church

Serving our community for

100
Years

Dedicated to grow, educate, and
welcome all to our community.



Our Parish Mission Statement

Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish
is a Catholic faith community
reaching out to all people.

As good stewards,
we are inspired by God's word
to educate,
evangelize and
grow spiritually,
strengthening ourselves
as a Christian community.

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Office Hours
Mon.—Fri.

9am—1pm

Weekend
Liturgies

Saturday Anticipation Mass
4:30pm
Sunday Mass
10:30am

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✚ Please call the Parish Office for information on the Sacraments ✚

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Isaiah 55:6-9

TRUST IN GOD'S WISDOM

It is hard to figure God out. Looking around creation we see beautiful places but also areas of devastation. We meet charitable people but also others who are unkind. We see homes of the rich and the streets of the homeless. One family prospers. Another suffers multiple tragedies. What was God thinking by creating such inequality?

Our own lives are also filled with blessing and sorrow. Momentary incidents have forever shaped us. Friends have rescued us. Death stalks us. It is hard to figure out what God has in mind.

God spoke to Isaiah, "My thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways." You can say that again. As hard as it is to read the mind of God, God does not choose to act the way we think a divine, loving Being should.

Through the prophet, God does not apologize for the way things are. Instead, God simply tells us we will never quite figure it out. The best we can do is turn to God for mercy.

To accept the wisdom of God requires faith and humble admission of our own inability to fully probe God's plan. It also takes trust that God will ultimately bring about the good that awaits all creation.

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Did You Know?

Each year, we are asked by the archdiocese to host two mission appeals outside of the usual mission collections. This week we welcome Rev. William Smith, CSSp from the Congregation of the Holy Spirit, aka the Spiritans. Fr. Bill is retired from active ministry after many years in Puerto Rico.

The Spiritans are an international community engaged in a wide range of missionary activities in over sixty countries around the world.

To learn more about the Spiritans and their work, go to their website: www.spiritans.org.

Today there will be a **SECOND COLLECTION** to assist with the missionary works of the Spiritans.



“THUS, THE LAST
WILL BE FIRST,
AND THE FIRST
WILL BE LAST.”
—MT 20:16

25TH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

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Hearts to Hands

As students return to school, we remember that our less fortunate neighbors are still in need of assistance. Please consider helping our northside neighbors by giving money, food, and healthcare items to support the Table of the Good Shepherd Food Pantry and the 12 Points Brown Bag Project. Gifts of food, soup, toilet paper, soap, dish soap, shampoo and toothpaste are greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your generosity.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Saturday, September 23

Barbara Black

Tuesday, September 26

Michael Rohlman

Thursday, September 28

Larry Hakman


Friday, September 29

Mary Ann Doumas



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Daily Readings	
<p><u>Monday, Sept. 25, 2023</u> Ezra 1:16 Psalm 126:1-6 Luke 8:16-18</p>	<p><u>Friday, Sept. 29, 2023</u> <i>Ss. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael</i> Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 or Revelation 12:7-12 Psalm 138:1-5 John 1:47-51</p>
<p><u>Tuesday, Sept. 26, 2023</u> <i>Ss. Cosmas & Damian</i> Ezra 6:7-8, 12, 14-20 Psalm 122:1-5 Luke 8:19-21</p>	<p><u>Saturday, Sept. 30, 2023</u> <i>St. Jerome</i> Zechariah 2:5-9, 14-15 Jeremiah 31:10-13 Luke 9:43-45</p>
<p><u>Wednesday, Sept. 27, 2023</u> <i>St. Vincent de Paul</i> Ezra 9:5-9 Tobit 13:2-4, 7-8 Luke 9:1-6</p>	<p><u>Sunday, Oct. 1, 2023</u> <i>Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Ezekiel 18:25-28 Psalm 25:4-9 Philippians 2:1-11 Matthew 21:28-32</p>
<p><u>Thursday, Sept. 28, 2023</u> <i>St. Wenceslaus; St. Lawrence Ruiz & Companions</i> Haggai 1:1-8 Psalm 149:1-6, 9 Luke 9:7-9</p>	


SAINT MOTHER THEODORE GUERIN
FEAST DAY

Sisters of Providence of SAINT MARY-OF-THE-WOODS
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The Sisters of Providence of Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, Indiana, and Providence Associates are inviting people of all faith traditions to celebrate the Feast Day of the eighth American Roman Catholic Saint, Saint Mother Theodore Guerin, by joining them in person or virtually for the Eucharistic Liturgy at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, October 3, in the Church of the Immaculate Conception. For more information, call 812-535-2952 or email provctr@spsmw.org.



Sacred Heart History

Soon after Father Duffy had been appointed as pastor and the boundaries of the new parish had been established, a committee of ladies approached Fr. Duffy for permission to establish an Altar Society. In 1922 the Altar Society was formally organized with officers elected: Mrs. James Kane, president; Mrs. Richard Lee, vice-president; Mrs. Charles Vaught, secretary; and Mrs. Frank Decker, treasurer.

Groundbreaking for the new church-school building were held in April 1923 with the pastor and members of the Altar Society present. The cornerstone laying and blessing of the building, which was conducted by Monsignor Joseph Byrne of Holy Cross Church in Indianapolis, took place on Sunday, June 10th, 1923.

The plans were drawn by Johnson, Miller and Miller architects; and the construction contract was awarded to Roehm Brothers. The building is constructed of red brick with limestone trim. It has a frontage of fifty-three feet and a depth of one hundred eight and a half feet. Six classrooms were located on the top floor. The church was located on the first floor and had a seating capacity of five hundred. The first Mass was celebrated in the basement on Sunday, July 29, 1923. The building cost approximately \$89,000.

Sacred Heart of Jesus Church

STEWARDSHIP

Giving back to God what He has so generously given to us!

<i>1Thanks to Our:</i>	<u>Saturday</u> 9-30-2023 Mass @ 4:30pm	<u>Sunday</u> 10-1-2023 Mass @ 10:30am
Servers	TBD	TBD
Lectors	Karen Goehl	Doug Elia
Eucharistic Ministers	David Smith Monica Tener-Smith	Doris Hakman
Ushers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Gift Bearers	Rick Voll Family	Laura Madden

❖❖❖ **PLEASE NOTE** ❖❖❖

To add (or remove) a person from the following prayer list, please call the Parish Office at 812-466-1231.

Sick and Recovering names will be left on for a period of 4 WEEKS. If a longer period of time is needed, please call the Parish Office.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

The Sick and Recovering:

Dick Giacoletto; Kathy Aquino; Anne Sporer; Ray Veit;
Troy Kelsheimer; Linda Strange; Everett Mattox; JoAnne Fiscus;
Judy Winniski; Meda Sullivan; Greg Wall; Gary Brett;
Martha Taylor; Pat Wassill; Jordan Bryant; Linda Schrettenbrunner;
Larry & Shirley Kunes; Betsy Kunes; Keely Jetson; Norma Vaughn;
Mike Doumas; Sheila Barnhart; Robin Church; Kevin Gurchiek;
Charles Tartaglia; Rhonda Strom; Ron Vaughn; Kathleen Barnhart;
John Dreher; David Marter; Judy Lemmons; Theresa Reeves;
Rita Pound; Theresa Brooks; Cecelia House; Joan Boehmer;
Maria Church; Ruth Scank; Sharon Blackburn; Alice Rhodenbaugh;
and, all those who have asked for prayers whose names are not listed here.

Serving in the Armed Forces:

Captain David Hook (Japan);
Olivia Carroll (Washington, DC);
Caleb Drake (FL); Christine Drake (FL);
1st Class William Elmore (CA); Derek Hakman (AK).

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Parish Liturgies

Saturday, September 30

4 - 4:20pm Reconciliation

4:30pm Mass for Kathy & Jim Shepard

Sunday, October 1

10:30am Mass for Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish

PLEASE NOTE:

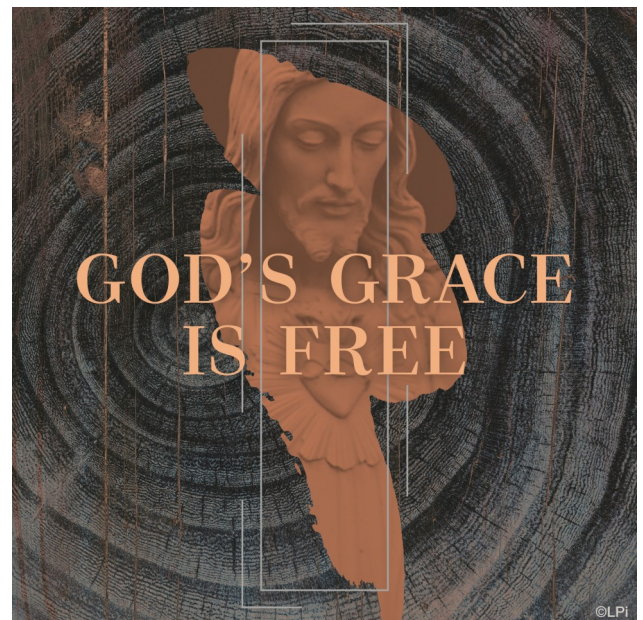
WE ARE UNABLE TO ACCEPT MASS INTENTIONS TO BE SAID AT SACRED HEART AT THIS TIME.

IF YOU WANT A MASS SAID LOCALLY, TRY ST. JOSEPH; OR, WE CAN TAKE REQUESTS TO BE SENT TO THE MISSIONS.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR UNDERSTANDING!!!

NOTES FROM BARB

- † This week's second collection will be for the Spiritan missions.
- † Don't forget to turn in your memories and acts of kindness hearts!



FISCAL YEAR OF JULY 1, 2023 THRU JUNE 30, 2024

Weekend of SEP 9 2023 – SEP 10 2023

ORDINARY INCOME

Amount Collected..... \$3,066.00
Budget Amount Needed \$3,500.00
Weekly Income Is (UNDER)..... (\$434.00)

Thank you for your support!!!