



*ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS  
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*MASSES: SAT EVENING 5:00 P.M.  
SUNDAY MORNING 8:00 & 10:30 A.M.  
TU, WED, FRI: 8:00 A.M.  
MONDAY & THURSDAY: 6:00 P.M.*

*ADORATION: FRIDAYS, 8:30 A.M.-8:00 P.M.*

*SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:  
FRIDAY 11:30-12:30 P.M.  
SATURDAY: 3:45-4:45 P.M.  
PASTOR: FR. GARY. L. SIGLER*

*WELCOME! WE EXTEND OUR HANDS AND HEARTS TO ALL WHO CELEBRATE WITH US, WHETHER LONGTIME RESIDENT OR  
NEWLY ARRIVED IN THE PARISH. WE THANK GOD THAT YOU ARE WITH US.*

**ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS March 24, 2019***The Week Ahead*

March 31, 2019

Acolytes

5:00 p.m. Savanna Reed, Vance Reed  
 8:00 a.m. Philip Lieb, Colette Lieb, Jude Lieb  
 10:30 a.m. Brenna Rumschlag, Keagan Born

Lectors:

5:00 p.m. Melanie Bechtold  
 8:00 a.m. John Herrmann, Rob Muratori  
 10:30 a.m. Don Neff

Eucharistic Ministers

5:00 p.m. Riza Crump, Danielle Smethers, Anita Kelley,  
 Jim Schmitt, Kevin Rupp  
 8:00 a.m. Dick Buchanan, Sara St. Clair, Judith Miller,  
 Melinda Woll, Becky Beery, Roxy Herrmann  
 10:30 a.m. Nicole Alles, Laura Rumschlag, Tonia  
 Weigold, Tami Pence, Joan Braun, Marium  
 Schmitt

Ministers of Hospitality

5:00 p.m. Chris Bechtold, Leah Bechtold  
 8:00 a.m. Sharon Dunnuck, Jim Dunnuck, Steve Schmitt, Mike Sands  
 10:30 a.m. Mike Weigold, Ned Rumschlag

**COLLECTIONS March 17, 2019**

Adult envelopes	\$3084.00
Loose	477.00
Children	33.00
Votives	32.00
Religious Ed	25.00
Repair Fund	116.00
Donuts	27.00

Total	\$ 3,794.00
<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b>	<b>\$503.00</b>

**Online Giving March 17th**

Sunday Collection	\$ 1,065.00
Repair	250.00
Religious Ed	25.00
Second Collection/St. Vincent de Paul	85.00

**APRIL COFFEE & DONUT HOSTS**APRIL

7 George Haggenjos  
 14 Chris Morgan  
 21 Easter Sunday/ No Coffee & Donuts  
 28 Mark & Mary Ann Schaefer

**THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**

March 24 2019 THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT  
 Ex 3:1-8a,13-15 1 Cor 10:1-6,10-12  
 Gospel—Lk 13:1-9  
 5:00 p.m.: Parishioners  
 8:00 a.m.: Dick Miller  
 10:30 a.m.: Isaac Lee Elliott

March 25 Monday: The Annunciation of the Lord  
 Is 7:10-14; 8:10 Heb 10:4-10  
 Gospel—Lk 1:26-38  
 6:00 p.m. Family of Edward R. Demske

March 26 Tuesday: Lenten Weekday  
 Dn 3:25,34-43 Ps 25:4bc-5ab,6-7bc,8-9  
 Gospel— Mt 18:21-35  
 8:00 a.m. Edna Dekoninck

March 27 Wednesday: Lenten Weekday  
 Dt 4:1,5-9 Ps 147:12-13,15-16,19-20  
 Gospel—Mt 5:17-19  
 8:00 a.m. Marian Winebrenner

March 28 Thursday: Lenten Weekday  
 Jer 7:23-28 Ps 95:1-2,6-9  
 Gospel—Lk 11:14-23  
 Confession: 5:30 p.m.  
 6:00 p.m. Jo Ann Kemery

March 29 Friday: Lenten Weekday  
 Hos 14:2-10 Ps 81:6c-11b,14,17  
 Gospel—Mk 12:28-34  
 Confession: 11:30-12:30  
 8:00 a.m. Duane Wood  
 Adoration: 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.  
 Stations of the Cross : 11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

March 31 FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT  
 Jos 5:9a,10-12 2 Cor 5:17-21  
 Gospel—Lk 15:1-3,11-32

Saturday Confessions: 10-10:30 a.m.- 3:45 p.m.- 4:45 p.m.  
 5:00 p.m. Becky Jo Reed  
 8:00 a.m. Parishioners  
 10:30 a.m. Albina Diamente

**APRIL SECOND COLLECTIONS**

April 7: St. Vincent de Paul  
 April 14: Baby Box  
 April 21: Easter / No 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection  
 April 28: Repair Fund



**EUCCHARISTIC  
MINISTERS!  
MARK YOUR  
CALENDARS!**

There will be a required meeting for **all** Eucharistic Ministers on Sunday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 in the church.



Due to an anonymous donor, the Knights of Columbus were able to contribute \$1,000 dollars last week towards a Whitley County Safe Haven Baby Box. Words are not enough to just say thank you. This will provide a safe place for babies of new mothers who either do not want or are unable to care for a newborn with no questions asked.

The next Knights of Columbus breakfast/blood drive will be May 19<sup>th</sup>. All proceeds will also go to help fund the Safe Haven Baby Box. All blood donors from our last drive in February will be eligible to donate again. Just think...by donating blood, you can save three lives and by supporting our breakfast, you can help support a newborn's life. Supporting life in two different ways in the same morning is awesome! Please mark your calendar or smart phone for May 19<sup>th</sup>.

Thanks again to all who help support our Knights of Columbus group in so many ways.



Thank you for your daily prayers for our residents and for the generous \$500 donation from the Knights of

Columbus to The Rose Home. ~Lisa Becker~



Our Lenten Penance Service will be on Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 p.m. There will be four priests available to hear

confessions.



ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS will be hosting a Fish Fry at our Deacon Joe Zickgraf Community Center on **Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup> from 4-7 p.m.**

**Advanced tickets** are \$8 for adults, \$5 for children 5-9, under 5 years of age Free. Tickets will be \$10 for adults at the door. Tickets may be purchased at the church office during office hours or at Mission 25. Members of our Knights of Columbus will also be selling advance tickets after Masses on the weekends.

All proceeds will go to the Mission 25 Homeless Shelter. (formerly The Lighthouse)



March 23-24-Food Fast

11:30 a.m. Saturday-12:00 Sunday  
Bring: Permission form, juice (100% real juice) to share, sleeping equipment and volunteer clothes.

Fast in solidarity with the poor.

Next Soup Kitchen Date: Mon, March 25-5-8 p.m. All high school students are invited to attend Sunday evenings, 6-8 in the church basement.

Contact Stephanie: 260-610-3777

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The next RCIA meeting will be on Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. in the Sofa Room.