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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.*



*The Week Ahead*

October 6, 2019

Acolytes

5:00 p.m. Lukus Schmitt, Allison Crump  
 8:00 a.m. John Morgan, Chris Morgan  
 10:30 a.m. Naomi Smith, Sophia Smith

Lectors

5:00 p.m. Tom Andreas  
 8:00 a.m. Sara St. Clair, Becky Beery  
 10:30 a.m. Don Neff

Eucharistic Ministers

5:00 p.m. Joe Call, Janelle Schmitt,  
 Riza Crump, Leanna  
 Andreas, Karen Berg  
 8:00 a.m. Roxy Herrmann, Dick  
 Buchanan, Melissa  
 Fearnow, Teresa Dowell,  
 Mary Ann Anderson, Al  
 Anderson  
 10:30 a.m. Scott Smith, Joan Braun,  
 Tonia Weigold, Pat Zickgraf  
 Kristen Zickgraf, Tami Pence

Ministers of Hospitality

5:00 p.m. Vance Reed, Dillon Reed  
 8:00 a.m. Sharon Dunnuck, Jim Dunnuck,  
 Steve Schmitt, Matt Beery  
 10:30 a.m. Mike Weigold, Volunteer

Sept. 29, 2019 TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
 Am 6:1a,4-7 1 Tm 6:11-16  
 Gospel—Lk 16:19-31  
 5:00 p.m. Parishioners  
 8:00 a.m.: Juanita McConnell  
 10:30 a.m.: Jane Goble

September 30, 2019 Monday: Saint Jerome  
 Zec 8:1-8 Ps 102:16-23,29  
 Gospel—Lk 9:46-50  
 6:00 p.m. Dan Haggengjos

October 1, 2019 Tuesday: Saint Therese  
 Zec 8:20-23 Ps 87:1b-7  
 Gospel— Lk 9:51-56  
 8:00 a.m.. Linda de Lizer

October 2, 2019 Wednesday The Holy Guardian Angels  
 Neh 2:1-8 Ps 137:1-6  
 Gospel—Mt 18:1-5,10  
 8:00 a.m. Jo Ann Kemery

October 3, 2019 Thursday: Weekday  
 Neh 8:1-4a,5-6,7b-12 Ps 119:8-11  
 Gospel: Lk 10:1-12  
 6:00 p.m. First Thursday Memorial

October 4, 2019 Friday: Saint Francis of Assisi  
 Bar 1:15-22 Ps 79:1b-5,8-9  
 Gospel—Lk 10:13-16  
 Confession: 11:30-12:30  
 8:00 a.m. Jo Ann Kemery  
 Adoration: 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

October 6, 2019 TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
 Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4 2 Tm 1:6-8,13-14  
 Gospel—Lk 17:5-10  
 Saturday Confessions: 3:45 p.m.- 4:45 p.m.  
 5:00 p.m. Parishioners  
 8:00 a.m. Bud Meyer & Trent Mowrey  
 10:30 a.m. Justin Hinen

COLLECTIONS September 22, 2019



ADULT ENVELOPES	\$2,424.00
LOOSE	718.00
Children	41.00
REPAIR	85.00
VOTIVES	24.00
RELIGIOUS ED	20.00
TOTAL	\$ 3,312.00

2<sup>nd</sup> Collection/Energy Assistance \$ 433.00

ONLINE COLLECTIONS: ADULT ENVELOPES	\$ 1,004.00
Repair	77.00
Religious Ed	25.00

OCTOBER COLLECTIONS

October 6: Right to Life  
 October 13: St Vincent de Paul  
 October 20: Repair  
 October 27: Passages

Be a Public Witness for Life !  
Columbia City Life Chain

Right to Life of North Central Indiana is sponsoring the annual Life Chain on Sunday afternoon, October 6, from 2:00 to 3:00 pm (rain or shine). Join with thousands of Christians across the country and Canada to pray and remind people that "Abortion Hurts Women," "Abortion Kills Children," "Jesus Forgives and Heals" and to "Pray to End Abortion." Participants will stand along Main Street in downtown Columbia City holding non-graphic signs provided at no cost. Those who can't stand are welcome to bring a chair. Signs can be picked up on the east side of the Whitley County courthouse beginning at 1:45 pm on October 6. For more information, go to: [www.nci4life.org](http://www.nci4life.org).

This is a simple, yet powerful way to spread the Pro-Life message within our own community. Please commit to giving one hour of your time to this peaceful and prayerful Pro-Life activity. Join with us and other Christians across the U.S. as we pray, asking for God's intervention in the spiritual battle of abortion. Just show up at the Whitley County Courthouse at 1:45 pm on Sunday, October 6.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST**



The Knights of Columbus will be having a breakfast next Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup> from 8 a.m.-12 noon in the Deacon Joe Community center.

In support of Respect Life Month, all proceeds from the breakfast will be going to "A Hope Center", Whitley County's only pregnancy resource center." Come and enjoy a delicious breakfast while supporting a great cause.

**Memorial for the Unborn**

Last year 319 babies from Allen County lost their lives to abortion.

**\*Update: We will also honor the lives of the 2,246 remains found on Abortionist Klopfer's Illinois property after his death on September 3rd.**

On **Sunday, October 6th at 2pm**, we will remember these babies at Catholic Cemetery on Lake Ave in Fort Wayne.



The next RCIA meeting will be on Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the sofa room. Sister Rose will speak on the Holy Spirit: Presence in the Church/World Gifts and Fruits of the Spirit. Everyone is invited to come and learn more about their faith. If you know of anyone interested in joining the faith, bring them along. It is not too late to join our group.



We will have a Trivia Night on Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup> to benefit the St. Paul of the Cross High School Youth Group. Doors will open at 6:00 p.m. and trivia begins at 6:30 p.m. There will be a variety of categories. Tailgate Trivia describes the theme of the table and food! Prizes for best decorated table and trivia winners! Concession stand food available for purchase, hamburgers, hot dogs, nachos, sides and drinks. Register online at [www.spygcc.weebly.com/trivia](http://www.spygcc.weebly.com/trivia) or fill out the form in today's bulletin.



Our Bible Study will resume the weekend of October 13<sup>th</sup>. The first six weeks will be "Jacob's Blessing". Please sign up this weekend in the narthex.

**BISHOPS APPEAL**

By now everyone should have received their pledge cards for this year's Bishop's Appeal. Our goal this year is \$37,597.28. Our success will not only help the Diocese, but any over-goal amounts will come back to our parish and help with important ministries in our church. Please be as generous as you are able.