

The image is a full-page artistic illustration with a painterly, textured style. It depicts a serene landscape. In the foreground, there is a dense field of tall green grasses and wildflowers, including some with small purple blossoms. A body of water, possibly a lake or a wide river, occupies the middle ground, reflecting the light from the sky. In the background, a line of trees and foliage is visible under a warm, golden-yellow sky, suggesting a sunrise or sunset. The overall mood is peaceful and contemplative.

*Lord, you are*  
**THE BREAD OF LIFE**



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#### **Bulletin Deadline**

All bulletin articles will need to be in the office (e-mail or written) no later than 11:00 am on Monday. parishoffice@stmarysgreensburg.com  
Written information only - fliers will be put in the kiosks.

*Parish office hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00 am-4:00 pm. After parish office hours the number for the emergency anointing of the sick or other urgent matters is (812) 663-8427.*

#### **Communion**

Holy Communion is taken to the elderly and the sick regularly. Please let us know if you wish to receive.

#### **Weddings**

Please contact the Pastor at least 6 months in advance.

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## **Prayer Requests**

*Please pray for the sick & suffering & their families of our parish & community:*

John Allgeier  
Janet Bedel  
Donna Bower  
Lori Brockman  
Ryan Bultman  
Jim Caffee  
Felicity Christianson  
Brenna Cleary  
Jo Ann Cronin  
Deidra Cuskaden  
Linda Dashiell  
Richey Delay  
Denis DiGiusto  
Theo Elwell  
Barb Fles  
Aaron Fogg  
Mark Fullenkamp  
Jerry & Annie Gerkins  
Walter Gilbreath  
Gary Green  
Charlie Greiwe  
Dale Greiwe  
Eli Griffith  
Dina Herbert  
Amy Hermes  
Lauren Huffmeyer  
Paulene Hurt  
Dan Jordan  
Luella Kneuen  
Joe Kramer  
Ariel Kunkel

Skylar Kunkel  
Mike Lebo  
Debbie Lechner  
Mary Jo Lee  
Karol Mann  
Debbie Meadows  
Gabby Miller  
Logan Miller  
Scott Miller  
Rosie Mistler  
Pam Mollaun  
Dave Moore  
Judy Muckerheide  
Don Niehoff  
Jim Newberry  
Bob Owens  
Laura Owens  
Mike Pahl  
Paul Pank  
Kenny Parker  
Jacquelyn Penrose  
Andrew Personett  
Mickie Pyles  
Marilyn Redelman  
Ken Rennekamp  
Samantha Ricard  
David Ricke  
Budd Ryle  
Alison Sabino  
Nancy Sahn  
Archer Schermerhorn

Dick Schilling  
Nancy Schimel  
Betty Schneider  
Paul Schoettmer  
Pauline Schoettmer  
Stephanie Schutte  
Shirley Schwering  
Dale Simon  
Dolores Simon  
Desra Simons  
Jean Smith  
Mary Swinford  
Terry Swinford  
Sharon Tumilty  
James Tunny  
Rita Uebelhor  
Joseph P. Uhlarik  
William Uhlarik  
Mike Wagner  
DJ Wall  
Lisa Wallpe  
Larry Walsman  
Regina Weaver  
John Weintraut  
Sandy Ann Wenning  
Darlene Werth  
Tina Wesseler  
Terry Wissel  
Adam Wynant

*Please pray for all of our Armed Forces serving both abroad and in the U.S. especially for:*

Chris Alden  
Mike Arnold  
Amanda Batten  
Stephen Berggren  
Caleb Berkemeier  
Dustin Blasengame  
Jerry Bower  
Kristopher Brewsaugh  
Steven Brown  
Ben Buening  
Joe Buening  
Curtis Collins  
Patrick Cunningham  
Cory Cuskaden  
Joe Davis  
Nick DeBonis  
Tanner Derflinger  
Jasmin Eineman

Michael Eineman  
Trevor Gartenman  
Aaron Greiwe  
Landon Gutzwiller  
Paul Hellmich  
Cory Henderson  
Adam Herbert  
Tyler Hibberd  
Baker Howard  
Paul Huber  
Terry Humpfort  
Kyle Inscho  
Nick Johnston  
Cynthia Krieger  
Issiah Kuntz  
Jude Levy  
Jordan Lloyd  
Jalen Lopez

Jamaeka Nueva Lopez  
Rhett Mauer  
Jeff McNeal  
Sueann Morel  
Teddy Morton  
Steve Redmon  
Scott Reynolds  
Jacob Ripperger  
Kaden Schroeder  
Landon Shera  
Case Stahl  
Jennifer King Strobel  
William Volk  
Luke Walker  
Lane Wells  
Ryan Welch

*If you have a friend or loved one that you would like to add to our prayer list, please call the parish office @ 812-663-8427 ext 200. They will remain on the sick list for 4 weeks. Military lists remains until you ask us to take them off.*

*"The Eucharist is truly a glimpse of heaven appearing on earth. It is a glorious ray of the heavenly Jerusalem which pierces the clouds of our history and lights up our journey." St. John Paul II*

## **Thank You**

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### Our Sunday Collections

Description	06/01/2025
Weekend Contributions	\$15,190.16
New Church Building Fund	\$601.88
Capital Improvement Fund	\$142.00
Ascension	\$15,695.00
Church Bus	\$35.00
Education of Priests	\$145.00
Energy Costs	\$120.00
First Offering	\$2.00
Votive Candles	\$80.00
Peter's Pence	\$125.00
Clarity	\$135.00
AGAPE	\$95.00
FFTP	\$25.00
<b>Total Sunday Collections</b>	<b>\$32,391.04</b>

Thank you for your generous contributions. This week our actual collections, after adjusting for special collections and adding the Ascension collections, were \$(5,717.50) compared to our budget of \$36,602.66. Year to date our actual collections are \$(107,603.88) compared to our budget. *We pray that those called to serve in ministries of leadership in our communities may be inspired by the example of the humility of Christ and his early disciples. "They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets."* Luke 9:17

The story of Loaves and Fishes shows us that when you share what you have, even if it doesn't seem like

that much, miracles can happen! Do not think that your gift is too small or insignificant! Nothing is impossible with God. You may be the answer to someone else's prayer.  
The Stewardship Commission

*The Feast of Corpus Christi*  
**THIS IS MY BODY THAT  
IS FOR YOU. DO THIS IN  
REMEMBRANCE OF ME.**  
**1 COR 11:24**



### Mary's Rosary Warriors

We pray the Rosary on Monday evening starting at 7:15 pm. We have named our group Mary's Rosary Warriors. Come join us as we pray for our country, peace, the sick, and the dying. If you want to call with a prayer request, Linda can be reached at 812-614-5772. All are welcome and we hope you will come join us.

### The Rosary of the Unborn

Come join us in praying the Rosary for the Unborn on Tuesday mornings at 9:30 am.

### Mass Intentions

#### Tuesday, June 24

5:30 pm ..... Communion Service

#### Thursday, June 26

4:30 - 5:00 pm Confessions

5:30 pm ..... †Tudie & Janet Navarra

#### Friday, June 27

12:00 pm ..... †Maurice & Rosie Hoeing

#### Saturday, June 28

3:30 pm Confessions

4:30 pm ..... †Howard "Bud" & Rita Meyer

#### Sunday, June 29

8:00 am ..... †Bernie, Patsy, & Dan Wesseler

..... & Cindy Young

10:00 am ..... †Bill Burkhart

### Baptisms

#### Presley Joan Pederson

Parents .... Gabriel Featherston & Taylor Pederson

#### William Lee Sinykin

Parents ..... Noah & Aneka Sinykin

### Fr. Carlton Beever's Contact

(317) 441-8534

Fr. Carlton has graciously offered his cell phone number to be used, if needed, while Fr. John is on his pilgrimage.

### Upcoming Mission Appeal

Saturday & Sunday, June 28-29 | All Masses

Next weekend Sister Agatha Komba, OSB will speak at all Masses on behalf of her community, the Benedictine Sisters of Saint Agnes, Tanzania. She represents a community of over 500 Benedictine Sisters who serve in a wide variety of ministries and pastoral work in 15 dioceses in Tanzania. These include health care, including free medical care for the needy and schools from K-12, technical training institutions and religious education programs. Please be prepared to generously assist this community of dedicated Sisters who represent the face of Christ to those most in need.

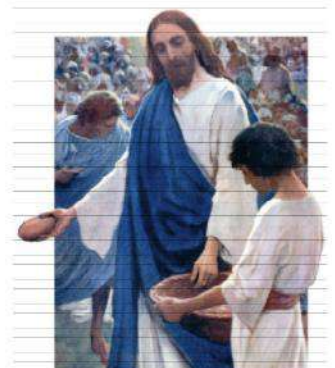
### Scripture Readings

#### The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Genesis 14:18-20

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Luke 9:11b-17



## THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Historically known by its Latin name, Corpus Christi, celebrates the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist - Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. It is traditionally celebrated on the Thursday following the Solemnity of the Holy Trinity. The feast dates to the Middle Ages and originated with a visionary nun and a Eucharistic miracle. Pope Urban instituted Corpus Christi for the Universal Church and celebrated it for the first time in Orvieto in 1264, a year after the Eucharistic Miracle in Bolsena.

### Reflection: "Gathering As One"

This month, we observed many feasts, including the one that celebrates our gathering together around the table to be fed by the Lord. Breaking the bread, sharing the cup, and we are commanded: "Do this in remembrance of me" this is the feast of the Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi).

Our liturgical table reminds us that we are to open our doors, our homes and our lives and to gather around our tables with others in the family of God- no matter who they are, what they believe, what they look like, what faith they profess. Whatever the differences in the diversity around us, we are compelled by the Gospel to break bread together, heal our divisions, and offer peace.

If we can do this work, this mission of gathering around the table, sharing what we have, loving as God loves, and becoming one with God then we know the promise: We will have life and have it in abundance.  
(CelebrationPublications –L/SCommission)



Greeter	Eucharistic Minister	Church Cleaning Crew	Usher	Server	Lector
Thursday, June 26 5:30 pm				Server Needed	
Friday, June 27		Joanne Scudder			
Saturday, June 28 4:30 pm	Joan Greiwe  Brian Wenning - C-1 & Prepare Bread & Wine Darlene Banks - C-2 & Wash Vessels after Mass Christy Bokelman - C-3 & Sign-In Coordinator Mike Bokelman - C-4 Father Carlton Beever - H-1 Deb Greiwe - H-2 Angie Wesseler - H-3 Garrett Schwering - H-4 Lisa Deck - H-5 EM Needed - H-6 Sandy Meyer - H-7 Extra/Handicap		Al Blankman Paul Bruns Bob Johannigman Steve Niese Andy Schwering Usher Needed	Marvin Mauer - (inexperienced) Parker Yake Wyatt Yake	Dick Glaser
Sunday, June 29 8:00 am	Helen Wagener  EM Needed - C-1 & Prepare Bread & Wine Scott Johnson - C-2 & Wash Vessels after Mass Diann Reisman - C-3 & Sign-In Coordinator Kathy Nobbe - C-4 Father Carlton Beever - H-1 Eric Weigel - H-2 June Rigney - H-3 Helen Wagener - H-4 Laura Johnson - H-5 Matt Slaven - H-6 Cindy Slaven - H-7 Extra/Handicap		Carl Buening David Fuel Jeff Goodpaster Robert King Larry Nieman Mike Novak	Tessa Hersley - (inexperienced) Server Needed Server Needed	Linda Weigel
Sunday, June 29 10:00 am	Tom Ricke  Kathy Anderson - C-1 & Prepare Bread & Wine EM Needed - C-2 & Wash Vessels after Mass EM Needed - C-3 & Sign-In Coordinator EM Needed - C-4 Father Carlton Beever - H-1 Staci Schutte - H-2 Carol Koester - H-3 Tom Ricke - H-4 Caleb Stapp - H-5 Cody Gault - H-6 LeeAnn Gauck - H-7 Extra/Handicap		Steve Clevenger Art Koors Matt Lawrence Gary Ortman Dan Schroeder Joey Yake	Sophia Terkhorn Server Needed Server Needed	Wade Schutte

## The School Zone

### Upcoming Events

May 24	Summer Vacation
August 4	Open House, 4:00 -6:00 pm
August 5	First Day of School

## Awards Day– Part 2

St. Mary's hosted its annual Awards Day ceremony on Wednesday, May 21. Students were honored for academic as well as extra-curricular success throughout the 2024-25 school year. We are very proud of the students and their hard work. We would like to congratulate the following winners:

### Catholic Student Leader Award:

The Student Leader Award is given to an eighth grade student who exhibits outstanding scholarship, sportsmanship and leadership as well as one who lives out the Gospel values and our school mission statement. Being nominated is a great honor. Teachers and staff nominate deserving students and a committee of faculty selects the winners.

The nominees this year included:

Maxwell Gauck  
Luke Schwering  
Josie Slaven  
Eric Witkemper



The 2025 Student Leader Award winner was Eric Witkemper (pictured on the far right here).

## Parish Festival Sign-Ups

June 28 & 29 | After All Masses

The Parish Festival will be held August 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> this year. Are you able to give us a hand? If so, feel free to stop by the sign-up tables in the gathering space to sign-up. Many hands make light work! Thank you in advance for making our festival a success.

## Bake Sale

Saturday, July 6 & Sunday, July 7 | Before and After All Masses

St. Mary's Circle #75, Daughters of Isabella, Annual Bake Sale and Raffle. Your support is valuable to us so we can support our charities.

## Save the Date!

December 6 & 7, 2025

Unexpected King-2025 Christmas Cantata

## Now Hiring

### St Mary's Daycare

Looking for a full time and/or part time person at St Mary's Daycare to start on July 28. Also looking for a high school student, 16 years or older, for an after school position. If interested please call LuAnn Cain at 812-662-4583.

## Toy Donations Needed

### Parish Festival Game Committee

Looking for new toys, games, and kid friendly items to be used as grand prizes for the kids games at the parish festival. Donations may be brought into the parish office. Questions may be directed to the parish office at 812-663-6088, ext 200.

## Indianapolis Indians & Dinosaurs

Covenant Resources Miscarriage Ministry Fundraiser  
Victory Field

Sunday, June 29, 2025 | 1:35 pm

Kids get a free kids meal! A portion of each ticket sold via our link, benefits Covenant Resources Miscarriage Ministry. For more information visit  
[www.Covenantresources.org/events](http://www.Covenantresources.org/events)



## Scan Here!

### St. Mary's Young Adult Council

Are you 18-35 and wanting to get involved at church or join a community of people your age? Scan below to find out more.



## Happy Birthday Mrs. Osterling!

To the one whose birthday wishes to others are many and well known, the St Mary's family wishes you...  
"A Big Ol' Happy Birthday!!"

## Church Bus

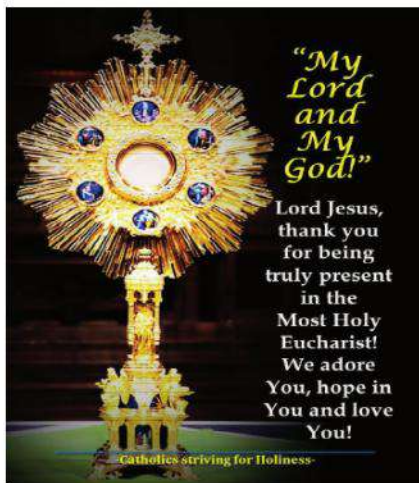
Need a ride to Mass? Our Church Bus will run for the 4:30 pm evening Mass and the 10:00 am Sunday morning Mass. If you are interested in riding the Church Bus, please contact Charlie Kramer at 812-560-3014.

## Adult & Youth Faith Formation

*"To serve with the purpose of enriching Catholic faith formation"*

### 10 Ways to Reverence Christ in the Eucharist

1. Genuflect toward the tabernacle mindfully when you enter the church.
2. Kneel and talk to Jesus in the tabernacle before Mass.
3. Say a short prayer of faith, thanksgiving, or love at the moment of consecration of the Mass, such as, "My Lord and my God" or "Thank you Jesus for being here", etc.
4. Talk personally to Jesus in your heart after communion.
5. Stay briefly after Mass for a short prayer of thanksgiving.
6. Stop in to the adoration chapel during the day to "Say hello to Jesus."
7. Sign up for a weekly hour of adoration.
8. Bring your child to the tabernacle, teach him or her to genuflect, and explain that Jesus is present in the tabernacle.
9. Keep silent before and immediately after Mass to allow others to pray.
10. Show a sign of reverence before receiving the Eucharist, such as a slight bow.



**WHEN LIFE GIVES YOU LEMONS...**

**RSVP TO MOMS RETREAT**

**CALLING MOTHERS FROM ANY SEASON OF MOTHERHOOD AND ALL WALKS OF LIFE, JOIN US FOR A FUN FILLED RETREAT CELEBRATING ALL THAT YOU ARE!**

**JUNE 28TH**

**9AM-3PM**

**@ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**

**LIGHT BREAKFAST AND LUNCH WILL BE SERVED**

**Free will donation day of the retreat**



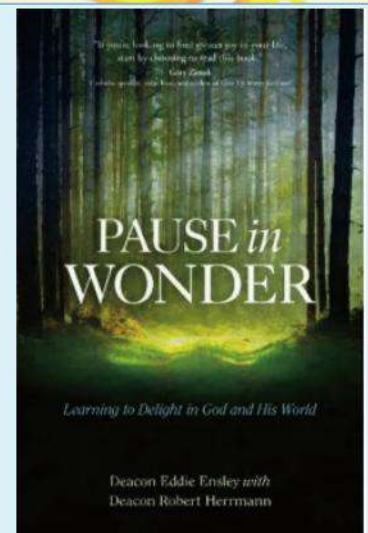
### Women's Faith Share Group

**Sundays- Beginning: August 31, 2025, and continuing for 12 weeks**

**8:50 AM to 9:50 AM (Between 8 AM and 10 AM Mass)**

**Cost for Book: \$15.95 (payable at first session)**

"Joy has its tendrils in God," writes Deacon Eddie Ensley. Do you want more joy in life? Do you want to learn how to choose joy? Would you like to learn to appreciate in a new way, the life-changing power of the sacraments and other riches of the Church and to be more mindful of the invisible realities all around you? Do you want to seek deep joy in your lives? Come join us as we examine these concepts—and more—during this 12-week study. We will be using the book "Pause in Wonder" by Deacons Eddie Ensley and Robert Herrmann from Ave Maria Press, and we invite women of the Parish to join us for the journey while we explore ways to cultivate practical spiritual habits using simple, spiritually sound prayer practices—based on scripture and tradition—to heighten your sense of wonder and bring you greater joy in everyday life. Please call the parish office (812-663-8427) by August 5th so that we can have enough books available. We hope you will join us as we seek more joy in our lives. If you have questions about the Sunday morning Women's Faith Share group, please contact Theresa Schwering (812-560-3329) or Carrie Huntington (812-528-7622).



## Perpetual Adoration Chapel

In the Garden of Gethsemane, before His crucifixion, Jesus asked His Apostles, "Could you not keep watch with me for one hour?" Spending one hour with Jesus thus became a tradition in the Church.

Mother Teresa of Calcutta said, "The time you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament will be the best and most profitable time you will ever spend here on Earth."

St. Mary Parish has had a Perpetual Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament for over 19 years. Many graces and blessings are bestowed upon those who spend time with Him outside of Mass. For our parish to continue this most sacred practice, we need more adorers that would be willing to take a regular time slot or substitute adorers that would be able to fill in when needed.

Available Hours

Friday	1:00 pm
Saturday	2:00 am
Monday	3:00 am

We also need substitute adorers for all days and times throughout the week. Not sure of the early morning hours or making an hour a week commitment? Consider a rotating schedule with family or friends or try substituting in the early morning for possibly a month. Many have found the early morning hours to be the most grace-filled times to be in the presence of Jesus to grown in their love for the Eucharist. For further questions, please contact Linda Ortman 812-614-4553



## Faith in Action: Indiana Church Reaches \$1 Million Goal to Build New Community in Honduras

*Michael Turnbull, COCONUT CREEK, Fla. (June 16, 2025)*

Thanks to the unwavering dedication of parishioners at St. Mary's Church in Greensburg, Ind., and the generosity of their partners, a once-distant dream is becoming a reality for families in Cucuyagua, Honduras.

Food For The Poor (FFTP) is celebrating the fully funded construction of a new community – 53 phase one homes, a community center and a feeding center – made possible by the church's commitment to raise \$1 million over the past 18 months. That goal has been met, and generous support continues to grow. Construction is now underway and a formal dedication is scheduled for October. In addition to funding construction, St. Mary's Church also has organized a tractor-trailer of goods to be sent to Honduras in support of the families who will soon call the new community home. The shipment will be routed through FFTP to long-time in-country partner CEPUDO.

The vision for this transformative project began when FFTP clergy speakers Fr. Carlton Beever and Fr. Bob White introduced the need for housing, education, and community infrastructure in Cucuyagua, Honduras, to St. Mary's Church. Inspired by their message and moved by the Holy Spirit, parishioners felt called to act. "By the grace of God, our priest, Fr. John Meyer, embraced the challenge, and our parish was moved to respond," parishioner Tom Ricke said. "St. Mary's parishioners have been taking the opportunity to fulfill Jesus' words from Matthew 25:40: 'Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of Mine, you did for Me.'" Ricke himself had been moved by a deeply personal experience in which he clung to prayer and witnessed his wife's miraculous recovery from paralysis almost 35 years ago and made a promise to follow God's call to help others. That commitment has guided him ever since and helped spark his parish's incredible journey to transform lives in Honduras.

In March 2024, Ricke was among a group from the church, including Greensburg Mayor Joshua Marsh, who traveled to Honduras with FFTP to visit the site where the new community is now taking shape. "It has been a blessing to meet and help these families establish a new community where they will have a home with electricity and clean water," he said. "Along with Food For The Poor and CEPUDO, it is possible to change the lives of these families for future generations."

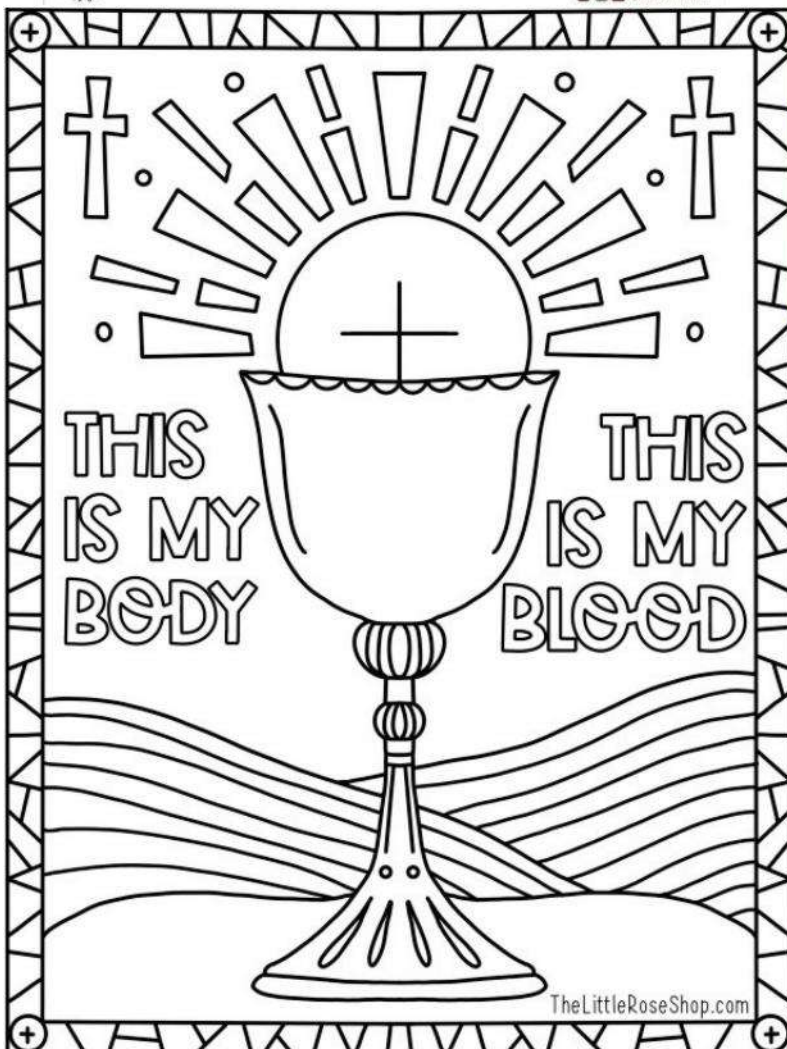
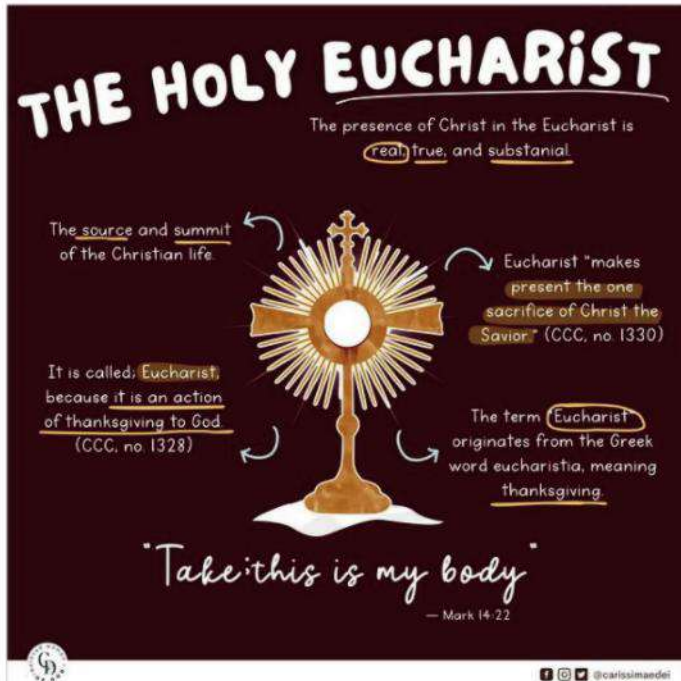
The St. Vincent de Paul Society of Indianapolis is contributing to this effort with a recent donation of more than 50 bicycles, a pallet of bike parts, and a pallet of clothing valued at \$2,400. Decatur County Memorial Hospital, of Greensburg, Ind., donated more than \$2,300 of physical therapy equipment. That shipment is now at FFTP, where it is being loaded onto a container for shipment to Honduras.

"At the heart of St. Vincent de Paul's mission is a commitment to serving those in need with compassion and dignity," Operations Director Chris Sutton said. "When Fr. Carlton approached us with St. Mary Church's ambitious and inspiring initiative to build homes, a school, and a community center in Cucuyagua, Honduras, we felt called to contribute. Donating bicycles, clothing, and parts is a tangible way we can support the day-to-day needs of families – helping them access school, work, and essential services more easily. It's a small part of a much larger story of hope and solidarity, and we're deeply grateful to be involved." The truck, generously provided by Batesville Tool and Die of Batesville, Ind., donated transportation to FFTP's Coconut Creek, Fla., headquarters.

"This project is a powerful testament to what's possible when compassion meets purpose," FFTP President/CEO Ed Raine said. "The people of St. Mary's Church and the St. Vincent de Paul Society of Indianapolis, together with Batesville Tool and Die, have shown that love knows no borders. Their efforts will forever change lives in Cucuyagua, providing not just homes, but dignity, hope, and opportunity."

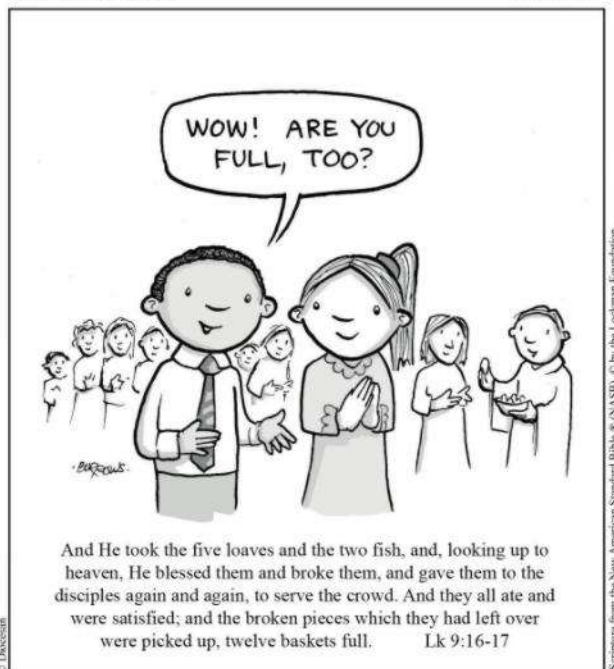
## Kids Corner

*"And he took them up in his arms and blessed them, laying his hands on them." Luke 18:17*



### The Little Ones

Jim Burrows



## Food for the Poor | Status Report

*Cucuyagua, Honduras Sustainable Community Development -Phase I*

Project Goal: Promote sustainable social and economic development of 52 families residing in Cucuyagua, Copan, Honduras

### Project Update

#### Infrastructure

- Levelled the land and opened the road
- Completed 25 houses and 10 more are in progress
- Completed the construction of the community center
- Completed construction of the wastewater sewer network
- Water treatment plant about 80% finished
- Completed electrical installations including wiring, transformers, concrete poles and street lights
- Completed storm water drainage ditches and 5,000 gallon water tank. Work has begun on PVC piping that will deliver water to the homes

#### Social Development

- Completed community inclusion activities for a total of 35 individuals helping them develop strong bonds, empathy, and problem solving skills
- Began community empowerment training sessions which covered self-awareness, personal strengths, and interpersonal relationships



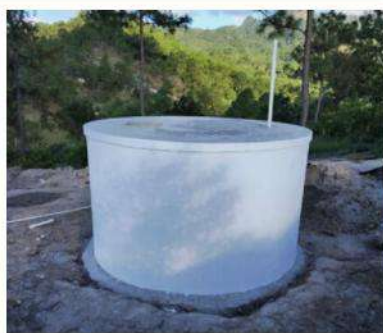
You are helping to empower through faith-filled teachings.



Align with the spirit of transformation!



The wastewater treatment plant will ensure that all the families are protected from diseases and infections caused by a lack of plumbing.



This water storage will be a reliable source of water that families can count on.



Homes being constructed and completed are a source of hope .



Your gift is an instrument of change for so many people! Thank you!

## Grand Opening Trip

**October 6-10**

Join us for the Dedication of our Adopt a Village project in Honduras. Those attending will experience the sincere gratitude of the families receiving a home for the first time. Estimated cost is \$1200, this includes hotel accommodations, security, transportation, meals, snacks, and non-alcoholic beverages while in Honduras (airfare not included.) Contact Tom Ricke at 812-614-3341 or [susanricke@hotmail.com](mailto:susanricke@hotmail.com) for more information.



**FFTP** FOOD FOR THE POOR  
United in God's Work



## St. Catherine of Siena Parish Festival

**Saturday, June 28 & Sunday, June 29 | St. Maurice, IN**

Join us Saturday from 1:00-6:00 pm for a Jeep ride or 6:00 pm for Poker at St. Maurice Hall. On Sunday, Mass will begin at 10:00 am and festival events will follow until 3:30 pm—fried chicken & roast beef dinners, kids games & pedal tractor pull, live music, beer & wine garden, and turtle soup. Call 812-663-4754 or see our Facebook page @StCatherineOfSienain for more information.

## Suffering From An Abortion?

**Rachel's Vineyard Post-Abortive Healing Retreat**

**Friday - Sunday, July 25-27<sup>th</sup>**

If you are suffering after an abortion, you may feel very alone. You may have experienced an abortion many years ago and never told anyone or you may be struggling with a more recent abortion. A confidential retreat will be held July 25-27th in the greater Indianapolis area. For more information and to register, call 317-452-0054 or email [projectrachel@archindy.org](mailto:projectrachel@archindy.org).

## Community Prayer and Rally

**Tuesday, June 24 | 11:00 am - 1:00 pm**

**Christ Church Cathedral Lawn, Monument Circle, Indianapolis**

Join the Sisters of Providence Associates for prayer and public witness. The rally is one of several "echo events" scheduled to take place nationwide on that day. The events have been set up as a way for those whose faith compels them to stand and support those without a voice. In this event, "Sisters Speak Out in Prayer and Public Witness for Immigrants and Just Economy," Providence Associates will say their commitment to the Gospel, mission and the charisms that urge them to do so. All are invited to attend. To assist in planning or for further information, contact Jeannie TeKolste at [jtekolste@gmail.com](mailto:jtekolste@gmail.com) or call 317-513-3873

## Virtual, In-Person Taizé prayer

**Tuesday, July 8 | 7:00- 8:00 pm**

**Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, IN**

Join the Sisters of Providence for song, quiet contemplation and inspiring readings during the ecumenical Taizé Prayer service. People of all faith traditions are welcome. Join us in person in the Church of the Immaculate Conception at Saint Mary-of-the-Woods or via livestream. Find a livestream link or learn more at [Taize.SistersofProvidence.org](http://Taize.SistersofProvidence.org).

## Oldenburg Academy Twister Lauf 5K

**Saturday, July 19 | 9:00 am**

Come celebrate the 48th Freudenfest by participating in the OA Lauf 5K. The course will take you through the scenic, historic, Village of Spires. All proceeds benefit OASIS...Oldenburg-Academy-Students In-Sports.

<https://runsignup.com/Race/IN/Oldenburg/TwisterLauf5K>

## Traditional Silent Retreats

**St. Teresa of Avila Retreat Center, 592 N Co Rd 650 E, Greensburg**

**2025 Retreat Schedule**

Sept. 4-7	Women's Retreat
Oct. 9-12	Men's Retreat
Nov. 6-9	Women's Retreat
Dec. 4-7	Men's Advent Retreat

For more information: [edelweisshouse.org](http://edelweisshouse.org) or 812-221-5370

## Discernment Retreats

If you are a woman who is considering a religious vocation, you can learn more about available discernment retreats at <https://cmswr.org/discernment-retreats/>.

## Oldenburg Academy's 11<sup>th</sup> Annual \$20,000 Cash Raffle

**July 19, 2025**

Proceeds will benefit OA's general operating fund to support the school's most important needs.

There are 13 chances to win: One \$15,000 prize, two \$1,000 prizes, five \$500 prizes and five \$100 prizes. Tickets are \$100 each and can be purchased by calling the OA Advancement Office at 812-933-0737. License #002071 - 162585

## Shrine Our Lady of Champion<sup>2</sup>

**July 7-10**

A Pilgrimage is being planned to the "Shrine Our Lady of Champion<sup>2</sup>" in Wisconsin and several other Shrines in the surrounding areas from July 7- July 10 by St. Jude Tours. For more information and flyers, you can call Carroll Lanning of Brookville at 513-305-7996.

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## Family Pilgrimage at Saint Meinrad

**Saturday, July 12 | 9:30 am - 5:00 pm**

Children's Revival of Participation at Sunday Mass presents a Jubilee Year of Hope Family Pilgrimage. Activities include Reconciliation, Mass, and a scavenger hunt. Register at <https://www.saintmeinrad.edu/revivalretreat>

## Have you or someone you know had a miscarriage?

**Covenant Resources Miscarriage Ministry**

St. Mary Catholic Church wants to support you in your time of loss. Did you know you can bury your miscarried baby's remains? This can be done even if the miscarriage is early or occurs in a medical facility. St. Mary has a Little Souls Cemetery for the burial or memorialization of your miscarried baby. We also partnered with Covenant Resources Miscarriage Ministry to provide other miscarriage resources.

Contact the parish office at 812-663-8427 ext 200 for more information or [www.covenantresources.org](http://www.covenantresources.org), 812-212-3463



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