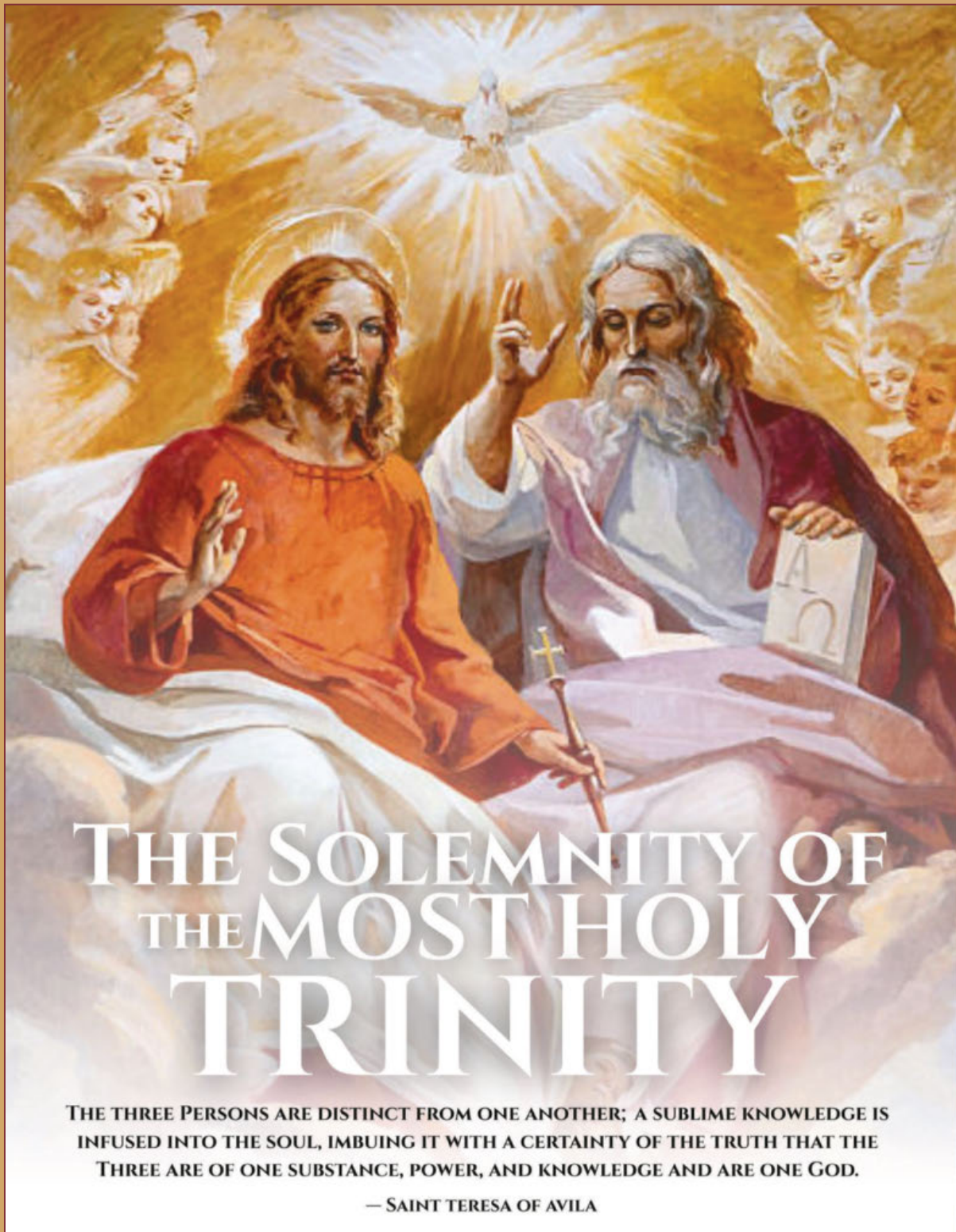


Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church
5333 East Washington Street - Indianapolis, IN 46219

June 15, 2025



We, the faith community of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, strive to live, share and be Christ in all we do.

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation: Saturday 4-4:30 p.m.
You may also call the parish office to arrange for an appointment.

Baptism: 3rd Sunday of the month during or immediately after 10 a.m. Mass, or at another pre-arranged time. Preparation classes are held quarterly. Please call the parish office for additional information.

Marriage: Please contact the pastor at least six months in advance. No wedding dates will be set until a couple has met with the pastor.

Communion Calls: Please call the parish office to arrange Communion calls for the home-bound.

Anointing of the Sick: If you are going to have surgery, or have a chronic illness and wish to be anointed, please contact the parish office. If a family member is in or admitted to the hospital, please call the parish office at **317-356-7291**.

PARISH SCHOOL

Our Lady of Lourdes offers preschool and kindergarten through 8th grade classes. Please call the School Office for more information at **317-357-3316**.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to our Parish Family!

To register or to schedule a tour of Our Lady of Lourdes, please call or stop by the parish office.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

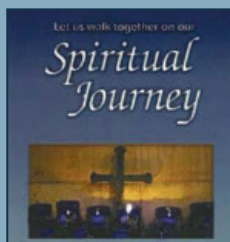
Please send your entries by **NOON** on **MONDAYS** to ensure your article will appear in that week's printing. If you have flyers to be inserted into the bulletin, please bring them to the parish office by 3 p.m. on Thursday.

THANK YOU!

parishsecretary@ollindy.org

PRAY THE ROSARY WITH US

AT HOME OR IN CHURCH:
TUESDAYS/THURSDAYS
AT 5:30 P.M.



Pastor's Corner

Excerpt from a Homily by Fr. Antony Kadavil

There is a very old and much-repeated story about St. Augustine, one of the intellectual giants of the Church. He was walking by the seashore one day, attempting to conceive of an intelligible explanation for the mystery of the Trinity. As he walked along, he saw a small boy on the beach, pouring seawater from a shell into a small hole in the sand. "What are you doing, my child?" asked Augustine. "I am trying to empty the sea into this hole," the boy answered with an innocent smile. "But that is impossible, my dear child," said Augustine. The boy stood up, looked straight into the eyes of Augustine and replied, "What you are trying to do - comprehend the immensity of God with your small head - is even more impossible." Then he vanished. The child was an angel sent by God to teach Augustine a lesson. Later, Augustine wrote: "You see the Trinity if you see love." According to him, the Father is the lover, the Son is the loved one and the Holy Spirit is the personification of the very act of loving. This means that we can understand something of the Mystery of the Holy Trinity more readily with the heart than with our feeble mind. Evagrius of Pontus, a Greek monk, of the 4th century, who came from what is now Turkey in Asia and later lived out his vocation in Egypt, said: "God cannot be grasped by the mind. If God could be grasped, God would not be God."

(<http://frtonyshomilies.com/>)





“Ordinary Women” to Meet June 16

The Ordinary Women book group will meet in Bernadette Hall, **Room A** at **7 p.m. on Monday, June 16**. Please join us! All women of the parish are welcome. Please call Pat: **317-395-8186** for more info.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Join us
Tuesday, June 17,
for a Holy Hour for Vocations.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will occur immediately upon conclusion of the 6 p.m., Mass. Benediction will be at approximately 7:30 p.m.



Socialaires

June 25-We will meet in the west parking lot at 9 a.m. for a day trip to Jungle Jim's in Fairfield, OH. It is an international grocery store. Feel free to bring an ice chest for things that will require refrigeration. Even if you don't buy anything, the store is an experience in itself. When it is lunch time, we'll make a decision about where we'll eat. Majority rules.

RSVP Diane Beasley: 317-527-7946

Knights of Columbus

Fatima Event Center Located at 1040 North Post Road

Fatima Council's Dinner with the Knights will be on Monday, June 23, at 6:30 p.m. featuring grilled sausage and hamburgers along with potato salad, cole slaw and a dessert. The cost is \$10 for adults, \$5 for children 5 -12, and children under 4 are free. Please join us for a great evening.

Teens! Get In on the Ground Floor!

OLL is interested in forming a youth group to meet regularly. Do you have ideas for such a group; are there activities, practices, or goals that you think would be beneficial and enjoyable? Let's all meet and talk about what we want this youth group to be! Contact Matthew Fallon to be included in a June meeting.

mfallon@ollindy.org



RSVP for Fr Rick's Retirement Party
On Saturday, June 21, following the
5 p.m. Mass.

Use this QR code, or click the link in
the Friday Newsletter. Or you may call
the parish office: 317-356-7291.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Emilia Atkinson, Harold Barthe', Darryl Barthe' Jr., Bob Bittelmeyer, Dick & Kathy Burgess, Will Christiansen, Deborah Clayton, Tim Coffey, Catherine C. Coop, Marc Davis, Cassandra Budreau Dunne, Mona Eitel, Tina Fields, Teresa Foster, Jim Funk, Steve Gray, Ben Hall, Charles Hart, Isabelle Hofmeister, Brian Houppert, Harold Irons, Michael James, Teresa Kerns, Joseph Kossack, Emerson Linde, Paul Linne, Jay Loomis, John Maag & Ellen, Jerry MacKenzie, Marilyn May, Jeff McBride, Becky Miller, Mike Miller, Glenda Moore, Luke Mulford, Larry & Victoria O'Neil, Dale Page, Sandy Pavey, Phil Reed, Joseph Rogers, Irene Roseman, Rhonda Roseman, Cathy Russell, Kevin Schwering, Vonda Sigman, Karen & Larry Thomas, Jim Warrenburg, Arianna Williams, Susan Williams, Scott Woolen

Parish Office

Hours: Monday - Friday
8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Phone: 317-356-7291

School Office

Phone: 317-357-3316

Fax: 317-357-0980

Mass Schedule

Tues & Thurs 6 p.m.

Wed & Fri 8:15 a.m.

Sat 5 p.m.

Sun 10 a.m.

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SSgt Tyler Brown, USAF

Help Supply Hygiene Bags for ICAN

Dear friends,

I am trying to put together 15 hygiene bags for the ICAN pantry. I have some of the items but still need:

Bars of soap (NOT bath size) such as Jergen's and Suave
5 lip balms

Combs (that fit in quart size ziploc bags)

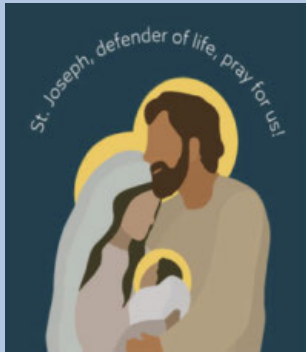
Travel-size toothpastes, lotions, and shampoos

Disposable razors

Thank you for your consideration. Please bring items to the parish office. Call me if you have any questions.

317-359-6655

Stephenie Paquette



"Through our prayers and through the intercession of St. Joseph, patron of fathers, may fathers come to know the irreplaceable role they hold in the lives of their children, and the responsibility they share in welcoming God's gift of new life!"

Most Reverend Shelton J. Fabre, Bishop of Houma-Thibodaux
"Fathers' Irreplaceable Role in Welcoming Life"

Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist

We will hold our meeting soon to discuss the book, "Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist" by Brant Pitre, on the evening on June 20, at 6:30 p.m., in Bernadette Hall. Let Matthew know you will be attending the discussion by signing up on the parish website. Although Dr. Pitre is a professor at Notre Dame, this is not a dry textbook; it is both informative and accessible.

Vacation Bible School is Coming!!

It's almost time for Vacation Bible School! VBS will meet at Little Flower Parish the week of June 23-28, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Kindergarten through 4th grade students welcomed. Use this QR code to be registered ahead, or do it the first evening of VBS. Teen and adult help will be needed! Talk with Matthew for details: mfallon@ollindy.org



Confirmation Candidates for Spring 2026!

Informational binders have been distributed to upcoming Confirmation candidates. If your rising 8th-grader hasn't received one and is interested in receiving the Sacrament next spring, contact DRE, Matthew Fallon to arrange to pick up a binder. mfallon@ollindy.org

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 14.....	The Most Holy Trinity	
5:00 pm	Pro Populo	
Sunday, June 15.....	The Most Holy Trinity	
10:00 am	†Patricia Lockhart	Req. by Kitty Bienemann
Tuesday, June 17.....	Weekday	
5:30 pm	Rosary	
6:00 pm	†Kate Cabell	Req. by Andrea & Glenn Kurtz
Wednesday, June 18.....	Weekday	
8:15 am	†Kay Carol Hurley	Req. by Ann Miller
Thursday, June 19.....	St. Romuald, Abbot	
5:30 pm	Rosary	
6:00 pm	†Kate Kline	Req. by Lori Malander
Friday, June 20.....	Weekday	
8:15 am	†Joanna Parks	Req. by Diane Beasley
Saturday, June 21.....	The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ	
5:00 pm	†Kate Cabell	Req. by Jeff & Mary Williams
Sunday, June 22.....	The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ	
10:00 am	Pro Populo	
Tuesday, June 24, & Wednesday, June 25:		
COMMUNION SERVICES		

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, June 21, 5 p.m. The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

EMHC: Monica Collins (Host), Kayla Richart (Host),
Sally Krause (Cup), _____ (Cup),
Amy Petrone (Main Host)

Hospitality Ministers: Don Flick (Team Leader - UN), Kay Campbell (GE),
Lisa Flick (GN), Tim McDonnell (GW)

Lector: Nick Petrone (A), Francis Ziegler (B)

Sacristan: Mary Morois

Servers: Annabelle Bledsoe, Clara McKiernan

Cantor: Ann Skirvin

Sunday, June 22, 5 p.m. The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

EMHC: Paula Schenkenfelder (Host), _____ (Host),
Lilly Forster (Cup), Fletcher Daly (Cup), Jill Daly (Cup),
Mark Pittman (Cup), Kirk Forster (Main Host)

Hospitality Ministers: Mike Guinan (Team Leader, UN), Megan Wuertz (GE),
Steve Wuertz (GN), Bob Davey (GW), _____ (Y)

Lector: Matthew Fallon (A), Vic Berlage (B)

Sacristan: Bernice Berlage

Servers: Gabriel Certo, Kate Certo

Cantor: Linda Caraher

Live Streamer: Wayne Bowles

Small Linens Penny Moss

READINGS: WEEK OF JUNE 15, 2025

Sunday:	Prv 8:22-31; Ps 8:4-9; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15
Monday:	2 Cor 6:1-10; Ps 98:1-4; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday:	2 Cor 8:1-9; Ps 146:2,5-9a; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday:	2 Cor 9:6-11; Ps 112:1b-4,9; Mt 6:1-6,16-18
Thursday:	2 Cor 11:1-11; Ps 111:1b-4,7-8; Mt 6:7-15
Friday:	2 Cor 11:18,21-30; Ps 34:2-7; Mt 6:19-23
Saturday:	2 Cor 12:1-10; Ps 34:8-13; Mt 22:34-40

Calendar of EVENTS

Sunday, June 15

10:00 am Mass Church

Monday, June 16

7:00 pm Folk Choir Church

7:00 pm Ordinary Women BH-A

Tuesday, June 17

5:30 pm Rosary Chapel

6:00 pm Mass followed by Adoration Chapel

7:00 pm Boy Scouts Troop #8 Cafeteria

Wednesday, June 18

8:15 am Mass Chapel

Thursday, June 19

10:00 am In Stitches BH-A&B

5:30 pm Rosary Chapel

6:00 pm Mass Chapel

Friday, June 20

8:15 am Mass Chapel

6:30 pm Adult Book Study Meeting BH-A

Saturday, June 21

4:00 pm Reconciliation Church

5:00 pm Mass Church

6:00 pm Fr Rick's Retirement Party Gym

Sunday, June 22

10:00 am Mass Church

Stewardship

*"But when he comes, the Spirit of truth,
he will guide you to all truth..."*

(JOHN 16:13)

It has been said that the best gift we can give someone is to teach them how to pray. If you don't talk and more importantly, listen, to God every day, how else will you know what He is calling you to do? Just as you talk to family and friends every day, get in the habit of talking with God every day. Develop a **Stewardship** daily prayer routine. Keep your prayers simple and sincere. This is best done in silence, when you can hear God's response.

Prayer Vine

To add someone's name to the Prayer Vine, please contact Laura Hughes at:
vineollstb@gmail.com



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June 8, 2025

Actual.....	\$	5,014.00
Online Giving		4,301.00
Budgeted.....		<u>12,520.00</u>
Difference +/-.....	\$	(3,205.00)

YTD Sunday & Holy Day

Actual.....	\$	611,898.36
Budgeted.....		<u>613,480.00</u>
Difference +/-.....	\$	(1,581.64)

SVdP.....	\$	308.00
Ed. Future Priests.....	\$	290.00
Endowment.....	\$	125.00
Memorial Contributions.....	\$	5.00
Peter's Pence.....	\$	40.00
Criterion.....	\$	22.00

Plan Ahead for the Start of Religious Ed!

Plan for the August start of Sunday Religious Education NOW!! Find the registration form for our Religious Ed. classes on the parish website and sign up this spring. Children from kindergarten through seventh grade are welcomed. Early registration will let us know how many children are coming, and to purchase materials. We envision a new meeting time: 9:30 a.m. Please join our team of catechists! **Register by July 18, for the normal Religious Education fee.** Registrations after this date will include a late fee of \$10.

First Reconciliation & First Eucharist

Register to prepare to receive the sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist for the first time next school year! Find a registration link on the parish website to enroll your rising second graders into our parish program of preparation. We will be better prepared if we know you will be participating! You must be registered to receive notices about upcoming activities, and to participate.

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