



ST. STANISLAUS, BISHOP AND MARTYR

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Latin Mass Schedule:

Sunday: Mass: 7:30am / Mass: 10:00am

Monday / Wednesday / Thursday: Mass: 7:00am

Tuesday / Friday: Mass: 6:30pm

Saturday: Mass: 8:15am

Holy Days of Obligation: see website or latest bulletin

Confessions:

Sunday: 9:00-9:45am

Monday: 5:15-6:00pm

Tuesday: 5:30-6:15pm

Saturday: 9:00-10:00am

Also by appointment.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Sunday, May 21, *Fifth Sunday after Easter*

7:30am: Dustin Greer

10:00am: *Pro populo*

Monday, May 22, *Feria in Paschaltide*

7:00am: Stephanie Brefeld

Tuesday, May 23, *Feria in Paschaltide*

6:30pm: Barb and Gene Greutman

Wednesday, May 24, *Vigil of the Ascension*

7:00am: Special Intention of Joseph Speybroeck

Thursday, May 25, *Ascension of the Lord*

7:00pm: *Pro populo*

Friday, May 26, *St. Philip Neri*

6:30pm: Kathleen Newcome (†)

Saturday, May 27, *St. Bede the Venerable*

8:15am: Barb and Gene Greutman

Sunday, May 28, *Sunday after Ascension*

7:30am: Judy Lynk (†)

10:00am: *Pro populo*

21 May 2017

Fifth Sunday after Easter

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

From the Bishop:

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

In his beautiful apostolic exhortation *Evangelii gaudium*, on "The Joy of the Gospel," Pope Francis reminds us that "participation in political life is a moral obligation." As Catholic citizens, we have a responsibility to defend the rights of those who cannot speak for themselves and to defend our own right to practice our faith and the works of mercy that flow from it.

The need for our engagement in the public policy process has grown in recent years as violations of conscience rights have risen. You may have heard, for example, of the case of Cathy DeCarlo, a pro-life nurse in New York City, who was threatened with firing and the loss of her license unless she assisted with a third trimester abortion. The **Conscience Protection Act** is a critical bill in Congress that will help protect institutions and individuals like Cathy DeCarlo that do not want to be forced to participate in or pay for abortions.

This weekend, in response to a call to action from the U.S. Bishops' Committee on Pro-Life Activities, I am inviting the faithful in our diocese to contact our representatives in Congress to urge them to support the **Conscience Protection Act**. This can be done quickly and easily through the Human Life Action website at humanlifeaction.org. The Human Life Action Center, which is part of the U.S. bishops' pro-life efforts, makes it simple to contact members of Congress by automatically matching people with their elected officials and providing an email message that can be personalized and sent -- all in just a few minutes.

Thank you for your willingness to unite with me and our fellow Catholic citizens across the country to make our voices heard. Let us pray that our cherished freedom of conscience may be further protected by law.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

† Kevin C. Rhoades

Bishop of Fort Wayne-South Bend

Feast of the Ascension:

While not a day of obligation in this diocese, there will be Mass for the *Feast of the Ascension* on **Thursday, May 25** at 7:00pm. (Note that this will be the *only* Mass that day; there will be no 7am Mass.)

Homeschool Co-op Performance:

This Friday, **May 26**, please come celebrate a successful end to our first full year of homeschool co-op! We are so blessed to have this great opportunity at St. Stanislaus. We will begin in the church with Low Mass at 6:30pm. After Mass we will proceed to the church basement for songs, drama, teacher recognition, artwork, and refreshments. Feel free to invite friends, grandparents, or any other special people to join in our joy!

Sanctuary Renovation: Update

Work will begin in the sanctuary on **Monday, June 5**. The artist for Daprato-Rigali Studios is currently working on a rendition of our new altar placed in our church.

The generosity of those who have already contributed to this project is inspiring, and the parish is truly grateful, for we have raised the balance for the first *two* phases! Now we are working on the details to establish the amount needed for the *third* phase. So, please help us fund this important project – take advantage of the opportunity to build for God!

To make a donation to the sanctuary renovation, simply place your gift in the collection and clearly mark it “*Sanctuary Renovation*” or if you would like to pledge your gift, please contact me directly. Thank you and God bless!

– Msgr. John C. Fritz, FSSP, Pastor

Hymnal / Missal:

Feel free to use a copy of the *St. Edmund Campion Missal & Hymnal* during your time in church, but *please return* all copies to the back of church.

Pages in *Campion Missal/Hymnal* for **Sunday, 10am Mass:**

Processional: *Alleluia, Sing to Jesus* (#936)

Mass Ordinary: page 639

Mass Propers of the Day: page 283

Recessional: *Regina Caeli* (#954) / *Hail, Holy Queen* (#908)

Pages in *Campion Missal/Hymnal* for **Ascension Thursday:**

Processional: *O Christ Who Mountest Up the Sky* (#855)

Mass Ordinary: page 570; Mass VIII (p. 727)

Mass Propers of the Day: page 287

Recessional: *Regina Caeli* (#954) /

I Sing the Mighty Power of God (#934)

Upcoming Parish Events:

May

Homeschool Co-op Performance: Fri., May 26
Little Flowers Girls' Group: Sun., May 28
Sodality of the BVM and St. Anne: Wed., May 31

June

Construction Begins: Mon., June 5
External Solemnity of Corpus Christi: Sun., June 18
Evening For Men / League of Prayer: Mon., June 19
St. John the Baptist Vigil Bonfire: Fri., June 23

July

Veneration of Relic of St. M. Goretti: Thurs., July 6
St. Anne Novena: July 17-25 / Feast: July 26



Confraternity of St. Peter:

The Confraternity of St. Peter is a society which gathers those who feel close to the Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter, and who wish to support its charism through prayers and sacrifices. Thus the Confraternity contributes to the service of the Church, through supporting numerous vocations, the sanctification of priests and their pastoral endeavors. For more details, and to enroll, go to the website here: www.confraternityofstpeter.org.

Submitted Announcement: Catholic Adoption Agency

HFCAA, a Catholic, pro-life, non-profit adoption agency promotes adoption as the loving answer to abortion. It makes adoption affordable for Catholic couples and encourages them to pray outside abortion centers where they can offer their love and adoption. HFCAA needs your support to continue to promote adoption, especially in local high schools and colleges. Donations are tax deductible. Gifts can be sent to HFCAA, 2018 Ironwood Circle, So. Bend, IN, 46635.

For more information, or if you have questions, please contact Mary at 574-307-3585.

Submitted Announcement: The Life Center

The Apostolate of Divine Mercy in Service of Life, Marriage and the Family sponsors Adoration on Tues. and Fri. from 8:30am through 2pm, and Wed. from 2-6pm. For Information regarding prayerful protest locations and times, please call Fran at (574) 250-2484, visit 2018 Ironwood Circle in S. Bend, or see the website: DivineMercyForLife.net