

ST. STANISLAUS, BISHOP AND MARTYR

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

415 NORTH BROOKFIELD STREET
SOUTH BEND, INDIANA 46628

AN APOSTOLATE OF THE PRIESTLY FRATERNITY OF ST. PETER

Pastor:

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Mass Schedule:

Sunday: 7:30am (low Mass) / 10:00am (sung Mass)

Mon., Wed., Thrs.: 7:00am

Tues., Fri.: 6:30pm

Saturday: 8:15am

Confessions:

Mon., Tues., Fri: 5:30pm - 6:15pm

Sun.: 9:00am - 9:45am

Also by appointment.

The Rosary is prayed after Mass Mon.-Sat., and before 10am Sun.

Sexagesima Sunday

4 February 2024

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Trail Life Boys' Adventure:

The boys meet this Monday, **February 5** at 6:30pm in the church basement, and again on **February 26**. Please contact Peter Ohotnicky for details: peter.ohotnicky@gmail.com

Compline: *The night office of the Church*

Please join us in chanting *Compline* every Tuesday evening after the 6:30pm Mass and Rosary (we start around 7:30pm). Text with musical notation are provided. Even if you do not chant with us, come and pray!

St. Stanislaus Young Adult Group

Young adults, i.e. 18-35, are welcome to join us after Holy Mass and Rosary at 7:30pm this Friday, **February 9**, for a spiritual reading and discussion with Msgr. Fritz on preparing for Lent, followed by socializing, games, and food.

Additionally, please join us for our first ever *Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dance* on Tuesday, **February 13**, after Mass, Rosary and Compline until 11:00pm. There will be epic pancake flipping, pancake eating, and festive dancing. Bring a friend and your favorite pancake topping. We hope to see you there! If you have any questions or to get on the email list, please email us at ssyag@ststanparish.com

Meeting for Men:

All men are invited to attend an evening of instruction and reflection about authentic manhood on Monday, **February 12**. The session will run from 7:00-9:00pm; doors open at 6:30pm, so consider coming early to enjoy some social time with other men from the parish (light refreshments will be served). Msgr. Fritz will give a presentation followed by Q&A, and a chance for fellowship with other men. Please join us!

MASS INTENTIONS:

Sunday, February 4, Sexagesima Sunday

7:30am: James and Mary Kuspa Family

10:00am: *Pro populo*

Monday, February 5, St. Agatha

7:00am: Kathleen Kampe

Tuesday, February 6, St. Titus

6:30pm: Linda Garritano

Wednesday, February 7, St. Romuald

7:00am: Msgr. John C. Fritz, FSSP

Thursday, February 8, St. John of Matha

7:00am: Ervin Kampe (†)

Friday, February 9, St. Cyril

6:30pm: Pamela Burke Gorham

Saturday, February 10, St. Scholastica

8:15am: Christine Duttlinger

Sunday, February 11, Quinquagesima Sunday

7:30am: Michael Kampe Family

10:00am: *Pro populo*

Ash Wednesday:

To mark the beginning of Lent, there will be the Distribution of (privately) Blessed Ashes after the 7:00am low Mass on Wednesday, **February 14**. The *solemn* (and public) Blessing and Distribution of ashes will take place at the Sung Mass on Wednesday, **February 14** at 7:00pm.

Remember, this is a day of fasting and abstinence.

Current Law for Fasting and Abstinence:

On Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, fasting is required of those from the age of 18 until 59; one full meal is permitted per day, two smaller meals may be taken which together would not equal a full meal. No other food may be taken. On Ash Wednesday and *all* Fridays in Lent, abstinence from meat is binding on those aged 14 and above.

Lenten Almsgiving:

From Ash Wednesday, **February 14** until Easter Monday, the parish will be collecting needed items for St. Augustine's Soup Kitchen and Food Pantry. Receptacles will be placed near the main entrance of the church behind the pews for your convenience. Requested items include canned goods such as chicken, tuna, vegetables, fruit, beans, ravioli, soup; mac-and-cheese, instant potatoes; pancake mix and syrup; bar soap; toilet paper; and diapers (#3 and #5).

Thank you for your generosity!

Bible Study for Teens:

On Saturday, **February 24** there will be a Bible study for teens. The objectives of this lesson are (1) to understand the sin of Adam and Eve and understand God's promise of a New Adam and a New Eve, (2) to understand God's covenants with Noah and with Abraham and to see how these covenants look forward to, and are fulfilled in the New Covenant of Jesus Christ, (3) to appreciate the key figures in the story of Abraham as they are interpreted in the Church's tradition. Bringing a Bible is recommended, but not required. We will gather for snacks and a social at 6:30pm and the talk will begin at 7:00pm; the event concludes at 9:00pm.

Little Flowers Girls' Group:

The girls meet in the church basement on Sunday, **February 25** after the 10:00am Mass. For more information, please contact Maria Kampe: mariakampe@att.net

From the saints:

"Behold, your cross has come to you; embrace it for the love of Him Who sends it to you ... May Our Lord be pleased to give us His Holy Spirit to do and suffer all things according to His Holy Will." - St. Francis de Sales

Evening for Women:

On Wednesday, **February 28** there will be a spiritual evening for women. There will be opportunity for quiet time in church and opportunity for Confession starting at 6:30pm. Msgr. Fritz will give a presentation in the church basement at 7:00pm. There will be time for questions, refreshments and socializing.

Financial Contribution Statements:

Statements indicating your charitable giving to the parish for the calendar year 2023 have been sent out. If you have not received a statement please contact Msgr. Fritz.

Collections: January 28, 2023 - Total for Parish: \$ 5,271.00

Mail-in/Online: \$ 1,050.00

7:30am Mass Collection: \$ 1,695.00

10:00am Mass Collection: \$ 2,526.00

Attendance: January 28, 2023 - Total: 470

7:30am Mass: 112 10:00am Mass: 358

Appropriate Attire:

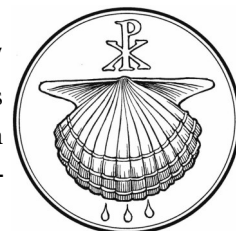
To dress becomingly for God and neighbor, and in keeping with the reverence due to the Blessed Sacrament, kindly refrain from wearing revealing blouses (décolletage), sleeveless or backless dresses, form-fitting clothing of any sort, etc.

Submitted Announcement:

Queen of Peace parish [4508 Vistula Rd, Mishawaka] is having a guest speaker on the topic of *Lent and the Seven Sorrows of Mary*. Fr. Emmanuel Ojeifo will be speaking on Sunday, **February 11** from 3:00 to 5:00pm. Light refreshments will be provided. To register, please call the parish office at (574) 254-0958 no later than February 9. Admission is free but donations accepted.

Congratulations: Baptisms!!!

Pius William was born on January 27 to James and Theresa Shaw and was Baptized Saturday, February 3 with Garret and Megan Lloyd as godparents.



Robert Jerome was born to Clifford and Kelsey Anderson January 27 and will be Baptized on Sunday, February 4 with Trey and Kate Sorg as godparents.

Arthur Joseph was born to Nick and Kateri Gerstbauer on January 31 and will be Baptized Sunday, February 4 with Clifford and Kelsey Anderson as godparents.