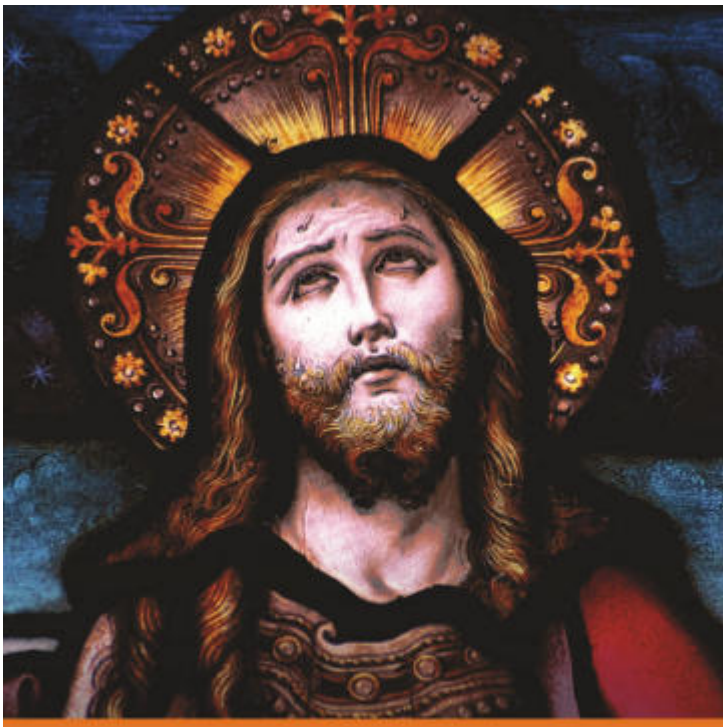

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

He said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the law of Moses and in the prophets and psalms must be fulfilled … You are witnesses of these things." - Lk 24:44, 48

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Mission Statement
As children of Mary, to unite souls to Christ through fellowship, prayer, and the sacraments.

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* Felicia Nino
* Joe Weldon
* Ginna Kearney
* Cody Sharp

Finance Council Members
* Alan Bell
* Suzie Jordan
* Tom Waning
* Mary Elder
* Tim Kearney

New Parishioners, Visitors, Welcome
If you are new to Queen of Angels, please stop by or call the Parish Office to register and get acquainted. If moving, please notify the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Baptism
Please contact the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Marriage
Couples planning to marry, please contact Pastor SIX MONTHS prior to the wedding date.

Communion Calls & Anointing of the Sick
Please keep us informed of the sick and the shut-ins, particularly when there is serious illness. Telephone anytime.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults
We welcome persons interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith. Sessions begin in late August. For more information, call the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday mornings from 7:30-8:20 am; Thursday evening from 6:00-6:50 pm; Saturday 9:00-10:00 am & 2:30-3:45 pm

Weekend Mass Schedule
Vigil Saturday at 4:00 pm; Sunday at 8:00 am and 10:30 am

Holy Days & Weekdays
See Schedule inside Bulletin

Special Prayer Times
Eucharistic Adoration: Every Tuesday 9:00 am - 9:00 pm; Benediction prayed at 9:00 pm

Quinceaneras
Please contact the Parish Office at least 6 months prior to schedule date.

Monsignor Faber Activities Center
For rental information, please contact the Parish Office.

Bulletin Deadline
Friday at Noon; sent to publisher the following Tuesday morning

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 17
Easter Weekday
Vigil: 3rd Sunday of Easter
4:00 pm Samantha Meyer Family

Sunday, April 18
Third Sunday of Easter
8:00 am For the People of the Parish
10:30 am +Brian Riecke

Monday, April 19
Easter Weekday

Tuesday, April 20
Easter Weekday
8:30 am ++James & Helen Hayes

Wednesday, April 21
Easter Weekday/*Saint Anselm, Bishop & Doctor of the Church*
8:30 am +Patricia Behrns

Thursday, April 22
Easter Weekday
7:00 pm +Tom Lauer

Friday, April 23
Easter Weekday/*Saint George, Martyr; Saint Adalbert, Bishop & Martyr*
8:30 am +Marissa F. Levirte

Saturday, April 24
Easter Weekday/*Saint Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest & Martyr*
Vigil: 4th Sunday of Easter
4:00 pm For the People of the Parish

Sunday, April 25
Fourth Sunday of Easter/*World Day of Prayer for Vocations*
8:00 am +Rev. Charles Herman
10:30 am ++Herb & Irene Koehl

Liturgical Ministries

April 24 & 25

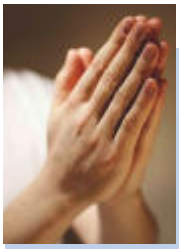
Altar Servers
4:00 pm William Espich
8:00 am Shelby Lange
10:30 am Manuel Hernandez

Proclaimers of the Word
4:00 pm Gretchen Espich
8:00 am Melissa Hathaway
10:30 am Marisol Hernandez

Eucharistic Ministers
4:00 pm Shirley Weldon
8:00 am Mike Carr
10:30 am Marge Harvey

Hospitality Ministers
4:00 pm Joe & Shirley Weldon
8:00 am Carolyn Bookmyer, Brandon Hathaway
10:30 am Rosie O'Keefe, Lea Roehling

Gift Bearers
4:00 pm TBD
8:00 am TBD
10:30 am TBD



Pray For Them

Please remember in your prayers: Alice Bates, Ann Hogan, Audrey Roy, Barb Lauer, Barbara Geiger, Bunny Laskowski, Catherine Graham, Christopher Brandell, Christopher Kirk, Don Lazoff, Dorothy Hensinger, Edna Krider, Elizabeth Frankewich, Emma Lazoff, Felicia Nino, Fred Behrns, Irma Gerhardstein, Jan Evers, Jim Harvey, Julia Trahin, Kathy Lenz, Larry Schneider, Laura Tilkins, Linda Herron, Linda Szymczak, Margaret Brielmaier, Marian Jacquay, Marilyn Brown, Mary Hilger, Max Cambre, Michael Cole, Monica Jordan, Pat Gensic, Patricia Cole, Ricky Talarico, Ron & Sharon Boren, Tom Behrns, Thomas Hensinger and Thomas Szymczak.

Do you know of a parishioner that is in the hospital, in a nursing home or is homebound? Please call the Rectory (482-9411) with updates.

Scripture Readings

Readings for the Week of April 18

Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 [7a]/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48
Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 [1ab]/Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday: Acts 7:51—8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab [6a]/Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a [1]/Jn 6:35-40
Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20 [1]/Jn 6:44-51
Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 6:52-59
Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [12]/Jn 6:60-69
Next Sunday: Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 [22]/1 Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

Online Giving

Download the Online Giving app on your mobile device, search for our Parish and begin giving. Your continued support helps sustain our parish.

Our Parish Support

Weekly Offertory Goal.....$8,000.00
April Offertory to date.....$17,124.00

April 4, 2021

Offertory	$6,057.00
Loose Collection	$349.00
Online Giving	$3,335.50
TOTAL	**$9,741.50**

Other Collections

Building & Grounds	$50.00
Debt Reduction	$1,971.00
Donations	$5.00
Holy Land	$327.00
Home Missions	$40.00
Palm Sunday	$15.00
SVDP	$25.00
Votives	$34.00

April 11, 2021

Offertory	$4,480.00
Loose Collection	$442.00
Online Giving	$2,460.50
TOTAL	**$7,382.50**

Other Collections

Building & Grounds	$250.00
Debt Reduction	$165.00
Donations	$50.00
SVDP	$40.00

From the Pastor's Desk...

Ave Maria, Regina Angelorum! Hail Mary, Queen of Angels!

Blessed Easter! Christ is Risen! As we continue to celebrate our Easter season and give thanks for the many new Catholics who just received the Sacraments at Easter - and ask God to renew our thankfulness for and devotion to the sacraments which we have received - we continue to pray for the young people of our parish who will soon be receiving sacraments: our second graders and some other students will receive their first Holy Communion at the beginning of May and this coming Tuesday our eighth graders will be confirmed at the Cathedral. May the Lord be with all of them and their families in a special way, and may we all continue to appreciate and give ourselves to the great blessings of the sacraments.

On Holy Thursday 2003 Pope Saint John Paul II published an encyclical on the Eucharist in its relationship to the Church, reminding us that "the Church draws her life from the Eucharist… In a variety of ways she joyfully experiences the constant fulfilment of the promise: "Lo, I am with you always, to the close of the age" (Mt 28:20), but in the Holy Eucharist, through the changing of bread and wine into the body and blood of the Lord, she rejoices in this presence with unique intensity." It is the Eucharist which wills us with confident hope - a virtue so necessary for our times - and which fully manifests the Lord's boundless love for us. (Ecclesia in Eucharistia, paragraph 1)

Especially now in our Easter season, as we continue to emerge from liturgical and social restrictions, we lift our hearts to our Lord and redeemer. We can turn to our Lady, the Queen of Angels, to increase our devotion to her son in the Eucharist. Saint John Paul II reminds us that at each Mass, we are led back in spirit to the place and hour of Christ's cross and glorification. (EE 4) We should always be filled with amazement and gratitude when we gather for the Eucharistic sacrifice. (EE 5) To kindle this amazement is why JPII wrote this encyclical. He explains that "to contemplate the face of Christ, and to contemplate it with Mary, is the "programme" which I have set before the Church at the dawn of the third millennium, summoning her to put out into the deep on the sea of history with the enthusiasm of the new evangelization. To contemplate Christ involves being able to recognize him wherever he manifests himself, in his many forms of presence, but above all in the living sacrament of his body and his blood." (EE 6)

It was 18 years ago Saturday (April 17) that this encyclical was given to the Church. As we mark this anniversary, may its call to Eucharistic devotion reach our hearts, kindling in us a passion for union with Christ. May Our Lady, our most Blessed Mother Mary, draw us always to the heart of her Son, there to be nourished in his love and strengthened in our faith and hope in Him. ***~Fr. Zak***

Please remember
Queen of Angels Church
in your will!

Thank you to all parishioners who have completed and submitted your Commitment Card.

For those parishioners who have not yet had the opportunity to submit their card, a final letter will be mailed to you with a personalized Commitment Card. We invite all faithful parishioners to complete a card as our parish goal is 100% participation!

You may return your card by:

- mailing it to the church using the pre-addressed envelope included with the letter.
- or bringing it to Mass next Sunday.
- or you may visit our parish website at www.queenofangelsfw.org and complete an electronic Commitment Card.

All cards need to be returned to the parish by next **Sunday, April 25**.

Electronic giving is the preferred, easy, safe and secure way to give to our parish. To schedule a recurring electronic gift directly from your bank account or credit card, please visit our website and follow the instructions. We appreciate all parishioners using this means to support our parish.

With Sincere Gratitude

- Thank you to Julie Harber and the volunteers who beautifully decorated our Church for Palm Sunday, Holy Week & Easter.
- Thank you to Mary Nicholson and the youth and adult volunteers who cleaned our Church on Wednesday, April 7, during Spring Break.

We appreciate all our dedicated volunteers who share their love for Jesus and our parish by giving of their time and talent. You are such a blessing!

Women's Retreat
Saturday, May 29
10am-12:30pm
Activities Center

PARISH/COMMUNITY NEWS

Let the Children Lead; Diocesan-wide Rosary

Children across the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend invite faithful of every age to join them in praying the Rosary at **10:00 am** on **Thursday, May 13**, the 104th anniversary of the Blessed Mother's first appearance at Fatima.

Please join the children as they follow Mary and her message at Fatima on www.diocesefwsb.org/let-the-children-lead or on the diocesan Facebook and YouTube channels @diocesefwsb.

Redeemer Radio Spring Sharathon

Queen of Angels will be participating in Redeemer Radio's Spring Sharathon on Thursday, April 22 at 4:00 pm—please pray, pledge and listen to 106.3FM!

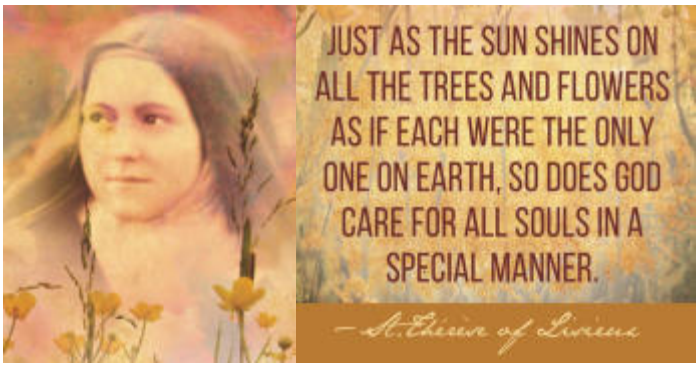
Help us meet our parish goal and help Redeemer Radio continue their mission to share Christ! Pledge today by calling or texting 260-436-9598. Thank you!

Parish Garage Sale
July 15-17,2021

Please contact Rosie at 471-4148 to make arrangements for pick-up/drop-off of your donations.

Easter Hope, Healing & Hymns

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, 1502 E Wallen Road, will present a musical evening of familiar songs and beautiful hymns of hope to help bring Christ's healing from the many challenges of the past year this Thursday, April 22, at 7 p.m. Robert Rogers at the piano will be joined by his children in song. This event will also be streamed at www.saintv.org, Facebook and YouTube.



This Week In Our Parish

Sunday, April 18
8:00 am - 12:30 pm Blood Drive - Activities Center
Monday, April 19
8:30 am Morning Prayer
Tuesday, April 20
7:30-8:20 am Confessions
9:00 am - 9:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction
7:00 pm 8th Grade Confirmation - Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception
Wednesday, April 21
7:30-8:20 am Confessions
Thursday, April 22
8:00-9:00 am Adoration Holy Hour
9:00 am Morning Prayer & Benediction
4:00 pm Redeemer Radio Sharathon (106.3FM)
6:00 pm Confessions
Friday, April 23
7:30-8:20 am Confessions
Saturday, April 24
9:00 am & 2:30 pm Confessions
Sunday, April 25
11:30 am Family of Faith Community Meeting - Activities Center

Youth Group News

April 21 - Cathering, 7:00-8:30 pm
April 28 - Gathering, 7:00-8:30pm
May 5 - NET Ministries for 7th-12th Grade; please RSVP to youthministry@queenofangelsfw.org by April 21.
May 12 - Eucharistic Adoration with Songs of Praise 7-8pm in the Church ***ALL PARISHONERS ARE WELCOME!***
May 19 - Gathering, 7:00-8:30pm
May 26 - Gathering, 7:00-8:30pm

Donations Needed

Our Youth Group's Apostolic Project is painting the Social Hall, and we need your help! We are collecting monetary donations to help defray the cost of the paint and supplies. Anything above what we need will be used towards other projects on our campus with Fr. Zak's approval. Prayer requests we received over the last few weeks will be written on the walls of the Social Hall, reverently prayed over, and then covered with fresh paint, similar to the idea of the Wailing Wall in Jerusalem, where people bring their intentions to the Church. Thank you for your generosity!

SCHOOL NEWS

School Mission
Guiding students, children of Mary, to be disciples of Christ through faith, knowledge and service.
School Vision
To be Christ-centered in our words, thoughts and actions.

Our Calendar

Monday, April 19, 6-7 p.m.- *iLearn begins and HASA Meeting in Social Hall (all parents and teachers welcome!)*
Tuesday, April 20- Confirmation at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception at 7:00 p.m.
Monday, April 26- Choice Scholarship Meetings begin (Parents after completing your 2020 taxes, please contact the school office to arrange an appointment time)
Wednesday, April 28, 6:30 p.m.- Kindergarten Open House for all students entering and interested for the 2021-2022 School year (Students AND Parents welcome!)
School Tours,** for new school families, are available by signing up through *sign-up genius on our school website at* ***school.queenofangelsfw.org

Registration 2021-2022 School Year

If you have a child who is Preschool-age thru 8th grade, or you know of someone who does, who may be interested in joining our Queen of Angels School Family, please contact us at 260-483-8214 or at school.queenofangelsfw.org for new student registration information for the 2021-2022 school year.

Copy Paper Donations Needed

At the beginning of the year we had so many gracious parishioners who helped us with cleaning supplies and now as we end the year, we find that we have depleted our supply of copy paper. If you come across a sale, please keep us in mind!

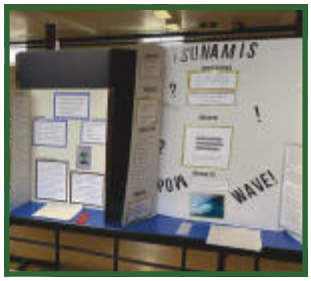
8th Grade Confirmation

Please pray for our Confirmandi who will be receiving the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of Confirmation at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception this Tuesday, April 20.

Danna Chiqui
Rafael Chiqui Sotamba
Jimena DeLira-Quintana
Destiny Espinoza
Giovanni Espinoza
Brayden Gerardot
Darla Lozada
Morgan McLaughlin
Daniel Navarro
Mia Nino
Kylie Reitman
Angela Vazquez

Good News

Recently our Middle School students participated in a school-wide science fair. After learning about the scientific method and journaling their research process, students designed display boards for teacher evaluation and for all our classes to see:



Our Military Services

Please keep in your prayers:
PVT Devin O'Keefe, PVT Dalton O'Keefe, SPC US Army Garret Carstensen, SN Morgan Sheets, USN, SFC Paul Z. Reitman, SFC Caitlyn Gurgel, Petty Officer 3rd Class Matthew Gillett, USCG, 1st Sgt. Air Force Alec Cawlfield, Larissa Yuncker, 1LT Kyle Grabowski, Air Force Specialist Austin Rowlands, LCPL Brandon Coburn, HN Cody Leffers, USN, Captain Chase Gray, U.S. Army, PVT Shawn Clark, SFC Luke Jamison, CPL Derek DeRoche, SSGT Matthew Shaffer, SSGT Nickolas Timmis, SFC Audrey Ryan, Joseph Olinger, CW2 Rodney Bearman, SGT Ernest Verhest, CPL Bradley Dunlap, PFC Jeff Oury, Lt Col. Joseph Clemmer, CDR Patrick Gerhardstein, SPC Scott Bailey, PVT Chito Anicet, PVT Marlon Anicet, CAPT Shannon Stineburg, PVT Jose Torres, LTJG Josh Wagner, Jr., SPC Michelle Hilger, and A1C Theresa Hilger.

If you have a child, grandchild or sibling in the Armed Forces that you would like to add to our special prayer list, call the Rectory at (482-9411). Please help us keep this list up to date.

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