



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 Reconciliation

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 7:30-8:20 am **Thursday** 6:00-6:50 pm **Saturday** 9:00-10:00 am & 2:30-3:45 pm

Weekend Mass Schedule

Vigil Saturday 4:00 pm Sunday 8:00 am and 10:30 am

Holy Days & Weekdays

See Schedule inside Bulletin



Tuesdays 9:00 am-9:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction

Thursdays 8:00-9:15 am
Eucharistic Adoration, Morning Prayer &
Benediction

Second Wednesday 7:00-8:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration, Songs of Praise & Confession

First Saturday 9:00-10:00 am Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

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

Sacrament of Baptism

Please contact the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact the Pastor at least <u>six months</u> 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.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

We welcome persons interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith. For information, please call the Parish Office.

Quinceañeras

Please contact the Parish Office at least $\underline{\text{six months}}$ prior to scheduled date.

Monsignor Faber Activities Center

Please contact the Parish Office for rental information.

Saint Vincent de Paul Society

For assistance with food, rent or utilities, please contact our volunteers at 260-415-0470.

Parish Office

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PARISH NEWS

House Blessings

If you have recently moved or have never had your house blessed by a priest, Fr. Zak would be happy to visit your home to offer a formal blessing. Please contact the parish office to schedule.

Parish Potluck

Please join us for a Parish Potluck in the Activities Center following our 4:00 pm Mass next Saturday, January 15. Please bring a dish to share and come to enjoy an evening of food, fun and fellowship!

Annual Card Party

Our Athletic Dept. is sponsoring their annual Men's & Women's Card Party/Social on Saturday, January 29 from 7:00 pm - 11:00pm in the Activities Center. Cost is \$10 per person, which includes food and drink. Even if you do not want to play cards, please come to socialize with others!

Accepting Donations

We are now accepting donations for next year's Parish Garage Sale. We are asking for donations of hangers, brown bags (like at Kroger), any type of bubble wrap, and plastic bags that can be sealed (for sheets sets and blankets). Please contact Sharon at 437-1348 or Rosie at 260-402-8954. Thank you!

Synod Consultation Event

All are invited to a consultation event for the upcoming Synod at **St. Vincent de Paul Parish on Saturday, February 5 at 1:00 pm**. The theme of the Synod is on journeying together as a Church. Opinions on the current state of the Church and opportunities for growth can be shared by all during these discussions. Before attending, participants are asked to reflect on these discussion questions:

- How is this "journeying together" to announce the Gospel happening today in our local parish?
- What steps does the Holy Spirit invite us to take in order to grow in our "journeying together"?
- ♦ How is God speaking to us through voices we sometimes ignore? Whose voices are currently not being heard?
- How do prayer and liturgical celebrations actually inspire and guide our common life and mission in our community?
- ♦ How is every baptized person called to participate in the mission of the Church? What areas of mission are we neglecting?
- What relationships does our Church community have with members of other Christian traditions and denominations? What do we share and how do we journey together?
- How is authority and governance exercised within our local Church (diocese/parish)? How are teamwork and coresponsibility put into practice?
- What is our experience of celebrating the Eucharist? What are some ways our parishes and diocese can place greater emphasis on realizing the infinite value of the Eucharist within our Christian life?

This Week In Our Parish

Saturday, January 8

6:00 - 8:00 am Men's Fellowship Breakfast - Activities Center

9:00 am & 2:30 pm Confessions

6:00 pm Middle School Game Night - Activities Center

Sunday, January 9

9:15 am Family Formation Rel Ed - Religion Classroom

9:45 am Choir Practice

2:00 pm NO Widows Group Meeting

5:00 pm Evening Prayer (Vespers) & Rosary

Monday, January 10

10:00 am Bible Study on the Mass

Tuesday, January 11

7:30 - 8:20 am Confessions

9:00 am - 9:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction

5:00 pm Finance Council Meeting

6:00 - 7:00 pm HASA Meeting - Social Hall

Wednesday, January 12

7:30 - 8:20 am Confessions 6:30 pm Cantor Practice

7:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration, Praise & Worship

7:00 pm Bible Study - Spanish Classroom

Thursday, January 13

8:00 - 9:00 am Eucharistic Adoration Holy Hour

9:00 am Morning Prayer & Benediction

6:00 - 6:50 pm Confessions 6:00 pm RE First Communion Class

Friday, January 14

7:30 - 8:20 am Confessions

Saturday, January 15

9:00 am & 2:30 pm Confessions

5:00 pm Parish Potluck - Activities Center

Sunday, January 16

9:45 am Choir Practice

5:00 pm Evening Prayer (Vespers) & Rosary

THANK YOU!

Shout Outs

- ♦ To Sasha and all those who contributed their time and talent making our holiday liturgies so beautiful!
- ◆ To our SCRIP coordinator and volunteers, as well as to those who purchase SCRIP, especially during the holiday season—we thank you for supporting our parish.
- To our **Youth Group** for donating their time and doing a fantastic job painting the Social Hall.
- ♦ To our **Funeral Luncheon volunteers** who donate their time and talent providing this wonderful ministry to families who have lost a beloved family member that was a member of our parish family.

From the Pastor's Desk...

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

Blessed feast of the Baptism of the Lord! This celebration closes the Christmas season. Pope Benedict XVI in 2006 offered these words on Christ's baptism: "When Jesus was baptized in the Jordan, the Holy Spirit came down and settled upon him like a dove, and John the Baptist recognized that he was Christ, the "Lamb of God" who had come to take away the sins of the world (see Jn 1: 29).

Therefore, the Baptism in the Jordan is also an "epiphany", a manifestation of the Lord's Messianic identity and of his redeeming work, which will culminate in another "baptism", that of his death and Resurrection, for which the whole world will be purified in the fire of divine mercy (see Lk 12: 49-50)."

"The baptism of children expresses and accomplishes the mystery of new birth to divine life in Christ: parents who are believers bring their children to the baptismal font that represents the "womb" of the Church, from whose blessed waters God's children are brought forth.

The gift received by newborn infants needs to be accepted by them freely and responsibly once they have reached adulthood: the process of growing up will then bring them to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, which precisely strengthens the baptized and confers upon each one the "seal" of the Holy Spirit.

Dear brothers and sisters, may today's solemnity be a favorable opportunity for all Christians to rediscover with joy the beauty of their own Baptism, which is an ever-timely reality if it is lived with faith: it ceaselessly renews within us the image of the new person, in holiness of thought and action."

May this feast be an opportunity to renew the grace of our baptism. Below is a formula to renew your baptismal promises, which a powerful way to pray for increased holiness and protection against evil. The head of a family could lead the whole household in this prayer.

- V. Do you reject Satan? R. I do.
- V. And all his works? R. I do.
- V. And all his empty promises? R. I do.
- V. Do you believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth? R. I do.
- V. Do you believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was born of the Virgin Mary was crucified, died, and was buried, rose from the dead, and is now seated at the right hand of the Father? R. I do.
- V. Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting? R. I do.

V. God, the all-powerful Father of our Lord Jesus Christ has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and forgiven all our sins. May he also keep us faithful to our Lord Jesus Christ for ever and ever. R. Amen. **Fr. Zak**

Please Keep in Your Prayers...

Ron Boren, Christopher Brandell, Margaret Brielmaier, Marilyn Brown, Max Cambre, Patricia & Michael Cole, Jan Evers, Elizabeth Frankewich, Barbara Geiger, Pat Gensic, Irma Gerhardstein, Catherine Graham, Jim Harvey, Dorothy & Thomas Hensinger, Linda Herron, Mary Hilger, Ann Hogan, Marian Jacquay, Christopher Kirk, Edna Krider, Don Langmeyer, Bunny Laskowski, Barb Lauer, Don & Emma Lazoff, Kathy Lenz, Deb Lobacz, Chris Magers, Clancy Neuhaus, Bill Nichter, Felicia Nino, Judy Roeger, Audrey Roy, Larry Schneider, Mike Schnurr, Lois Stoltz, Thomas & Linda Szymczak, Ricky Talarico, and Julia Trahin.



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hardstein, PO2 Matthew Gillett USCG, 1LT Kyle Grabowski, CAPT Chase Gray USA, SFC Caitlyn Gurgel, SPC Michelle Hilger, A1C Theresa Hilger, SFC Luke Jamison, HN Cody Leffers USN, PFC Joe Manganiello, PFC Dalton O'Keefe, CPL Devin O'Keefe, Joseph Olinger, PFC Jeff Oury, SFC Paul Z. Reitman, SPC Austin Rowlands USAF, SSGT Matthew Shaffer, HM3 Morgan Sheets USN, CAPT Shannon Stineburg, SSGT Nickolas Timmis, PVT Jose Torres, Jasmith Vasquez USAF, SGT Ernest Verhest, LTJG Josh Wagner, Jr., CAPT Zach Weldon, USA, PVT Maximilian Woenker USMC and Larissa Yuncker.

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<u>January 2, 2022</u>				
Offertory\$3,996.00				
Loose Collection\$339.00				
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TOTAL\$6,327.50				
Other Collections				
Catholic Charities\$5.00				
Children's Envelopes\$1.00				
Christmas Offering\$100.00				
Debt Reduction\$80700				
Donations\$90.00				
Dues\$280.00				
Latin America\$20.00				
Religious Fund\$20.00				
Solemnity of Mary\$571.00				
SVDP\$250.00				
Tuition Assistance\$50.00				
Votives\$23.00				
Monthly Offertory Goal\$36,917.00				
December Total\$32,284.96				

Monthly Debt Reduction Goal.....\$4,906.00

December Total.....\$4,755.00



School Mission

Guiding students, as 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.

School News

Tuesday, January 11: HASA Meeting, 6:00-7:00 pm

Monday, January 17: School is in session Saturday, January 29: Athletics Card Party

Sunday, January 30: Catholic Schools Week begins

We have easy online ordering for Spirit Wear and Uniform Apparel! Take a look at the choices for both students and adults! Visit https://school.queenofangelsfw.org/.

Choice Scholarship/Spanish Session

Queen of Angels Catholic School will be hosting a Spanish Information Session on the Choice Scholarship this Wednesday, January 12, 2022, starting at 7:00pm. This event will be held in the Monsignor Faber Activities Center. Share with your friends as you do not have to be a part of Queen of Angels to participate. Please contact the School Office with questions.

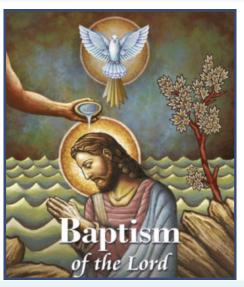
Click Here to Register

(La escuela católica Queen of Angels organizará una sesión informativa en español sobre la beca Choice, el miércoles 12 de enero de 2022, a partir de las 7:00 pm. Este evento se realizará en el Centro de Actividades Monseñor Faber. Haga clic en el enlace de EventBrite para registrarse. Comparte con tus amigos, ya que no tienes que ser parte de Queen of Angels para participar.)

BDHS News

New student enrollment is open for the Class of 2026! Now through January 15, all students can apply to become a Saint! Continue your Catholic education by attending Bishop Dwenger. Founded on the four pillars of spirituality, service, academics, and active, all students are taught be "Citizens of Two World" by embracing a college preparatory curriculum rooted in the Catholic Faith. If you have any questions regarding Admissions or want to learn more about what Bishop Dwenger has to offer, contact the Admissions Coordinator, Cindy Johnson at 260-496-4703 or at cjohnson@bishopdwenger.com.

Bishop Dwenger is currently hiring for several positions, including full-time and part-time maintenance, bus drivers, and a men's golf coach. There are also several open positions starting in the 2022-2023 school year. Those positions are Maintenance Director, Business Manager, Cafeteria Manager, and Transportation Director (part-time position). For more information, visit the school website at bishopdwenger.com/employment. Job descriptions and links to apply can be found there. Join the Dwenger Family and apply to-day!



After Jesus was baptized, he came up from the water and behold, the heavens were opened for him and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming upon him.

Matthew 3:16

Community News

IMMEDIATE OPENING—Building & Grounds Maintenance/Soup Kitchen Deliveries Position, Part Time, Hourly. St. Mary Mother of God Catholic Church, 1101 S. Lafayette Street, Fort Wayne, IN 46802. Responsibilities: general maintenance and repairs of assigned facilities (i.e., St. Mary Mother of God Church, St. Mary's Soup Kitchen, Rectory, and Ave Maria House), including being familiar with electrical, plumbing, boilers/HVAC, building, and green space. Be available to work with others to provide excellent service for St. Mary's. Responsible for some aspects of custodial work, depending on parish needs. Weekly travel to other facilities and vendors for deliveries to the Soup Kitchen. Please contact Fr. Wimal Jayasuriya, Pastor, at 260-424-8231if interested.

2022 Rekindle the Fire Men's Conference

Join hundreds of men on February 26, at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum. A full day of great speakers & fellowship with other Catholic men. Tickets are available now at rekindlethefire.net.

REVIVE Fort Wayne

Come Encounter Jesus Christ in a new, personal, transformative way! Wednesday, March 9 @ Bishop Dwenger High School, 6:30pm-9:00pm. Free admission if you pre-register! All ages and families are welcome! To register, please visit https://damascus.net/reviveftwayne/.

Mass Schedule & Intentions



Saturday, January 8

Vigil: Baptism of the Lord

4:00 pm †George & Vickie Gembis

Sunday, January 9
Baptism of the Lord

8:00 am †Mark Johnson 10:30am For the People of the Parish

Monday, January 10
Weekday (First Week in Ordinary Time)

Tuesday, January 11

Weekday

8:30 am †Harold Johnson

Wednesday, January 12

Weekday

8:30 am †Mary Keeley

Thursday, January 13

Weekday/Saint Hilary, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

7:00 pm †Dale Mourey

Friday, January 14

Weekday

8:30 am †Bernardo Tolentino

Saturday, January 15

Weekday

Vigil: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 4:00 pm For the People of the Parish

Sunday, January 16

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am †Laura Tilkins 10:30am †Alice Weldon



Queen of Angels Parish Family
expresses deepest sympathy to the
family and friends of **Alice A. Bates**.
May they know the lasting comfort of Our Lord.

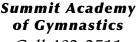
This Week's Scripture Readings

Sunday	First Reading: Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 29 Second Reading: Timothy 2:11-14,3:4-7 Gospel: Luke 3:15-16,21-22		
Monday	Reading: 1 Samuel 1:1-8 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 16 Gospel: Mark 1:14-20		
Tuesday	Reading: 1 Samuel 1:9-20 Responsorial Psalm: 1 Samuel 2:1-8abcd Gospel: Mark 1:21-28		
Wednesday	Reading: 1 Samuel 3:1-10,19-20 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 40 Gospel: Mark 1:29-39		
Thursday	Reading: 1 Samuel 4:1-11 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 44 Gospel: Mark 1:40-45		
Friday	Reading: 1 Samuel 8:4-7,10-22a Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 89 Gospel: Mark 2:1-12		
Saturday	First Reading: 1 Samuel 9:1-4,17-19,10:1 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 21 Gospel: Mark 2:13-17		
Sunday	First Reading: Isaiah 62:1-5 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 96 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:4-11 Gospel: John 2:1-11		

Liturgical Ministries Schedule				
Weekend of January 15 & 16	Saturday 4:00 pm	Sunday 8:00 am	Sunday 10:30 am	
Servers	Shelby Lange Jenna Etter	Rebecca Gillett Betty Emrick Arely Sotamba	Elizabeth Chiqui Kimberly Chiqui Shelby Lange	
Lector	Shirley Weldon	Sheila Gillett	Monica Schiel	
Eucharistic Minister	Joe Weldon	Jean Henry	Paula Johnson	
Gift Bearers	Need Volunteer	Jaime & Belem Sotamba Family	Cheryl & Nichole Schneider	
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