

Sacrament of Baptism
Usually during or after a Sunday Liturgy. Call the office to arrange a date and time.

Sacrament of Matrimony
Call the office at least six months before setting date.

Sacrament of the Sick
Please keep us informed of the sick and homebound especially when there is serious illness.

Religious Ed. Classes:

St. John Bosco
9:00–10:15 am Sunday from Sept.-Apr.

Immaculate Conception
9:40 am from Sept.–Apr.

Rosary Society:

St. John Bosco
2nd Tuesday–6:30 pm

Immaculate Conception
Meetings held as needed.

Holy Name Society
2nd Sunday – 6:30 pm

Prayer Line
Call Parish Office

Homebound Communion:

At Ege:
Call Jeryl Marshall at 693-6365.

At St. John Bosco:
Call the Parish Office

Ege Cemetery:
John Konger–693-3790
Ryan Konger–693-0694

St. John & Immaculate Bosco Conception Catholic Church

Churubusco, Indiana

Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 pm
Sunday 7:00 & 10:30 am

Weekday

Monday, Thursday & Friday 8:00 am
(Adoration at 7:00 am; Rosary at 7:30 am)
Wednesday 6:00 pm
(Adoration at 5:00 pm; Rosary at 5:30 pm)

Adoration every Thursday 3:00pm-10:00pm

Confession Schedule

Sat. 3:00-3:30 pm;
Wed. 5-5:30pm

Religious Education Coordinator

Jill Brososky 466-3442
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Ege, Indiana

Mass Schedule

Saturday 7:00 pm
Sunday 8:30 am

Weekday

Tuesday 8:00 am
(Rosary 7:30 am)
Thursday 6:00 pm
(Adoration at 5:00 pm; Rosary 5:30 pm)

Adoration every Monday 5:00pm-8:00pm

Confession Schedule

Thurs. 5-5:30pm

Religious Education Coordinator

Judy Egolf 705-4577
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Music Director

Beth Konger 693-2724

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25th Sunday

IN ORDINARY TIME

"If, therefore, you are not trustworthy with dishonest wealth, who will trust you with true wealth?" - Lk 16:11

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SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME • SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

September 18, 2022 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“You cannot serve both God and mammon.” Merriam-Webster defines mammon as material wealth or possessions, especially having a debasing influence. While God does not take issue with our need to use money for the business of our lives, there can be a problem with the attitudes we bring to it. We can easily become so preoccupied and obsessed with money that it becomes the real “god” we worship. Do we serve mammon instead of God? In their book, *Wealth, Riches and Money*, Craig Hill and Earl Pitts outline symptoms of mammon’s influence in our lives. Some of these are worry and anxiety over money, money mismanagement, fear over “never having enough,” an “I can’t afford it” mentality, impulse buying, stinginess, greed, debt, and discontent.

Many of the things on that list can consume us to the point that we are distracted from what we really need to be doing. Many people spend an inordinate amount of time worrying about money and it becomes the source of their worst fears. If we are honest with ourselves, we need to admit that we place far more emphasis on our material securities than we ought. In fact, we have actually convinced ourselves that we cannot live without it. Are we that certain about the presence of God? Many of the world’s problems, especially those involving inequity and injustice, result from conflicts about money. Many equate money with happiness. Those successful in accumulating large amounts of it quickly realize just how wrong they are.

“Your ultimate allegiance is not to the government, not to the state, not to nation, not to any man-made institution. The Christian owes his ultimate allegiance to God, and if any earthly institution conflicts with God’s will it is your Christian duty to take a stand against it. You must never allow the transitory evanescent demands of man-made institutions to take precedence over the eternal demands of the Almighty God (Martin Luther King, Jr.)” This is the point Jesus is trying to make. Unfortunately, when we look around our man-made kingdoms are far more prevalent than God’s kingdom. When we start seeing greater evidence of justice, equity, dignity, respect, opportunity, gentleness, holiness, solidarity, honesty, simplicity, care for creation, and a decrease in ambition, then we will know that God’s kingdom is being served. We will be doing what we are supposed to do. ©LPi

Prayer Requests

- Please pray for those who are ill.
- Please pray for comfort for those in mourning.



Sunday Evening Mass Opportunity

A Mass is now being offered at the chapel of Parkview Main Hospital at 9 p.m. on Sundays for shift workers (health care workers, factory workers, etc.) who otherwise are not able to attend parish Masses at normally scheduled times.

40 Days for Life

You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization to pray and fast for an end to abortion! There will be a vigil outside Planned Parenthood of Fort Wayne, located at 2930 Lake Avenue beginning September 28 thru November 6th. The vigil hours are 8:00am—8:00pm. Go to 40daysforlife.com/FortWayne to sign up or use the sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the back of church.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

with Laura Stout

- ▶ August 24th at 6:30pm
- Faith and Divine Revelation
- ▶ September 14th at 6:30pm
- The Trinity
- ▶ October 12th at 6:30pm
- Sin and Its Consequences
- ▶ November 9th at 6:30pm
- Jesus and Salvation

All talks will be in Bosco Hall (church basement).

All Welcome!

Healing Nights
Immaculate Conception
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SEPTEMBER 15
OCTOBER 20
NOVEMBER 17
DECEMBER 15

6:30 PM

ALL WELCOME!

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Free Hot Dogs

All are welcome to experience the joyful and refreshing love of Jesus and the Holy Spirit like the first Upper Room

Musicians

Sept. 21, 2022	6:30 - Mayfawny Kuhn 7:30 - Diane Ort
Oct. 19, 2022	6:30 - Sarah Hill 7:30 - Dr. Tom Kintanar
Nov. 16, 2022	6:30 - Debbie Papagiannis and Nora Beauchot 7:30 - Sean Scott
Dec. 14, 2022	6:30 - Frankie Strzelecki 7:30 - Nicole Bobay

St. John Bosco Parish 220 N Main St., Churubusco, IN 46723

SPARC

Men's Fellowship
Ages 21+

Saint John Bosco Catholic Parish
Churubusco, IN

@6:30pm

September 7th
October 5th
November 2nd
December 7th

Stewardship of Treasure

ST. JOHN BOSCO:

- Regular Collection: \$ 2,379.00
- Online Collection: 934.00
- Total: \$ 3,313.00



July Total: \$19,208.51
July's Budgeted Expense: \$20,387.50
Total: \$ -1,178.99

Stewardship of Treasure

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION:

- Regular Collection: \$ 1,006.00
- Online Collection: 737.00
- Total: \$ 1,743.00

July Total: \$ 9,894.50
July's Budgeted Expense: \$11,133.75
Total: \$ -1,239.25

Mass Intentions for the Week

September 19, 2022

St. John Bosco

Monday	8:00 am	Delores Stoffer
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Leonard Wall
Thursday	8:00 am	The Poor Souls in Purgatory
Friday	8:00 am	Bernie Wappes
Saturday	4:00 pm	Carol Mettert
Sunday	7:00 am	Erwin & Ruth Zollinger
	10:30 am	For the People of the Parish

Immaculate Conception

Tuesday	8:00 am	Jacque Sobasky
Thursday	6:00 pm	Clarita Kocks
Saturday	7:00 pm	George & Mary Bobay
Sunday	8:30 am	For the People of the Parish

***Mass Intentions can be requested for anyone living or deceased. Mass Intention Envelopes can be found in the back of church. Suggested stipend is \$10.**

Schedule for September 25, 2022

8:30 am Immaculate Conception

Servers Graham Smith
Mary & Kate Griffiths

Readers Brianne Eichman
Coriah Eichman

Extraordinary Minister Shanell Konger

Ushers Kevin & Brady Crick

10:30 am St. John Bosco

Servers Nora & Vivian Keiser

Readers Todd Brinker
Jennifer Stresemann

Extraordinary Minister Cher Fischer

Ushers Adam & Dick Stresemann

Parish Activities



ST. JOHN BOSCO

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION classes begin this Sunday, September 18th at 9:00am. Parent meeting will take place at 9:15am at Busco Hall.

REDEEMER RADIO SHARATHON—The Sharathon Hour for St. John Bosco and Immaculate Conception is Tuesday, September 20th, 11am-12pm. Please listen and support.

OKTOBERFEST—Mark your calendar for the St. John Bosco Parish Oktoberfest on October 22nd after the 4pm Mass.

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Chicken Dinner

A huge Thank You to everyone who helped with our annual Chicken Dinner. Despite the rain, it was a huge success for our church. Serving about 970 diners is such an astonishing accomplishment for our little parish to come together to do such an incredible job. THANKS to each of you!

Conventual Franciscan Friars Mission Appeal

Fr. Ken Bartsch, OFM Conv., is a member of the Conventual Franciscan Friars of the Province of Our Lady of Consolation, who currently resides in Mount Saint Francis, IN. He will be exercising ministry in our Diocese for the Mission Appeal at the weekend masses on October 8th and 9th. Please be generous.

THE DANGEROUS PRAYER: “Lord, I will do whatever you ask. Whatever your will is Lord, I will accomplish it.”
—Fr. Bob Bedard, Companions of the Cross

News From Around the Area

Right to Life of NCI Right to Life of NCI will host Life Guardians Training for high school students on Saturday, October 8th, from 8:30am-5:00pm at the Whitley County Agricultural Museum in Columbia City, IN. Life Guardians Training is designed to equip high school students to be effective ambassadors for life, deepening one's understanding and confidence surrounding the pro-life cause. Speakers include Peter Heck and Mike Spencer. Youth Groups, individual students, and youth pastors/leaders are encouraged to attend. Tickets are \$10 per person and registration can be found online at <https://nci4life.org/lg>. For further questions, call 574-306-7406 or email jstanton@nci4life.org.

A Life in the Spirit Retreat will be offered at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception Hall on 4 consecutive Thursdays from September 15th–October 6, 2022 from 6:30-8:30pm. The retreat is designed to bring people to a deeper knowledge and desire for the Holy Spirit and to experience the Presence of the Lord. Please call Bev Armstrong to register at 260-385-5717. Please leave your name and a return phone number. A donation of \$10 for materials

can be paid at the first meeting. The Cathedral Hall is handicapped accessible. All are welcome.

Catholic in Recovery is coming to Our Lady of Good Hope! Mondays at 7:00pm beginning September 12, 2022. Catholic in Recovery provides healing from addictions, compulsions and unhealthy attachments. Meetings combine the spiritual principles of 12-step recovery and the sacraments of the Catholic Church. For more information visit www.catholicinrecovery.com or contact Cathy at (260) 385-3409 or Dick at (260) 413-2499 or email cirfortwayne@gmail.com.

1st Annual Queen of Angels Fall Craft Bazaar Queen of Angels is hosting their 1st craft bazaar in the Monsignor Faber Activities Center. Bring family and friends for a fun day of all things crafting with local vendors as well as those traveling to join us! The bazaar is Saturday, October 22nd from 9:00am-3:00pm. Vendor slots are still available. For more information contact Karen Graham at 419-518-0241 or email her at CraftFair@queenofanglesschool.com.



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