

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
judylegolf@yahoo.com

Music Director

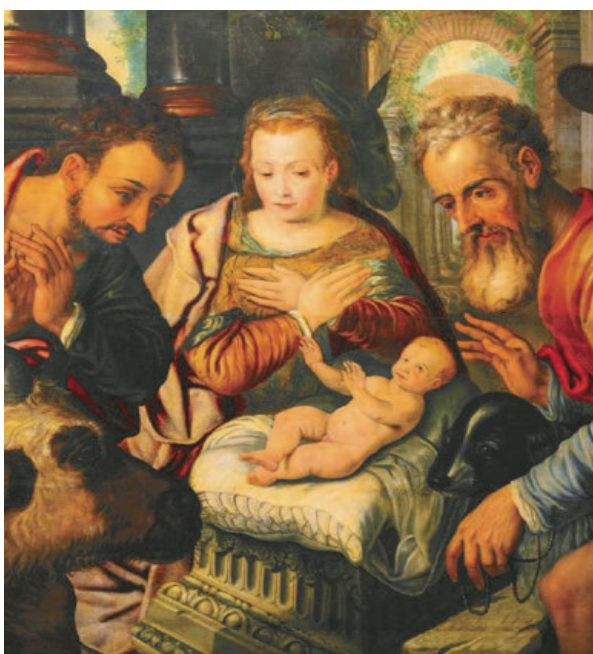
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MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

When they saw this, they made known the message that had been told them about this child. All who heard it were amazed by what had been told them by the shepherds. And Mary kept all these things, reflecting on them in her heart.
- Lk 2:17-19

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MARY, MOTHER OF GOD • JANUARY 1, 2023

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

I would like to thank everyone for the generous and delicious Christmas gifts. Thanks so much!

January 1st is always the Feast of Mary, Mother of God. Like her, may we always invite the Holy Spirit to overshadow us, Jesus to live in us, and bear Jesus to the world through the power of prayer, holiness of life, and joyful and humble witnessing.

May 2023 be blessed abundantly in our lives, families, parishes, area, and world!

Come Holy Spirit!

Peace and Joy,
Fr. Drew



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

Stewardship of Treasure Dec 18, 2022

ST. JOHN BOSCO:

• Regular Collection:	\$2,602.00
• Online Collection:	<u>796.00</u>
• Total:	\$3,398.00

Stewardship of Treasure

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION:

• Regular Collection:	\$1,678.09
• Online Collection:	<u>964.00</u>
• Total:	\$2,642.09



Prayer Requests

- Please pray for someone who recently had a serious surgery.
- Please pray for a parishioner who recently received a serious melanoma diagnosis. May she be blessed with successful treatment and healing.
- Please pray for an end to abortion and for respect for all lives from conception to natural death.



2023 Rekindle the Fire

Join over 1,000 men at our 2023 Rekindle the Fire Catholic Men's Conference on February 18th at the South Bend Century Center. This year's conference will be one of the most talked about, with three of the most dynamic speakers to date. This year the men of Rekindle will hear from Chris Stefanick, Jason Evert, and Paul Kim. Seats are limited and will SELL OUT. Go to rekindlethefire.net to order your ticket today. Receive a \$5 discount through December 31st, and students are ½ price. If you have any questions or want to sponsor this amazing conference, please email us at rekindlethefiremen@gmail.com.

Kingdom Builders

Kingdom Builders inspires women to discover their unique design through laughter, learning and love of the Father, revealing their path to peace and joy. Women gather each month for 90 minutes to hear a sound Teaching that is relevant and applicable to any woman's life. The Teachings are humorous, deep and inspiring with real-life applications for living the faith. Teachings are followed by a time to love and be loved by Jesus during Adoration, including praise and worship. Our efforts to build God's Kingdom continue at home through personal prayer and planning. Kingdom Builders encourages women to listen to the promptings of the Holy Spirit to set goals for physical health, family dynamics, holy friendships, strong marriages and more. These are ALL part of what St. John Paul II referred to as our Feminine Genius. This is an invitation for God's beloved daughters to take the time to be loved and transformed by their Heavenly Father.

Meeting January 9, 2023

www.buildingthroughhim.com

Second Monday of Each Month

7:00-8:30 PM

Stewardship of Treasure Dec 25, 2022

ST. JOHN BOSCO:

• Regular Collection:	\$ 3,325.00
• Online Collection:	<u>5,482.00</u>
• Total:	\$8,807.00

Stewardship of Treasure

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION:

• Regular Collection:	\$ 968.00
• Online Collection:	<u>819.00</u>
• Total:	\$1,787.00

Mass Intentions for the Week

January 2, 2023

St. John Bosco

Monday	8:00 am	Charlotte Kiracofe
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Judy McGuire
Thursday	8:00 am	Leonard Wall
Friday	8:00 am	Family of Ken Guffey
Saturday	4:00 pm	Jennair Gerardot
Sunday	7:00 am	Robert of Rosi Grubb
	10:30 am	For the People of the Parish

Immaculate Conception

Tuesday	8:00 am	Paul Konger
Thursday	6:00 pm	Shirley Rosswurm
Saturday	7:00 pm	Georgia Schenher
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 January 8, 2023

8:30 am Immaculate Conception
Servers Lane Barron
 Graham Smith

Readers Rodney Stayner
 Elizabeth Stayner

Extraordinary Minister Garry Polakovic

Ushers Ryan Konger
 Nathan Konger

10:30 am St. John Bosco
Servers Evan & Claire Stresemann

Readers Darrin Geiger
 Charlie Schortgen

Extraordinary Minister Ceil Parker

Ushers Dick & Adam Stresemann

Parish Activities



ST. JOHN BOSCO

CATHOLIC IN RECOVERY—Meetings every Thursday @7:00pm
SPARC—1st Wednesday of every month @ 6:30pm
KIDS' EPIPHANY PARTY—January 8th at 11:30am
KINGDOM BUILDERS—January 9th 7:00-8:30pm
EUCHRE PARTY—January 21st @ 5:00pm

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION—January 22nd, parent meeting for 7th grade parents regarding Theology of the Body.
HOLY NAME—January 8th @ 6:30pm

Divine Mercy Funeral Home

Representatives of Divine Mercy Funeral Home will be available at the end of each mass during the weekend of January 7 and 8th to answer any questions you may have about the mission of Divine Mercy Funeral Home. They will also have information to take home with you.



St. John Bosco
Euchre Party
January 21st @ 5:00pm
Bosco Hall

Join **Catholic in Recovery**
 at **St. John Bosco Parish**
THURSDAYS
@ 7:00 p.m.

 **Catholic in Recovery**

catholicinrecovery.com

News From Around the Area

Bishop Dwenger High School is offering an ACT/SAT prep course on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm. Classes will begin on Tuesday, January 24, 2023, and end on Thursday, March 9, 2023. The 14 sessions will include test familiarity, pacing, strategies, as well as a review of English, math, and science concepts. The session will address components of the SAT and the ACT test. The Tuesday sessions will focus on math and science while the Thursday sessions will address critical reading, writing, and grammar. The class fee is \$225.00 and includes both an ACT text and SAT text for the course. The class is open to any high school student in the Fort Wayne and surrounding area. For more information and registration, please call Bishop Dwenger High School at 496-4700 or visit bishopdwenger.com/resources/news/satact-prep

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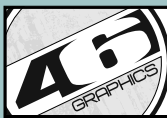
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