



# St. John Bosco Catholic Church

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## Parish Office

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Parish Website: [saintjohnboscochurubusco.org](http://saintjohnboscochurubusco.org)

Kim Kiracofe—Secretary (Mon-Fri 8 am-2 pm)

**\*Attending parish functions is consent to use your image on our social media platforms.**

## Mass Schedule

Saturday	8:00 am
	4:00 pm
Sunday	7:00 am
	9:00 am

## Weekday

Mon., Tue., Thurs., Fri	8:00 am
(Adoration at 7:00 am; Rosary at 7:30 am)	
Wednesday	5:30 pm
(Adoration at 4:30 pm; Rosary at 5:00 pm)	

**Adoration every Thursday 3:00 pm—10:00 pm**

## Confession Schedule

Saturday	8:30 am—until last heard & 3:00—3:30 pm
Mon., Tue., Thur., Fri	7:00—7:45 am
Wednesday	4:30—5:15 pm

## 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.

## St. John Bosco

### Religious Ed. Classes:

10:30-11:30 am Sunday  
from Sept.-Apr.

Jill Brososky, Coordinator  
260-466-3442  
[J.brososky@gmail.com](mailto:J.brososky@gmail.com)

### Prayer Line;

[alinivill@gmail.com](mailto:alinivill@gmail.com)

### Homebound :

Anyone in the Churubusco or Huntertown area who would like communion brought to them, please call the Parish Office.

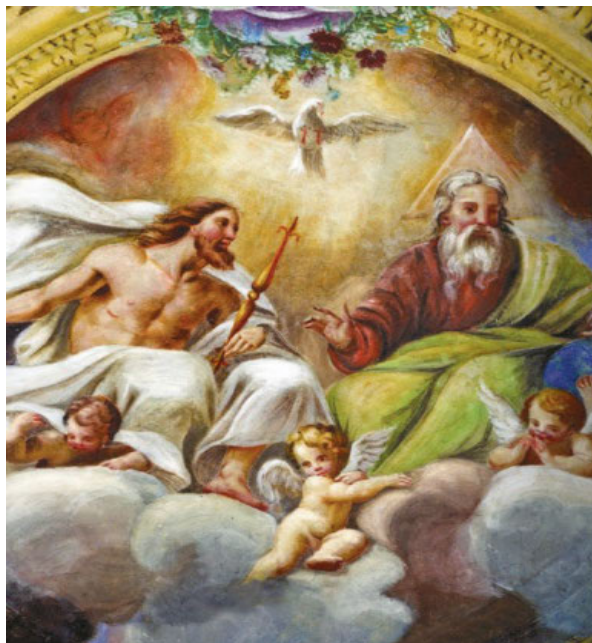
### Ege Cemetery:

John Konger—693-3790  
Ryan Konger—515-1027

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## THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Then Jesus approached and said to them, "All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit."  
- Mt 28:18-19

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**THE MOST HOLY TRINITY • MAY 26, 2024**

## From Father Drew

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

I hope everyone had a great Pentecost Sunday and warm week. Before the Second Vatican Council, the Easter Season ended with a Pentecost octave. Eight days of Pentecost! We could probably help ourselves by bringing this practice back. Maybe we could pray for it or at least celebrate the 50 days of the Easter Season with more of Pentecost in our hearts as well.

Come Holy Spirit as a New Pentecost for a New Evangelization!

Since it is still May, the month of Mary and a month to think about pro-life issues, I would like to let everyone know that we are in the process of receiving and putting up a pro-life cross on the north-ish side of our church building. It will be a white cross with a heart on it that says: "In memory of aborted children." We have been trying to acquire this cross for quite some time now but it hasn't worked out. So we might not be able to put it up until Fr. Keeton arrives to take over as pastor.

Jesus never tires of giving mercy and we should run to the confessional for this mercy when needed. At the same time, it is mercy to teach the truth of the dignity of the human person so that we can live in grace and truth and not find ourselves in these types of situations. We do need a New Pentecost, a New Evangelization, and a Civilization of Love. Let us pray for this renewal in our hearts and in society.

Also, this week, I received a tour of my next parish assignment: Immaculate Conception Parish in Auburn, IN. What a beautiful place. Looking forward to this new era for Auburn and for Churubusco. A week ago, I drove by the parish with some friends of ours and they said that Auburn has a lot of the things that I was dreaming of for Saint John Bosco. So, it is providential. And may SJBosco also keep aspiring to become more and more a community of apostles. Becoming Catholic Apostles. Come Holy Spirit!

Peace and Joy,  
Fr. Drew

## Mass Intentions for the week of May 27, 2024

Monday	8:00 am	Fabian Garlitz
Tuesday	8:00 am	Poor Souls in Purgatory
Wednesday	5:30 pm	Bob & Mary Ann Riecke
Thursday	8:00 am	Roger Kiracofe
Friday	8:00 am	Joan M Taylor
Saturday	8:00 am	Theo Alexander Michael Goble
	4:00 pm	Ann Marie Fisher
Sunday	7:00 am	For all the People of St. John Bosco Parish
Sunday	9:00 am	Don Hoffman

\*Due to the increased opportunities for weekday Masses, it may not be possible to have intentions reserved for weekend Masses only. However, every effort will be made to accommodate your wishes. 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.

### INCENSE AT MASS

Please note that incense will be burned on Feast Days and Special Masses at the 4pm and 9am Masses but WILL NOT be used at the 7am Masses. If you are bothered by incense, please attend the 7am Mass on these occasions.

**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

Regular Collection: \$2,263.93  
Online Collection: \$1,019.00  
Total Giving: \$3,282.93



### Want to set up your contributions online?

Just visit our parish website at [stjohnboscochurubusco.org](http://stjohnboscochurubusco.org) and click on the "DONATE Online Giving" tab or visit [osvhub.com/stjohnboscochurubusco/giving/funds](http://osvhub.com/stjohnboscochurubusco/giving/funds). Here you can set up your online account. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office. This makes stewardship a breeze!

*If you wish to leave a Bequest or contribute to the St John Bosco Endowment, please contact the Parish Office.*

## Schedule for Week of June 2nd

<b>Saturday 4:00 pm</b>	
Servers	Henry & Michael Warner
Readers	Sandi Guffey Paul Mills
Extraordinary Minister	Jillian Warner
Ushers	Ed Muehlfeld & Volunteer
<b>Sunday 7:00 am</b>	
Servers	Volunteers
Readers	Erin Ensign Adam Framme
Ushers	Joe Folds & Volunteer
<b>10:30 am</b>	
Servers	Claire & Evan Stresemann Volunteer
Readers	Doug Fischer Todd Brinker
Extraordinary Minister	Ceil Parker
Ushers	Brian & Colt McComb

## Prayer Requests

- Please pray for all the sick in our family, parish & community.
- Please pray for those recovering from an injury or surgery.
- Please pray for those suffering the loss of a loved one.

### HOMEBOUND

Do you know anyone in the Churubusco or Huntertown area who is homebound and would like communion brought to them? Please contact the parish office with their contact information.

## Activities at St. John Bosco

**KINGDOM BUILDERS**—2nd Monday every month @7pm.

**ROSARY**—1st Tuesday of every month @ 6:30pm

**SPARC**—2nd Tuesday of every month @ 6:30pm

**QUILT CLUB**—3rd Thursday of the month @ 10am

**CHILDREN'S ADORATION HOUR**—Thursdays @ 9-10am.

**BIBLE STUDY**—Friday mornings after Mass

**BOSCO BRUNCH BUNCH**—2nd Friday of every month @ 10:30am.

**FOOD COLLECTION**—Place items in the box located under the St. Joseph Statue in church.

**EUCCHARISTIC PROCESSION**—June 2nd after the 10:30am Mass. Reception in Bosco Hall after procession.

**BLUE LAKE BLESSING OF THE BOATS**—May 26th, 12-1pm. South side of lake near Bianski's pier. Look for the decorated pontoon.

**QUILT CLUB**—Is anyone interested in learning to quilt? The St. John Bosco Quilt Club is happy to help anyone interested in sewing or quilting. Seasoned quilters who would like to share ideas and fellowship are most welcome also. We meet on the third Thursday of every month at 10 a.m. Call Diane Tiede (260 609-2219) or Bonnie Miller (260 414-7407) for more information.

**TURTLE DAYS PARADE**—We will be walking in the Turtle Days Parade on June 15th. We will meet at the church and walk to BRC parking lot (589 S Main St.). Rides will be provided for those who are unable to walk but wish to participate. We will wear our SJBosco T-shirts. Contact the parish office if you are walking in the parade but do not have a shirt.

**Due to the Memorial Holiday, the parish office will be closed May 27th.**



## News From Around the Area

**BISHOP DEWNGER GOLF OUTING**—June 6th at Coyote Creek Golf Course. Registration and lunch at 11am with a shotgun start at 12pm. Visit [bishopdwenger.com/saintsopen](http://bishopdwenger.com/saintsopen) for more details and to register for this event. *Sponsorship opportunities available.*

**MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD HAS A FULL-TIME MAINTENANCES FACILITIES COORDINATOR OPENING.** We are seeking an experienced candidate to perform maintenance, light construction projects, building upkeep and custodial work as needed. The hours would be Monday - Friday with occasional evenings as needed. Interest parties please complete the required information on the link provided at <https://theapplicantmanager.com/jobs?pos=D1457> Please contact Jamie Kolasinski at [jkolasinski@preciousblood.org](mailto:jkolasinski@preciousblood.org) for a complete job description or with any questions. Thank you.

**RIGHT TO LIFE NIGHT AT THE TIN CAPS**—Join us Tuesday, June 25th for Right to Life Night at The TinCaps and a celebration of Fatherhood. The game starts at 7:05p v the Dayton Dragons. Tickets are \$15 for seats or \$10 for lawn with \$5 to benefit RLNI. This event takes place on Family Feast Night, with discounts on select concession items, such as hot dogs, popcorn, and soft drinks. Purchase your tickets for a Father's Day celebration with your family. On Sale Now Through June 15th! Visit: [www.ichooselife.org/tincaps](http://www.ichooselife.org/tincaps)

**LIFE DEFENDERS TRAINING**—This 3-day event, open to high school and college-aged students, equips young people to speak confidently and graciously to the most pressing moral issue of our time - abortion. Join Right to Life of Northeast Indiana **Thursday July, 11th- Saturday July, 13th** on the University of St. Francis campus. The registration fee includes meals and snacks, dorm room housing, teaching materials, and a Life Defenders t-shirt. \*This camp is being extended to a 3 day, 2 night format! Come learn how to defend life, have fellowship with like-minded students, and participate in fun activities! Visit: [www.ichooselife.org/ldt](http://www.ichooselife.org/ldt)

## WELCOME

### Father Keeton Lockwood

We welcome Father Keeton Lockwood to Saint John Bosco parish. We trust he will find our parish to be a "gem" in the Churubusco community. Please keep all the Priests in prayer as they adjust to their new assignments.



### NEW MASS TIMES BEGINNING JUNE 2nd

Monday	NO MASS
Tuesday	NO MASS
Wednesday	5:30pm
Thursday	NO Mass
Friday	8:00am
Saturday	4:00pm
Sunday	7 am & 10:30am





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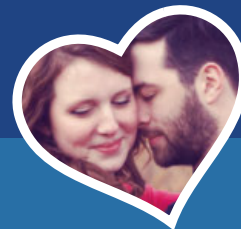
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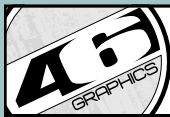
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