

TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

Mass Intentions

First Saturday, August 2

4:00 pm †Emery & Henrietta Ozdych.....St. Hedwig
Req. by Ozdych

Sunday, August 3

9:00 am For the People.....St. Hedwig
10:30pm †Paul GrzeszczykSt. Patrick
Req. by Elaine Ducet
5:30 pm †Joseph & Adorine Jacob..... St. Patrick
Req. by Estate

Monday, August 4

12:15 pm †Anne Gapczynski.....St. Patrick
Req. by Claire Kromkowski

Tuesday, August 5

12:15 pm †Pete Gapczynski..... St. Patrick
Req. by Rick Sobczak

Wednesday, August 6

12:15 pm St. Joseph Young Men's Club.St. Patrick
Req. by St. Joseph Young Men's Club

Thursday, August 7

12:15 pm †Anne Gapczynski..... St. Patrick
Req. by Patt Sterzik

Friday, August 8

12:15 pm †Rev. Leonard F. Chrobot.....St. Patrick

Saturday, August 9

4:00 pm Healing of Michael Budzin.....St. Hedwig
Req. by Ken & Maryalice Miller

Sunday, August 10

9:00 am For the People.....St. Hedwig
10:30pm †Edward Beczkiewicz..... St. Patrick
Req. by Robie & Lynn
5:30 pm †Holy Souls in Purgatory..... St. Patrick
Req. by Mary Santa

Liturgical Ministers

St. Hedwig Church

Saturday, August 2, 2025

4:00 pm Lector: Volunteer
Sacristan: Terry Litka

Sunday, August 3, 2025

9:00 am Lector: Robert Barber
Sacristan: Chris Holvoet

St. Patrick St. Hedwig Parish

St. Patrick Church

Sunday, August 3, 2025

10:30 am
Lector: Phil Niswonger
Sacristan: Kim McCaslin

5:30 pm

Lector: John Campbell
Sacristan: Gerry Patrick



Save the Date

Saturday, August 30, 2025

Bishop Rhoades will install

Fr. Reginald Wolford, OP as Pastor of

St. Patrick St. Hedwig Parish at the 4:00 pm Mass at
St. Patrick Church.

Confessions

3:00 pm Saturdays at St. Hedwig Church



From the Desk of Fr. Jason Freiburger....

Dear Parishioners,

The past couple of weeks since returning from Alaska have kept me busy. I knew, as anyone who has been on a lengthy vacation does, that there is often a lot of work to be done when one returns. However, I have never had the experience of returning to the pastoral care of two parishes before now. Thankfully, various parishioners, including some whose efforts I may never be made aware of, volunteered and continued working to transform the St. Patrick rectory into a residence for the Dominican priests. Some of the priests who teach at the University of Notre Dame, and others who have helped celebrate Masses throughout the week, moved in last Saturday. The new pastor, Fr. Reginald Wolford, O.P. is attending to some final commitments before arriving to begin serving as pastor August 20th. That will be a bitter-sweet day as I surrender all of you over to his care.

This time of the year is one of my favorites as we celebrate several saints who mean a lot to me. July 25th was the Feast of St. James (the Greater) whom I chose for my Confirmation saint. August 1st was the Memorial of St. Alphonsus Liguori, the patron saint of confessors (I am currently reading a biography about him). August 4th is the Memorial of St. John Vianney who is the patron saint of parish priests. I look to these saints and asked for their intercession in my priestly ministry.

This Wednesday is the Feast of the Transfiguration. How do our lives need to change in order to better reflect the glory of the Lord? The saints opened themselves to His grace. May we look to their example and seek their intercession, so that we might share with them in the transfigured glory of heaven one day.

Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. Jason E. Freiburger

Drive Thru Chicken Dinner Report

Gross Profit: \$2,860.00

Expenses: \$980.00

Net Profit: \$1,880.00

Offertory Regular Collection July 26 & 27

Weekly Envelopes	\$2,306.00
Online	196.00
Loose	\$715.00
Total	\$3,217.00

Other Envelopes/Donations

St. Vincent De Paul	631.00
Donation Box	2.00
Votives	49.00
Total	\$682.00

Cumulative Total 2024

Envelopes/Online	\$71,835.52
Loose	\$31,289.80
Total	\$103,125.32

Cumulative Total 2025

Envelopes/Online	\$72,775.38
Loose	\$26,096.10
Total	\$98,871.48

Having a "[Mass for the people](#)" ([Missa pro populo](#)) in the Catholic Church refers to the required celebration of Mass by ordained pastors for the spiritual well-being of the community entrusted to their care, particularly on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation. This ancient tradition, dating back to the early Church, signifies that the priest offers the Mass with the intention of praying for all the faithful, both living and deceased, within their pastoral responsibility.



Notre Dame Football Season Ticket Raffle

\$20.00 per chance, 1000 tickets will be sold.

Tickets available at the parish office and after Mass.

First Prize: 2 season tickets with a bookstore parking pass or \$1,500

Second Prize: 2 season tickets with White Field parking pass or \$1,000;

Third Prize: \$500

Drawing held on August 24th at the Hedwig Memorial Center.

For more information call or text (574) 381-0970 or call the contact the parish office at 574 287 8932

Sanctuary Lamp

Week of August 3

St. Hedwig— Mike Budzin

St. Patrick — Fezy Family

Sanctuary Lamp for a week is \$10.00. Votive Candles are \$3.00.



Please remember in your prayers the soul of Kevin Weinberg. He was a member of St. Patrick Church.



Parish Family Picnic

August 24, 2025

11:00 am to 2:00 pm

at the Hedwig Memorial Center

Standard picnic food and drink are free, but you could bring "potluck" dish if you have a favorite recipe to share. The drawing for our football raffle will be at the end of the picnic at 2:00 pm. This will also be a chance to meet and greet our new priests. We hope to see you there.

Christ Child Society Clothing Center will open on August 6th at 8:30 AM. New clothing is available for children from birth to 14 years who are eligible for free school lunch. Each child receives a winter coat, jeans, leggings or joggers, shirts, underwear, socks and athletic shoes, as well as gently used clothing, dental supplies and a book. School uniforms are also available.

The Clothing Center will be open every Wednesday through mid-December, plus five Sunday afternoons and nine Thursday evenings. **A referral from a local agency or child's school is required.** For a schedule and a list of referral agencies, go to www.christchildsb.org.

If you are interested in volunteering or donating children's gently used, winter clothing, contact info@christchildsb.org.



The St. Stanislaus Kostka Altar and Rosary Society Annual Rummage Sale

August 7, 8, & 9, from 9 - 4 in the Parish Hall located at 55756 Tulip Rd, in

New Carlisle. All items sold on Saturday will be 1/2 price. All sale proceeds will benefit our continued Parish renovations.

Remember these following people in your daily prayers. We will offer Mass and pray for them.

Albert Mostaert
Lamenski Family
William Brand
R. Niezgodski Family
J. Mostaert Family
Robert & Delphine Mutchler

Berniece & Le Roy Patterson
The Wukovits Family
DeLee & Winnicki Families
The Ozdych Family
Rev. Leonard F. Chrobot, PHD

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Wesolowski
Matt & Bernadine
Wesolowski
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