

HOLY FAMILY PARISH

LAPORTE, INDIANA

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SUNDAY, JULY 26TH

Lord, I love your commands.

VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT HOLYFAMILYLAPORTE.ORG

*The Kingdom of heaven is like a
net thrown into the sea, which
collects fish of every kind.*

SAINT MATTHEW 13,47-53

Ladies!

Join us in July for
Kingdom Builders

New Location!

Questions?
Contact Becky Minich
219.851.3474

Kingdom Vision ~ "Daddy, lift me up! I want to see!" Like a child calling out repeatedly, we too need to be lifted up. God is calling us to leave behind the noise of this world and jump into His arms, so He can raise us to new heights. Join us in July to find rest in the altitude of His love.

Tuesday, July 28, 2026, 7p-8:30p
Holy Family Parish, St. Peter Ministry Center,
1101 Michigan Ave, La Porte, IN
Presentation, Adoration, Praise & Worship, Benediction



Kingdom Builders

www.BuildingThroughHim.com



SPIRITUAL BREWINGS

A FOUR WEEK CLASS ON
PRAYER AND
IGNATIAN
SPIRITUALITY

led by:

FR. ALEX

TOPICS

- ▶ WHAT IS PRAYER?
- ▶ CORRECT VS "INCORRECT" PRAYER
- ▶ DISCERNING THE VOICES OF GOD, OURSELVES, AND THE DEVIL.
- ▶ HOW THE DEVIL ACTS
- ▶ PRAYING FOR DISCERNMENT
- ▶ FINDING GOD IN ALL THINGS

ST. PETER'S
MINISTRY CENTER
ST. JOHN BOSCO ROOM

THURSDAYS
JULY 23, 30
AUG. 6, 13

MORNING SESSION:
8:45 - 10:00 AM

EVENING SESSION:
6:00 - 7:15 PM

UNIQUE COFFEE & SWEETS PROVIDED

FAITH FORMATION CALL-OUT MEETING

Considera hacerte catequista o
voluntario para catecismo este año!

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4TH

5:30 PM

**SACRED HEART
ACTIVITY CENTER**

La junta será el martes 4 de agosto
a las 5:30 PM en el Sagrado Corazón.

Join Us!

- ✓ **What's New This Year?**
¿Qué hay de nuevo este año?
- ✓ **Curriculum Overview**
Resumen del currículo
- ✓ **Ask Questions**
Haga preguntas

Following the meeting: Required Safety & Security
Training for all returning catechists & volunteers.

**CATECHISTS &
VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED!**

ANY QUESTIONS? | PREGUNTAS?

(219) 362-2815

KERMÉS FESTIVAL

MEXICAN & POLISH FOOD - FUN - MUSIC
COMIDA - DIVERSIÓN - MÚSICA

AUGUST 9TH | 1 PM - 3 PM

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH
109 "C" ST. LAPORTE, IN

A Community that Worships Together

adoración en comunidad

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Homilies are available on our YouTube channel.

www.youtube.com/c/HolyFamilyLaporte

Daily Mass

Monday, July 27

- 8:00 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart
+Allan Benjamin by wife, Marcia

Tuesday, July 28

- 8:00 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart
+Walter Regeski by Phyllis

Wednesday, July 29

- 8:00 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart
+Peter Dorian by Catherine Mott
- 7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Joseph (Spanish)
+Tacho Martinez by Audrey Hagenow

Thursday, July 30

- 8:00 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart
+Leona & Herb Brown by Chris Moryl

Friday, July 31

- 8:00 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart
+Stephen Chmielewski by Mom & Dad

Saturday, August 1

- 8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph
+Matthew Kelly by Family & Friends

Baptisms bautizos

Marickuz Rose Burrows
Phoebe Lynn Cooper

In Memoriam

Please pray for the repose of the soul of:

Nancy Grimm

Por favor, recen por el descanso de su alma.

Looking for opportunities to help others? Find ways to serve in our community on our website:
www.holyfamilylaporte.org

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, August 1, Vigil Mass

- 4:30 p.m. Vigil Mass at St. Peter
+Linda Swanson by Jim

Sunday, August 2

Reading 1 Isaiah 55:1-3

Reading 2 Romans 8:35, 37-39

Gospel Matthew 14:13-21

- 7:30 a.m. Mass at St. Peter
+Pham Grandparents by Family
- 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph
+Joseph & Dolores Krochta by daughter, Catherine
- 10:30 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart
+Eva & George Jester by Jeni
- 12:00 p.m. Mass at St. Joseph
+Valentin Camarillo by Family
& Holy Family Parishioners

CONFESSION & ADORATION SCHEDULE

Confession | Confesión

- Tuesday, 7:15 a.m. Sacred Heart (before 8 a.m. Mass)
- Wednesday, 6:15 p.m. St. Joseph (before 7 p.m. Mass)
- Thursday, 7:15 a.m. Sacred Heart (before 8 a.m. Mass)
- Saturday, 9:00 a.m. St. Joseph
- Saturday, 3:00-4:00 p.m. St. Peter

Eucharist Adoration | Adoración

- Monday - Friday, 7 a.m. Before 8 a.m. Mass, Sacred Heart (Livestream)
- St. Joseph Adoration Chapel, 8 am-5 pm

Fortify Night

FELLOWSHIP + FOOD + MUSIC + DISCUSSION

JOIN FR. ROQUE AND FR. ALEX
EACH MONTH REGARDING A DIFFERENT
TOPIC ABOUT OUR FAITH

ST. PETER MINISTRY RESOURCE CENTER
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

SESSION 7:
**Monday,
July 27th**

The Fr. Kouris Korner

VESTMENTS

I was asked sometime ago why the altar servers wear different vestments; the boys wear the black cassock with a white surplice and the girls wear a white alb with cincture and a black scapular. In addition to answering this question I would like to talk about why we wear vestments in general.

As priests, we approach the altar of salvation, mount calvary, the moment that changed history as we know it. Our Lord Jesus gave himself up for the life of the world and we celebrate that moment in a representation in an unbloody manner every time we celebrate Mass. As much as we are returning to Calvary at that moment, we have to help get our minds across to see there is a difference than our normal ordinary things.

Have you ever celebrated an important event without dressing up like attending a wedding and its extremely casual? It diminishes the gravity of the event. Imagine us priests not wearing vestments for Mass, it would greatly make it less visible that something great is happening here. This is why, for other ministers, like lectors and extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion, we ask that they dress well for their ministry at Mass.

When Fr. Roque and I vest for mass, we take on something greater: **we become Christ**. We exercise the office of Christ's priesthood in offering the holy sacrifice of the Mass. It is only by Christ that the bread and wine are transformed into his sacred Body and Blood.

Because of this great ordeal, we must undergo a change so that it is not only us who step up to the Altar. Each piece of the vestments we wear have prayers associated with them to help us get into the mindset of what we are about to do. For instance, the white alb we place upon ourselves reminds us of our baptism: "make me white, O Lord, and cleanse my heart, that being clean in the blood of the Lamb, I may deserve an eternal reward." Or the chasuble, our most visible outer vestment: "O Lord who has said, 'My yoke is sweet and my burden light,' grant me to bear it as to obtain your grace." These are not just clothing that we put on, but a symbol of who we are

July 26th, 2026 | 17th Sunday of Ordinary Time

becoming in the Mass. I never want to make Mass the Fr. Alex show. That puts me at the center of the attention instead of God. This would be a disservice to the priesthood and the holy people of God. Hence, at every Catholic Mass, the vestments are either the same or similar (in design or patterns), because in each Mass you are encountering Jesus once more through his priest. A priest who does not wear the vestments or does something radical brings attention away from Jesus. Our desire should be: **More Jesus, less me.**



Thus it can be said similarly for the altar servers. These boys and girls are assisting the priest for the holy people of God. They too wear specific vestments for their unique roles. Not too long ago, altar serving was only allow for boys due to its **vocational aspect**. To be that close to the priest gave young men the opportunity to ask the question "**could I do that too?**" That is actually how I first discerned the priesthood.

Now that the Church has allowed for altar girls, the same must be said for them. While the priesthood is only for men, women still have to ask the question about the religious life. **Are they called to give their lives up for the Lord in a radical way?** So we dress them not in the cassock, a vestment that priests usually wear, but the religious habit with a big scapular in front like so many nuns wear today.

This helps them to take a different role and identity in the mass so they too can start discerning their own call to follow Jesus in a radical way. Consider asking one of our altar servers if they might be called to the Priesthood or the Religious life. Or encourage more young people to serve for the sake of vocations.

In His most Sacred Heart,

Fr Alex

Fr. Alex



MEET OUR PARISH VISION AND MISSION TEAM (PARISH COUNCIL) & FINANCE COUNCIL MEMBERS

VISION AND MISSION TEAM (PARISH COUNCIL)

Mia Toschi	Jen Sass
Margaret LeRoy	Drew Noveroske
Santos Reyes	Craig Menne
Tara Bush	Diana Martinez
Vince Talerico	Shelli Leal

FINANCE COUNCIL

Audrey Hagenow	Scott Zoborosky
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WE APPRECIATE ALL OF YOUR DEDICATION TO OUR PARISH!

MASS IN THE PARK



WITH BISHOP ROBERT MCCLORY

SEPTEMBER 13TH, 2026 @ 11 AM
FOX PARK AMPHITHEATER

BRING YOUR OWN PICNIC OR BUY FROM A FOOD TRUCK. FREE WATER, DESSERTS, GAMES, AND MORE!

TRAIGA SU PROPIO PICNIC O CÓMPRELO EN UN CAMIÓN DE COMIDA. AGUA GRATIS, POSTRES, JUEGOS, BANDA Y MUCHO MÁS!

SATURDAY, 4:30 PM MASS & SUNDAY, 7:30 AM MASS AVAILABLE (ALL OTHER MASSES ARE CANCELLED)

SABADO, MISA DE LAS 4:30 PM Y DOMINGO, MISA DE LAS 7:30 AM (TODAS LAS DEMÁS MISAS SE CANCELAN)

WORSHIP **FELLOWSHIP**

FOOD TRUCKS **BALLOONS**

BAND **FACE PAINTING**

LAWN GAMES **LOTERIA**

MUSIC **CORN HOLE**

SAVE THE DATE

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL



Partners in Christ's Mission



Our Goal:
\$115,168.49



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generous donation
towards this year's CSA!*

Pledges Received:
\$132,252.12

Pledges Owed:
\$10,065.00

Men Growing in Discipleship

Men's Small Group Study Series

- Men join us as we continue our journey into the discipleship of Jesus. It doesn't matter where you are on the journey, only that you desire to share it with your brothers! We have 2 opportunities each month.
- The 1st meetings are the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month at the St. Peter Ministry Center, John Paul II room, 7 PM.
- Second Saturday Adoration, Rosary, and Fellowship meets at St. Peter Church 8 AM. We spend 1/2 hour in Adoration & offering the Rosary for our intentions. Then move to the ministry center for coffee & fellowship.
- Contact Victor Stearns at [219-363-4313](tel:219-363-4313) for more information.

*AGES 18+

YOUNG ADULT GROUP

MEETING EVERY THURSDAY

6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

St. Peter's Ministry Center

1110 Michigan Ave.

LaPorte, IN 46350

MAY 28 - AUGUST 27

*Must be out of high school



For more information, contact: John Paul Wellinski - (219) 851-7639
Drew Noveroske - (219) 380-4552

LES INVITAMOS A NUESTRO

MINISTERIO DE MATRIMONIOS

Una relación de pareja puede en ocasiones ser difícil, otra veces simplemente no encontramos la mejor manera de comunicarnos. Hombres y mujeres hemos sido diseñados por Dios a ser diferentes, de una forma muy especial y para ser el complemento uno del otro.

 **Primer y tercer domingo del mes**

 **6:30 PM**

 **Cafeteria de San José**



Para más información, comunícate con Salvador y Elizabeth Martinez

Una invitación a recibir a la Virgen en su hogar y orar en familia.

Ministerio de la VIRGEN PEREGRINA

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Cada domingo, familias están invitadas a llevar la Virgen a su hogar junto con un rosario y un librito con instrucciones para rezarlo.

La Virgen permanecerá en el hogar durante la semana y será regresada el siguiente domingo a la iglesia de San José para continuar su peregrinar a otro hogar.

Para más información o para inscribirse, contacta:
Micaela Jara
(219) 402-6355



FREE SEMINAR

Creating Wealth, Establishing a Legacy,
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Presenters:



Garrett Bonk
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Questions?

jholicky@catholicfuture.org
219-769-9292 ext.88268

Aug. 3 at 6 p.m.
Holy Family Parish
201 Bach St,
LaPorte

Aug. 8 at 5:30 p.m.
St. Paul Catholic Church
1855 W. Harrison Blvd,
Valparaiso

Aug. 12 at 6 p.m.
St. Matthias Hall
101 W. Burrell Dr,
Crown Point

*Door prizes and
Q&A at all sessions*

Register today

catholicfuture.org/
events



VOCATION CROSS MINISTRY



PRAY FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Each church has a cross that you can take home and pray for vocations. Sign up on the clipboard in the narthex for the week you want. The cross will be at the church on the table designated for you to pick up on Saturday or Sunday. Bring it back the following Saturday evening and leave it for the next person.

QUESTIONS ABOUT THE VOCATIONS CROSS MINISTRY?

CONTACT JAN EDQUIST 219-575-1597



QUO VADIS? WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

DISCERNMENT RETREAT

JOIN OUR
SEMINARIANS

AUGUST 2-4, 2026

CAMP LAWRENCE
68 E. 700 NORTH
VALPARAISO, IN

MEN
16 - 24
YEARS OLD

TO RSVP: CONTACT JO ANNE ROSENOW



jrosenow@dcdgary.org



219.769.9292
ext. 221



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AUGUST 22, 2026

Porter County Expo Center

¡También
en
Español!

Come for a day of **inspiring speakers** and
Eucharistic Adoration, closing with a **Vigil Mass**.
Lunch is included! **For details, visit the website.**

Hearts on Fire!
-Walking with Purpose-

Keynote Speakers Conferencistas Principales

- Jason Evert: Hearts on Fire
- Fr. Augustino Torres, CFR: ¡Corazones Ardientes!
- Liz Kelly: Walking with Purpose
- Mar Muñoz-Visoso: Caminando con Propósito

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WAYS TO GIVE

HELP US TO MEET OUR CSA GOAL IN THE FOLLOWING WAYS:

CASH

Cash is one of the easiest ways to make a charitable contribution. A cash contribution can be a check, money order or cashier's check.

SECURITIES

A gift of securities may be given so that the donor receives a tax deduction equal to the fair market value of the donated assets while avoiding capital gains tax on the donated assets. Holy Family Parish will work with you to facilitate the donation of both marketable and closely held securities.

LIFE INSURANCE

Life insurance is an easy way to make a significant contribution. You may give a policy that is no longer needed, take out a new policy, or name the Holy Family Parish as a beneficiary of an existing policy. Direct the proceeds, cash value of policy, or any portion of it to benefit your parish.

BEQUEST

By instructing a bequest in your will, you can specify an amount or percentage from your estate naming Holy Family Parish as a permanent beneficiary.

IRA CHARITABLE DISTRIBUTION

Using a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) is a tax-savvy strategy that allows you to transfer up to \$100,000 per year from your IRA directly to a qualified organization, such as Holy Family Parish. It is only available to IRAs and individuals who have reached a Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) age, currently 73 years old. Any amount processed as a QCD counts toward your RMD requirement and reduces the taxable amount of your IRA distribution. This lowers both your adjusted gross income and taxable income, resulting in a lower overall tax liability.

MEMORIAL GIFTS

Making a donation in memory of someone special reflects your desire to make a lasting impact on the lives of others, just as your honoree has done. You may also include the desire for memorial gifts to be made in your name as part of your final plans. You may choose to designate memorial gifts for a particular purpose of your choice at Holy Family.

RETIREMENT ACCOUNTS

Holy Family Parish may be designated as the beneficiary under a donor's qualified retirement plan benefits, including IRAs, 401(k)s, 403(b)s, and Keogh (HR-10) plans. Retirement benefits may be the most tax-efficient way to make a gift to the parish.



WAYS TO GIVE

Your Catholic faith is central to your life. You care deeply about the work of the Church within the Diocese of Gary. Pair your faith with your passion through a gift that will last forever. There are many ways to create a legacy of faith through Holy Family Parish. To find out more about helping with a gift today, or establishing a donation as part of your estate, please contact Madalyn Jozaitis at 219-362-2815 or mjozaitis@holyfamilylaporte.org.

One Hour - One Day a Week

Pick up meals in
La Porte at
901 Lincolnway St.
11:00 am

Pick up meals in
Michigan City at
301 E 8th St.
11:00 am

Pick up meals in
Westville at
BP station
11:15 am

Nutrition Facts

Server: Volunteer (*your name here*)

Energy 100%

Empathy 100%

Belief in Good 100%

All you need to be a Meals on Wheels volunteer is a desire to make the world better. *Immediately*. Right in your own neighborhood. Support your local Meals On Wheels and discover how nourishing the experience can be.

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17th Annual Ken Tobar Memorial Scholarship Golf Outing

AUGUST 1, 2026

18 HOLE SCRAMBLE
7:30 AM REGISTRATION | 8 AM START

Michigan City Municipal Golf Course
North Course

675 WARNKE ROAD
MICHIGAN CITY, IN 46360



\$55/PERSON OR \$220/FOURSOME
(INCLUDES 18 HOLES OF GOLF AND GOLF CART)

REGISTRATION 7:30AM (CDT)
8:00AM (CDT) SHOTGUN START
18 HOLE SCRAMBLE

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412 LINCOLNWAY, LA PORTE

PROCEEDS FROM THIS EVENT WILL BENEFIT THE
KEN TOBAR COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Join Us
SUNDAY, AUG. 2



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ALL YOU CAN EAT & DRINK BEER & WINE, LIVE MUSIC, KIDS AREA, UP TO \$5,500 IN PRIZES!



TICKETS:

Early Bird* (May 27-August 1)

• Ages 14-64: \$50

• Ages 65+: \$40

*DON'T DELAY PRICE INCREASE DAY OF

GET TICKETS



APPLIED SUICIDE INTERVENTION SKILLS TRAINING (ASIST)

What Does ASIST Offer?

LivingWorks ASIST is a two-day, two-trainer, workshop designed for members of all caregiving groups. Family, friends, and other community members may be the first to talk with a person at risk, but have little or no training. ASIST can also provide those in formal helping roles with professional development to ensure that they are prepared to provide suicide first aid help as part of the care they provide.

The emphasis is on teaching suicide first-aid to help a person at risk stay safe and seek further help as needed. Participants learn to use a suicide intervention model to identify persons with thoughts of suicide, seek a shared understanding of reasons for dying and living, develop a safe plan based upon a review of risk, be prepared to do follow-up, and become involved in suicide-safer

community networks. The learning process is based on adult learning principles and highly participatory. Graduated skills development occurs through mini-lectures, facilitated discussions, group simulations, and role plays.

Register Online

<https://afspindianaasistaug11.attendase.com/>

*Registration fee is \$25 includes the lunch and snacks both days.

Questions? Contact

Tina Hoffmann

Faith Community Health Coordinator

Franciscan Health

Tina.Hoffmann@franciscanalliance.org, (317) 528-6609

Date

Wednesday, August 26
and Thursday, August 27
(must be present both
days)

Time

8:30 AM – 5:00 PM
Central Time (both
days)

Location

Franciscan Health Michigan City
3500 Franciscan Way
Michigan City, IN 46360



This Week at Holy Family Parish

Meetings and Small Groups

Kateri Tekakwitha Circle No meeting in August. Enjoy your summer! We'll see you on Sept. 1st. First Tuesday of the month at 6pm, St. Peter Ministry Resource Center. At each meeting there is prayer, a reflection, fellowship, and discussion on ways to serve the church and community. Contact: Donna Larson (219-362-6659).

Men Growing in Discipleship See information on a previous page.

Parkinson's Support Group – will meet on Wed. Aug. 5th, 10am Meetings are at the St. Francis House 130 Bach St. If you have Parkinson's disease, it can be helpful to talk to fellow sufferers in the community. For more information Contact: Bob Wellinski bwellinski@holyfamilylaporte.org

Nourish for Caregivers The next meeting is August 5th, 6:30pm. Nourish is a Faith based support group that aims to provide support and assistance to anyone caring for a parent, spouse, child or loved one in their home. Meetings take place at 130 Bach Street (former Sacred Heart Rectory). Contact: Deacon Frank J. Zolvinski – 219-575-1090.

Bible Study—Every Wednesday Explore the Word of God with your friends on Wednesday mornings! This year we are studying the Gospel according to Matthew. Bring your Bible and your desire to better understand God's Word and how it applies to our lives today. NOTE! Our gathering time and location are changing due to the new construction at Sacred Heart. We will be meeting at the St. Peter Ministry Center (downstairs) from 9:00-10:30am. This will give everyone an opportunity to participate in the Wed. 8am Mass at Sacred Heart and then drive to St. Peter before we begin. Hope to see you there!

Note there are no changes to the 6:30pm Wed. evening group notations.

Scripture Discussion—Join us on Wednesday evenings (6:30-8:00pm) at St. Peter Ministry Center, Mother Theresa Room.

Fit Shepherds Every Saturday, 6:30am - 7:30am, Boston Middle School Track, by the corner of 1st and C street. Fit Shepherds aims to help every man in our community be in the best physical and spiritual shape of his life. Meetings every Saturday morning at 6:30am at the Boston Middle School outdoor track. All men 16 and older are welcome.

Fiat Fitness Every Saturday -Women's exercise group that meets each week for prayer, movement, and fellowship. Women at all levels of fitness are welcome. Every Saturday, 7:15am - 8:15am, St. Peter Ministry Resource Center. Contact: Jan Edquist, 219-575-1597.



Mark your calendars for

Unique Chance on Thursday, October 8th!

More information to follow. A planning meeting is scheduled for Thursday, July 30th, at 10:30am at St. Peter Resource Center. All are welcome to attend. Any questions, contact Sue Zolvinski at 219-575-1135 or Donna Wagner at 219-363-1516. Hope to see you there.

Call out to our backyard farmers:

It's that time of year and we're hoping your gardens are flourishing. As in the past, if you would like to share your produce with our Sacred Heart Food Pantry patrons, we will take any donations on Tuesdays, between 11:30 and 12:45. Please bring your donations to our food pantry located behind the Francis House (the former rectory). Your continued support of our ministry allows us to provide fresh produce to our neighbors in need. Blessings to all!



The St. Francis Committee

Do you have 90 minutes per month to spare?

The Sacred Heart Food Pantry is looking to build a stand-by list of helpers. If you have any questions, please contact Carol Bardon @ 574-320-4059 or Louanne Kuzdas @ 219-575-8056 or stop by the pantry any Tuesday about 12:30 to see what we do.

Prayer Squares



The prayer squares that are made by the Prayer Shawl Ministry with attached prayer cards are available in the narthex of all three churches. The squares are a reminder to pause and pray and we hope they will provide comfort to those in need of prayer. Please feel free to take one for yourself or someone you feel is in need of prayer.

Stewardship of Sacrificial Giving

donación sacrificada

Date:	7/19/26
Regular Collection	\$16,1614.75
Building & Maintenance	\$578.00

Support Holy Family Parish



Do you want to support Holy Family Parish and our Mission to form disciples who serve? Use the QR code to make a contribution. | *Utilice el código QR para hacer una contribución.*

Holy Family Parish Team

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St. Peter | *San Pedro*
1101 Michigan Ave

St. Joseph | *San José*
109 "C" Street



We want to pray for you!

To submit a prayer request, scan the QR code or fill out the request form online:

www.holyfamilylaporte.org/prayer-request

To call in a prayer request, contact Donna Wagner at 219-363-1516 or Jean at 219-716-3414.



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