

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16TH



Holy Family Parish

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

THE LORD COMES TO RULE THE EARTH WITH JUSTICE.

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Ladies!
Join us in November for
Kingdom Builders

It is easy to get distracted from the true meaning of Christmas. How do we keep our focus on the coming of the Savior while living in our secular culture? Join us to embrace the Season of Advent in a new and miraculous way!

Tuesday, November 25, 2025, 7p-8:30p
Holy Family Parish, Sacred Heart Church
201 Bach Street, La Porte, IN

 **Kingdom Builders**
www.BuildingThroughHim.com



¡ADVIENTO GLORIFICA!

ADVENT
Glorify!

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2025
4:00PM - 7:00PM
ST. PETER CHURCH

ADORATION, PRAYER, CONFESSION
PLACE A CARNATION AT THE ALTAR
7:00PM EVENING PRAYER AND BENEDICTION

ADORACIÓN, ORACIÓN, CONFESIÓN
7PM ORACIÓN DE LA NOVENA,
VÍSPERAS, Y BENEDICIÓN

 **HOLY FAMILY PARISH**
Be a Family - Be Disciples

**Feast of the Immaculate
Conception**

Fiesta de la Inmaculada Concepción

December 8th
8:00 AM Mass at Sacred Heart
6:00 PM Mass at St. Peter (Bilingual)

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, November 17th

- 8:00 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart
+ Hugh Stearns & Pat Lawson by Family

Tuesday, November 18th

- 8:00 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart
+ Pat Blumer by Vicki Huelat

Wednesday, November 19th

- 8:00 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart
+ Kenny & Sue Pratt by Marge
- 7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Joseph
+ Shane Covelli by Family

Thursday, November 20th

- 8:00 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart
+ Terry & Blair Larson by Family

Friday, November 21st

- 8:00 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart
+ Geri Kubaszyk by Loretta Rudolph

Saturday, November 22nd

- 8:30 a.m. Mass at St Joseph
+ Fred & Bob Clouse by Bert & Linda

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Saturday, November 22nd, Vigil Mass

- 4:30 p.m. Vigil Mass at St. Peter
+ Dr. Lonnie Amico by Family

Sunday, November 23rd

Reading 1 2 Samuel 5:1-3

Reading 2 Colossians 1:12-20

Gospel Luke 23:35-43

- 7:30 a.m. Mass at St. Peter
+ Greg & Louann Ramaekers by Tony Ramaekers
- 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph
+ James Beckman by Mary & Family
- 10:30 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart
+ Sandra Surma by Bernie Balties
- 12:00 p.m. Mass at St. Joseph
+ Maria Isabel Negrete 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

Marriages matrimonios

Deanna Cervantes & Raul Mejia Palma

In Memoriam

Please pray for the repose of the soul of:

David Ramierz

Por favor, recen por el descanso de su alma.

Children's Ministry

1st & 3rd Sunday of the month at Sacred Heart

Ministerio infantil

El primer y tercer domingo del mes en Sacred Heart.



PREACHING SERIES:

"REMEMBERING NICAEA: WHAT WE BELIEVE".

*This year, 2025, is a special year not only because it is a Jubilee Year (celebrated every 25 years). We also mark the **1700th anniversary of the Council of Nicaea** – the first of the Church's ecumenical councils – which gave us the **Nicene Creed**. In the year 325 A.D. the Church's leaders met to discuss serious issues surrounding Christian beliefs, and what they left us is the creed we recite every Sunday and solemnity. For the next eight (8) weeks, join us for a preaching series at Sunday Masses on the Nicene Creed.*

●	WEEK 1	"I Believe in One God..."
●	WEEK 2	"The Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth..."
●	WEEK 3	"I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten son of God..."
●	WEEK 4	"I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord the Giver of Life..."
●	WEEK 5	All Souls' Day - "I look forward to the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come."
●	WEEK 6	Lateran Dedication - "I believe in One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church..."
●	WEEK 7	"I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins..." • Our baptism into the death of Christ enables us to give testimony and prepares us for our own death.
●	WEEK 8	Christ the King - "He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and His Kingdom will have no end..."

*This
Week*



THE NICENE CREED

**I BELIEVE IN ONE GOD,
THE FATHER ALMIGHTY,
MAKER OF HEAVEN AND EARTH, OF ALL THINGS VISIBLE AND
INVISIBLE.**

**I BELIEVE IN ONE LORD JESUS CHRIST,
THE ONLY BEGOTTEN SON OF GOD,
BORN OF THE FATHER BEFORE ALL AGES.
GOD FROM GOD, LIGHT FROM LIGHT,
TRUE GOD FROM TRUE GOD,
BEGOTTEN, NOT MADE, CONSUBSTANTIAL WITH THE FATHER;
THROUGH HIM ALL THINGS WERE MADE.
FOR US MEN AND FOR OUR SALVATION
HE CAME DOWN FROM HEAVEN,
AND BY THE HOLY SPIRIT WAS INCARNATE OF THE VIRGIN MARY,
AND BECAME MAN.
FOR OUR SAKE HE WAS CRUCIFIED UNDER PONTIUS PILATE,
HE SUFFERED DEATH AND WAS BURIED,
AND ROSE AGAIN ON THE THIRD DAY
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SCRIPTURES.
HE ASCENDED INTO HEAVEN
AND IS SEATED AT THE RIGHT HAND OF THE FATHER.
HE WILL COME AGAIN IN GLORY
TO JUDGE THE LIVING AND THE DEAD
AND HIS KINGDOM WILL HAVE NO END.**

**I BELIEVE IN THE HOLY SPIRIT, THE LORD, THE GIVER OF LIFE,
WHO PROCEEDS FROM THE FATHER AND THE SON,
WHO WITH THE FATHER AND THE SON IS ADORED AND GLORIFIED,
WHO HAS SPOKEN THROUGH THE PROPHETS.**

**I BELIEVE IN ONE, HOLY, CATHOLIC AND APOSTOLIC CHURCH.
I CONFESS ONE BAPTISM FOR THE FORGIVENESS OF SINS
AND I LOOK FORWARD TO THE RESURRECTION OF THE DEAD
AND THE LIFE OF THE WORLD TO COME. AMEN.**

**EVER WANTED TO SERVE GOD IN A VERY SPECIAL WAY?
¿ALGUNA VEZ HAS QUERIDO SERVIR A DIOS DE UNA MANERA MUY ESPECIAL?**



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

FORMACIÓN DE MONAGUILLOS

**OPEN FOR ALL WHO RECEIVED
THEIR FIRST COMMUNION**

**ABIERTO PARA TODOS LOS QUE
RECIBIERON SU PRIMERA COMUNIÓN.**



ST. JOSEPH

**November 9th
After/Después**

**9:00 & 12:00
Mass/Misa**

ST. PETER

**November 15th
After/Después**

**4:30
Mass/Misa**

SACRED HEART

**November 16th
After/Después**

**10:30
Mass/Misa**

**TRAINING WILL TAKE ABOUT ONE HOUR
LA FORMACIÓN DURARÁ APROXIMADAMENTE UNA HORA.**



FALL FOOD DRIVE

Collections through November

Instant Oatmeal
Pancake Mix & Syrup
Peanut Butter & Jelly
Instant Potatoes
Instant Rice
Knorr Rice/Pasta Side Dishes
Toaster Pastries (PopTarts)

Hamburger/Tuna Helper
Canned Beef Stew
Canned Tuna/Chicken
Canned Chicken & Dumplings
Pasta/Spaghetti Noodles
Canned Spaghetti Sauce
Canned Hash
Canned Chili

Canned Soup
Coffee/Tea
Hot Cocoa Mix
Cereal
Sandwich Baggies
Cooking Oil
Flour
Sugar/Brown Sugar



Your donations will help us restock our Food pantry shelves for the colder months ahead.

Sus donaciones nos ayudarán a reponer los estantes de nuestra despensa de alimentos para los meses más fríos que se avecinan.



Fall FOOD BAG DRIVE

**ACCEPTING DONATIONS FROM
NOVEMBER 1ST – 23RD**

DROP OFF OPTIONS

- Place filled bags in the food pantry boxes located at all church doors.
- If attending the 10:30 AM Mass at Sacred Heart, you may drive up to the Francis House (former rectory) before Mass, and volunteers will help unload your donations.

PLEASE, NO DONATIONS IN GLASS CONTAINERS

ALL DONATIONS
HELP SUPPORT:

**GRAB A BAG.
FILL IT.
RETURN IT.**

Agarra una bolsa.
Llévala.
Devuélvela.

Matthew

Many of us have watched the tv series
The Chosen
and love the character of Matthew.

Most of us know that Matthew wrote the
first Gospel which appears in the New
Testament of the Bible.

Some of us know that our Church will focus on
the Gospel according to Matthew in the next
Liturgical Year which begins on Nov 30.

In commemoration, our Wednesday Morning
Bible Study group will begin reading and
discussing the Gospel according to Matthew
on Nov 26.

If you have ever considered joining a Bible Study
group, this is a perfect opportunity to begin.
Join us after the 8am Wednesday Morning Mass
at Sacred Heart.

Novena a nuestra SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE

**DEL 3 AL 11 DE DICIEMBRE
IGLESIA DE SAN JOSÉ**

HORARIO:
 12/3 – DESPUÉS DE LA MISA DE 7 PM
 12/4 – 7 PM
 12/5 – DESPUÉS DE ADVENT GLORIFY
 12/6 – 7 PM
 12/7 – DESPUÉS DE LA MISA DE 12 PM
 12/8 – DESPUÉS DE LA MISA DE LA
 INMACULADA CONCEPCIÓN (6 PM)
 12/9 – 7 PM
 12/10 – DESPUÉS DE LA MISA DE 7 PM
 12/11 – 7 PM

VEN Y ACOMPÁÑANOS A
HONRAR A NUESTRA MADRE
CON ORACIÓN Y
DEVOCIÓN EN
PREPARACIÓN PARA
SU FIESTA.



OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE



December 11th
St. Joseph Church | San José

9:00 PM - 12:00 AM
Dance for Our Lady | Danza Nuestra Morenita de South Bend
Rosary & Confessions | Rosario y confesiones
Midnight songs & music | Mañanitas

December 12th
St. Joseph Church | San José

5:00 PM - Apparitions & Dance | Apariciones y danza
6:00 PM - Mass of the Roses | Misa de las rosas
Celebration after Mass | Comida y celebración despues de misa

MAGI Tree

- Take a tag- - Buy the gift-
 - Tape the tag on the wrapped gift-

GIFTS DUE BY DECEMBER 21ST

All gifts must be placed under any of the trees at our churches beginning November 30th

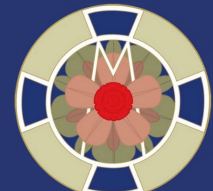
Escoja una etiqueta - compre el regalo - pegue la etiqueta en el regalo envuelto. Todos los regalos deben ser puestos bajo cualquiera de nuestros arboles en nuestras iglesias empezando el 30 de noviembre. Los regalos deben ser entregados el domingo, 21 de diciembre.



PERIOD 2 IN CHOICE SCHOLARSHIPS

APPLY NOW

2025-2026 Academic School Year



- AGE 5 BY AUGUST 1ST
- ENROLLED IN K-8
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Scholarship may cover all or most of your tuition!

Apply Now! notredameparish.net

The window will be opening soon to apply for a period 2 Choice Scholarship. If you missed the 1st application window, it's not too late for the current school year to apply for period 2 scholarships.

Period 2 Scholarship Application Window:

- November 1st, 2025 - January 15th, 2026

WE CURRENTLY HAVE OPENINGS IN:

- KINDERGARTEN
- 1ST GRADE
- 2ND GRADE
- 4TH GRADE
- 5TH GRADE
- 7TH GRADE

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 1000 Moore Rd., Michigan City, IN
 219.872.6216
 Serving grades Preschool - 8th



Questions? Email: info@notredameparish.net

We are LaPorte County's PREMIERE Catholic School!



Retreat Day

for those who serve in ministry

November 17
10:00 am-4:00 pm
 Option to stay until 7:15 pm

We invite you to join us at our Motherhouse for a day of prayer, rest, and formation. The day will include Mass, adoration, tours, meals, talks, and discussion on how to walk with women in vocational discernment.

Open to anyone serving in Catholic ministry (campus and youth ministers, missionaries, etc.)

Register



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 OF
PERPETUAL ADORATION



Schedule

10:00 am Arrival, Introductions
 10:15 am Tours
 11:00 am Free Time
 11:30 am Holy Mass
 12:00 pm Lunch
 1:00 pm Recreation
 1:45 pm Talk/Discussion
 3:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration
 4:00 pm Departure

Option to Stay

4:15 pm Free Time
 5:00 pm Rosary, Evening Prayer
 6:00 pm Supper, Recreation
 7:00 pm Night Prayer
 7:15 pm Departure

Questions?

Sr. Mary Amata
ssfpavocations@gmail.com



SISTERS OF ST. FRANCIS
 OF
PERPETUAL ADORATION

Keep children warm this winter!

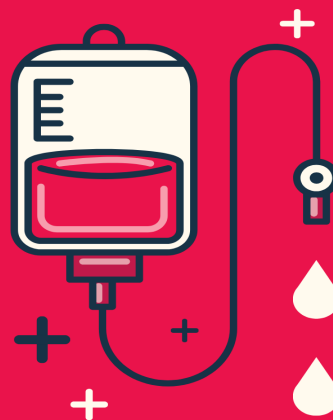
Caps for Kids

Saint Vincent DePaul/ Holy Family Church is once again collecting caps and gloves or mittens for our neighbors in need. All sizes are needed!

We will collect the caps and gloves starting November 30th through January 30th. Drop off the items in the designated boxes in each church. Thank you for helping us help others!



+ DONATE + + BLOOD +



Wednesday

3rd

DECEMBER

12-5

Save someone's life with
 a drop of your blood!

Campaña de donación de sangre

3 de Diciembre

Done sangre para salvar

la vida de alguien

@ SACRED HEART
 CAMPUS

GO TO:

redcross.org/give-blood

This Week at Holy Family Parish

Meetings and Small Groups

The Nourish for Caregiver Support group

November is National Family Caregivers Month -- a time to recognize and honor all those who lovingly care for family members. We believe that the work of a caregiver is holy...in every act of care, for it is in care-giving that God's tender presence is revealed. This year we want to affirm all caregivers and give you spiritual nourishment to sustain you on your journey. Our Holy Family Nourish for Caregivers support group's next meeting will take place on December 3rd at 6:30 p.m. at the Francis House, 130 Bach Street. We hope you find inspiration, hope to remind you of the sacredness of your work and how deeply loved and appreciated you are. God Bless All Caregivers. For Information contact Deacon Frank J. Zolvinski 219-575-1090.

Our Lady of the Snows Circle will meet on Tues., Nov. 18th at 11:30 am in the Rosary Room for their Thanksgiving Luncheon. The dessert hostess, Maria Davila-Garcia 219-379-4183. We welcome visitors and new members, please call Maria so she has an accurate head count. We look forward to praying with new members.

Men Growing in Discipleship

Meetings are at 7:00pm on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month at the St. Peter Resource Center to continue our journey into the discipleship of Jesus. Contact: Victor Stearns at 219-363-4313.

Prayer Shawl Group

Nov. 18th Meeting is third Tuesday of each month at 10:30am, St. Peter Resource Center to knit shawls for those who need love, hope, and prayers. Contact: Patty Steele 219-575-0466.

Kingdom Builders Small Group

Nov. 19th Monthly meeting for women to share a reflection and dig deeper in our faith. 3rd Wednesday (10-11:30am) at the St. Joseph Adoration Chapel. Contact: Becky Minich - andbminich@live.com, 219-851-3474.

Bible Study

—Every Wednesday Explore the Word of God with your friends on Wednesday mornings - immediately after the 8am Mass at Sacred Heart. If you have ever thought of joining a Bible Study, now is a good time to begin.

Scripture Discussion—Every Wednesday—Explore next Sunday's Readings before you hear them at Mass. Participants marvel at how well the Old Testament and New Testament Readings correlate. 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.

Stewardship of Sacrificial Giving

donación sacrificada

Date: 11/09/2025

Regular Collection	\$17,598.00
Building & Maintenance	\$2,123.00
Food Pantry	\$1,333.00
Holydays	\$65.00
Human Development	\$40.00
Missionary	\$5.00

Food Pantry Update

Sacred Heart Food Pantry

(130 Bach St) Open every Tuesday, 1-2pm. They collect and distribute non-perishable food items and personal care items for LaPorte residents needing assistance.

September Food Expenses: \$4,649.17 Personal Care: \$217.48
Households assisted: 136 Individuals assisted: 420

St. Vincent DePaul (101 C St):

St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry is open every Monday from 3:00-5:00 pm. Clothing and small household items Annex is open every Mon. from 3:00-5:00pm and every Wed. from 11am-2pm. We will also open by appointment (call 219-369-3347) to offer assistance or to receive donations.

September	Families	People
Clothing & Household Items	178	508
Food	114	307
Gasoline	1	7
Transport	1	2
Total People Assisted	294	824

Mass Check-ins

Cards are located in the main entrance narthex (one per student).

Place in collection basket when done!

ALL Faith Formation students are expected to participate in Mass Check-ins.



HOLY FAMILY PARISH
Be a Family - Be Disciples
Mass Attended:
Please circle one
4:30 pm 7:30 am
9:00 am 12:00 pm
10:30 am

Faith Formation CHECK-IN
Name (first & last): _____
Date: / /
Child's Class:
Please circle one
Communion Prep (Level 1, 2, or 3) Confirmation Prep (Level 1, 2, or 3) Life in the Church (grades 4-6)

tarjetas de asistencia a misa

Las tarjetas están disponibles en la entrada (una para cada estudiante).

Pónganlas en la canasta durante el coleccion.

Se requiere que TODOS los estudiantes participen.

Polish Falcon made Holiday Pierogi

Cheese or Sauerkraut \$10 per dozen

Order at the bar and pay in advance by Nov. 26. Pick up frozen between Dec. 4 & 16 for your holiday celebrations.

Polish Falcons 216 E Lincolnway, LP

CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT GROUP

SUNDAYS | 6:30 P M

SEP 7 SEP 21 OCT 5
OCT 19 NOV 2 NOV 16

Queen of All Saints Church
College age, 20's, 30's
More Info: FrGlick@QAS.org

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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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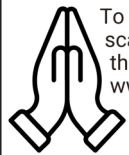
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St. Peter | *San Pedro*

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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