

St. Alphonsus - St. John Catholic Church

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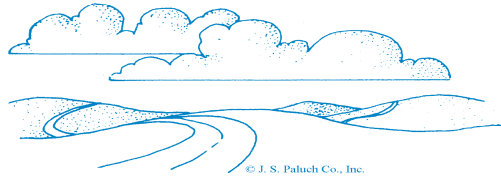
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GOD'S WAYS
ARE ABOVE
OUR WAYS



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Sacramental Life

Eucharist

St. Alphonsus- Sundays at 8:30am
Saturday Vigil at 5:00pm
Holy Days- 7:00 pm
St. John- Sundays at 10:30am
Holy Days- (Vigil) 7:00pm

Reconciliation

St. Alphonsus- Saturdays from 4:15-4:45
Anytime by appointment
St. John- Anytime by appointment

Baptism

St. Alphonsus- Third Saturday of the month following parent preparation class. Contact the office 2 months prior.
St. John- Third Sunday of the month following parent preparation class. Contact the office 2 months prior.

Matrimony

St. Alphonsus & St. John- Contact the parish office 6 months before the wedding.

Funeral & Other Emergency

St. Alphonsus & St. John- Contact the parish office 24 hours a day

September 21, 2014

MASS
INTENTIONS 

“Going out about five o’clock, the landowner found others standing around, and said to them, ‘Why do you stand here idle all day?’ They answered, ‘Because no one has hired us.’ He said to them, ‘You too go into my vineyard.’”

Have you ever felt left out, or worse yet felt like you had no place and didn’t go where others were. This feeling can be overwhelming and paralyzing. We can’t get moving and feel left behind. Only, with God there is no being left behind. The moment we realize that we can only find life with God, God will be there ready to welcome us with open arms. We need not fear his anger or his vengeance for the Lord will forgive all our sins. We need only make ourselves come into his presence. Then like the workers hired last we will receive fully the rewards of faithfulness. Seek the Lord, while he may be found. Call to him while he is still near, so Isaiah said to Israel, and he says to us. Let us seek our merciful Lord and receive forgiveness, grace and mercy forevermore!

Intentional Fitness Speaker

Next Saturday at the 5:00 PM Mass we will welcome Amy Smith of Intentional Fitness here in Brighton. She wants to challenge us to live our lives more healthily. Please see the flyer from the bulletin for more info, especially if you are not at the 5:00 PM Mass.

J. Bell

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Prv 3:27-34; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 8:16-18
 Tuesday: Prv 21:1-6, 10-13;
 Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21
 Wednesday: Prv 30:5-9;
 Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163;
 Lk 9:1-6
 Thursday: Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc;
 Lk 9:7-9
 Friday: Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4;
 Lk 9:18-22
 Saturday: Eccl 11:9 - 12:8; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17;
 Lk 9:43b-45
 Sunday: Ez 18:25-28; Ps 25:4-9; Phil 2:1-11 [1-5];
 Mt 21:28-32

September 22 Monday	NO MASS
September 23 Tuesday 7:30 am	FOR: The health of Faye Klingler BY: Faye Klingler
September 24 Wednesday 7:30 am	FOR: Cliff Beilsmith BY: Terry Lahr
September 25 Thursday 7:30 am	FOR: Sis Gray BY: Kathryn Weiner
September 26 Friday	NO MASS
September 27 Saturday 5:00 pm	FOR: David Diestelhorst, Jr. BY: Jane Diestelhorst and family
September 28 Sunday 8:30 am	FOR: Sis Gray BY: Dolores Weiss



Debbie Kessinger, Arlene Capozzi, Charlie Schwaab, Faye Klingler, Lea Miller, Nancy Scharfenberg (sister of Kim Vinyard), Marie Millitello, Brayden Granda, Brooke Patton, Steven Ahrens, Lawrence and Adelle Albert, Kathryn Weiner, Ed Kerkemeyer, Michele Bryant, Lynn Turner, Rhonda Pruitt, Sue Bryant, Patty Carpunky (cousin of Jan Rimbey), Mike Gibbons (son in law of Cal Vonnahmen), Ed Mueth, Jillian Beilsmith, Marlene Bellitto, Harold Becker (brother of Pat Pohlman), Tammy Rosentreter, Don Keil, Dolly Grube, Edna Plogger, Forrest Randolph, Ella Curry, Lisa Mosby, Bob Lahr, Robert Logan, Freda Rae Maher, Shirley Vinyard, Bob Plogger, Trista Golike, Theresa Beaver, Denise Horton, Dave Drasnin, Phyllis Plogger, Georgie Riddle, Gene Wayman, Jewel Wayman, John Wolff. We pray that God may grant them strength and courage.

Names will be removed on the first of each month if not notified otherwise prior to this date. You may add to prayer list at any time during the month.

LITURGICAL ROLES

St. Alphonsus

	September 27 Saturday 5:00 pm	September 28 Sunday 8:30 am
Servers	Meghan Wolff Rachel Wolff	Maria Berry Megan Nolte
Lector	Gayle Huebener	Glenda Walden
E. Min.	B. Huebener G. Huebener T. Wolff M. Miller	K. Vinyard C. Huebener F. Huebener M. Masterson
Gift Bearers	Ushers	Bill Huebener family
Ushers	M. Miller B. Huebener	C. Huebener B. Gray

Offering

Regular	\$1,536.00
Loose	\$229.00
Total Collected	\$1,765.00
Total needed to meet budget	\$2,897.00
Deficit for week	-\$1,132.00
Deficit for fiscal year	-\$5,187.00
Maintenance	\$1,722.00
Marquette	\$15.00
Middle East	\$25.00

Open House

St. Alphonsus will be hosting an

OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, September 28 1 - 3 pm

Everyone is invited to attend! You are welcome to bring friends and family to see our newly renovated church. We are proud of our accomplishments and would like to share with everyone!!

AUTUMN

Listen! The wind is rising,
and the air is wild with leaves,
We have had our summer evenings,
now for October eves!

LITURGICAL ROLES

St. John

	September 28 Sunday 10:30 am
Lector	L. Longmeyer
E. Min.	J. Alward D. Longmeyer D. Longmeyer
Gift Bearers	The Longmeyer family
Ushers	D. Longmeyer D. Longmeyer

Mass Intentions

September 28 Sunday 10:30 am	FOR: Kraig and Kris Reno and all departed souls BY: Kay and Kelly
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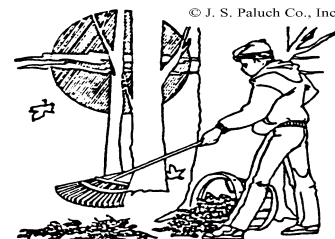


Your Gifts to God and Parish

Regular	\$516.00
Loose	\$55.00
Total Collected	\$571.00
Total needed to meet budget	\$1,352.00
Deficit for week	-\$781.00
Deficit for fiscal year	-\$6,243.98
Maintenance	\$871.00

School of Religion

St. John's PSR will meet each Monday at 3:30 pm
beginning September 22



Autumn begins