

St. Alphonsus - St. John Catholic Church

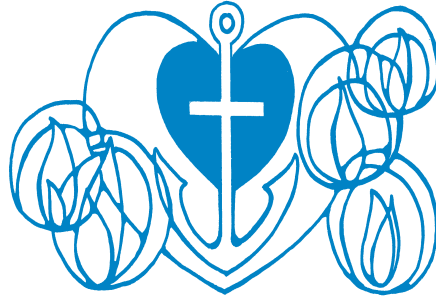
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Sacramental Life

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

January 31, 2016

MASS
INTENTIONS 

“Amen, I say to you, no prophet is accepted in his own native place.”

These words of Jesus are not merely a commentary of the situation he found himself in but also a warning to those called to be prophets in this world. Jeremiah relates that God knew us even before we were conceived, and has called us to relate to all the world the Word of God. Jesus in Nazareth proclaimed that word but because he was familiar to them they rejected the good news he offered. What then are we to do? Paul gives us the key to our proclamation of the good news. We are called to love one another. If, in the most difficult, evil laced situations the world produces, we love as did Jesus the good news will be proclaimed. Though many will reject that love, that love will overcome even death itself. So let us not be afraid of what looms ahead of us but love boldly in every situation. Thus we proclaim the good news and announce God’s love to all creation.

Second Collection next weekend:

We will take up a collection next weekend for the support of Marquette Catholic High School

Ash Wednesday: February 10th

Please mark your calendar to come and celebrate the beginning of the Lenten Season. Below please find the schedule for Masses on this solemn holy day.

St. Alphonsus	6:00 am
St. John	5:00 pm
St. Alphonsus	6:30 pm

J. Bell

RUMMAGE SALE

The date for our spring Rummage Sale has been set. It will be held Friday, March 4 and Saturday, March 5. Items may be dropped off at the CLC during office hours and from 6 - 7:30 on Wednesday evenings. Proceeds from this sale will help send our youth to the Steubenville Conference again this year.

February 1 Monday	NO MASS
February 2 Tuesday 7:30 am	FOR: Helena Maria Buie BY: Keith and Jessie Highfill
February 3 Wednesday 7:30 am	FOR: All Souls BY: JoAnn Wheeler
February 4 Thursday 7:30 am	FOR: Margaret McCauley BY: John Farmer family
February 5 Friday	NO MASS
February 6 Saturday 5:00 pm	FOR: Kimberly Ulrich BY: Dick and Bobbie Ulrich
February 7 Sunday 8:30 am	FOR: Sis Gray BY: Dave and Mary Kirbach and family



Walter (Wally) Hunn, Margo Kahl, Donna Moore, Auggie Geisler, Anna Mae Mills, Tom Mills, Ryan Page, Dan Kallal, Dolores Weiss, Dennis House, Joan Kerkemeyer, Pat Schetter, Bobbie Ulrich, Michelle Miller, Dale Rimbey, Richard Alward, Mike Beer, Mike Reno, Kathy Risley, Nancy Quirk Stinnet, Delmar Sandage, Nancy Scharfenberg (sister of Kim Vinyard), Brayden Granda, Steven Ahrens, Lawrence Albert, Kathryn Weiner, Michele Bryant, Patty Carpunky (cousin of Jan Rimbey), Mike Gibbons (son in law of Cal Vonnahmen), Harold Becker (brother of Pat Pohlman), Don Keil, Dolly Grube, Edna Plogger, Forrest Randolph, Ella Curry, Lisa Mosby, Robert Logan, Shirley Vinyard, Bob Plogger, Trista Golike, Theresa Beaver, Denise Horton, Dave Drasnin, Phyllis Plogger, Georgie Riddle, Jewel Wayman, John Wolff. We pray that God may grant them strength and courage.

LITURGICAL ROLES

St. Alphonsus

	February 6 Saturday 5:00 pm	February 7 Sunday 8:30 am
Servers	Adlai Schetter	Maria Berry Kaylyn Holtorf
Lector	Jane Diestelhorst	Grace Berry
E. Min.	J. Beilsmith L. Beilsmith J. Diestelhorst T. Wolff	K. Vinyard J. Highfill G. Walden A. Berry
Gift Bearers	Ushers	Ushers
Ushers	T. Wolff A. Grube	M. Allen K. Walden

OFFERING

Regular	\$3,666.00
Loose	\$189.00
Total collected	\$3,855.00
Total needed to meet budget 01/18-01/24	\$2,295.55
Surplus for week	+\$1,559.45
Maintenance	\$485.00
Catholic Times	\$65.00
Church in Latin America	\$240.00
ACSA15	\$396.00

Thank You

Thank you for providing a meal to our family in honor of Bill. We appreciate friends like you.

The Norris family

WANTED!!

The Caring Committee is in need of empty plastic containers, all sizes. If you have any available, please drop them off in the parish office.

A FORETASTE

Faith is the foretaste of that knowledge which hereafter will make us happy.

LITURGICAL ROLES

St. John

	February 7 Sunday 10:30 am
Lector	J. Schaefer
E. Min.	M. Schaefer E. Reed P. Reed
Gift Bearers	The Schaefer family
Ushers	B. Muffley M. Schaefer

Mass Intentions

February 7 Sunday 10:30 am	FOR: Members of the Wayman, Mendez, and Zurita families BY: Ruth Wayman
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**Where your treasure is,
there your heart is also.**

MATTHEW 6:21

Regular	\$885.00
Loose	\$129.00
Total collected	\$1,014.00
First Offering	\$40.00
Total needed to meet budget 01/18-01/24	\$842.94
Surplus for week	+\$211.06
Maintenance	\$200.00
Catholic Times	\$145.00
Church in Latin America	\$146.00
ACSA15	\$340.00



Stuebenville registration is fast upon us. If you and/or your child is interested in attending the conference this year, please contact Lisa Longmeyer @ 217/248-3414 or the parish office @ 372-3352 prior to February 7.