

St. Alphonsus - St. John Catholic Church

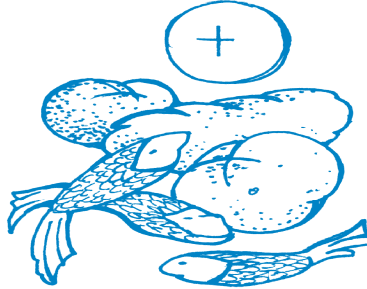
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Altar Society President:	Donna Mizerski	

Diocesan Child Abuse Reporting and Investigation Number (217) 321-1155

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

April 10, 2016

MASS INTENTIONS 

“When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he tucked in his garment, for he was lightly clad, and jumped into the sea.”

What then is our response when we encounter our Risen Lord? Do we rush to experience his presence when it is made known to us? Or, do we hang back and wonder, leaving the Lord alone and unattended. If we would respond to that revealed presence we would, like the Apostles, be fed and nourished by the gracious acts of the Lord. This nourishment would give us the necessary strength to endure the trials, tragedies and temptations that the world presents to us. Only with the strength given to us in Christ will we have the courage to face all adversity with faith, hope, trust and love. Jesus reveals himself to us today just as he did in the time of the Apostles. We need to seek out his presence as He reveals himself to us in the Sacraments, especially the Eucharist, the Scriptures, the actions and needs of our family, friends, and our neighbors. Then like Peter and the Apostles, we will find the Lord in the course of our daily lives. Let us jump out of our complacency into the streams of life given to us in Christ. When we do so we will find Jesus and the strength He has to share.

J. Bell

Card of Thanks

Ninety years ago in 1926, Alfred J. Kolb donated our church bell. In his memory, his children Jean Beilsmith, Gayle Howard, Mary Hazelwood and Norman Kolb have had the bell restored for all to hear and to come to worship. Many thanks to his family for this generous donation to our parish!

WELCOME

We welcome to our parish family Auggie Eugene Geisler, son of Ryan and Brandi Geisler, baptized December 23, 2015.



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April 11 Monday	NO MASS
April 12 Tuesday 7:30 am	FOR: Helena Maria Buie BY: David and Judy Kelly
April 13 Wednesday 7:30 am	FOR: Margaret McCauley BY: John F. Farmer family
April 14 Thursday 7:30 am	FOR: Clara Grube BY: Arnold Grube
April 15 Friday	NO MASS
April 16 Saturday 5:00 pm	FOR: Kimberly Ulrich BY: Bill and Mary Hurd
April 17 Sunday 8:30 am	FOR: Jonathan Simmons BY: The Schetter family



Mary Cambron, Terry Burch, Arlene Capozzi, Lindell Thompson, Sandi Ozee, Mark Golike, Walter (Wally) Hunn, Donna Moore, Anna Mae Mills, Tom Mills, Ryan Page, Dan Kallal, Dolores Weiss, 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, John Wolff. We pray that God may grant them strength and courage.

LITURGICAL ROLES

St. Alphonsus

	April 16 Saturday 5:00 pm	April 17 Sunday 8:30 am
Servers	Luke Wolff Sam Wolff	Maria Berry Taylor Kemna
Lector	Tammy Wolff	Glenda Walden
E. Min.	T. Wolff L. Beilsmith J. Beilsmith L. Miller	M. Masterson G. Walden J. Highfill S. Allen
Gift Bearers	Ushers	Ushers
Ushers	T. Wolff A. Grube	M. Allen K. Walden

LITURGICAL ROLES

St. John

	April 17 Sunday 10:30 am
Lector	M. Longmeyer
E. Min.	J. Alward D. Longmeyer L. Longmeyer
Gift Bearers	The Longmeyer Family
Ushers	D. Longmeyer D. Longmeyer

Offering

Regular	\$4,278.20
Loose	\$295.00
Total collected	\$4,573.20
Easter	\$20.00
Total needed to meet budget 03/28 - 04/03	\$2,328.34
Surplus for week	+\$2,264.86
Holy Land	\$20.00
Seminarians	\$20.00
Rice Bowl	\$125.00
Catholic Relief Services	\$20.00
ACSA15	\$70.00
Marquette	\$114.00

Schedule Of Events

Youth group meeting will be held Sunday,
April 17, 6:30 - 8:00 pm

St. Theresa's Altar Society will not be
meeting in April

Parish Council meeting will be held Tuesday,
April 19 @ 7:00 pm

Mass Intentions



April 17 Sunday 10:30 am	FOR: J. W. Quirk, Donald Brueggeman and Shuey family BY: Alberta Quirk
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SUNDAY OFFERING

Regular	\$945.00
Loose	\$51.00
Total collected	\$996.00
Total needed to meet budget 03/28 - 04/03	\$854.98
Surplus for week	+\$141.02

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday:	Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday:	Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40
Thursday:	Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51
Friday:	Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59
Saturday:	Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69
Sunday:	Acts 13:14, 43-52; Ps 100:1-3, 5; Rv 7:9, 14b-17; Jn 10:27-30