

St. Alphonsus - St. John Catholic Church

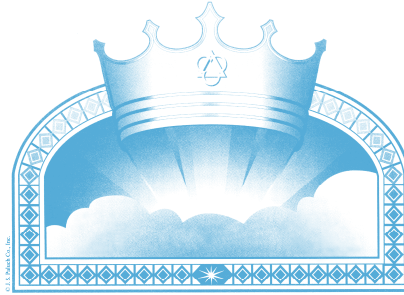
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Honor and power to the King of Kings

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	<u>St. Alphonsus</u>	<u>St. John</u>
Religious Education:	Chastity Brockway	
Music Coordinators:	Ramona Berry Colette Miller	Stacey Bierman
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

September 25, 2016

MASS INTENTIONS 

September 26 Monday 7:00 pm	FOR: Dolores Weiss BY: Bob and Barb Young
September 27 Tuesday 7:30 am	FOR: John Wolff BY: St. Louis University
September 28 Wednesday 7:30 am	FOR: Dolores Weiss BY: Karen Heyen
September 29 Thursday 7:30 am	FOR: Dolores Weiss BY: David and Lori Hartnett
September 30 Friday 6:00 pm	FOR: John Wolff BY: St. Theresa Altar Society
October 1 Saturday 5:00 pm	FOR: John Wolff BY: Frank and Marie Millitello
October 2 Sunday 8:30 am	FOR: Dolores Weiss BY: Meridel Buscher

“Woe to the complacent in Zion!” “But you, man of God, pursue righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience, and gentleness.” “If they will not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded if someone should rise from the dead.”

Are you complacent in your faith, are you willing to sit back and allow the needs of others to go unmet because of the good that you yourself have received? The whole of scripture calls us out of complacency and into action. We do this in service of God and of our neighbors. But what if we act not for the good of others but merely for ourselves. Then we will know the torment and sorrow of those who by their actions have separated themselves from God. Sin is that separation. It can creep into even the best of us. So again, the Prophet Amos should call us into action. Looking into our lives at what would be the areas in which we are too comfortable, insulated from those around us and their needs. Recognizing these areas let us, as Paul calls us to, “Compete well for the faith.” We compete for the faith when with contemplation, prayer, reconciliation and penance we carry out all the commands of God based in that great commandment given to us in Christ: “Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, all your mind, all your soul and love your neighbor as yourself.

Second Collection Next Weekend

At Saint Alphonsus next weekend we will take up a collection for Marquette Catholic High School.

J. Bell



The St. Alphonsus/St. John Youth Group will meet Thursday, October 6 and again Sunday, October 16, 6:30 - 8:00 pm. Please join us!

Sick Friends & Relatives

Scott Beilsmith, Danny Johnson, Kane McCauley, Gene and Bernice Miller, Cliff Woodson, Minnie Richards, Courtney Christopher Craig, Ron Hicks, Veronica Greeling, Phil Owens, Bernadine Kelsey, Alice Turner, Wilma Gibson, Jeremy Hawkins, Ron Scherer, Mary Cambron, Terry Burch, Arlene Capozzi, Lindell Thompson, Mark Golike, Walter (Wally) Hunn, Donna Moore, Anna Mae Mills, Tom Mills, Ryan Page, Dan Kallal, Joan Kerkemeyer, Pat Schetter, Bobbie Ulrich, Michelle Miller, Richard Alward, 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. We pray that God may grant them strength and courage.

LITURGICAL ROLES

St. Alphonsus

	October 1 Saturday 5:00 pm	October 2 Sunday 8:30 am
Servers	T. Mizerski S. Wolff	K. Holtorf K. Kemna
Lector	Donna Mizerski	Dan Huebener
E. Min.	B. Huebener G. Huebener D. Mizerski P. Schetter	K. Vinyard J. Hanneken J. Highfill S. Allen
Gift Bearers	B. Huebener Family	Ushers
Ushers	B. Huebener A. Grube	B. Gray M. Allen

*Your Fair Share
Shows You Care*



Regular	\$2,116.00
Loose	\$135.00
Total Collected	\$2,251.00
Total needed to meet budget 09/12-09/18	\$2,578.10
Deficit for week	-\$327.10
Maintenance	\$230.00



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St. Alphonsus/St. John PSR will be having their annual **FALL RUMMAGE SALE** in the Christian Life Center Saturday, October 8, 8 am - noon. A preview sale will be held Friday, October 7 from 3 - 7 pm (\$1 admission Friday only).

Please drop off your gently used items at the CLC or contact Ramona Berry @ 885-5897 to arrange pick up and/or drop off times.

Proceeds will benefit our PSR program

LITURGICAL ROLES

St. John

	October 2 Sunday 10:30 am
Lector	M. Alward
E. Min.	R. Kern K. Alward C. Alward
Gift Bearers	The Halder family
Ushers	K. Alward C. Alward

Mass Intentions



October 2 Sunday 10:30 am	FOR: Gary Christopher BY: J. and LuAnn Griffin
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SUNDAY OFFERING

Regular	\$883.00
Loose	\$23.00
Total Collected	\$906.00
Total needed to meet budget 09/12-09/18	\$953.40
Deficit for week	-\$47.40
Maintenance	\$92.00

Everyone Welcome!

St. John's Basket Game Night
Friday, November 4
Doors open at 6:30 Games begin at 7

Anyone interested in donating a basket or money to help with a basket, please contact Kim Reed or Debbie Christopher.