

St. Alphonsus - St. John Catholic Church

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	<u>St. Alphonsus</u>	<u>St. John</u>
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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

October 9, 2016

MASS
INTENTIONS 

“Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?”

If you're like me, you are good at asking for help, but not so good at saying thanks. I mean to do also but sometimes life gets so busy that we fail to recognize the good that has been done and say thanks, to the benefactor who helped us whether it be another person or God Himself. The 9 Israelites who failed to return to Jesus, I am certain were thankful for their healing, but were so busy reclaiming their place in society that they did not return to Jesus. God reaches into our lives regardless of who we are, what we have, what we can or cannot do. The healing of Naaman the Syrian, and 9 Israelites and 1 Samaritan show forth the generous mercy of God alive in the whole of creation. What lesson can we learn then? One be courageous and ask for what is needed, whatever it is, believing that God will do for us that which is best and trusting in that belief. Then we, like Naaman and the Samaritan, offer thanks and praise to the one who heals us. This response to the grace and mercy of God shows our faith and trust and we live not fearful but in expectation of God's goodness.

No Mass Friday the 7th, 14th and 21st

During this time of the year I occasionally have responsibilities that prevent me from having Mass on Friday evening. I will try and make it very clear when those nights are so that you are able to plan accordingly. I hope after the 21st to get into a

J. Bill
Everyone Welcome!

St. Theresa's Altar Society invites you to

GAME NIGHT

Friday, October 14, 7:00 pm
in the Christian Life Center
(doors open at 6)

Contact Becky Huebener 372-4168
or Donna Mizerski 372-0234
for questions or to pre-register

October 10 Monday 7:00 pm	FOR: John Wolff BY: Tom and Carol Boermer
October 11 Tuesday 7:30 am	FOR: Dolores Weiss BY: Kimberly Hand
October 12 Wednesday 7:30 am	FOR: Kathy Gremaud BY: Janice Gremaud
October 13 Thursday 7:30 am	FOR: Freda Rae Maher BY: Jackie Dalton
October 14 Friday	NO MASS
October 15 Saturday 5:00 pm	FOR: Tom Springman BY: Jean Beilsmith FOR: Paul Goforth BY: The Goforth kids
October 16 Sunday 8:30 am	FOR: Fr. Raphael Paul BY: Greg Berry family

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, 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 15 Saturday 5:00 pm	October 16 Sunday 8:30 am
Servers	Rachel Wolff	Emily Berry Katlynn Kemna
Lector	Lyn Miller	Tonya Ballard
E. Min.	B. Huebener G. Huebener P. Schetter M. Miller	C. Huebener F. Huebener J. Hanneken M. Masterson
Gift Bearers	Ushers	Ushers
Ushers	B. Huebener A. Grube	C. Huebener B. Gray

*Your Fair Share
Shows You Care*



Regular	\$3,513.50
Loose	\$190.00
Total Collected	\$3,703.50
Total needed to meet budget 09/26-10/02	\$2,554.34
Surplus for week	+\$1,149.16
Marquette	\$287.00

SAVE THE DATE...

St. Alphonsus CHICKEN DINNER

Sunday, October 23

Serving 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Adults \$10.00

Children 5-12 years \$5.00

Under 5 is free

50/50 Drawing

Quilt Raffle

Tell your friends and family!

LITURGICAL ROLES

St. John

	October 16 Sunday 10:30 am
Lector	J. Schaefer
E. Min.	M. Schaefer E. Reed P. Reed
Gift Bearers	The Schaefer family
Ushers	M. Schaefer B. Muffley

Mass Intentions



October 16 Sunday 10:30 am	FOR: Gary Christopher BY: His family
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SUNDAY OFFERING

Regular	\$988.00
Loose	\$38.00
Total Collected	\$1,026.00
Total needed to meet budget 09/26-10/02	\$944.61
Surplus for week	+\$81.39

St. John's Basket Game Night

Friday, November 4

Doors open at 6:30 Games begin at 7



St. Alphonsus/St. John's Youth Group will meet Sunday, October 16, 6:30 - 8:00 pm. Youth grades 6 - 12 are welcome to join us.