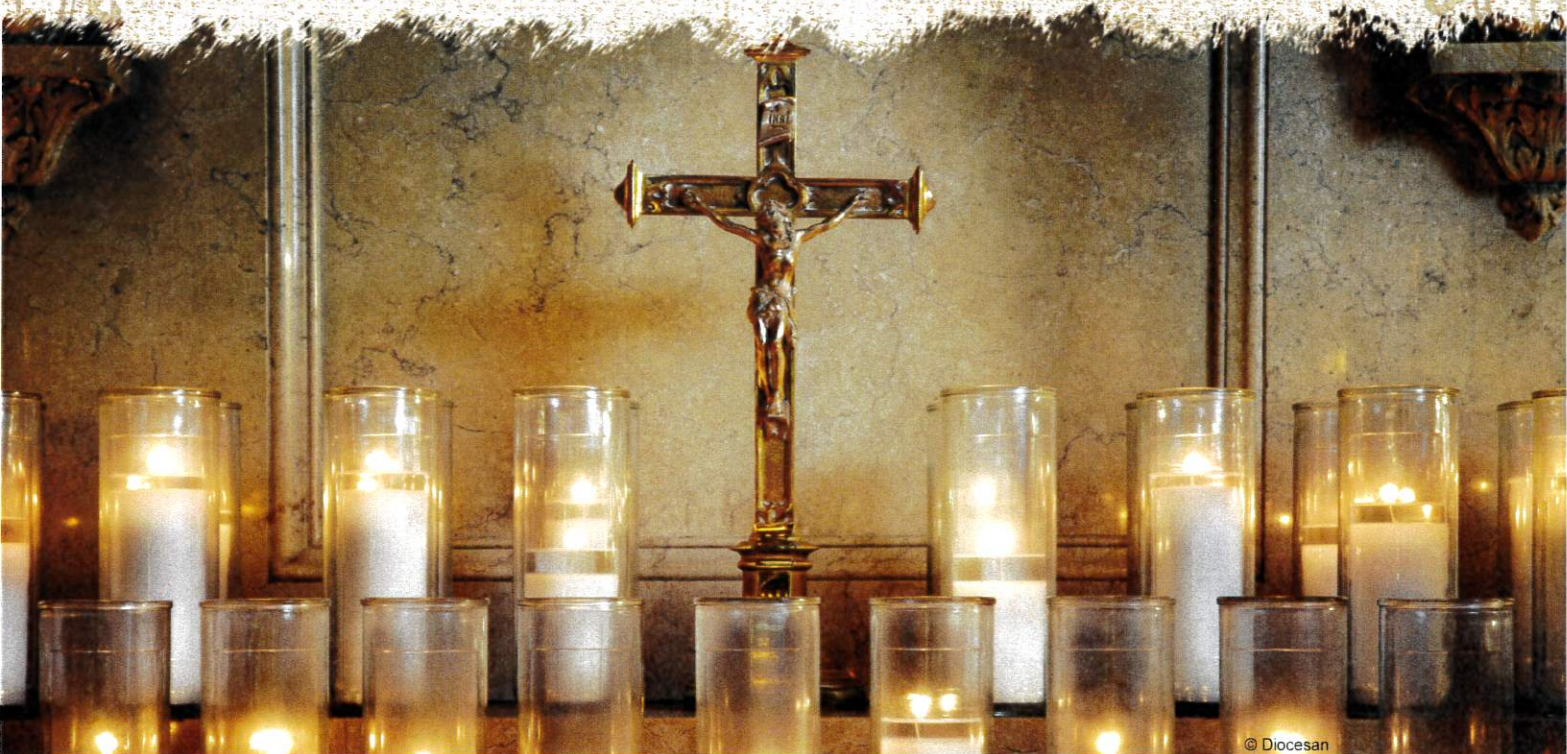




The Solemnity of **All Saints**

“I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die.” *John 11:25-26*

The Commemoration of **All the Faithful Departed**



ALL SAINTS DAY

Masses for the Week

Sunday, November 1 *All Saints Day*

7:30am For Parishioners of St. Patrick's
10:00am +Bob Trahin

Monday, November 2 *All Souls Day*

NOON +Deceased parishioners of St. Patrick's
(Mass at St. Patrick Cemetery)

Tuesday, November 3

5:00-6:00pm Adoration and Confessions
6:00pm Healing for Liam

Wednesday, November 4

8:00am +Janet Hinen
8:30-9:30am Adoration Holy Hour

Thursday, November 5

8:00am +Shirley Lamboley
8:30-9:30am Adoration and Confessions

Friday, November 6 *First Friday*

8:00am +Bethany Ann Calder
8:30-9:30am Adoration and Confessions

Saturday, November 7 *First Saturday*

8:00am Special intention for our Church founders
8:30-9:30am/3:30-4:30pm Adoration and Confessions
5:00pm +Marvin Gunkel

Sunday, November 8

7:30am +Stefan & Rosemarie Mannes
10:00am For Parishioners of St. Patrick's

Liturgical Ministries

November 7 & 8

Lectors

5:00pm Kirk Giant
7:30am Abby Johnson
10:00am Therese Joy Burkett

Eucharistic Ministries

5:00pm P. Bottone, S. Fawbush, N. Schortgen, C. Trahin
7:30am Z. Schortgen, T. Schortgen, D. Strack, R. Strack
10:00am K. Miller, S. Miller, K. Pirrung, W. Mathenge

Gifts

5:00pm Dave Burelison family
7:30am Tom Landrigan family
10:00am Chris Brown family

Ushers

5:00pm C. Keefer, E. Keefer, B. Lane, T. Lane
7:30am M. Butts, A. Hinen, P. Hinen, Volunteer
10:00am J. Deckena, C. Deckena, D. Frazier, H. Frazier

Servers

5:00pm Volunteers
7:30am Bentley D, Wylo D, Zane H, Marshall H
10:00am Micah H, Everett T, Xavier T, Levi T

Church Cleaning

November 7 Stefanie Umberg, Anna Knitter

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Fr. Bobby's Column

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As we enter into the month of November and the liturgical year draws to a close, we enter into a kind of pseudo-season of the four last things: death, judgement, Heaven, and Hell (and Purgatory). Our readings turn to focus on the end times and the second coming of Christ. It serves to remind us that our time here on earth is temporary and passing, whereas the life to come will be everlasting. We need to always live in state of readiness to welcome the Lord Jesus when He returns for us, either at our death, or at the end of time. This is not something to be anxious about, but simply a call to be always faithful to what the Lord is asking of us at any moment. To that end, I plan to preach a series of homilies in the next three weeks talking about the four last things. This is something I could never do at St. Charles, since I never had all the Masses. But now, I'm the only one here, so you'll get to be my guinea pigs!

Along those lines, November is also the month of the Holy Souls. We remember in a special way all those who have gone before us, especially our family, friends, and loved ones and who might still be in need of prayers in Purgatory. The reality is that we simply do not know the state of someone's soul when they pass from this world to the next. As much as we hope that those whom we love are enjoying the Beatific Vision in Heaven, they might very well still be in Purgatory and in need of our prayers. Remembering them in our prayers or having a Mass said for them are great ways we can continue to lift up our loved ones to the Lord. There will be a book at the back the church throughout November if you would like to add the name someone who has died in the past year. There is no need to rewrite a name from a previous year, as they are already in the book. We will pray for these people at the Masses here at St. Pat's for November.

November 1, 2026

PLEASE NOTE! **Tuesday Evening Mass Time Change** begins on **Tuesday, November 3 to 6:00 pm** with Adoration and Confessions one hour prior to mass at 5pm.

Formed: *Small Group Faith Sharing is back at St. Pat's on Wednesday evenings, from 6:30-7:30 pm* in the Parish Hall. This video series and faith sharing will be a great focus on our 4 cardinal virtues. What a great way to prepare ourselves for the upcoming Advent Season!

Young Adult Bible Study (18-35-year-olds) will meet on **Monday, November 2 from 6-8 pm** in the conference room.

Life Teen – Leading Teens Closer to Christ (6-12th grades) on **Saturday, November 7 from 3-5 pm** in the old school hall.



First Friday Mass on **November 6 at 8am** followed by adoration, confessions and First Friday devotions to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

First Saturday Mass on **November 7 at 8am** followed by adoration, confessions and First Saturday devotions to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

St. Paula's Ladies Widow Group will meet on **Tuesday, November 3 at 10am** in the Conference room.

Sunday Breakfast Sandwiches on **November 8th from 8am to 11:30am** in the parish hall. Free will offering.

Blest Art will be at our parish on **November 7 & 8** after all the Masses in the parish hall. Olive Wood Art from the Holy Land available to purchase to help support the Christians in the Holy Land.

Bishop Luers High School Open House on **Thursday, November 5 from 6-8pm**.

Bishop Luers Princess & Knight Royal Academy on **Saturday, November 7 from 12:30-4:30pm** for children ages 4-10 at Bishop Luers. \$30 per child, come dressed as your favorite princess, knight, prince or storybook character. Register at bishopluers.org.

Pro-Life Group will meet on Monday evening, **November 9 at 6:30 pm** at St. Patrick's parish hall. Kellene Murdick, the founder of Miriam's Blessing will speak to us about how this ministry supports women who receive a prenatal diagnosis regarding the health of their baby. Please plan to join and bring a friend.



All Soul's Day on **Monday, November 2. Mass at Noon at St. Patrick Cemetery** (10800 Bass Rd). Pray for all the Holy Souls in Purgatory. If inclement weather Mass will be in the church. Please bring a lawn chair.

How do I obtain a Plenary Indulgence this November? One must visit any cemetery and pray for the dead from November 1-8. One plenary indulgence can be gained on each of these days applicable to a soul in purgatory. One must do Sacramental Confession within 20 days before or after the cemetery visit, receive Eucharistic Communion, pray for the Pope's intention. **Fr. Bobby will be celebrating Mass at Catholic Cemetery** (3500 Lake Ave) **on Wednesday, November 4 at 4pm**.

Book of Remembrance – November is the traditional month of intercessions for the souls of the faithful departed. Please write your loved one's names in the book in the back of church. We will pray for the Holy Souls throughout the month of November.

Vocations Awareness Week (November 1-7) *Answering God's Call to the Priesthood in the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend* is a 12-minute film featuring the newly ordained Fathers Patrick Ernst, Noah Isch, and Samuel Martinez in the days leading up to the ordination. Watch on YouTube, other sources USCCB National Vocation Awareness Week Resources.

November Coat Drive – Please drop off new and used coats and sleeping bags to the parish hall for those in need.

Parish Food Drive - We will be collecting non-perishable food and gift cards to help those in need in our communities during the month of November. Containers are located at the church entrances.

Craft Shows on **Saturday, November 7** at St. Aloysius (14623 Bluffton Rd, Yoder) from 9am to 3pm and **Most Precious Blood** (1529 Barthold St) from **8:30 am – 2:00 pm. November 14** at Bishop Dwenger 9am-2pm.

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