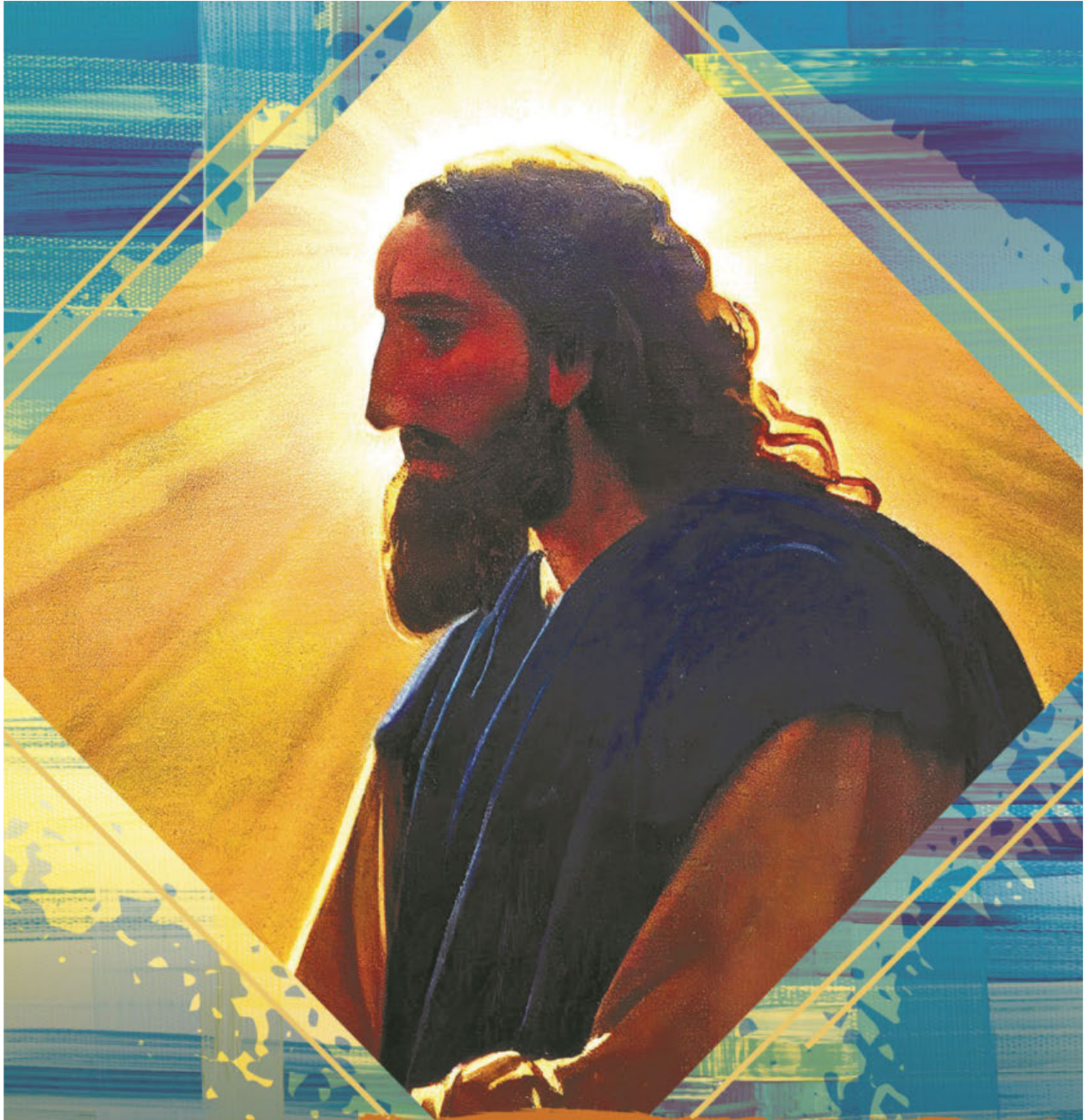


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“Everyone who acknowledges me before others I will
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READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 25, 2023

Sunday Jer 20:10-13/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33
Monday Gn 12:1-9/Mt 7:1-5
Tuesday Gn 13:2, 5-18/Mt 7:6, 12-14
Wednesday Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Mt 7:15-2
Thursday *Vigil:* Acts 3:1-10/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19
Day: Acts 12:1-11//2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19
Friday Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22/Mt 8:1-
Saturday Gn 18:1-15/Lk 1:46-47, 48-49, 50 and 53, 54-55/Mt 8:5-17
Next Sunday 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/Mt 10:37-42

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 25, 2023

Sun.	6/25	8:00 am	† Stanley Siwec	Siwec
		10:30 am	Parish	
		5:00 pm	† Jill Overman	Overman
Mon.	6/26	9:00 am	† Joanne Kathren Pequignot	Coe
Tue.	6/27	9:00 am	† Thomas Davey	Newport
Wed.	6/28	6:00 pm	Sp. Int. of the Stiles Family	Shuler
Thurs.	6/29	9:00 am	† Maureen Sullivan	Weber
Fri.	6/30	9:00 am	† Gavin Bishop	Williams
Sat.	7/1	4:30 pm	† 1st Ann. of Death: Theresa Huinker	Parish
Sun.	7/2	8:00 am	† Andy Damm	Weber
		10:30 am	Parish	
		5:00 pm	Sp. Int. of the Hardebeck Family	Knowles

CONFESSION TIMES

Wednesday @ 6:30 pm | Saturday @ 3:15 pm | By Appointment

INCENSE AT MASS & ON OTHER OCCASIONS

Sunday, June 25 @ 10:30 am | Sunday, July 2 @ 8:00 am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday - Thursday: 6:00 am to 10:00 pm
Friday: 6:00 am to 8:00 pm
Saturday: 8:00 am to 4:00 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Commit to one hour at
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Venerable Pierre Toussaint was born into slavery in 1766 in Haiti and raised Catholic. He and his sister, Rosalie, were brought to New York City in 1787. Upon arriving, Pierre apprenticed with one of the city's leading hairdressers. He learned quickly and began doing the hair of rich women all over New York. When his enslaver died, Pierre voluntarily supported the enslaver's widow until she remarried. He then purchased the freedom of his sister and was freed in 1807.

In 1811, Toussaint purchased the freedom of Marie-Rose Juliette Noel — now known as Servant of God Marie-Rose Juliette Toussaint — and they married. When Rosalie died, they adopted her daughter Euphemia and raised her as their own. The family sheltered children and purchased a house where they supported orphaned boys, giving them educations, helping them learn trades, and setting them up with jobs.

Along with this philanthropic work, Pierre continued as a hairdresser to support his family. He died two years after Juliette in 1853 at the age of 87.

When the investigation into the cause for sainthood started, Pierre was exhumed and reinterred. He is the first layman to be honored by burial in the crypt below the main altar of Old St. Patrick's, an honor usually reserved for the archbishops of New York. He was declared Venerable by Pope John Paul II in 1996.

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Remember in Your Prayers

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REPOSE OF THE SOUL

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Names of the sick remain in the bulletin for 8 weeks. At that time, you may call the office to resubmit a request: (317) 873-2885 or email bulletin@zionsvillecatholic.com.

Collections Reports	June 11	June 18
Envelopes, Loose, ACH, Online	\$26,962.50	\$24,584.01
Budget per Week - 2023	\$29,386.04	\$29,386.04
Weekly Surplus/(Shortfall)	(\$2,423.54)	(\$4,802.03)
2nd Collection	N/A	N/A
Budget Per 2023 Year	\$1,528,074.00	\$1,528,074.00
Accumulated Weekly Surplus/(Shortfall)	(\$29,805.56)	(\$34,607.59)
Pew Count	1,409	1,368

NEW STAFF CHANGE

We are pleased to announce Christina Steele as our new Associate Director of Adult Faith Formation here at St. Alphonsus Liguori! She begins her new position immediately and looks forward to serving the parish in this new role. You may recognize Christina as she served the parish as our Middle School Youth Minister.

Christina was born and raised in central Indiana and has been married for almost 22 years. She and her husband have 17-year-old twin boys and their family has called St. Alphonsus Liguori their spiritual home for nearly three years.

Prior to St. Alphonsus, she worked in ministry for four years in the Arlington Diocese in Virginia and has been active in overall ministry as a volunteer and/or staff for 14 years.

In addition to her extensive experience, Christina completed her Master's in Theology in 2020 with a focus in Sacred Scripture. She comes to us with a unique business perspective having worked in accounting. Christina completed her MBA-MPA at IUPUI before becoming a full-time mom. Her passion is the Bible, and she especially looks forward to helping others encounter Christ in Sacred Scripture.

Christina loves making connections with people, so introduce yourself! As your sister in Christ, she looks forward to walking with each of you and supporting you on your faith journey.

"Ministering to the middle schoolers has been such a joy these last few years! I especially want to thank my wonderful volunteers who work hard every week to bring Christ to our young people. Middle school can be challenging for our youth and our volunteers deserve our eternal gratitude. I am excited, and a bit nervous, to take on this new ministry and work hard for the parishioners of St. Alphonsus Liguori Catholic Church!"



YOUTH MINISTRY & OUTREACH

Registration for Religious Education and Youth Ministries

Elementary
Pre-K to 4th Grade





Middle School
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High School
9th to 12th Grade



To learn more about registration including starting sessions for each group, visit zionsvillecatholic.com/registration.



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During the school breaks, some families in Boone County cannot afford to provide lunches for their children due to financial strain. The Shalom House provides sack lunches to assist those in need.

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PARENT MEETINGS
AUGUST 1, 7PM OR AUGUST 13, 11:30AM

2023 CONFIRMATION RETREAT
(ALL CONFIRMANDI MUST ATTEND)
AUGUST 20: 10AM-8:30PM



Click Here for details:
zionsvillecatholic.com/confirmation

SAL Activity Calendar
June 26: Milkshake Monday
<u>June 28: P3 (Prayer, Penance, Pub)</u> Meet us for Mass at SAL at 6:00 pm and then drive down to IndyCatholic's Theology on Tap at McGowan Hall after Mass.
June 29: Talbot Group Meeting
July 4: Independence Day The Parish Office is closed.
<u>July 5: P3 (Prayer, Penance, Pub)</u> Topic: "God - Part 1"
July 6: Talbot Group Meeting
July 9-16: Life Teen Faith in Action Pilgrimage
July 10: Milkshake Monday
<u>July 11: The Chosen</u> <u>Season 3 Group Study</u> begins
<u>July 12: P3 (Prayer, Penance, Pub)</u> Meet us for Mass at SAL at 6:00 pm and then drive down to IndyCatholic's Theology on Tap at McGowan Hall after Mass.
July 13: Talbot Group Meeting
<u>July 16: Blood Drive</u>
July 16: Coffee & Donuts Welcome Father Dave Newton to SAL at this month's Coffee & Donuts!
July 17: Milkshake Monday
<u>July 18: The Chosen</u> <u>Season 3 Group Study</u>
<u>July 19: P3 (Prayer, Penance, Pub)</u> Topic: "God - Part 2" This P3 will also feature a painting party. Come on in and let your creativity run wild!
July 20: Talbot Group Meeting
July 24: Milkshake Monday
<u>July 25: The Chosen</u> <u>Season 3 Group Study</u>
July 27: Widow's Group Lunch
<u>Take a look at our online calendar for times.</u>

MINISTRIES & EVENTS



We are looking for individuals who would like to join the Parish Picnic Planning Team!

Email elhopewell@gmail.com with "Parish Picnic" in the subject line to learn more.

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THE PARISH DIRECTORY IS COMING!

Photos for the new directory are coming in August and wouldn't be complete without you.

To sign up for your session, visit ucdir.com/schedule/login.php.

Church code: IN1863
Password: photos

We are also looking for volunteers to both help people sign up before sessions start and to help with sign-ins during sessions.

To volunteer, visit bit.ly/SALParishDirectory2023.



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Father Dave Newton
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**Meet Father Dave at
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July 16

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HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU ON OUR MISSION PILGRIMAGE?

During their upcoming Faith in Action Pilgrimage, our teens would love to carry your intentions and lift them up in prayer and sacrifice throughout their week. Submit prayer requests to zionsvillecatholic.com/faith-in-action-prayer-requests.



HERE & AWAY

CAMP CRUX MORE THAN SUMMER CAMP BOYS: JULY 10-13

Boys entering 6th to 8th grade are invited to encounter God through prayer, friendship, and outdoor adventure at Camp Crux, a camp hosted by the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana. Camp Crux provides young people the opportunity to develop their relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church.

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A SPIRITUAL APPROACH TO TEMPORAL CHANGE

The following is an excerpt from an article from the June 18 edition of The Catholic Moment by Colin May.

Humans dislike change—we crave stability and continuity. We become dependent on habits and routines...But when it comes to our spiritual growth, we need to change; we need to become more Christ-like. As the old saying goes, “no pain, no gain.” Change is essential and something that we are constantly called to do in the Gospels. Jesus tells us that our hearts must change to bring us closer to God’s love.

Change is challenging. We cannot simply move past things sometimes—change does take work. It takes sacrifice or humility. It can enable us to feel the loss or the emptiness, which also brings us closer to those who are sick, homeless, addicted, depressed, hungry, or marginalized; those, as St. Mother Teresa noted, who are “the poorest of the poor.”

Our Church in the diocese is facing significant challenges; with that comes the need for change and modification. With challenges and change also come opportunities. For us, this includes reaching out to our neighbors through new evangelization strategies, physical space and geographical changes to accommodate these new realities, and moving our “favorite” pastors and priests. But this occasion enables our Church’s mission of spreading the Good News and will bring us all closer to the Trinity, as long as we open our hearts.

The Hebrew word for change is *mûwr*—it also means “to alter” or “to exchange.” Giving up our own desires and opening up our hearts to the changes that are to be announced for the diocese is an important part of being a believer. We must exchange our personal needs for those of our brothers and sisters; we must alter our expectations to ensure that we are willing and happy givers; and we must want to bring the hope of the Gospel to others in and through ways that we may not understand. That is the beauty of our faith.

Let us pray for the strength to welcome and be open to the changes in our diocese, and across the Universal Church, that are needed to bring more people together in the love of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

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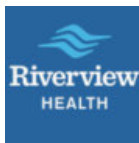
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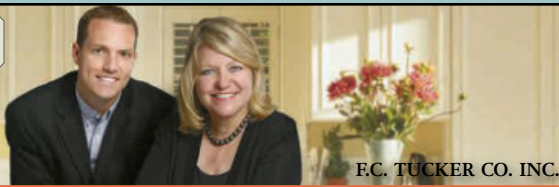
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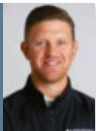
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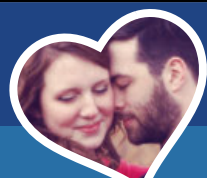
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