

St. John Vianney Catholic Church
A Pastorate of the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana

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www.sjvfishers.com

ALL SAINTS

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven. Matt 5:12



ALL SOULS

For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in him may have eternal life, and I shall raise him on the last day. John 6:40

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October 31, 2021
Thirty First Sunday In Ordinary Time

St. John Vianney Parish

All Masses are now being livestreamed. Visit www.sjvfishers.com.

LORD'S DAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:30 am

(8:00 am Lord's Day Mass has a designated area for mask/social distancing between households)

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday: 6:00 pm

Tuesday: 8:30 am and 6:00 pm (All Souls Day)

Wednesday: 6:00 pm

Thursday: 8:30 am

Friday: 8:30 am

Saturday: 8:30 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

(Confessional is located in the priest's Sacristy at front of Nave)

Monday: 4:30 pm - 5:50 pm

Wednesday: 5:00 pm - 5:50 pm

Saturday: 9:00 am - 10:00 am

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday: 4:30 pm - 5:50 pm

Wednesday: 5:00 pm - 5:50 pm

Tues/Thurs/Fri: 9:00 am - 9:45 am

Saturday: 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Welcome To Our Visitors!

We are happy to have you and your family join us. Please say hello to our priests! We are always happy to answer any questions you may have and share more information about our parish. God Bless You!



Fr. Dale Ehrman - Pastor
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Fr. Cole Daily - Parochial Vicar
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Fr. Andrew Thornton - Parochial Vicar
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Fr. Derek Aaron - Associate Director of Vocations, Diocese of Lafayette in Indiana
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Holy Spirit Parish at Geist

LORD'S DAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am, 9:30 am *livestreamed live only
11:00 am, 5:00 pm

(5:30 pm Vigil Mass and 8:00 am Lord's Day Mass has a designated area for mask/social distancing between households)

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday: 8:15 am; 6:00 pm

Tuesday: 8:15 am; Noon

Wednesday: 8:15 am; Noon

Thursday: 8:15 am

Friday: 8:15 am

Saturday: 8:15 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday: 5:00 pm - 5:45 pm

Wednesday: 7:00 pm

Saturday: 8:45 am

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Wednesday: 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

ST. JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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If the Parish Office is closed and you are in need of a priest for a sacramental emergency, please dial 317-849-9245 and follow prompts.



A Note From Fr. Dale

*After the summer's yield, Lord, it is time
to let your shadow lengthen on the sundials
and in pastures let rough winds fly.* From Day in Autumn by Rainer Maria Rilke (first stanza)

All around us nature is letting go and settling into the long rest of winter. Autumn is also a great reminder of the cycle of life. Nature reminds of the necessity of change in the natural world and in our lives. We all experience seasons in our personal lives, the life of our family and in our parish communities. Life is all about change.

A few years ago I read the Thomas L. Friedman book, *Thank You for Being Late: An Optimist's Guide to Thriving in the Age of Accelerations*. In his book Friedman reflects on rapid change in life and culture. He also shows how the rate of change in modern life is increasing. He acknowledges the inevitability of rapid change and offers his perspective on how to respond to the many impacts of accelerated change. Change is inevitable. How we respond to change is crucial for all persons, communities and institutions, even parish life.

Uniting in Heart is an intentional, positive and Spirit-led approach to the change that has been happening around us. Our Pastorate Pastoral Vision Plan is an attempt to give direction and focus to our parish's life and ministry, amidst a rapidly changing world. We will be receiving an initial summary of our survey results in another week. The survey will provide some data. In addition to pouring over survey data, our Parish Pastoral Councils and Pastorate Vision Planning Team will be reflecting on data trends. Specifically, we will look at each parish's statistical data of the last 10 to 12 years: annual number of households, attendance at Mass, sacraments celebrated, funerals, and attendance at religious education. Looking at trends helps us to know where change has been happening. Trends don't determine a plan, but they help to identify what has taken place over the last decade. We will then prayerfully listen to how God is calling us to respond.

We won't be creating a Pastorate Vision Plan in a vacuum. Bishop Doherty, our shepherd, has given direction through a general vision. This will be a type of template to reflect on all aspects of parish life and provide structure for our vision plan. The structure is offered as three pillars of parish life.

These three pillars of *Uniting in Heart* are Mission, Community, and Witness. Under each pillar are general areas of which we will consider parish life and ministry.

Mission – Missionary Discipleship, Universal Call to Holiness, Vocations as Shared Ministry, and Safe Environment (Safe Environment is part of every pillar)

Community – Pastoral Vitality and Vibrancy, School Vitality and Vibrancy (if the parish has a school), Leadership Vitality and Vibrancy

Witness – Passion Driven Stewardship, Faith in Action, Unity and Societal Engagement

Under these various headings parish life is further articulated. For example, Missionary Discipleship includes evangelization, faith formation and religious education. The Universal Call to Holiness includes worship and sacraments. These are simply examples. We will look at the overall picture of current needs and ministries and prayerfully discern where God is calling us to move forward. This will help us respond to change in our parishes and communities.

You will be hearing more about the process in the coming weeks. As I mentioned previously, please pray for our pastoral councils, planning team, and staff. Pray also that we all might hear God's call to grow in responding to Christ and His Church in the midst of a changing world.

Autumn reminds us that God created our physical world with a rhythm of life. It can also remind us that God will lead us through the seasons of our life – even our parish life. We simply need to keep our focus on Him and allow Him to lead us.

"To live is to change, and to change often is to become more perfect." ~ St. John Henry Cardinal Newman

Yours In Christ,

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, October 31

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 6:2-6; Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28b-34

Monday, November 1

Solemnity of All Saints

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a

Tuesday, November 2

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)

Wis 3:1-9; Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40

Wednesday, November 3

Saint Martin de Porres, Religious

Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33

Thursday, November 4

Memorial of Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop

Rom 14:7-12; Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14; Lk 15:1-10

Friday, November 5

Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Lk 16:1-8

Saturday, November 6

Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11; Lk 16:9-15

Sunday, November 7

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7, 8-9, 10; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

CALENDAR & MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, October 31

- 8:00 am **Mass:** Parishioners
- 9:15 am Religious Education Classes
- 10:30 am **Mass:** +Susanne Largura Benedict
- 12:00 pm MOM's Fall Picnic - St. Philomena Pavilion
- 5:00 pm Halloween Vespers

Monday, November 1

- 6:00 pm **Mass:** Marion and Gui Hensley

Tuesday, November 2

- 8:30 am **Mass:** +Francis Wyzinski
- 6:30 pm Men of Ars - St. Michael Room
- 7:00 pm **Mass:** +Poor Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, November 3

- 9:00 am Outreach Meeting - St. Michael Room
- 12:00 pm AA Meeting - St. Michael Room
- 6:00 pm **Mass:** +Francis Lynch and +Anne Lynch

Thursday, November 4

- 8:30 am **Mass:** Bill and Eileen Philpot
- 6:30 pm Choir Practice - Church
- 6:30 pm YDisciple - CoHatch Noblesville

Friday, November 5

- 8:30 am **Mass:** Vincent Kohut
- 9:00 am First Friday Adoration
- *Will close at 3:00 pm due to Confirmation Retreat
- 4:30 pm Confirmation Retreat (ends at 9:30 pm)

Saturday, November 6

- 8:30 am **Mass:** +Peggy Wamp
- 4:30 pm **Vigil Mass:** +Fred Whitson

Sunday, November 7

- 8:00 am **Mass:** Parishioners
- 10:30 am **Mass:** Willis Family
- 6:00 pm ADOREMUS

STEWARDSHIP

Collections

Weekend of October 24th.

Regular:	\$3009.00
Online:	\$4916.00
Total Regular:	\$7925.00
Budget:	\$9800.00
Building Fund	\$ 420.00



Online Giving

Safe, secure, and automatic online contributions can be made using a credit card, checking or savings account. For online giving please visit www.sjv.fishers.com.

PROMISE TO PROTECT - PLEDGE TO HEAL

Your local Victim Assistance Coordinator is available to help you or anyone who has been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church. We encourage you to come forward and speak out. The Victim Assistance Coordinator is Jackie Montrie, 765-464-4988.

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY AT SJV

Please join us in welcoming Mr. Mark Duray as St. John Vianney's Director of Music Ministry. He is an accomplished musician and music teacher with a Bachelor of Music Education from Valparaiso University and a Masters of Music Education from VanderCook College of Music in Chicago. He will continue as Director of Music at Bishop Chatard in Indianapolis as he serves part-time at St. John Vianney. *St. Cecilia...pray for us!*



WELCOME TO OUR SJV FAMILY!

*Rodriguez Family
Chris and Tasha Millay
Miguel and Carmen Alarcon
Leekshika Pinnamneni
Alvin and Imelda Melliore*

To submit an item for consideration in our bulletin, email Suzin Boulet at sboulet@parish.dol-in.org. Please be concise with the details. Items are due two Fridays prior to the weekend you would like it to appear in the bulletin.

Thank You!

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Warm Drinks!
Children's Activities!



Fall Treats
For Snacking!
Trunk or Treat!

ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN THE SJV MOM'S MINISTRY AT A FAMILY FALL PICNIC!

Sunday, October 31st at Noon (following the 10:30 am Mass)

Hope to see you and your family there!

Fall Family Photo Backdrop!!!



HALLOWEEN VESPERS

CELEBRATE A CATHOLIC
HOLIDAY

SAINT JOHN VIANNEY | SUNDAY,
PARISH CHURCH | OCTOBER 31ST, 2021
FISHERS, INDIANA | 5:00 PM

JOIN US IN PRAYING
EVENING PRAYER I OF ALL SAINTS
ALL PRAYER MATERIALS WILL BE PROVIDED



ORGANIZED BY THE PASTORATE OF HOLY SPIRIT AT GEIST &
ST. JOHN VIANNEY

COME CELEBRATE THIS CATHOLIC HOLY DAY!

**All are invited, Catholic, non-Catholic,
costumed, and not.**

- ◆ Prior to the 1930's, Halloween in American culture was seen as a mostly Catholic holiday.
- ◆ Holiday not as a vacation or day away from work, but just as it sounds: a holy-day.
- ◆ All-hallows eve would later transform into the modern Halloween, the former being the day when Catholics prepared themselves for the following day; the Solemnity of All Saints.
- ◆ Despite the loss of religiosity in popular culture it would, however, still be appropriate to bring our faith back into some of the practice of this holy day.

Fr. Thornton will lead the praying of vespers at SJV to lead us into these very solemn days that will follow. The text for the prayers will be provided, so all that is needed is a reverent heart. The event in totality will last approximately 45 minutes.



*Please consider attending, and involving
the faith in your Halloween this year!*

CATHOLIC FUNERAL PLANNING WORKSHOP

Ensuring your family understands your wish for a Catholic funeral will help alleviate stress and uncertainty during a time of grief for family and friends.

We can help with the process of providing this gift to your loved ones.

Please plan to attend one of these sessions:

Holy Spirit at Geist

Thursday, Nov. 4th at 7:00 pm

Tuesday, Nov. 9th at 10:00 am

St. John Vianney

Tuesday, Nov. 9th at 7:00 pm
(St. Gabriel Room)



NOVEMBER OUTREACH COLLECTION

UPDATED LIST!

The Outreach Ministry will be supporting St. Mary's and St. Vincent de Paul, during October and November. Please put donations in our wagon in the Narthex.

Sweet Potatoes Dressing/Stuffing Mashed Potatoes
Gravy Brownie Mix French Fried Onions
1lb Bag of Black Beans or Pinto Beans

Thank You For Your Support!

October 2021

RESPECT LIFE MONTH

St. Joseph, defender of life, pray for us!

respectlife.org/celebrate



Please continue to pray for the unborn during the 40 Days for Life Campaign and join us for the Closing Ceremony in front of Planned Parenthood

Closing Rally: Sun, Oct 31st, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm.

Speaker: Marc Tuttle, President, Indianapolis Right to Life

Location: 8590 Georgetown Rd., Indianapolis.



Pregnant? Need help?

Call a counselor anytime at 1-877-908-2341,
email counselor@womenscarecenter.org.

Women's Care Center provides free, confidential counseling, support and education for pregnant women. Free pregnancy testing and ultrasounds help determine viability and dates (prenatal medical care and abortions not provided).

They serve 30,000 women annually from 34 centers in 12 states, including Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, Pennsylvania & Wisconsin.

Birthright of Cicero

Birthright of Cicero offers friendship, love, and support to women who are pregnant or think they may be pregnant.

Receive Free Information On:

Pregnancy	Childbirth	Adoption
Prenatal Care	Parenting skills	Child Care
Community Programs		

Referrals for:

Medical Support
Financial Resources
Housing, Legal
Social Assistance
Professional Counseling

Free Resources:

Pregnancy Tests
Maternity and Baby Items
Live Chat through our website
24/7 Helpline: 1-800-550-4900

Volunteer Opportunities:

Birthright relies on the dedication, time and talents of volunteers. We welcome any and all individuals who share our philosophy and commitment to offer loving, confidential, nonjudgmental support to those who are pregnant or think they may be pregnant. There are many volunteer opportunities available and we would gladly discuss our volunteer program with you. Full training and mentorship is provided for our volunteers so you can best help the women who need you.

(Taken From www.birthright.org/cicero)

Respect All Life

The Gospel of Life

"We need to bring the Gospel of life to the heart of every man and woman and to make it penetrate every part of society."
(The Gospel of Life, 80)



PLEASE PRAY FOR...



ST. JOSEPH MEMORARE

Remember, O most pure spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, my great protector, Saint Joseph, that no one ever had recourse to your protection, or implored your aid without obtaining relief. Confiding therefore in your goodness, I come before you. Do not turn down my petitions, foster father of the Redeemer, but graciously receive them. Amen.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (R.C.I.A.)

Please keep our new Catechumens in your prayers...

Holy Spirit at Geist: Jack Hueston, Allison Kelber,
Cameron Mayes, Michael McCormick

St. John Vianney: Leekshika Pinnamneni

Upcoming RCIA Sessions:

Nov. 1: Mary and the Saints

Nov. 8: Advent and Christmas

Nov. 15: Heaven, Hell and Purgatory



Do Catholics Worship Saints?

Short answer – No! Only God can and should be worshipped. When we pray to saints we are asking them to pray for us, just like we would ask our friends and family to pray for us. Since we believe the saints are living in heaven with God, we know that even though we can't see them, they are still a part of the Church and praying for the Church. When we “pray to the saints” we're *asking* other members of God's family to intercede with God to help us.

We celebrate the witness of all of these holy men and women who inspire us to love Jesus Christ on All Saints Day which is November 1. We pray the litany of the saints during this Mass in the same spirit of intercession, asking different saints to “pray for us.” In this way the whole Body of Christ, both on earth and in heaven, is united through the God who lives forever and connects us all through his Son, Jesus Christ Our Lord.

Have more questions like that? Come join us...

**Mondays at 7 pm, Holy Spirit Geist's Parish Life Center
(Lower Level), 10350 Glaser Way.**

Questions? Contact Suzin Boulet 317-485-0150,
sboulet@parish.dol-in.org

All Saints' Day is a solemn holy day of the Catholic Church celebrated annually on
November 1.

The day is dedicated to the saints of the Church, that is, all those who have attained heaven.

It should not be confused with **All Souls' Day**, which is observed on *November 2*, and is dedicated to those who have died and not yet reached heaven.

If you have someone you would like the parish to pray for, please ask for their permission before contacting the office to add them. Names will be removed after 2 months. Thank you for your prayers!

Mary Pat Schmitt
The Schmitt Family
Christina Burch and Family
Mary Clare Burch
Jacinta Richards
Bill & Eileen Phlipot

Charlotte Mainville
Leo Mainville
Fr. Kevin Haines
Marilyn Champagne
Dominic DiNunzio
Katie Garrity

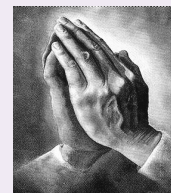
ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM

*Please remember these Parishioners and Friends
who have passed away.*

+ John Schmitt (10/17) + Ron Shooltz (9/14)
+ Peggy Wamp (9/29) + Kathleen Ricca (9/12)

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let
perpetual light shine upon them.
May they rest in peace. Amen.*

*May their souls and the souls of all the faithful
departed, through the mercy of God,
rest in peace. Amen.*



BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

During the month of November, we remember in a particular way those who have died. You are invited to sign our Book of Remembrance with the names of your loved ones who have died.

The Book of Remembrance is by the Statue of Mary at the back of the Church. Please prayerfully remember these loved ones, especially during the month of November.



ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

If you or a family member is in need of this Sacrament please call the office at 317-485-0150.