



ST. ISIDORE THE FARMER PASTORATE

May 18, 2025 :: The Fifth Sunday of Easter



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WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday: 6:00pm Otterbein

Tuesday: 8:15am Fowler

Wednesday: NO MASS

Thursday: 6:00pm Earl Park

Friday: 8:15 am Fowler

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 4:00pm CST 5:00pm EST Kentland

Sunday: 7:30am Oxford

Sunday: 10:00am Fowler

CONFESSIONS

Monday: 5:00pm EST Otterbein

Thursday: 5:00pm EST Earl Park

Friday: after 8:15am Mass Fowler

ADORATION

Monday: 5:00pm - 6:00pm Otterbein

Wednesday: 9:00am-10:00pm Fowler

Thursday: 5:00pm - 6:00pm Earl Park

New Director of Operations

I am enthused Chris Hofmeyer has accepted the position of Director of Operations for St. Isidore the Farmer Pastorate! These are exciting and pivotal times in the life of our Pastorate as we move forward with the guidance of the Holy Spirit. In this Jubilee Year of Hope, we place our trust in Jesus Christ and the grace of the Holy Spirit. I am grateful for Chris and the Leadership Team at St. Isidore the Farmer Pastorate to lead and guide our parishioners reach our God-given potential.

St. Isidore the Farmer, Pray for Us!

Peace,
Fr. Sean

Christine Hofmeyer Introduction

. I am Christine (CHRIS) Glotzbach Hofmeyer, a native member of the St. Isidore the Farmer Pastorate. I am the middle of nine children of the late Donald and very much living and active Shirley Glotzbach. I received my sacraments at Sacred Heart Catholic Church and attended Sacred Heart Elementary School. I have been blessed with a rich Catholic upbringing and wonderful example by my parents of their love for our Catholic faith that impactfully fostered my love for God and our Catholic faith. After marrying my late husband, Ken Hofmeyer, who was also raised in a devout Catholic family, I joined his home parish family at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church. During our 44 years of marriage, we held memberships at both Sacred Heart and St. John the Baptist. God gifted us with four children, Sarah, Jacob, Maria, and Elizabeth – who received their sacraments at both churches. I taught Catholic education for 36 years at Sacred Heart and St. John the Baptist and have been active in church organizations and activities, oftentimes serving in leadership roles. This is all thanks to the grace of God, solid foundations provided by my parents and later experiencing Ken's parents' examples, and later, my own continuous pursuit to grow in my faith.

I have worked in administration at Purdue University, and prior to that, I was an educator. On June 3, 2025, I will join the St. Isidore the Farmer leadership team as the Director of Operations. I have an expansive resume with experiences in project, finance, facilities/construction, and human management, program development and evaluation, grant writing, administration and supervision, local-state-federal reporting, and collaborative team building. I am so excited to have been selected for this position! The core of my life is my deep love of God and our wonderful Catholic faith. I plan to use my God-given gifts to humbly serve our St. Isidore the Farmer Pastorate family and work collaboratively with my faith family members as we move forward along our journeys with the ultimate goal of one day living eternally with God in Heaven.



You have heard the ancient Easter Victory hymn, **Regina Caeli**, after Holy Communion. The Regina Caeli is prayed or sung throughout the Easter season. Regina Caeli is Latin for "Queen of Heaven" and dates around the 12th – 13th century. It is a tribute to our Blessed Mother and an exclamation of JOY at the Resurrection of our Lord!

NEWS

Children's Bulletin

Children's bulletins are available at the main entrance at Sacred Heart Church. Bulletins are for children to engage in the Mass and their Catholic faith!

Formed OnDemand

Go to Formed.org and click "Find your parish subscription" then enter zip code 47944. Choose "St Isidore Pastorate", then enter your name and email address to sign up. Its FREE To you!

Sacred Heart Sewing

The Sacred Heart Sew ladies took some time off over the winter but are back to sewing again. Please stop by Glotzbach Pharmacy and check out the new quilts that are on display with more added weekly. Thank you for your support.. With your support, we support things at Sacred Heart School.



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THE TREASURE OF FAITH



AHOY YE SCALLYWAGS!

This year's VBS will be held the week of **June 9 – 13** from 9am to 11:30am at St. Patrick Hall.

Our Theme is The Treasure of Faith and
we will become Pirates and Mermaids in search of our own treasure.

If you are unfamiliar with our program it is a week- long with morning sessions that include worship, song and daily scripture lesson, along with outdoor activities, crafts, and snacks. On Friday, the last day, we invite families to attend our final worship session and bring a family picnic lunch.

OUR VBS IS FREE OF CHARGE AND OPEN TO ALL CHILDREN (they must all be potty trained).

To register your child OR if YOU would like to volunteer and join in the fun, scan the QR code.
Be sure to include your child's name and T-shirt size.

Pastorate Information

Adoration

If interested in committing to a specific hour of adoration each week, please contact The Pastorate Office

Baptisms and Weddings

Congratulations! Parents/Couples must contact the pastorate administrative office. For weddings, please contact us at least 9 months in advance.

Financial Contributions:

When making any financial contributions, payment must be made payable to the parish of your choice. Payments made payable to the pastorate cannot be accepted.

Bulletin Information

The deadline for submitting to the June 1st bulletin is Friday May 23rd. Please email information to the Communications Coordinator:
Allison Mayer, at amayer@parish.dol-in.org.

HOW TO REPORT AN INCIDENT OF SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR

If you or someone you know has been a victim of child sexual abuse in the past or present day by clergy (priest or deacon) you are requested to report the incident in the following manner:

1. Make a report to Child Protective Services by calling 800 800-5556 or local law enforcement.
2. Call Jackie Montrie, M.A., LMFT, LMHC Victim Assistance Coordinator of the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana at 765-464-4988.
3. Thereafter, an investigation will be undertaken by or on behalf of the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana.

If you or someone you know has been a victim of child sexual abuse in the past or present day by someone working in a parish or school for the Roman Catholic Church in the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana (such as a religious sister or brother, lay employee, lay volunteer, etc.) you are requested to report the incident in the following manner:

1. Make a report to Child Protective Services by calling 800 800-5556 or local law enforcement.
2. Call our Ethics Hotline at 855-375-6796 or go to dioceseoflafayetteinindiana.ethicspoint.com. OR
3. Call Jeanne Lausten, Director of Human Resources at 765-269-4604

This Week in our Pastorate

Sunday, May 18th

7:30am Mass: St. Patrick, Oxford – + Pastorate
10:00am Mass: Sacred Heart –
+ Evelyn Boren (Judy Goodman)

Monday, May 19th

6:00pm Mass: St. Charles, Otterbein–
+ Mike Goodman

Tuesday, May 20th

8:15am Mass: Sacred Heart, Fowler–
+ Cindy Gretencord (Hope Turner)

Wednesday, May 21st

No Mass

9:00am–10:00pm Adoration:
Sacred Heart, Fowler

Thursday, May 22nd

6:00pm Mass: St John, Earl Park –
+ Jim Diedam (Brad & Kim Deno)
5:00pm – 6:00pm Adoration

Friday, May 23rd

8:15am Mass: Sacred Heart, Fowler–
+ Don Illingworth (Kay Illingworth & Family)

Saturday, May 24th

4:00pm CT (5:00pm: ET) Vigil Mass : St. Joseph,
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May Crowning



7th graders Sophia Stetler and Jace Nally crown Mary.



Singing "On This Day, Oh Beautiful Mother"

Laying down our flowers before Mary



First Communion Photos



Now Available:

<https://stisidorepastorate.org/fcphotos>

HELP NEEDED



Pastorate Collection Counters:

We are looking for collection counters following the 10AM Mass at Sacred Heart. Please contact Michelle Sarault 765-884-6042 or the Pastorate Office. Thank you in advance for your time and talent.

Chaperones June 15-20

Life Teen is looking for 1-2 more chaperones to take 19 teens to Catholic Heart Workcamp June 15-20 in Milwaukee, WI. Chaperones need to be 20 years or older, physically able to complete the week of service, and complete the Diocesan Safe Environment training.

Anyone interested should contact Monica Lohmuller at bcteens4christ@gmail.com for more details.

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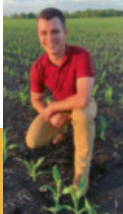
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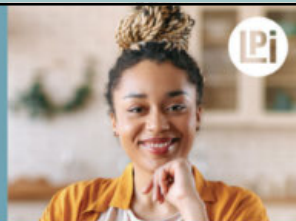
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