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The Newman Center at Indiana University



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A Note from Fr. Patrick

Praised be Jesus Christ! Now and forever!

As I start my 10th school year here at St. Paul Catholic Center, I cannot help but give praise to almighty God for His abundant blessings on this community and on me.

To be honest, the numbers alone are staggering. For instance, when I began here, we had about 50 students in our Bible studies. This past school year we had nearly 450. But, the numbers only tell part of the story.

The graces of conversion and the outpouring of the Holy Spirit have been superabundant on this campus and at this parish. I have prayed with many of you in difficult times, even in the deaths of loved ones. I have celebrated with many of you at the best times and greatest celebrations. In all of it, I have been inspired by and amazed at your faith, your unshakable trust in God's providential care, and in your pursuit of holiness.

In the midst of all of this, we have built together one of the best Catholic campus ministries anywhere in the country. We have done this little-by-little, but with intentionality and trust in God. Together we have created a student-focused ministry where personal relationships are the priority and apostolic leaders are being formed for the Church in Indiana and beyond.

On Sunday, September 14th, we will celebrate the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. St. Bruno, the founder of the Carthusian Order, once said, "*Stat crux dum volvitur orbis*" (The cross stands while the world turns.) The gist of this quote is that, while the world changes around us and our lives move from one thing to another, the Cross of Jesus Christ remains the constant.

As beautiful and wonderful as our growth in campus ministry has been over the past few years, the truth of the Cross remains in all of its haunting beauty. Our lives have been won at a terrible cost.

Challenging as it may be, it is the Cross, and only the Cross, that will set us free.

When we cling to the Cross, when we stay with Jesus there, when we embrace the cost of discipleship, when we choose to love in the face of hate, when we choose to do the right thing when everyone is telling us to do the wrong thing, Jesus is with us, freeing us, saving us by His grace, love, and mercy.

For nearly 10 years, we have worked together in the vineyard of the Lord. Thank you, and always remember that the Holy Cross is our only hope.

Sincerely yours in Christ,



Prayer & Worship

Mass, Confession, & Eucharistic Adoration

Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil: 4:30pm

Sunday: 8:30am, 10:30am, 12:30pm (Bi-lingual),

5:30pm, 9:00pm (when IU is in session)

Weekday Mass

Monday-Friday: 12:15pm

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 5:30pm

Tuesday, Thursday: 9:00pm (when IU is in session)

Confession

Monday-Friday: 11:45am-12:15pm

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 4:30pm-5:30pm

Tuesday, Thursday: 8:00-9:00pm (when IU is in session)

30 minutes before all Sunday Masses

(an hour before the 5:30pm Mass)

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday-Friday: 11:15am-12:15pm

Monday-Thursday: 6pm-9pm

Fridays: 12:45pm-5:30pm

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday: 9:00am-6:00pm

Friday: 10:00am-4pm

Liturgy of the Hours

Everyone has an open invitation to join the Dominican friars in praying and chanting the Liturgy of the Hours.

Morning Prayer is at 8:30am and Vespers at 6:15pm,

Monday-Friday in the back chapel of the church.

Low Gluten Hosts

At every Mass, the celebrant has a pyx with low-gluten hosts for those who require them.

If you require a low-gluten host, please go to the celebrant's line. When you come forward to receive Holy Communion, please tell him that you require a low-gluten host.

Prayers for the Sick of Our Parish

Tracey Neumann, Pat Meier, Kathryn Faith

Marszalek, J. D. Campbell, Ida Bouvier, Suzanne

Bouvier, John William & Patty Greenbaum, Katie

Suarez, Nancy Tosick, Brian Dougherty, Pat Car, Mary

Ann & John Evans, Bill & Barbara Schnorr, Michael

Mooney, Wendy Kerwin & family, Ann Marie Kinnell,

Charlie & Marianne Warthan, Scott Curry, Dudley

Deppe, Michael & Jennifer Faris, Diana Zook Stanley,

Charlene Miller, Sr. Lucia Christi, Mary Hickman, Judy

O'Callaghan, Ron Jones

From Death to Life

John C. (Jack) Moore

Baptized in Our Lord

July Collections

Actual Collection	\$63,744
Budget	\$61,000
Difference	\$2,744
% Change	4.50%

Fiscal Year to Date

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Consider Making a Gift

www.hoosiercatholic.org/donate



Mass Intentions

If you would like to schedule a Mass intention, please visit hoosiercatholic.org > About Us > Schedule a Mass Intention. You may also call the parish office at (812) 339-5561 or email office@hoosiercatholic.org.

Our Mission



St. Paul Catholic Center serves as the Newman Center and Catholic Parish for the Indiana University community. We bear witness to the Gospel of Jesus Christ, celebrate the Sacraments, foster spiritual formation, evangelize, and serve those in need.

Parish Information & News

Meet our FOCUS Missionaries!



Home Game Parking!

Parking spaces are available at St. Paul's for IU home football games! The cost is \$50 per space, first come first served. All proceeds go to St. Paul Campus Ministry and the Women's Health Care Center. Tailgating is allowed! Go Hoosiers!



EUCCHARISTIC PROCESSION

September 30th

5:30pm Mass @ St. Charles

6:15pm Procession @ St. Charles

8:00pm Praise and Worship @ St. Paul's

9:00pm Mass @ St. Paul's

"Behold, the dwelling of God is with men. He will dwell with them, and they will be His people."

REVELATION 21:3



September Home Football Games

Due to IU home football games, there will be no 4:30pm Saturday Vigil Masses on the following dates:

September 6

September 20

Parish Information & News

Archdiocesan Workshop



CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING WORKSHOP

Presented by: Catholic Charities - Social Concerns
Cost: \$15.00 - Lunch Provided

September 20, 2025

9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Nativity Catholic Church
7225 Southeastern Ave.
Indianapolis, IN 46239

Scan QR Code to Register
For more information contact:
Lsheehan@archindy.org



The Church's social teaching is a rich treasure of wisdom about building a just society and living lives of holiness amidst the challenges of today's modern world. But today's modern world can be messy, confusing, and at times demoralizing.

**In light of today's world, what does it mean
to love God and to love our neighbor as ourselves?**

Join Theresa Chamblee, Director of Catholic Charities-Social Concerns, as we explore together the principles of Catholic Social Teaching and the richness of living a life based on the Theology of Charity.

Workshop Includes:

- Overview of Catholic Social Teaching including the history, four principles & 7 themes.
- The Theology of Charity
- Tools & resources to live & evangelize Catholic Social Teaching



Explore Graduate Theology at Saint Meinrad

Laities and deacons are invited to an Open House for the Graduate Theology Program of Saint Meinrad Seminary and School of Theology. In-person Saturday, Oct 11 OR online Wed Nov 19 at 6:30pm CT.

Discover how our Master of Arts and certificate programs in theology can deepen your understanding of the faith and support your call to ministry or discipleship. Visit saintmeinrad.edu/openhouse, or scan the QR Code below.



St. Paul 50+ Gathering

Please join us as we gather together to share a meal:

When: Saturday, September 13 at 5:45pm

Where: Higgins Hall

Please bring a dish to share, plates & utensils and your drink of choice. Any questions, please call Debbie or Bob at (574) 220-2561.

REACH MORE™
LAY TRAINING SMALL GROUPS EVANGELIZATION

St. Paul's has partnered with Evangelical Catholic to offer parishioners *Reach More*, a 12-week formation experience designed to help you live your faith more intentionally. Hosted weekly in the homes of trained parishioners, *Reach More* offers a supportive, prayerful space to explore how everyday conversations can become opportunities for bringing others closer to Christ. It begins in the fall and all are welcome to join. Contact Michelle Barnette if you are interested: michelledomeyer@gmail.com, or see Fr. Simon.

Mother of the Redeemer Retreat Center

"The Wisdom & Beauty of Vatican II"

Led By: Deacon Ed Walker

Sept 19th- 21st - Fri 5pm - Sun 10am

During this retreat, Deacon Ed Walker will explore the beauty and purpose of the Second Vatican Ecumenical Council by exploring the first four of the 16 documents that were born of this Council. Ed will focus his attention on those documents called Constitutions and share how they enrich the faith of everyday Catholics, which is the focus of his Diaconal ministry. Deacon Ed Walker was born and raised in Washington, Indiana and currently lives in Evansville, Indiana. Having felt called to the diaconate ministry, he was accepted, prepared and was ordained as a permanent Deacon in 2022 and will receive his Masters in Theology from St. Meinrad Seminary in 2025. He is currently Pastoral Associate at Resurrection Parish in Evansville, Indiana.

To register call: (812)825-4642, ext. 1

Campus Ministry

Student Registration

Students! We want to be in touch! Use this QR code to register with us so you can get connected and never miss an event.



Parent Registration

Parents! We want to be in touch with you, too! Scan the QR code to find out what we offer for your student, as well as how you can help support our ministry. Please be assured of our prayers for you and for your student.



Sunday Suppers

Every Sunday there is a free meal after the 5:30pm Mass when IU is in session.



Pastoral Counseling Available for Students

Dr. Nina Castronova is available to students for individual counseling sessions. To set up an appointment, contact Nina directly at ncastronova@hoosiercatholic.org, or pick up one of the Request for Counseling forms by the Welcome Desk.

Frassati Fellowship

From "YAGRAD" to "Frassati Fellowship"

We are taking this name to honor the canonization of Pier Giorgio Frassati, scheduled for August 3, 2025. Frassati was a third Order Dominican now known as the Dominican Laity. Since St. Paul is staffed by Dominicans, we think this is a fitting name for our Young Adult and graduate student community. Please keep your eyes open for our events and bible studies throughout the year. May God Bless you.



Frassati Fellowship GroupMe

If you are a young adult or grad student, please join our GroupMe by using the QR code to stay up to date on the latest information in the Frassati Fellowship community.



Small Group Bible Studies

St. Paul Catholic Center offers Bible studies to all young adults and grad students. For more information, contact Fr. Simon Felix or scan the QR code.



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St. Paul Ministries

Volunteer Opportunities

We are in need of volunteers to help organize and clean our sacristy for an hour or two each week. Flexible scheduling is available. Please contact Fr. Ben, if you are interested.

Music Ministry

Interested in cantoring, singing in one of our choirs, or playing an instrument for Mass? Contact Dr. Tim Gregson at tgregson@hoosiercatholic.org.

Inspired by the Dominican Way?

Does the Dominican way of life and spirituality intrigue you? The Bloomington chapter of Dominican Laity invites you to consider following the example of St. Dominic. If you are interested in learning more, contact Mary Sue Veerkamp-Schwab, OP at msvschwab@gmail.com.

Teams of Our Lady

Teams of Our Lady is a group of couples that meet in their homes to share life news, a potluck meal, and a spiritual study, usually focusing on marriage and family. We are looking for married couples to start a new Team. For further information, contact Kevin and Judy Killigrew at kevinkilligrew@hotmail.com, or call at (765) 346-0617.

Bethany Meals

A Bethany Meal is provided for any family who requests one following a funeral or memorial service at St. Paul's. Volunteers provide a dish and/or help set up, serve, and clean up after a meal. If you are interested in this ministry, contact Anita Park at anipark2004@yahoo.com, or call at (812) 345-9222.

Hospitality Team & Dessert Donations

If you are interested in helping out with Sunday Suppers or in making desserts for the students at the suppers, please contact Emma Schuler.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The St. Paul Prayer Shawl ministry consists of parishioners who gather to share fellowship while crocheting or knitting prayer shawls for those in need, as well as white baptismal blankets for newly baptized babies. They meet every second Wednesday of the month from 2:30-4pm, and welcome both those who are experienced or would like to learn these skills. For more information contact Judy Killigrew at jkilligrew@gmail.com.

Parish Directory

**All emails end in @hoosiercatholic.org*

Pastor

Fr. Patrick Hyde, OP frpatrick

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Fr. Ben Keller, OP frben

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