

May 12, 2024

Ascension of the Lord

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Collections for May 6, 2024	
<u>Adult Offering Envelopes</u>	\$ 3,357.00
Loose	\$ 416.00
Candles	\$ 19.00
Repair fund	\$ 315.00
CCD Rel Education	\$ 52.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$ 110.00
Pentecost	\$ 20.00
Catholic Charities	\$ 70.00
Total in pews:	\$ 4,359.00
<u>Online Collections</u>	
Reg. Envelopes	\$ 1,307.00
Repair Fund	\$ 275.00
Second collection	\$ 111.00
Other	\$ 15.00
Total Online	\$ 1,708.00

Mass Intentions

May 11th Easter Weekday Saturday
5:00 p.m. † George & Jason Crowe

May 12th Seventh Sunday of Easter
8:00 a.m. Parishioners
10:30 a.m. † Wilma Kumfer

May 13th Easter Weekday /Monday
8:00 a.m. † Ted Alles

May 14th St. Matthias / Tuesday
NO MASS

May 15th Easter Weekday / Wednesday
5:00 p.m. † Keith & Roedean Dowell

May 16th Easter Weekend / Thursday
8:00 a.m. † For All Souls in Purgatory

May 17th Easter Weekday / Friday
8:00 a.m. Healing for Andrew Barrett

May 18th Easter Weekday /Saturday
5:00 p.m. † Jerry & Jean Zorger

May 19th Ascension of the Lord/ Sunday
8:00 a.m. Parishioners
10:30 a.m. † Kathleen Fry

St. Vincent DePaul Corner

May 6, 2024

Families served **42** Total people **93**

New clients **3** Gas cards **1**

Your ongoing support whether that is financial, food donations, volunteering of your time, talent and last, but not least, your prayers are each example of Jesus calls for us to love our neighbor.

NEEDS:

Specific pantry needs: 1) Cereal

2). Toilet paper

If you would like to help with St. Vincent DePaul, please contact the office and leave a message for Sara St. Clair.

Thank you so very much for your ongoing support! Please keep in mind that St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry is open EVERY Monday from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. If Monday falls directly on a holiday, the pantry will not be open. Evening hours are the third Monday of the month from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

SAVE THE DATES

Our parish has two upcoming events that we would like everyone to mark it on your calendars so they aren't missed. The first thing is our annual **Parish picnic at Paige's Crossing** will be held on September 8th between the hours of 2:30 p.m. through 7:30 p.m.

The second event we are having is our first Parish Festival for our patron St. Paul of the Cross! We will be having it here on church property. Not only is our congregation invited, but we will also be open for the public to come. The **Parish Festival** will be held Saturday, October 19th between the hours of 11 a.m. through 4 p.m. More information will be coming!!!

Blood Drive Results from the Knights

Thank you to all that signed up for the blood drive. It was quite successful with a total of 24 pints which will save 72 lives. The next blood drive is scheduled for Sunday, July 7th, make sure to mark this down on your calendars.

A BIG THANK YOU!

Thank you for the great response we had to fill the Truck for Saint Vincent De Paul Thrift Store this past weekend. We filled the truck plus more! Saint Vincent De Paul Thrift Store greatly appreciates all the items donated! We are so blest to have so many caring, supportive, and generous parishioners of St. Paul of Cross in supporting St. Vincent De Paul Society! I also want to thank all the volunteers who graciously donated their time in helping to collect the items! Thank you, Carol Greulich,

St. Vincent DePaul Large Item Pickup

The Saint Vincent De Paul Thrift Store truck will be coming to the Columbia City area on Saturday, May 18th. They will come to your home to pick up furniture and appliances in good condition which are greatly needed. The Thrift store requests the items be on the main floor of your home or garage. **The store will not pick up pianos, large entertainment centers, or really large desks.** They will take the first 8 households to respond. Please either call or text Carol Greulich at (260) 609-5269 with your name, address, phone number, and items you wish to donate by 9 PM, Wednesday, May 15th. St. Vincent De Paul Thrift store will contact you on Friday, May 17th with a time they will come to your home for pick up. They will be picking up items between 9:30 AM to 3PM that day. If May 18th is not a good day for you, you may call the Saint Vincent de Paul Thrift store directly at (260) 456-3561 to schedule a pickup time on a different day. Thank you, Carol Greulich



CATHOLIC BOOK CLUB

Catholic Book Club will begin June 10th. We will be reading and discussing the book "Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist." Sign up and pick up a book in the Narthex.

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE

You are invited to accompany Jesus as the Marian Route of the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage travels through the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend from July 5-10, 2024. The pilgrimage will be making stops at parishes across our diocese, with many events planned, such as witness talks, adoration, Mass, lectures on the Eucharist, fellowship, potluck dinners, the opportunity to walk in the procession, and more. The National Eucharistic Pilgrimage is made up of four separate routes, traversing our country from east and west and from north and south, each concluding in Indianapolis to begin the National Eucharistic Congress. Learn more and RSVP at eucharisticpilgrimage.org.

Feast of the Ascension May 9th or Sunday May 12th, 2024

Forty days after Jesus rose from the dead he went up a hill with His followers and disappeared through the clouds and went up into Heaven.



Jesus had promised to send a Comforter to them after He left them.

Can you find your way through the cloud maze?

