May 4, 2025

May 5, 2025 Monday
8:00 a.m. Mary Ann Clark, health & wellness

May 6, 2025 Tuesday
NO MASS

May 7, 2025 Wednesday
5:00 p.m. † Jim Schmitt

May 8, 2025 Thursday
8:00 a.m. † David Paul Lieb

May 9, 2025 Friday
8:00 a.m. † Kathleen Fry

May 10, 2025 Saturday
4:00 p.m. † Jerry and Jean Zorger

May 11, 2025 Sunday
8:00 a.m. † Mark Chrzanowski
10:30 a.m. Parishioners

Ministries for May 10th & 11th

Lectors
4:00 p.m. Lynn Diamente (1)
Bryan Smethers (2)
8:00 a.m. Kristen Swonger (1)
Barbara Roberts (2)
10:30 a.m. John Gilles (1)
Don Neff (2)

Hospitality Ministers
4:00 p.m. Andy Herber, Danielle Smethers
8:00 a.m. Jack Gibson, Jeff Gibson
10:30 a.m. Carl Brown, Mike Sedor

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion
4:00 p.m. Carolyn Snyder, Anita Kelley and Nicholas Steill
8:00 a.m. Dick Buchanan, Vanessa Schoon and Melinda Woll
10:30 a.m. Kristin Rentschler, Kim Sedor and Scott Smith

Altar Servers
4:00 p.m. Brenleigh Smethers, not filled
8:00 a.m. Baylor Schoon, sub requested
10:30 a.m. Edward Lieb, William Schmitt

Collections for April 27, 2025

Adult Offering Envelopes	$ 1,968.00
Loose	$ 473.00
Candles	$ 15.00
Repair	$ 130.00
Catholic Home Missions	$ 482.00
Good Friday (Holy Land)	$ 20.00
Total in pews:	**$ 3,088.00**

Online Collections

Reg. Envelopes	$ 1,995.00
Repair	$ 60.00
Other	$ 10.00
Second	$ 55.00
Total Online	$ **2,120.00**

St. Vincent DePaul Corner

April 28, 2025
Families served **32** Total people **91**
New Clients **0** Gas cards **0**
Needs: Canned tomatoes and Canned soups

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

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.

RIGHT TO LIFE CARNATIONS

Each Mother's Day, Right to Life of Northeast Indiana partners with area churches to honor the calling of motherhood with beautiful flowers. Honor a mother in your life by picking up a carnation for her while supporting the pro-life mission.
Carnations will be available on the weekend of May 10th & 11th. Suggested donation of $2 per stem.
To learn more about the work of RLNI, visit ichooselife.org. We "Thank you" for your continued prayers and support for LIFE!

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO DONATED

Thank you to all of you helping to "Fill the Truck" for Saint Vincent DePaul Thrift Store. We filled 11/2 trucks! The thrift store was delighted! The proceeds from their sells helps allow St. Vincent DePaul Thrift Store to share their profits with the area St. Vincent DePaul Societies in the Fort Wayne Diocese in helping our neighbors to obtain food, help pay utility, rent and furniture needs. Thank you also for all the volunteers who helped to fill the truck! We could not have made this project so successful without everyone's help! Carol Greulich

Confirmation for our 8th graders

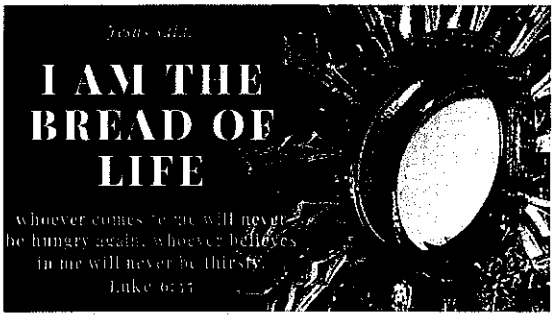
St. Paul of the Cross will be having Confirmation for our 8th graders on Friday, May 23rd, at 7:00 p.m.
The Mass location will be taking place at St. John Bosco in Churubusco.
St. Paul of the Cross will be having Mass along with the hosting church St. John Bosco and Immaculate Conception of Ege. Please keep our 8th graders in your prayers as they prepare for this important time in their lives.

Upcoming Special Collection

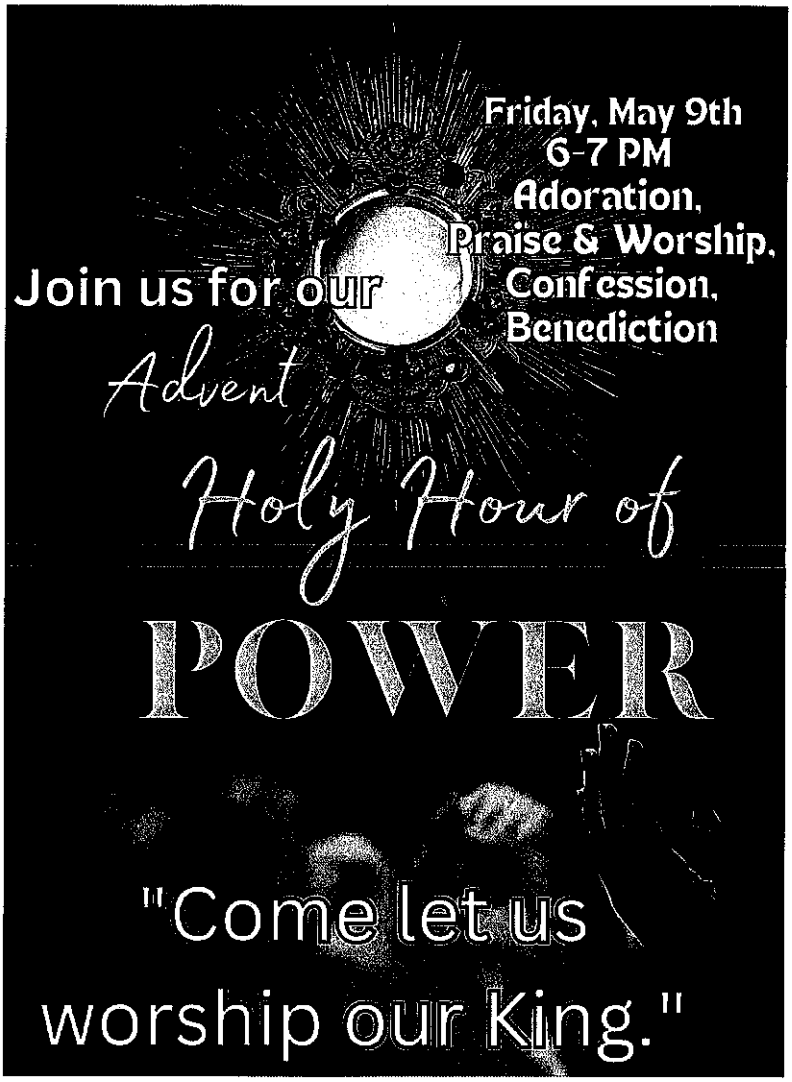
Our next second collection will be coming up next weekend on May 10th and 11th. The donations will be going to Catholic Charities.

Upcoming Council Meetings

Attention to those of you who are on the Finance and Parish Councils, you will be having your meetings this coming Thursday, May 8th.



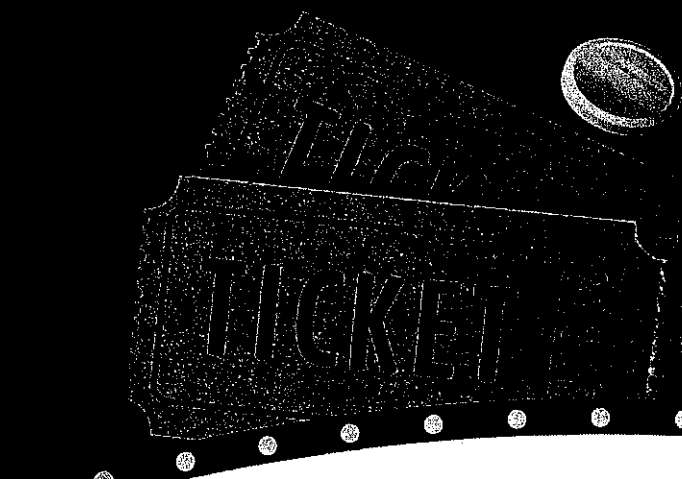
Please sign up to cover an hour of Adoration on Fridays in May and June. This beautiful devotion is very important for the life of the Church! We would love to have two people signed up for every hour!



THIS Wednesday, May 7th from 6:00-7:30 p.m.
All people and all questions about Catholicism are welcome! This is a relaxed, positive environment! You can write your questions in advance and leave them in the box in the Narthex. Bring your friends and family to this wonderful event!

ARC IS BACK

On Sunday, May 18th, the ARC team will be back for the final ARC event of the year! The topic is : **Jubilee 2025: Hope does not Disappoint.** Join us from 9:15-10:15 in the Community Center. Coffee and donuts will be provided.



2025 NOTRE DAME SEASON TICKET RAFFLE

TICKET $30

WIN THE GRAND PRIZE !

SUNDAY, AUG 4

1ST PRIZE 2 TICKETS and PARKING PASS

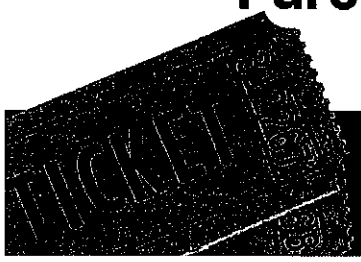
Or $1200.00

2nd Place wins $50.00

3rd Place wins $50.00

Drawing takes place after 10:30 Mass

Purchase tickets by phone 260-244-5723



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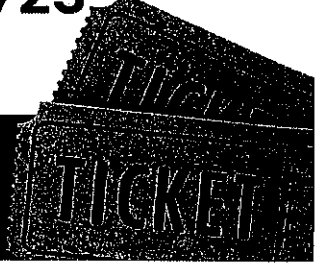

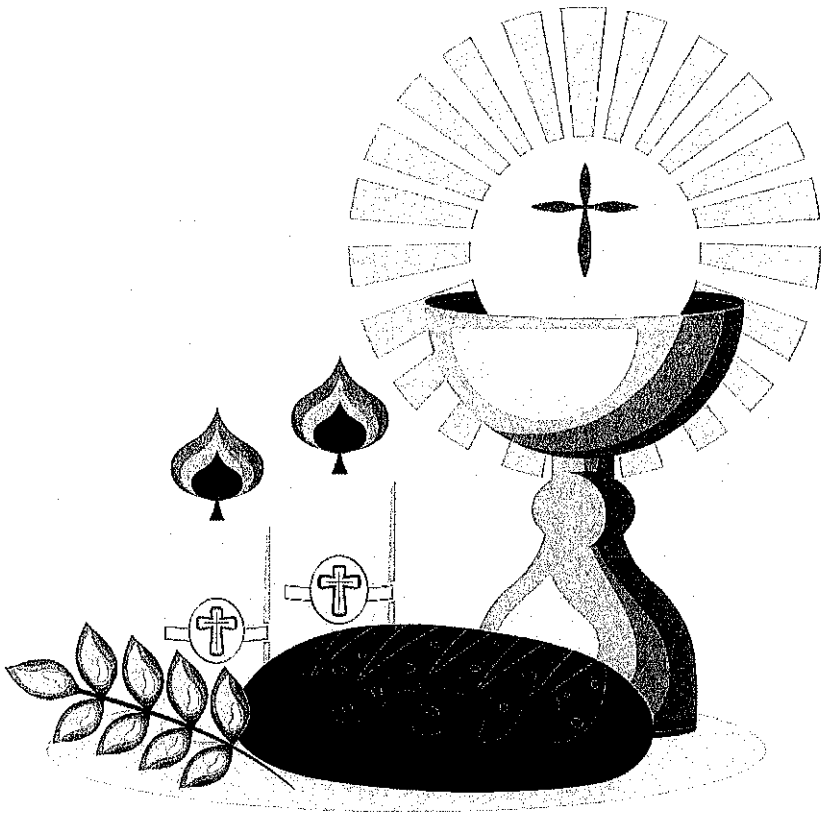

First Holy Communion

For

St. Paul of the Cross

SUNDAY — MAY 4 — 10:30 AM

315 S. Line Street
Columbia City, IN 46725