



St. Ann  
of the Dunes

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### Mission Statement

We are a unique, caring, Christian family of the Catholic faith, co-creative of the Kingdom of God, worshipping and witnessing together in love and joy.

We are composed of People from diverse backgrounds who accept personal responsibility

for the stewardship of St. Ann’s resources, people, and talents, and strive for full and equal participation among all of its community.

We, by interaction with and responsibility to a diverse community, are enriched through worship, education service, and living examples of Christ’s teachings.

### Contact Us

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Office Email ..... stannesdunes@comcast.net

### Office Hours

Tuesday, Wednesday  
and Thursday..... 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

### Mass Schedule

Saturday ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Lithuanian Mass ..... 1:00 p.m.  
(Every third Sunday of the month.)

### Other Sacraments

**Baptisms:** After 6:00 pm Mass on Saturday. Contact the parish office for additional information.

**Reconciliation:** As listed in the bulletin and upon request.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Upon request.

### Parish Staff

**Parish Administrator**..... Rev. Jon Plavcan

**Clergy Assistant**..... Rev. George Schopp

**Pastoral care for the  
Lithuanian Community** ..... Rev. Gediminas Kersys

**Director, R.C.I.A. &  
Adult Religious Formation** ..... Perry Cartwright

**Director, Children’s Religious  
Education & Youth Ministry** ..... Cindy Hargarten

**Sacristan Coordinator** ..... Phil Farese

**Liturgy & Music Director**..... Marsha Jerome

**Organist**..... Karen Erminger

**Maintenance** ..... Michael Opat

**St. Ann Guild President**..... Joseph Estep

## Welcome to St. Ann of the Dunes

Whether you come from another part of the world or a nearby parish, we welcome you to St. Ann of the Dunes! We thank you for sharing in the celebration of the Eucharist with us and we appreciate your generosity. We invite you to join our parish family if you are looking for a spiritual home or a summer church home. Registration forms can be found on our website or you can contact the office at 219-879-7565. We look forward to getting to know you.

*All parishioners are asked to keep us informed of change of address, phone number or email address. Should you need the Eucharist brought to you, please let one of the Greeters know and we'll be sure that someone will bring Communion to you at your seat.*



## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, May 22

6:00 PM In Memory of Bailey Rose  
Kovalan from John and Janet  
Kovalan

### Saturday, May 29

6:00 PM In memory of the Family of  
Catherine & Eugene Sanders  
from Kevin Sanders

## Ministry Schedule

### May 22, 2021

Lector	Lynda Lancaster
Eucharistic Minister	Perry Cartwright
Greeter	Ed Ryscuck

### May 29, 2021

Lector	Kristina Dambrauskas
Eucharistic Minister	Cindy Hargarten
Greeter	Phil Hargarten

## Parish Email List

If you would like to receive up to date information about our Parish and you are not already on our email list, send the parish office your email address and we will happily add you to our list. The address is: [stannesdunes@comcast.net](mailto:stannesdunes@comcast.net).

If you prefer, you can always check our website for information and our online bulletin.

## The Presence of God



Many believers can tell about a time they experienced the presence of God. It may have been at childbirth, after successful surgery, during a walk at the ocean, at the quiet dawn of a new day, or in the wisdom shared by a trusted friend. God appears to us in ways great and small.

One of the most dramatic stories of the presence of God concerns Moses. He heard God speak on Mount Sinai. God instructed him to tell the people, "If you keep my covenant, you shall be my special possession, dearer to me than all other people." So Moses descended the mountain, reported to the elders, and all the people responded together, "Everything the LORD has said, we will do."

A few days later they looked up. "There were peals of thunder and lightning, and a heavy cloud over the mountain, and a very loud trumpet blast." All the people trembled. Who wouldn't? Smoke rose from the top of Mount Sinai. The people stood below. Moses spoke to God, and God answered in thunder.

On Pentecost Sunday, the disciples of Jesus experienced God in tongues as of fire and a noise like a strong wind. As Moses received the law, so the disciples received the Holy Spirit.

Our experience of God may be dramatic or common. But it can always transform us, strengthen our belief, renew our covenant with God, and give us confidence to proclaim what we know: God is here.

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## Pray For,...

### **The Departed**

Please keep all of our departed family and friends in your prayers who recently passed away especially former parishioner Dr. Algimantas Galinis.

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

### **Our Military**

St. Ann is honored to have members serving in both the Armed Services and the Peace Corps. As a community of Christ's people, we at St. Ann's honor their service and salute their dedication by offering prayers for their safety and welfare. Please remember all members of the U.S. military in your prayers.

## Live Streamed Mass

Our Saturday, 6:00 p. m. mass will be live streamed for those who prefer to remain home at this time. A link can be found on our parish website under Mass-/Parish YouTube Channel.

## Rosary at Grotto



This Friday is the last Friday members of the Spirituality and Worship Commission will lead the parish in praying the rosary at the grotto.

Time: 6:00 pm Friday May 28th  
Masks and social distancing are required.

## Congratulations to Our Confirmandi

Last weekend, six of our Religious Education students were confirmed. We congratulate them on their hard work and devotion to their faith.

Payton Ciszewski	Mia Kirkham
Ava Kontos	Sydney Morris
David Shook	Jacklyn Wozniak

## A Prayer for our Confirmandi



Holy Spirit, strengthen our St. Ann Confirmandi with your gifts of Wisdom, Understanding, Counsel, Fortitude, Knowledge, Piety, and Fear of the Lord, as a disciple of Christ.

Fill them with the joy of your presence. Increase in them the fruit of

your Spirit. Help them to experience and trust your dwelling within, so that they may count on your guidance today and every day.

## New Update - Catholic Services Appeal

Thank you for those who have already made a Pledge to the Catholic Services Appeal. The total that is pledged is \$8,595.00 as of the May 18, 2021 CSA Report. The goal for St Ann is \$26,694.00 which is reduced from last year's goal.

The amount that is still needed to reach the goal is \$18,099.00. If that goal is not met, then whatever is not fulfilled comes from the ordinary collection.

How can you assist Saint Ann in reaching their goal? No gift is too small or too large. If everyone offers something, then the goal can be realized. Thank you for those who have chosen to respond to the Catholic Services Appeal at this time.

*Father Jon Plavcan*

## Save a Seat for Mass

In order to comply with current COVID-19 restrictions while allowing the faithful the opportunity to attend Mass, you must sign up through Save-A-Seat. To reserve a seat at St. Ann's Mass, go to <https://www.stpatsparish.org> St. Patrick's Church in Chesterton website and scroll down to find the select button for St. Ann's. Complete the form. Then click the "reserve seat" button. A confirmation email will be sent to the email address you entered. **It is very important you bring your email confirmation** with you to Mass. A facemask is required.

## Quarterly Financial Report

January 1, 2021-March 31, 2021

Income .....	\$45,978.00
Expenses .....	-\$32,087.00
Net Income .....	\$13,891.00

## Stewardship

**May 15, 2021**

Mass Collection (6:00 p.m.) .....	\$1,782.00
Lithuanian Mass Collection (1:00 pm) .....	\$ 167.00

Diocesan Savings as of 3/31/21..... \$78,576.92

*Thank you for your practice of Stewardship to St. Ann. May God Bless you for your generosity.*

*Father Jon Plavcan*

## Online Giving

Online giving is a convenient option to continue to support St. Ann's and its mission. Whether you are attending weekly mass or worshipping at home, your vital support can still happen regardless of where you are. You may now opt to contribute to St. Ann electronically by using one of our online options. Access us on line at: [www.st-ann-of-the-dunes.org](http://www.st-ann-of-the-dunes.org).

**Collection for Parish Utilities  
is this weekend**

## Support Our Businesses

Please support the businesses who advertise on the back of our bulletin. Their ads pay for all of our bulletin costs. Thank you to each and every one of our advertisers This week we are featuring Ted Lelek with @Properties.

## Ted Lelek-@Properties

Parishioner Ted Lelek has been a Real Estate Agent since 1982 and his knowledge of the Duneland area is unrivaled. He offers homebuyers and sellers the highest level of service for their real estate needs through **@properties** award-winning sales and marketing programs and industry-leading technology, and experience. Ted is committed to offering the highest standards of service and representation you expect and deserve. With local leadership and national and international reach, Ted brings results to clients wherever their buying and selling goals take them. Ted also holds a brokerage license in Florida and many clients of the Lakeshore to Seashore are thrilled to vacation in Florida, thanks to his efforts. If you want a smooth transaction from start to finish, contact Ted.