



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.

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Office Hours

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

Mass Schedule

Saturday 6:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m.
(8:00 a.m. is every third Sunday of the month.)
Lithuanian Mass 1:00 p.m.
(1:00 p.m. is 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

Associate Parish Administrator Rev. Roque Meraz

Clergy AssistantRev. George Schopp

Pastoral care for the Lithuanian Community Rev. Gediminas Kersys

Director, R.C.I.A & Adult Religious FormationPerry Cartwright

Director, Children’s Faith Formation & Youth Ministry..... Adam Antone

Sacristan Coordinator Phil Farese

Liturgy & Music Director Marsha Jerome

Organist Karen Erminger

Maintenance Michael Opat

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, April 2

6:00 PM In Memory of Tom Oberle
from Nancy Oberle Bishop

Saturday, April 9 Palm Sunday

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

Sunday, April 17 Easter Sunday

8:00 AM In Memory of
Bailey Rose Kovalan and
Martin Kovalan
from John and Janet Kovalan

Sunday, April 17 Lithuanian Mass

1:00 PM For the People of St. Ann

Ministry Schedule

April 2, 2022

6:00 PM

Lector Joan Baruffi
Eucharistic Minister Perry Cartwright

April 9, 2022

6:00 PM

Lector Lynda Lancaster
Lector Nick Gonzalez
Eucharistic Minister Robert Stanford

April 15, 2022

3:00 PM

Lector Joan Crepeau
Lector OPEN
Eucharistic Minister Joe Estep

April 17, 2022

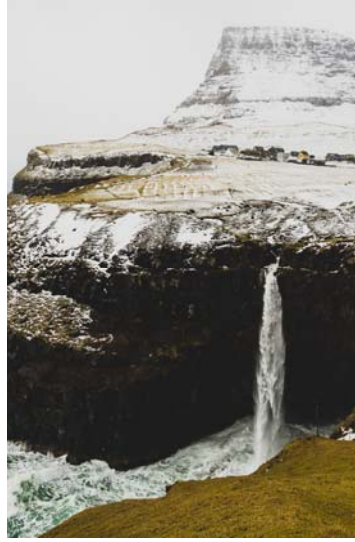
8:00 AM

Lector Frank Ambrosic
Eucharistic Minister Sharon Ambrosic

For humility and integrity for Ministry, Loving Lord and Heavenly King, thank you for the work in ministering to others, that in Your kindness you have placed me.

Flowing Waters

Turn on the faucet at home and get running water. Drinking water is close at hand, ready to use and abundant. The faucet is a sign of God's promise.



It wasn't always that way. People could not live far from a water source. Desert areas went uninhabited and uncharted because no one could stay there very long without ample drinking water.

Through Isaiah, God promised a day when water would flow in the desert. As proof of God's power, Isaiah invited the people to recall the marvels God had done in the past. During the Exodus, as the Israelites fled Egypt, they went through the sea dry shod, but the waters closed on the

chariots, horses, and army of Pharaoh, all following in pursuit. God marvelously preserved the Israelites in the past. God would marvelously preserve them again. God is doing something new. It springs forth in the sight of believers.

As Easter draws near, we think about the water God keeps close at hand—not just the water of the faucet, but the water of your church's font. There water flows freely for those who seek Christ. God has prepared a way in the deserts of the human heart for water to flow, to give life, and to transform.

This Lent we reflect not only on the desert of our sin, but also on the signs of God's presence. "In the desert I make a way," God says, "in the wasteland, rivers."

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Pray For,...

The Departed

Please keep all of our departed family and friends in your prayers who recently passed away.

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.

Last Communal Penance Service

Join area priests for Lenten Penance Services and experience God's mercy. No reservations are required. Services are held at 4:00 PM and 6:00 PM for your convenience.

- ◆ Thursday, April 7th at St. Paul's Church in Valparaiso

Sojourner Truth House Collection

Thanks to everyone who has dropped off disposable diapers and personal care products for Sojourner Truth House. The Commission on Peace and Social Justice will continue collecting these items through Sunday, April 17. On this Lenten journey, our care and concern for others brings us closer to the Living God. Thank you for your continued generosity.



Stations of the Cross

Please join our Spirituality and Worship Commission this Friday evening as they lead parishioners in the Stations of the Cross at 6 PM.

There is only one more date left to attend this reverent and devotional moment on Friday, April 8th.

Holy Week Schedule

Palm Sunday	April 10th	St. Ann of the Dunes
Saturday Mass	6:00 PM	
Holy Thursday	April 14th	Combined Faith Community
Mass of the Lord's Supper	7:00 PM	St. Patrick's Church
Good Friday	April 15th	St. Ann of the Dunes
Liturgical Service	3:00 PM	
Holy Saturday	April 16th	Combined Faith Community
Blessing of the Baskets	10:00 AM	St. Patrick's Church
Easter Vigil	7:00 PM	St. Patrick's Church
Easter Sunday	April 17th	St. Ann of the Dunes
Sunday Mass	8:00 AM	



Join Serra International

Serra needs YOU to help foster and support vocations in our diocese. Join Serra on the first Monday of each month for a business meeting to learn what they do and how they serve. They also meet on the third Monday of each month for Holy Hour of Exposition, Rosary, and Benediction for vocations in our diocese at 6:30 PM at St. Bridget in Hobart.

Call Susan Gryfakis at 219-688-8209 for more information.



Stewardship

March 27, 2022

Mass Collection \$2,306.00

*Dear Parishioners and Guests-
Just as your home has expenses so does your church "home". Your generosity has assisted in the meeting of expenses of your Church "home". Thank you.
..... Father Jon Plavcan*

Online Giving

You may 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.

Next weekend the second collection will be for parish utilities.

Totus Tuus

Totus Tuus, a week long summer parish mission for 1st-12th grade students, is coming to the Diocese of Gary. In its sixth summer, we have spread the Gospel message of salvation to hundreds of youth. The Diocese of Gary is currently looking for college aged men and women to serve as missionaries to the youth of our Diocese.

The Diocese will pay a stipend of \$200.00 and all food and housing is provided during the commitment from June 2nd -July 30th. For more information contact Sean Martin at 219-769-9292.

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Reflecting on Shameful Acts

She is caught in adultery. They drag her before Jesus and the crowd., more to trip Him up than mete out the law. What does Jesus do? He asks, "who is without sin?" A great Lenten question.

- ◆ What stone will I put down and not pound against someone else?
- ◆ What sin will I admit and find a way to resolve it?
- ◆ Because of God's mercy to me, what mercy work will I do for another?