

# 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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

## Parish Staff

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

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

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

**Director, Children's Faith  
Formation & Youth Ministry** ..... Stephen Hughes

**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, July 16

6:00 PM In Memory of  
Dr. Michael J Kinney Jr  
from Richard and Gosia Kinney

#### Sunday, July 17

8:00 AM In Memory of Lorraine Pritz  
from Terry and Nancy Kolasa

#### Sunday, July 17 **Lithuanian Mass**

1:00 PM For the People of St. Ann

#### Saturday, July 23

6:00 PM In Memory of Kevin Gaff  
from Mom and Dad

#### Saturday, July 30

6:00 PM In Memory of Tom Oberle  
from Leo and Kay Klemme

### Ministry Schedule

#### July 16, 2022

**6:00 PM**  
Lector Lynda Lancaster  
Eucharistic Minister Joe Estep

#### July 17, 2022

**8:00 AM**  
Lector Frank Ambrosic  
Eucharistic Minister Sharon Ambrosic

#### July 23, 2022

**6:00 PM**  
Lector Gloria Bolduc  
Eucharistic Minister Linda Sperling

#### July 30, 2022

**6:00 PM**  
Lector Joan Crepeau  
Eucharistic Minister Ann Beese

#### August 6, 2022

**6:00 PM**  
Lector Joan Baruffi  
Eucharistic Minister Sharon Ambrosic

## Biblical Fast Food

Our idea of fast food is that you drive your car to a local chain, you pull up to the giant menu board with the scratchy speaker system, you yell out your order, you drive to the window, and you pay your money. Within minutes, you have your food and you speed away. It is fast.



In the Book of Genesis, there is a different account of fast food service. Some mysterious visitors came to see Abraham and Sarah. Abraham realized that there was something divine about their presence. He immediately offered hospitality: a bath, a rest, and a meal. They agreed. But Sarah had to come up with some food, fast.

She baked rolls from fine flour.

A servant slaughtered and prepared a juicy steer. The curds and milk were easier, but the basic ingredients of a hamburger, bread and meat, had to be prepared from scratch on the spot. By our standards, not fast food—but pretty impressive for its day.

As a result of his hospitality, Abraham received from God the gift he had waited for all his life: a son, Isaac, whom he would love.

When strangers or friends drop by, we have the opportunity to offer hospitality. Sometimes we are so busy that our primary hope is they will leave as soon as possible. But there is another solution. We can offer hospitality. The blessing we receive may be the one we have desired all life long.

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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.

## What is our Sunday Experience

One of the more obvious differences between Catholic churches and other Christian churches can be found on the signs outside their doors. Most churches list a few times for Sunday worship, and maybe even on a Wednesday evening, but most Catholic churches list Mass times throughout the week. What makes the Mass so different from a Sunday service that priests usually offer it for their parishioners multiple times a week? What makes our “Sunday experience” so different from others? The difference is, of course, the Eucharist, the source and summit of our faith. The Sunday experience does not center around a good homily, colorful vestments, or good music. Rather, its center is the sign of the new covenant, which is the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, offered and poured out for us. As Catholics, we should always be seeking to renew our experience of that sign of the promise. So, the sacrifice and the meal of the Eucharist is celebrated by the Church every day throughout the world, as a reminder that “by one offering he has made perfect forever those who are being consecrated” (Heb. 10:14).

## Children’s Faith Formation Classes

The Catechism of the Catholic Church reminds us that the family and parents are the PRIMARY educators of the faith for their children. It is through your word and example that your children first come to know God and begin a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. When children are baptized, the Church community promises to help parents foster their faith. Our Faith Formation program is designed to assist and support you in this important duty.

For the 2022-2023 school year, **St Ann of the Dune families** are invited and encouraged to attend the Faith Formation program at St. Patrick’s Church. St. Patrick Catholic Community Faith Formation Program will have two options for grades 1 – 7.

**Option 1:** Sunday mornings from 9:30 A.M. – 10:45 A.M.

**Option 2:** Wednesday evenings from 5:15 P.M. – 6:30 P.M.

Eighth grade religious education is combined with Confirmation Preparation and will be offered on the Sunday morning schedule from 9:30 A.M. – 10:45 A.M.

Faith Formation classes will meet approximately three times a month from August 2022 – May 2023.

**There are registration forms on the hymnal racks at the back of church here at St. Ann’s.** Registration forms can be turned into the St. Pat’s Parish Office Monday through Thursday from 8:30 A.M.-4:30 P.M. and Friday 8:30-12:00 PM. Registration forms can also be found at <https://www.stpatsparish.org/religious-education>.

## 2022 Mercy Fund Grants

Do you know a Catholic organization or group dedicated to a work of mercy in our diocese? Applications for a grant up to \$5,000.00 will be accepted until noon on August 1, 2022. For additional details contact Judy Holicky at 219-769-9292 Ext 268 or [info@catholicfuture.org](mailto:info@catholicfuture.org) Eligibility information is at—[www.catholicfuture.org/grant-seekers](http://www.catholicfuture.org/grant-seekers)



## Stewardship

July 9, 2022

6:00 PM Mass Collection ..... 3,309.00

*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](http://www.st-ann-of-the-dunes.org).

## National Eucharistic Revival

Scandal, division, disease, doubt. The Church has withstood each of these throughout our very human history. But today we confront all of them, all at once. Our response in this moment is pivotal.

In the midst of these roaring waves, **Jesus is present**, reminding us that he is more powerful than the storm. He desires to heal, renew and unify the Church and the world. How will he do it? By uniting us once again around the source and summit of our faith—the Holy Eucharist. The National Eucharistic Revival is the joyful, expectant, grassroots response of the entire Catholic Church in the United States to this divine invitation. Sign up for the Heart of Revival newsletter today and learn how you can get involved: <http://www.eucharisticrevival.org>.

## Jesus and Me Preschool Classes

St. Ann of the Dunes preschoolers are invited to join the Jesus & Me faith formation program at St. Patrick’s. It is designed for children ages 3-6, and is a wonderful introduction to faith & prayer for your child. They will learn Bible stories based on Sunday Mass readings through songs, crafts & games while young pre-school and kindergarten aged children learn to express a friendship & trusting relationship with Jesus.

Beginning on August 21st, the program meets between 9:30 and 10:45 A.M. on Sunday mornings. Registration forms include a calendar and are available on the hymnal rack in the back of Church. Registration forms can be turned into St. Patrick’s Parish Office. You can call 219-926-1282 for additional information.