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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, June 10

6:00 PM For the People of St Ann

Saturday, June 17

6:00 PM In Memory of
Larry and Marilyn Hable
from Susan, Judy and Kelli

Sunday, June 18

8:00 AM For all Fathers, living and
deceased

Sunday, June 18 Lithuanian Mass

1:00 PM In Memory of
Eleanora Salciunas from
Joseph Kapacinskas and
Danguole Kviklys

Saturday, June 24

6:00 PM In Memory of all Priests who
faithfully served our Parish

Saturday, July 1

6:00 PM First Anniversary of the
death of Catherine Heaston
from her sisters

Ministry Schedule

June 10, 2023

6:00 PM

Lector Frank Ambrosic
Eucharistic Minister Sharon Ambrosic

June 17, 2023

6:00 PM

Lector Lynda Lancaster
Eucharistic Minister Joe Estep

June 18, 2023

8:00 AM

Lector Joan Crepeau
Eucharistic Minister Ann Beese

June 24, 2023

6:00 PM

Lector Frank Ambrosic
Eucharistic Minister Robert Stanford

July 1, 2023

6:00 PM

Lector Joan Baruffi
Eucharistic Minister Cindy Hargarten

Hungry Grouches

How do you act when you get hungry? If dinner is late or service is slow, are you known for your patience?

Moses told the people that God made them hungry in the desert to find out how they would handle it. Would they still keep the commandments even when they were hungry?



Imagine being judged on how you acted when you were hungry. Most of us would want to be judged in other circumstances: on those occasions when we helped our neighbor, when we gave a generous gift, or surprised someone with a compliment. But how we act when we are hungry? That is not fair.

In reality, we are hungry all the time. We hunger for justice, for love, for faith, and for community. We hunger for deeper union with the God who made us. If God wonders how we behave when we are hungry, the evidence mounts up every moment of every day.

The manna that God sent to the desert fed hungry bellies, and the word that God spoke through Moses fed hungry spirits. If people responded in gratitude, they pleased God.

When we gather for Eucharist, God's word forms us and God's food feeds us. If we respond in gratitude, we please God.

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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.

Accept the Challenge for CSA

A generous parishioner will match \$2.00 for every \$1.00 that is collected for the Catholic Service Appeal until we reach our parish goal. You will effectively triple your contribution to CSA if you take advantage of this wonderful opportunity for our parish.

If you have not made your contribution or pledge, this is a great opportunity for the parish to exceed our goal. To learn more, go to www.dcgary.org/csa. There are envelopes in the book racks in the back if you would like to pick one up and mail your contribution. Don't forget to designate St Ann of the Dunes #101 with your contribution. Help St. Ann's exceed their goal and accept the challenge.

St. Ann's Parish Goal—2023	\$14,292.00
Amount Pledged as of June 4th	\$ 9,292.00
Amount Needed to reach Goal	\$ 5,000.00

Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast

Take Dad out for Breakfast. The Knights of Columbus Council #5929 will hold a Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, June 18th at the St. Patrick's Chapel Hall from 8:00 AM-12:30 PM. The cost is \$7.00 adults, \$5.00 for Seniors and Children ages 6-12. Children 5 and under are free. The menu includes pancakes, sausage, egg souffle, orange juice, milk and coffee. St. Patrick's Church is located at 638 N Calumet Rd. Call Dwight Noble at 219-395-6822 if you have any questions.

Celebrate Fathers and Catholic Charities

Celebrate Fathers' Day by giving a gift in honor of dads to support the good work being accomplished in Northwest Indiana by Catholic Charities Diocese of Gary. Next week's second collection will be for Catholic Charities. Please be generous to those less fortunate.

Faith Formation Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed to serve as a Catechist in the Faith Formation Program for St. Patrick's and St. Ann of the Dunes. In the Gospel, Jesus said, "Go, therefore and make disciples of all nations" (Mt.28:19). By serving as a Catechist, you will have the opportunity to respond to this call of Christ. Catechists help to form the faith of children and young people by teaching them about the faith and by sharing their knowledge and love for our Lord. All that is needed is a willingness to serve and work together to teach our children and youth, about the wonders of our faith.

If you are interested or if you want more information, please email Mrs. Alice Shipman at ashipman@stpatparish.org or call 219-926-1282. Alice will be happy to help answer your questions. Help is particularly needed for first grade, third grade and fifth grade on Sunday morning and fifth grade and seventh grade on Wednesday evenings. Thank you for taking the time and for considering being part of our Faith Formation program.



Stewardship

June 3, 2023 6:00 PM
Mass Collection \$2,362.00

On behalf of the faithful of Saint Ann, I would like to sincerely thank you for your practice of stewardship to Saint Ann. Your contribution is appreciated.
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.

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Candlelight Adoration

St. Patrick's Church invites all parishioners to a Candlelight Adoration to be held on June 29th from 7:00—8:00 PM. The Adoration will be held at St. Patrick's Church in Chesterton.

Parish Sacramental Policies

Baptism - Those requesting Baptism (for their children) must be registered and attending the Parish for mass at least six months prior to the request. There is a formation meeting before a date can be scheduled for the Baptism.

GodParents/Sponsors - In order to serve in either of these roles one must be a practicing Catholic who has been Confirmed and if married, your marriage must have taken place before a Catholic Priest (or deacon). A Practicing Catholic is one who is registered in the Parish and attends Mass on a regular basis.

Wedding - Couples requesting a Wedding must be registered and practicing their Faith by attending Mass for at least a year before a date can be reserved. There are Pre-Cana classes as well as several appointments with the Pastor that are required. Please contact the Parish a year in advance.