



# ST. TERESA OF AVILA

CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER



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## Fr. Chris' Corner



Dear friends in the Lord,

Every October and February, I like to offer a weekend wherein the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is celebrated after each of the Masses. All throughout the

year, the sacrament is celebrated on an individual basis, but it is wonderful for us to come together as a community to celebrate.

**Thus, this year we will be offering the sacrament on the weekend of October 14-15, 2017 after each of the weekend Masses.**

This sacrament is a sacrament of healing. It is for those who might be ill, or experiencing mental or emotional difficulty, those who are preparing for surgery, or might simply be experiencing the physical decline of old age. Its origins go back to the New Testament in the book of James in which we hear that the priest is called to anoint in the name of the Lord Jesus. Before 1965, many people referred to it as "Last Rites" but this sacrament is not only for those who are transitioning into the next life. It is very important to be anointed before that time so that you can receive the grace of the sacrament.

The effects of this sacrament include: unity of the sick person with Christ, strength to endure suffering, forgiveness of sins if the person is unable to obtain it through the sacrament of reconciliation, restoration of health if that is God's will, and if applicable, preparation for death. This sacrament invites the Holy Spirit to enter more deeply into your life so that you might have the strength to unite your sufferings to the sufferings of Christ.

If you would like to be anointed, please join us next weekend, and please know of my prayers for you as we prepare for this sacrament.

To Jesus through Mary,  
Fr. Chris

## Worship Schedule

Monday, October 9  
5:15pm

**Josephine Giannini**  
By: Family

Tuesday, October 10  
8:00am

**Isabell O'Connor**  
By: Sue O'Connor

Wednesday, October 11  
5:15pm

**For Healing**  
**Michelle Giannini**  
By: Vivian Szyndrowski

Thursday, October 12  
8:00am

**Mike Bugyis**  
By: Jeanne Bugyis

Friday, October 13  
12:30pm

**Jim Moran**  
By: Family

Saturday, October 14  
4:00pm

**Annen/McGillicuddy**  
**Family**  
By: Margaret Annen

Sunday, October 15  
8:00am

**Gertrude Parker**  
By: Jean David

11:00am

**St. Teresa of Avila**  
By: Community

9:00pm

**Lyn Winkle**  
By: Community

## Reconciliation Schedule

**Wednesday**

6:00-6:30pm

**Saturday**

2:30-3:30pm

Reconciliation Room is located in the church.

## Adoration

In an effort to strengthen our relationship with the Lord, We are offering Adoration at the following times:

**Monday & Wednesday** 6:00pm-7:00pm

**Tuesday & Thursday** 9:00am-10:00am

**Friday (NOT October 13)** 7:00pm-8:00pm

## Stewardship Report



### Weekly Stewardship Report: October 1, 2017

Not available at time of printing

## From the Bishop

**Pilgrimage Opportunity:** The "WAY" the Camino De Santiago with Bishop Hying has only THREE spots open. It is only a six day walk and has accommodations to meet everyone's needs. Depart from Valparaiso on Sunday 1-April-2018 and return on Thursday 12-April-2018, see Deacon Bob Marben for details.

## Stewardship Commission

### God's Hands in Action— St. Teresa's Tithing

As individuals we are called to be good and generous stewards with God's manifold gifts. Tithing is the means whereby we have the opportunity to give thanks to God; with that in mind, the community of St. Teresa of Avila tithes \$450 weekly.

This week, in honor of St. Francis of Assisi, we will donate to **Porter County Animal Shelter/Hobart Human Society**.

### God's Hands in Action St. Teresa of Avila Weekly Tithing

St. Teresa's is a generous community and as such, the Stewardship Commission has formed a **God's Hands in Action: Weekly Tithing Committee**.

To be more intentional in our giving, this group will select organizations that meet the following criteria:

- ◇ Follow the teaching of the Catholic Church
- ◇ Have a local/community connection

About five years ago we changed our tithing amount to \$450 weekly and we will continue to donate that amount to each organization. If there is an organization that is close to your heart and that meets the guidelines or you are interested in serving on the committee, please contact the committee at [saintt.godshands@gmail.com](mailto:saintt.godshands@gmail.com).

## What's Up With the Students?



### Inspire!

Every Friday evening at 7:00pm, college students, as well as community members have the opportunity to attend **Inspire**. Inspire is **Adoration with praise and worship**. During this time, you can praise and worship God through song, prayer, reading, writing, or just simply being present. **Reconciliation** is offered.

Following Inspire, the students can attend a **Post-Inspire Social**. These social gatherings can range from a tie-dying event to playing bingo, and they are always fun! Community members are invited to attend the social gatherings on the first Friday of each month.

### New Study Bar

Pictured below is the new "Study Bar" that was completed this week. Students can do homework, study or even sit and enjoy a coffee of coffee at the study bar!

Come check it out!



## Liturgy and Worship



### Mass Intentions

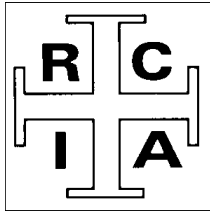
We are now taking Mass Intentions for **2017 and 2018**.

If you are interested in offering a Mass for someone, please refer to these guidelines:

- ◇ Name of person for whom the Mass is intended.
- ◇ Name of person who is offering the Mass.
- ◇ The stipend is \$10 per Mass.
- ◇ If you have a specific date and Mass time please include that as well as a second choice.
- ◇ Send your request to the office.

This information can be:

- ⇒ Put in the collection basket in an envelope labeled **MASS INTENTIONS**
- ⇒ Sent to or dropped off at the office.



We delve into the authority and structure of the Catholic Church as Deacon Bob Marben will help us break open the topic of Church Magisterium and Tradition. As we continue to discern God's will for us, there is still time to inquire about being a part of this year's group.

Contact Mark for more details at [saintt.rcia@gmail.com](mailto:saintt.rcia@gmail.com), or by phone at [219-688-4756](tel:219-688-4756). God bless!

"I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven."  
Matthew 16:19

## Save the Dates

Event	Date	Time	Location
Anointing of the Sick	Saturday, October 14 Sunday, October 15	After Masses	Church



Two Ways to Register:

- ⇒ Forms available at the entrances of the church
- ⇒ On-line at [www.saintt.com](http://www.saintt.com)

Men's Weekend: October 14-15, 2017  
Saturday—8:00am to Sunday—4:00pm

## Social Justice

### Unwanted Shoes....

Once again our Social Justice Commission is asking the St. T's Community to start collecting old or new, unwanted shoes, no matter what condition!!!

Collection runs until October 31  
Tubs are located in the 'Link' Area

This has become a Sojourner Truth House fundraiser that costs nothing, yet raises funds to help homeless and at-risk mothers with children.

This a simple act we can all do that makes a great impact on people in need.



ST. TERESA OF AVILA  
CAFE MANNA

September 28, 2017

Number of Meals Served: 350

Weekly guest's donations: \$10.38

Meal: Leftovers!!!

Food for the body and soul.  
Thursdays serving from 4:30-6:30pm.

**Faith Formation**

**Parish Life**

*The Wild Goose*

*The Wild Goose is a work of the Holy Spirit, which is awakening God's love and transforming power in the hearts of all those participating. This is a love that has been revealed to us by Jesus Christ and that leads us to our heavenly Father.*

The format for the Wild Goose series will be weekly video presentations and discussions. The video will be presented at three different times during the week. You may attend any of the times. All the sessions will be held in the Antioch Room except when indicated otherwise by \*\*.

Discussion will allow participants to delve deeper into how the Holy Spirit is working in and through them.

This week's sessions are:	Sunday (between masses) 9:30 am - 10:45 am	Tuesday 9:00 am - 10:15 am	Wednesday 7:00 pm - 8:15 pm
Baptism in the Holy Spirit & Fire	October 8** (Student Center)	October 10	October 11

**Just what is CLOW?**

**WHO:** Children ages 3-9 who have not yet made their First Communion

**WHAT:** CLOW stands for Children's Liturgy of the Word.

**WHEN:** During most 11am Masses

**WHERE:** Children are led from Mass to Avila Hall then divided into classes by age.

**WHY:** Age appropriate activities engage kids in the Gospel message in a way they can understand.

**HOW:** VIRTUS compliant adults volunteer to teach once a month utilizing provided instructional materials as well as their own creative ideas!

We are currently in need of two additional teachers.

If you are interested in helping out or have questions please contact

Nancy at 219-743-4329.



**Walk to Bethlehem Update**

**Change to Email Registration**  
Due to technical issues, if you tried to register for the Walk to Bethlehem by email, we ask that you please re-register using the following new email: [sainttwtb@gmail.com](mailto:sainttwtb@gmail.com). You may still report any miles walked this past week and you will be emailed both week 1 and week 2 meditations.

**Reporting Week 1 Miles**  
Please report your first week miles by emailing [sainttwtb@gmail.com](mailto:sainttwtb@gmail.com) or filling out a form located in the community room. Be sure to stop by and see our total miles walked on the world map as well.

Keep on walking and praying!

**For Your Information**

**Golden Opportunity  
2018 Books**

Available in the office!  
\$25.00 each!

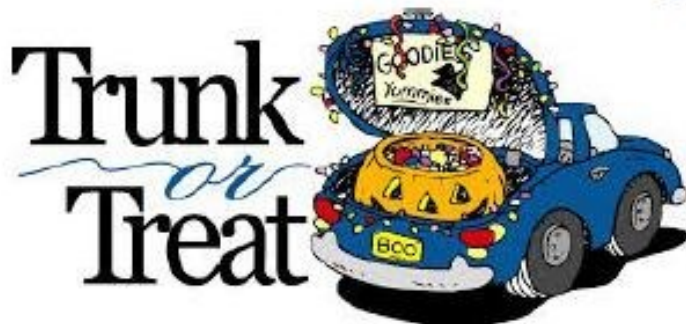
**Sponsor of the Week:  
Restaurante Don Quijote**

To view their ad see the back of the bulletin and don't forget to patronize all of our sponsors. They make the bulletin possible.

# Trunk or Treating & Chili Cook-off

October 28, 2017

Following the 4:00pm mass



No ordinary trick-or-treating!!

- Decorate the trunk of your car
- Come in costume
- Bring candy to share
- Go from trunk to trunk!!!
- Games for Kids!

Come join the annual Chili Cook-off

- All Chili entries must arrive in the kitchen before the 4:00pm mass
- Please use a Crock Pot liner for your Chili (available in the Community Room)
- Judging will occur during mass
- Please bring one of the following items: Cornbread, sour cream, cheese, crackers or dessert to share!

Prizes Awarded

- Best Chili
- Best Decorated Trunk



Details

- Dinner served in Avila Hall following 4pm mass
- Trunk or Treating starts about 5:45pm
- Park your car in the Lincolnway lot
- Time for decorating car while kids play games (following dinner)
- Please RSVP in the Community Room or at [www.saintt.com](http://www.saintt.com)

