

Saint Stanislaus Kostka Catholic Church

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Rev. Walter M. Ciesla • Pastor
Brother Shaun Gray • CSC, Pastoral Associate

Mass Schedule:

Tuesday, Friday 8:00 a.m.
Saturday, Vigil 4:00 p.m.
Sunday 7:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.

Sacraments:

Baptism—After 10:00 a.m. Mass on Sundays,
Call rectory/office to schedule
Confessions—Friday, 7:00 a.m.
Weddings—Call rectory six months in advance

Church Office: 1506 Washington Street

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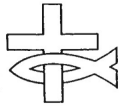
Church Resale Shop: (219)874-4743

Mission Statement

The St. Stanislaus Kostka family is a welcoming Catholic community sent forth from our celebration of the Eucharist to walk in faith, live in hope, and act in love. We join together as disciples of Christ to share our gifts through prayer, education, evangelization, and stewardship. We remember, We celebrate, We believe.



Liturgy Intentions
For The Week



Mass Schedule

Tuesday, November 19th

Weekday

8:00 a.m. †Liz Marganti
Int. Kroehler Family

Thursday, November 21st

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:30 a.m. †Steven Smith
Int. Carol Lykins

Friday, November 22nd

Saint Cecilia

8:30 a.m. †Ron Cuff
Int. Father & Brother

Saturday, November 23rd

Weekday

4:00 p.m. †John Murphy
Int. Daughter

Sunday, November 24th

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

7:00 a.m. †Nancy Luethke
Int. Lauren C. Hahn & Stephen
10:00 a.m. †Allan Hale
Int. John & Judy Gardner

Knight of Columbus

On Tuesday, November 5, 2024, the Knights of Columbus at our parish officially became their own council. Congratulations Saint Stanislaus Kostka, Council 18574. We are very grateful for all you do for our parish and the community.

ROSARY SODALITY

Bake Sale

SATURDAY, NOV. 23
SUNDAY, NOV. 24

Church Hall after all Masses

Schedules

November 23rd & 24th

Celebrant— (Subject to change)

4:00 pm Fr. Rakoczy
7:00am Fr. Rakoczy
10:00am Fr. Rakoczy

Eucharistic Ministers

4:00 pm Mike Eisele
7:00am Mary Amm
10:00am Deb Wozniak

Lectors

4:00pm Jane Eisele
7:00am Brother Shaun
10:00am Joey Smith

Ushers

4:00pm M. Duszynski, D. Pishkur,
R. Labis, S. Sebert
7:00am T. Pawlik, R. Worek,
F. Adrian, J. Gallas
10:00am J. Gardner, S. Poplawski,
B. Gabrunas, T. Poplawski

November Money Counters: Cliff Wozniak,
Gail Bonfield, Janice Plamowski, Barb Skierkowski

With A Grateful Heart



We are overwhelmed by your response to our Food Drive in memory of Dick Dolezal. We collected over 1,000 items in his honor, leading our lives with kindness just as he did. Thank you for your generosity of heart, may God Bless You!



Scrip Drawing

Congratulations to Nancy Adrian who is our October Scrip winner. Nancy won a \$25.00 gift card of her choice. Don't forget to grab your Scrip for Black Friday deals! Stop by the table after Mass!

Upcoming Events In Our Parish

Tuesday Nights 6:00pm—Bingo; doors open at 4:00pm
 Resale Shop—Open Fridays & Saturdays 9:30am-3:30pm
 Knight of Columbus Spaghetti Dinner—Nov. 16th 5:00P
 Rosary Bake Sale—Nov. 23 & 24 Church Hall after Masses



CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

Partners in Christ's Mission

Have you made a pledge or donation to the Annual CSA drive yet? Our goal this year is **\$45,907.00**. We would like to reach this soon so we can concentrate on our Cam-

paign. Please give generously! **Fr. Walter Ciesla has generously given \$2,000 towards our goal. Will you join him in doing the same? We are extremely behind, we have only received 45% to date. Please donate!**



Our Stewardship

November 2nd & 3rd

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| Regular Collection | \$5,207.04 |
| Renovation | 1,052.00 |
| CSA..... | 410.00 |
| All Saints Day..... | 908.75 |
| School Support..... | 1,258.00 |
| Total. | \$8,835.79 |

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

All of us here at St. Stanislaus Kostka are incredibly grateful for the **\$250,00** matching grant made possible through our partnership with the National Fund for Sacred Places. Paired with the **\$400,000** matching grant we received earlier this year from Sacred Places Indiana, this news has moved us significantly closer to carrying out our mission of serving the Michigan City community for generations to come.

This matching grant is a tremendous boost to our capital campaign that is aiming to raise \$3 million dollars over the next three years. Our capital campaign will address repairs to St. Stanislaus' signature bell towers as well as extensive masonry work that will restore our church's foundation.

This has been the result of a remarkable collaboration between St. Stanislaus Kostka, the Catholic Diocese of Gary, Partners for Sacred Places, Sacred Places Indiana, the National Fund for Sacred Places, and Lilly Endowment Incorporated.

Annual Angel Tree

Our parish is once again sponsoring the Christmas Angel Tree Program to help families in need this holiday season. If you would like to participate, please select an angel from the tree located in the vestibule of the church. Purchase that gift, tape the angel to the item, and drop it off at the designated area in back of the church. All items should be unwrapped. If you choose to donate a grocery gift card, please take the angel and purchase the card from Scrip. The Scrip volunteers will keep the card to simplify the collection. All donations should be dropped off by Monday, December 9th.



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You have heard in the announcements before Mass, that we are

behind in raising our quota for CSA. Please take a moment to pray about a possible donation so we can avoid rolling our shortfall into a loan. Thank you!

Volunteers Needed

We are in need of volunteers to help set up the Christmas decorations on Sunday, December 1st at 1:00pm in the Church.

WIN-WIN RAFFLE

Benefiting Saint Stanislaus Kostka Parish

We would like to clarify a typo on the Win -Win raffle ticket for the month of December. There will not be a drawing on Friday, December 20th. Instead, we will conduct that

week's \$100 drawing on Sunday, December 29th, as stated on the ticket. The \$100 drawings for December will remain scheduled for the 6th, 13th, 27th, and 29th. Additionally, the \$500 drawing will take place on December 25th. We apologize for any confusion.

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