

Saint Stanislaus Kostka Catholic Church

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Rev. Walter M. Ciesla • Pastor

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
(219) 879-9281

Hours: Monday - Thursday 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
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School Office: 1506 Washington Street
(219) 872-2258 • saintstans.com

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 4th

Saints Charles Borromeo

8:00 a.m. †Vince Bondzis

Int. Wife

Thursday, November 6th

Weekday

9:00 a.m. †Father Stanley Dominik

Int. Angie Walczak

Friday, November 7th

Weekday

8:00 a.m. †Patrick Meer

Int. Linda Milzarek

Saturday, November 8th

Weekday

4:00 p.m. †Ed Sienkowski

Int. Kathy Oink

Sunday, November 9th

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

7:00 a.m. †Ralph Mark

Int. Heironimus Family

10:00 a.m. †Dolores Miller

Int. Family

2026 Mass Book

The Mass Book for next year is open. Masses are \$10.00 each



Schedules

November 8th & 9th

Celebrant (Subject to change)

4:00 pm Father Ciesla

7:00am Father Rakoczy

10:00am Father Ciesla

Eucharistic Ministers

4:00 pm Louise Palowski

Mary Kay Senderak

7:00am Mary Amm

Karen Wojasinski

10:00am Deb Wozniak

Declan Rice

Lectors

4:00pm Abby Knoll

7:00am Janice Plamowski

10:00am Joey Smith

Ushers

4:00pm L. Haverstock, R. Labis,

W. Yackus, S. Sebert

7:00am F. Adrian, K. Yackus,

J. Yackus, T. Pawlik

10:00am J. Gardner, D. Przybylinski,

W. Johns, B. Gabrunas

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

Knights News

This weekend, the Knights of Columbus will be conducting their semi-annual membership drive. If you have questions, the Knights will be available in the vestibule of the church after all Masses. Call Mike Eisele, 219-873-6013 for additional information.

This is also Donut Sunday. Please join us in the parish hall after the 7:00 AM and 10:00 AM Masses for donuts and coffee.

St. John Paul II Monstrance

Our Parish will have the honor of hosting the monstrance on Saturday, November 8th from 2:00 to 6:00pm and Sunday, November 9th between the 7:00am & 10:00am Masses. We are excited to have a treasured piece of Saint John Paul II for our viewing.

Upcoming Events In Our Parish

Tuesday Nights 6:00pm—Bingo; doors open at 4:00pm
 Resale Shop—Open Fridays & Saturdays 9:30am-3:30pm
 Bible Study—Every Thursday with Father Rakoczy
 5:00pm Instructional Room, School Building
 Polish Class—Every Second Wednesday of the Month
 November 8th—Saint John Paul II Monstrance 2-6pm
 November 15th—K of C Spaghetti Dinner
 December 19th—Christmas Concert 6:30pm

CSA Update

We realize we are in the midst of a major Capital Campaign, but that does not excuse us from participating in the CSA. We rely on the generosity of our Parishioners each year to meet our goal. For as long as Fr. Walter has been here, we have always met our quota! Our goal this year is \$43,566.37 a decrease of \$2,340.63 from 2024. To date we have collected \$13,500, far below our quota. Please, please, please give to this worthy cause.



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Construction Update

Construction is going well. Next week, we will have pictures of updates to share along with a description of the progress to date. In the next few weeks, the scaffolding will come down partially to allow the new columns to be set. Ann Street and our parking lots will be partially blocked. We ask for your patience through this process.

As the year comes to a close, we ask that you check to see if you have met your 2025 pledge yet. If not, we kindly ask you to make good on your donation. Also, please prepare for your 2026 pledge. Thank you kindly for your continued support and prayers as we restore our Church to the glory it so richly deserves.

Donating Your RMD

If you are wondering what you can do with your Required Minimum Distribution. We have a solution. Please consider donating directly to our Bell Tower Fund or the Church General Fund. Individuals who are 70 1/2 years old or older, may instead of taking the full amount of your required minimum distribution from a taxable IRA, you are allowed to directly donate up to \$105,000 total to one or more qualified charities as a qualified charitable distribution (QCD) This may also result in a additional tax savings.

Our Stewardship

October 19th

Regular Collection	\$5,394.89
Renovation.....	1,151.15
School Support.....	170.00
Total.	\$6,716.04

Thank You!

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Benefiting Saint Stanislaus Kostka Parish

OVER 40 CHANCES TO WIN

\$100 DRAWING EVERY FRIDAY*

6 - \$500 DRAWINGS
FIRST \$500 DRAWING, NOV. 15TH CELEBRATING
THE FEAST OF ST. STANISLAUS KOSTKA

TICKETS ARE \$40.00

Tickets sold in the School & Church Offices
and after all Masses
*Drawing on Thursday, April 2nd due to Good Friday

License #002616

Please contact Kathy or Mary Kay at 219-872-1754 for tickets.

MISSIONARIES FOR LIFE PRESENTS

Ladies Tea Party

Admission \$15

A Baby Shower to benefit
SJE's **Walking with Moms in Need**
program and the **Women's Care Center**

NOVEMBER 02 2025 **AT 1 PM**

Celebrate the birth of our spiritually adopted babies with a Baby Shower Tea Party!
Please bring an unwrapped gift for the mothers and families in need in our community and at the Women's Care Center.
We will begin with a guest speaker in the Day Chapel at 1pm followed by tea in Trinity Hall.
Lunch will also be served.

Suggestions for Donations:

- Diapers, especially size 6
- Pull up Diapers
- Formula
- Boys and Girls clothing up to size 5T

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Cost: \$15 per person payable by checks made out to SJE. Mail in or drop off at parish office 11301 W 93rd Ave, St. John, IN 46373

Welcome to St. Stanislaus Catholic Church

Are you looking for a Parish to join? We welcome you to ours!! Become a member of the St. Stanislaus family. Do you need to update your information? Simply fill out the form below and place in the collection basket, or call the Parish Office at 219-879-9281.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____

SHARE OUR GIFTS THROUGH PRAYER, EDUCATION, AND STEWARDSHIP 219-879-9281