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MASS SCHEDULE- HORARIOS DE MISA

Weekend-fin de semana

Sunday/Domingo:

8:30 a.m. English/ Inglés

10:30 a.m. Spanish/ Español

Weekday-día laborable

Wednesday/Miércoles: 8:30 a.m. Bilingual

*Friday/ Viernes: 8:30 a.m. Bilingual

ADORATION- ADORACIÓN

Friday/Viernes: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon

*Fridays after 8:30 a.m. mass until 12:00 noon

CONFESSIONS- CONFESIONES

Sunday/ Domingo: 8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.

10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

and by Appointment (y concita previa).

ANOINTING- UNCIÓN

Please call the Parish Office-

Por favor llame a la Oficina Parroquial

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK- INTENCION DE LA MISA PARA LA SEMANA

Sunday/Domingo, November 16

8:30 a.m.

† Al Renda

† Anne Funchik

† John Protolipac

* For all the Sacred Heart Parishioners, living and the deceased /Por todos los Feligreses del Sagrado Corazon, vivos y los difuntos

10:30 a.m.

* Robin Schwartz Family, Spiritual help/ ayuda spiritual

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Wednesday/Miercoles, November 19

8:30 am

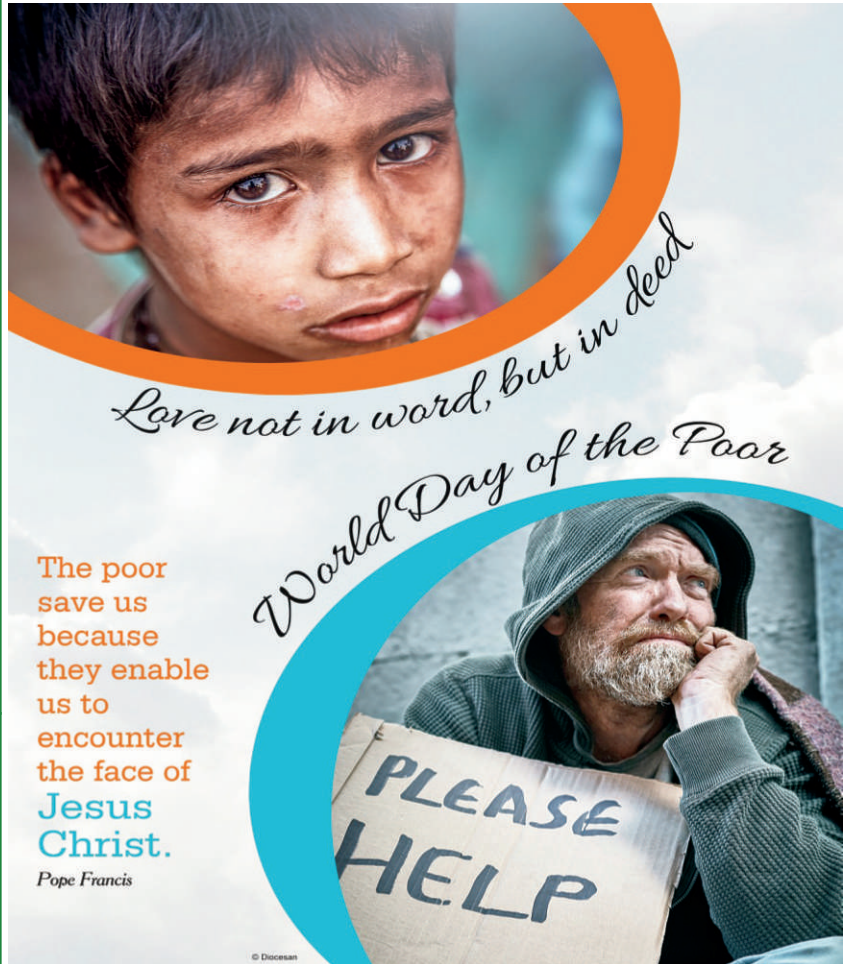
† Julius Funchik

Friday/Viernes, November 21

8:30 am

* Salvation of Souls/ salvación de las almas

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A MESSAGE FROM FR. JAY NUTHULAPATI UN MENSAJE DEL P. JAY NUTHULAPATI

The Theater is on Fire

The Danish philosopher, Søren Kierkegaard, tells the parable of a theater where a variety show is proceeding. Each act is more fantastic than the last, and each is applauded by the audience. Suddenly the manager appears on the stage, apologizing for the interruption. He announces at the top of his voice that the theater is on fire, and begs his patrons to leave the theatre immediately, without causing a commotion. The spectators think that it is the most amusing turn of the evening, and cheer thunderously. The manager again feverishly implores them to leave the burning building, and he is again applauded vigorously. At last, he can do no more. The fire races through the whole building engulfing the fun-loving audience with it. "And so," concludes Kierkegaard, "will our age, I sometimes think, go down in fiery destruction to the applause of a crowded house of cheering spectators". Today's readings warn us about a similar fate if we are not well prepared when the "Day of the Lord" dawns quite unexpectedly, marking the end of the world.

We live in a world of distractions—entertainment, comfort, busyness, even good things that can lull us into spiritual complacency. Like the theatergoers, we risk mistaking urgent calls to repentance for background noise. The Gospel warns us not to be caught off guard: "Stay awake, for you do not know on which day your Lord will come" (Matthew 24:42).

This is not a message of fear, but of love. God's warnings are not interruptions to our lives—they are invitations to deeper life. The fire is not inevitable. The door to safety is open. But we must choose to walk through it.

El Teatro está el Llamas

El filósofo danés Søren Kierkegaard narra la parábola de un teatro donde se representa un espectáculo de variedades. Cada acto es más fantástico que el anterior, y el público lo aplaude. De repente, el director aparece en el escenario, disculpándose por la interrupción. Anuncia a voz en cuello que el teatro está en llamas y ruega a los espectadores que abandonen el teatro inmediatamente, sin armar alboroto. Los espectadores, sorprendidos, lo consideran el momento más divertido de la noche y vitorean con entusiasmo. El director, de nuevo con vehemencia, les implora que abandonen el edificio en llamas, y recibe otro fuerte aplauso. Finalmente, no puede hacer nada más. El fuego se propaga rápidamente por todo el edificio, envolviendo al público. «Y así», concluye Kierkegaard, «a veces pienso que nuestra época se hundirá en una destrucción ardiente entre los aplausos de un teatro abarrotado de espectadores». Las lecturas de hoy nos advierten de un destino similar si no estamos bien preparados cuando el "Día del Señor" amanezca de forma inesperada, marcando el fin del mundo.

Vivimos en un mundo de distracciones: entretenimiento, comodidad, ajetreo, incluso cosas buenas que pueden adormecernos y llevarnos a la complacencia espiritual. Como los espectadores de teatro, corremos el riesgo de confundir los llamados urgentes al arrepentimiento con ruido de fondo. El Evangelio nos advierte que no nos dejemos sorprender: «Manténganse despiertos, porque no saben qué día vendrá su Señor» (Mateo 24:42).

Este no es un mensaje de temor, sino de amor. Las advertencias de Dios no son interrupciones en nuestras vidas, sino invitaciones a una vida más profunda. El fuego no es inevitable. La puerta a la salvación está abierta. Pero debemos elegir cruzarla.

"The Bible for Everyday Christians: Understanding and Sharing the Word of God"

Reading the Bible can feel overwhelming, confusing or intimidating. November 22 at St. Mary Hall (2002 Davidson Place, Whiting, Indiana) from 10-4:30 p.m. St. Mary's will host a seminar will help you move from uncertainty to confidence, and from information to transformation, as you learn to read and live the Scriptures within the life of the Church. Leading the seminar will be Deacon John Harden, director of small group programs for **Ascension Press** and Director of Catechesis and Evangelization for the **Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Parma**. Cost is \$25 and includes lunch. Register at stmarywhiting.org.

MISSION STATEMENT– NUESTRA MISIÓN

"Desiring to be and to make disciples, the members of Sacred Heart Parish seek to witness to the merciful love of Christ by embracing our call to missionary discipleship and by serving the needs of all those we encounter"

"Deseando ser y hacer discípulos, los miembros de la Parroquia del Sagrado Corazón buscan dar testimonio del amor misericordioso de Cristo al aceptar nuestro llamado al discipulado misionero y al satisfacer las necesidades de todos aquellos con quienes nos encontramos"

WEEKLY PARISH SUPPORT APOYO SEMANAL PARA LA PARROQUIA

For October 26, 2025:

Holy day & Sunday Collection-Colecta
de días festivos y domingos..... **\$1,767.00**

Second Collection– Segunda colecta
Total **\$1,767.00**

Thank you for your continued participation, support and donations. God bless us all!

Gracias por su continua participación, apoyo y donaciones. ¡Dios nos bendiga a todos!



Parish Goal— **\$17,456.99**
Amount Paid— **\$13,918.00**
Difference Goal
vs. Paid— **\$3,538.90**

Thank you for your continued participation, support and sacrificial giving. Please prayerfully consider a special gift to support and meet our goal this year 2025.

COMING IN NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER

November 22 -Dinner Fundraiser for less fortunate students
6:00 P.M., Sacred Heart Hall. Ticket Cost-\$25

November 27-Thanksgiving Mass, 8:30 A.M.

November 30- First Sunday of Advent

December 3-11 First Day of OLG Novena, 6:30 P.M.

December 8– Immaculate Conception Mass, 8:30 A.M.

December 12- OLG (Our Lady of Guadalupe) Feast
Mañanitas 5:00 A.M., Mass at 6:30 P.M.

December 14- Christmas Concert, 1:00 P.M., Sacred Heart

December 19– Advent Reconciliation, 6:30 P.M.

December 20- Posada, 6:00 P.M.

December 24- Christmas Eve Mass, 6:00 P.M.

December 25-Christmas Day Masses, 8:30 A.M.&10:30 A.M.

FILIPINO MASS (SIMBANG GABI)

Saturday, December 20th, 4:30 p.m.
Our Lady Queen of Martyrs- South Campus (formerly Our Lady of Consolation), Merrillville

SUNDAY READINGS:

First Reading: Malachi 3:19-20a

Psalm: 98:5-6, 7-8, 9

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12

Gospel Reading: Luke 21:5-19

**"You will be hated by all because of my name,
but not a hair on your head will be destroyed.**

By your perseverance you will secure your lives." Luke 29:19



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