

**Sunday, February 18, 2018**  
**First Sunday of Lent**  
**Mass Schedule**

**Monday, February 19**

5:30pm Ernie & Shirley Kolesiak (Cindy Romine)  
 Followed by Reconciliation

**Tuesday, February 20**

8:00am Sr. Anne Kihslinger (Bill & Gretchen Baldwin)

**Wednesday, February 21**

5:30pm Deceased Mountaineer Priests (Father Phil)

**Thursday, February 22**

5:30pm Special Intention/Father Phil  
 (Jack & Kathryn Stettler)  
 Followed by Reconciliation

**Friday, February 23**

8:00am Donna Keough (Bob & Ida List)

**Saturday, February 24**

5:00pm Sacred Heart Parishioners

**Sunday, February 25**

\*8:30am Heather Ross

\*11:00am Mary Louise Ryan (Krygier Family)

\*Rosary begins 25 minutes prior to Mass

**Sunday Collections / February 11, 2018**

**Collection Basket: \$12,540.50**

**Electronic Giving: \$675.00**

**Online Giving: \$1,085.50**

**Amount Needed Weekly: \$16,059.00**

**Unbudgeted Income: \$**

**YTD Amount Needed: \$529,947.00**

**YTD Income: \$542,001.22**

*Thank you to all parishioners who provided food, organized and served our Ash Wednesday Soup Supper! Your gifts of stewardship are very greatly appreciated!*

Please pray for: Mary Ann Secrest, Julie Couch  
 Please call Susan Armacost at the Parish Office if you wish to have your name, or a family member's name, added to the list of people suffering from illness or in need of spiritual or emotional support.  
 To all Parishioners: Please notify the Parish Office (267-5842) if you or a family member is hospitalized. Because of the Privacy Act, we are no longer notified by the hospital about parishioners who are in the hospital.

**RCIA Topic of the Week: Holy Orders**  
**February 19/ 6:30pm.**  
**All parishioners are invited.**



*Sacred Heart Community Meal*

*February 20 5:30-7:00pm*

*Sacred Heart Gym All Are Welcome!*

**Religious Education News...February 18:**

K-Confirmation 2019: 9:30-10:40am

Confirmation 2018: 6:30-8:00pm

CROSS: 6-8pm at Stone's

Saturday, February 24: Grade 4 Retreat 2:30-6:00pm

*Your Prayers are requested for.....*

- All those individuals on our prayer list.
- Husband undergoing emergency tests. Prayers for good results.
- The repose of the soul of Nelle Heimam and prayers for the family,
- Father's speedy recovery.
- God's blessings on our RCIA.
- All those who have received prayer blankets.
- Our twinning parish, St. Nicolas, and the people in Haiti.

*Please call Sue Wamsley 574-306-8928 with prayer requests. If you prefer, you can text her the prayer request or email to: [albertawamsley@gmail.com](mailto:albertawamsley@gmail.com)*

**Calendar**

**Monday, February 19**

6:30pm RCIA

**Tuesday, February 20**

9:30am Bible Study

5:30pm Sacred Heart Community Meal

7:00pm Board of Education Meeting

**Wednesday, February 21**

1:00-5:45pm Eucharistic Adoration – Chapel

6:30pm Stations of the Cross

7:00pm Parish Council Meeting

**Thursday, February 22**

6:30pm Choir

7:00pm Light Weigh Orientation – Living Well Center

**Friday, February 23**

4:30pm K of C Fish Fry – K of C Building

**We are greatly in need of families and individuals to host The Calling Cup for 2018.**

This ministry was started by Monsignor Wolf several years ago and we would like it to continue. Our country and diocese greatly need more priests.

Sign up in the Gathering Space or online

[Sacredheart-warsaw.org](http://Sacredheart-warsaw.org)

Click on **Church**, then **Ministries**, then **The Calling Cup**

**Stewardship**

**Corner**

*God pursues you as though you were His only child, you are important to God and His kingdom. Be faithful as though you are His only child, seek Him as He seeks you, and give of your time, talent and*

*treasure to the building of the kingdom*



**On Wednesday, February 28th from 6:00-8:00 p.m. every Catholic parish in the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend will have confessions available.**

If you or someone you know has been reluctant to come to the sacrament, has been away for some time, or just finds it difficult to get to a confession time, this is a wonderful opportunity to reconnect with Christ and his Church. *Who will you invite?*

Learn more at: [www.diocesefwsb.org/Light](http://www.diocesefwsb.org/Light).

**Sacred Heart School Now Enrolling for the 2018-2019 School Year!**

PreK3-6th Grades

Extended-Day Care Available

School Choice Scholarships/Vouchers Available for those who qualify

**Come and experience our spiritual and academic excellence!**

Please check out our ad on the back of the bulletin. **Contact the school office @ 574-267-5874 for information on our school and a personalized tour.**

**A Lent to Remember**

A video-based study on FORMED.ORG.

Follow the weekly schedule guideline at home and/or join us in the gym between Masses for discussion.

Feb. 18: Week One – Where Are You?

What are we to do with guilt? Should it be ignored, or does it present an opportunity we don't want to miss? The truth is, God seeks us out when we have sinned, not to scold or punish us, but to offer us His healing and His forgiveness. It's certainly true that God is omnipotent and just, but before all else He is our loving, merciful Father.



**FIRST WEEK OF LENT ENCOUNTER MAJD**

In Iraq, we encounter Majd and his family, people forced to flee violence, searching for stability. How are we called to welcome the stranger in our midst? How can you support those, worldwide, who are forced to flee their homes to find safety or better opportunities? Visit [csrricebowl.org](http://csrricebowl.org) for more.



*From the Pastor*

Great topics for Lent can be found on FORMED.ORG. If you haven't already registered, go to [sacredheartwarsaw.formed.org](http://sacredheartwarsaw.formed.org) and fill in your own personal login information. Some suggested topics are: Watch: *Brother Francis: He is Risen!* Listen: *Three Days that Changed the World* Read: *How to be Holy* Study: *Echo*

**Light Weigh One King Orientation February 22, 7:00pm, Living Well Center**

Light Weigh One King is a 12-week Bible Study – DVD program designed to help those who struggle with dieting/food or other temptations. The program is recommended by parish nurses and doctors for weight-loss & health and was chosen by Prevention Magazine as a safe and healthy faith-based diet. New research shows church-based meetings increase people's weight-loss success. There are no weigh-ins. For more information or questions, please call Fran Fleagle (574-858-9800).

*Each Wednesday during Lent, Eucharistic Adoration will end with the repose of the Blessed Sacrament at 5:45pm.*

Due to the rapid rise in cases of the flu, for the next several weeks we will be omitting shaking of hands during the sign of peace. Please feel free to smile, nod, and offer a verbal sign of peace. For the same reason, we will also not be offering the Chalice at Communion time at Masses. If you are scheduled to be an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion in February, we will only need 3 in addition to Fr. Matthias.

*Ladies of the parish: The Sacred Heart Women of Grace will be manning the dessert table at the Knights of Columbus Fish Frys each Friday during Lent. All proceeds go to purchase items for Mass, the altar, and the church. Sign up in the Gathering Space or contact Rae Hillard 574-267-5802.*

**You Can Lend a Hand 2018 Coupon Books on Sale for only \$3**



Proceeds benefit

Sacred Heart School

Coupons for Burger King, Chili's, Science Central, Fort Wayne Comets, and Fort Wayne Tin Caps

Booklets will be sold in the SCRIP Office after Masses on Saturday 5:00PM and Sunday 11:00AM and the School Office during the week.

