



St. Isidore Catholic Parish

St. Raphael Church

5564 E. St. Raphael St.
Dubois, IN 47527

St. Celestine Church

6864 E. State Road 164
Celestine, IN 47521

**Parish office is located at
the Celestine campus**

Mailing address:

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Office Hours:

Mon: 8-12

Tues. Weds. Thurs. 8-4

Friday: Closed

*Regular Mass times are listed.
Check Mass Intentions for any changes.*

Saturday 4:30pm - SC

Sunday 8:00am - SC

10:00am - SR

Tuesday 6:30pm - SC

Wednesday 8:00am - SR

Thursday 8:00am - SR

Friday 8:00am - SC

6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He said to him, "See that you tell no one anything, but go, show yourself to the priest and offer for your cleansing what Moses prescribed; that will be proof for them." The man went away and began to publicize the whole matter. He spread the report abroad so that it was impossible for Jesus to enter a town openly. - Mk 1:44-45b

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Mission Statement

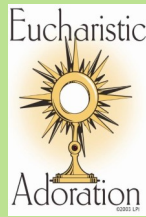
We, the parish of St. Isidore,
witness to the world the love of Christ
we have received in the Sacraments,
and we invite others to personally
experience the Grace of God through prayer,
acts of service, and spiritual formation.

Mass cancellations are made by Flocknote -
the St. Isidore text and email service.

Weekly Eucharistic Adoration

Mondays: 6am - 9pm St. Raphael
 Fridays: 4pm - 9pm St. Celestine

We invite you to spend an hour
 (or any time you have) with Jesus!



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2024

Tuesday, June 4 through
 Friday, June 7

Countdown to a fun week at
 VBS!

Registration will be sent out in April along with
 Religious Education forms.



Celestine Elementary School Things



There is a photobook being
 put together from the Cel-
 estine Elementary School.
 If you have a picture of your
 family, class, or children
 that you would like to be in

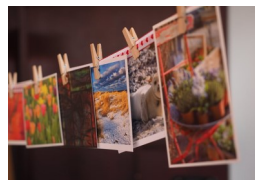
the photobook you can have them added. Any photos
 or questions can be sent to Valerie Schmitt at
schmittphotography@yahoo.com

OTHER NEWS:

● **2023 CONTRIBUTION LETTERS** to those having
 donated more than \$250 in the past year have
 been mailed out to parishioners. Please call the
 office if you have any questions.

● **DIVINE MERCY Fish Fry** will be held on Friday,
 February 23.

CARD SHOWER



We're having a card shower for Alisha
 Gehlhausen! Please send cards of encouragement,
 laughter and prayers. Alisha has been in the hospital
 since Nov. 14.

Send cards to: **Alisha Gehlhausen**
 540 North 1025 East, Celestine, IN 47521

St. Isidore Weekly Schedule

Saturday, February 10

- ◆ 3:45pm - Reconciliation - SC
- ◆ 4:30pm - Mass - SC

Sunday, February 11

- ◆ 7:30am - Reconciliation - SC
- ◆ 8am - Mass - SC
- ◆ 9am - SVDP - SC
- ◆ 9:30am - Reconciliation - SR
- ◆ 10am - Mass - SR

Monday, February 12

- ◆ 6am-9pm Adoration -SR

Tuesday, February 13

- ◆ 6pm - Reconciliation - SC
- ◆ 6:30pm - Mass- SC
- ◆ 7pm - SVDP- SR
- ◆ 7:15pm- K of C meeting- SC

Wednesday, February 14

- ◆ 6:45am - Mass - SR
- ◆ 12pm- Mass- SC
- ◆ 6pm- Youth Choir Practice -SC
- ◆ NO Religious Ed Class 7-12
- ◆ 7pm- Mass- SC

Thursday, February 15

- ◆ 8am - Mass- SR

Friday, February 16

- ◆ 7:30am - Reconciliation - SC
- ◆ 8am - Mass-SC
- ◆ 4:30pm- Rel. Ed. Fish Fry- Celestine Club
- ◆ 4-9pm - Adoration - SC

Saturday, February 17

- ◆ 3:45pm - Reconciliation - SC
- ◆ 4:30pm - Mass - SC

Sunday, February 18

- ◆ 7:30am - Reconciliation - SC
- ◆ 8am - Mass - SC
- ◆ 9am- Lenten Series- SC hall
- ◆ 9:30am - Reconciliation - SR
- ◆ 10am - Mass - SR
- ◆ 12:30pm- Baptism- SR



Mark Your Calendars:



Ordination of Caleb Scherzinger

Sat., June 22 ~ Ordination at St. Benedict Cathedral

Sun., June 23 at 3pm ~ First Mass at St. Celestine

Dinner held at the Celestine Community Club.

More details coming soon.

MASS SCHEDULE/INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 10/St. Scholastica
 4:30pm Living & Deceased members of the
 Vic & Viola Sander family

Sunday, February 11/Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 8:00am † Betty Hassfurther @ SC
 10:00am St. Isidore @ SR

Monday, February 12/Weekday
 NO Mass
 6am-9pm Adoration @ SR

Tuesday, February 13/Weekday
 6:30pm † Judith Schnell @ SC

Wednesday, February 14/Ash Wednesday
 6:45am † Phyllis Fischer @ SR
 12:00pm † Bernie Schroeder @ SC
 7:00pm † Margie Schepers @ SC

Thursday, February 15/Thurs. after Ash Wednesday
 8:00am † Deceased members of the Seng family @ SR

Friday, February 16/Friday after Ash Wednesday
 8:00am † Kris Blessinger @ SC

Saturday, February 17/Sat. after Ash Wednesday
 4:30pm St. Isidore @ SC

Sunday, February 18/First Sunday of Lent
 8:00am † Delphine Knies @ SC
 10:00am † Frances Heeke Goodman @ SR

Diocese Fiscal year begins July 1, 2023	
Year-to-Date Budget.....	\$309,349
Year-to-Date Actual.....	\$287,352
Year-to-Date Difference.....	\$21,997
Weekly Goal.....	\$9,979
Feb. 3, 2024	
4:30pm.....	260
Feb. 4, 2024	
8:00am.....	238
10:00am.....	190
Feb. 3/4 Direct Deposit.....	\$4,390
Feb. 3/4 Envelopes/Loose.....	\$7,593
Feb. 3/4 Total Collection.....	\$11,983



PRAYER REQUESTS

If you would like to submit a name please call the Parish Office or Patty Englert. Names will be removed after 2 months unless resubmitted. If you or a loved one would like a sick visit while in the hospital or at home, please call the Parish Office.

Ethan Brown	Jack Goodman	Gerald Vonderheide
Sandy Heeke	Betty Beckman	Gerry Heeke
Kelly Friedman	Cecilia Betz	Tom & Shirley Welp
Mary Ann Rasche	Fred Lindauer	Alisha Gehlhausen
Ardella Pieper	Kade Mundy	Kathy Messmer
Clyde Melton	Logan Steckler	Jim Leistner
Stan Stetter	Ray Lueken	Connor Roberts
Ed & Anna Knebel	Marie Beckman	Kenny Hochgesang
Frances Knies	Keith Freyberger	
Jiggs Pieper	Annette Schepers	

Prayer Line Contact: Patty Englert @ 630-3548 or tpcmenglert@frontier.com

For Your Information

Pastor: Father John Pfister-812-634-1875
 jpfister@evdio.org
 Deacon:..... Deacon Mike Seibert- 812-482-1886
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Finance Chair Kelly Knies
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Parish Nurse..... Keri Witte (812)661-2328

Child Protection Services (800)800-5556

Victim Assistance Coordinator Diocese(866)200-3004

Baptism:

Anyone wishing to baptize their first child must first attend a baptismal class offered by the parish. Arrangements can be made by calling the parish office. This can be done anytime during the pregnancy. IMPORTANT! Before choosing your godparent, please call the office and learn about the qualifications of a godparent.

Marriage:

Please call the parish office as soon as you have a date you would like considered. The couple must call at least 8 months prior to the date to set up marriage preparations.

Reconciliation:

You can celebrate the sacrament of reconciliation:

Weekend: 3:45-4:15pm Saturday at St. Celestine
 7:30-8:00am Sunday at St. Celestine
 9:30-10:00am Sunday at St. Raphael

Weekday: 6:00-6:30pm Tuesday at St. Celestine
 7:30-8:00am Wednesday at St. Raphael
 7:30-8:00am Friday at St. Celestine

The bulletin will be submitted to the printer on the Monday afternoon prior to the weekend. All items must be to the parish office by 10am on Monday.

If you have a change of address or phone number, or would like to join our parish, please let us know!

Thank
you!



The Celestine Community Club cooks served an outstanding meal!



Saint Isidore Parish Council and Staff gives a sincere **THANK YOU!** to all those who joined us in person or through our Reverse Raffle on Saturday. We had a great turnout and an amazing amount of funds raised for the students of St. Isidore! Keep an eye out in the next few weeks for a total income from the event.



CELESTINE COMMUNITY SPRING YARD SALES

The Celestine Community Spring Yard Sales will be held April 25-27.

If planning to having a sale, please contact Kristy Buechler at 812-481-2251 no later than Monday, April 22 in order to get your location on the map. Thanks!

Fish Fry Help Needed

Volunteers are needed from parents and teenagers for our Fish Fry on Friday, February 16 at the Celestine Community Club. We also need Cherry Delights prepared for the Fish Fry.

Call Brooke at 812-351-1800 or email Brooke at batkins@evdio.org for more information.

Teenager donated hours qualify for Confirmation service requirements.

Family of the Month

The Good Shepherd of the Hills K of C Council has selected Fred and Therese Wessel for the Family of the Month for February to thank them for their continued service to our Parish and our local community.

Bus Trip to EWTN/Hanceville Shrine

WTJW 93.1 FM Catholic Radio is taking a bus trip to EWTN and the Hanceville Shrine, June 12-14 (Wed-Fri). We will be in the audience for Fr. Mitch Pacwa's LIVE TV show on Wed. evening. Thursday will be at the Hanceville Shrine and activities include: Mass in the Main Church, a spiritual talk, and a Eucharistic healing service with plenty of time for visiting their excellent Gift Shop. You can also visit the tomb of Mother Angelica in the lower level of the Church. For a flyer with all the details, call the radio station at 812-556-0552 and leave your name/number. This will be a wonderful spiritual pilgrimage and we hope and pray you can join us! Your hosts, Steve and Linda Luegers

OUT OF DARKNESS, INTO THE LIGHT

Lord Jesus, Master of both the light and darkness, send your Holy Spirit upon our congregation. Help each and every one of us to be extra aware of friends, relatives, and even strangers who might benefit from extra attention, prayer, and friendship. Stretch us to become better disciples, not forgetting that the needs of suffering, loneliness, and life's challenges can be hard to endure. They may be a little more bearable when supported by a Stephen Minister. The role of Stephen Ministers is to give care as they listen, empathize, encourage, pray, and provide emotional and spiritual support on a weekly basis to hurting people for as long as the need persists. God works in and through them to bring hope and healing. If you are feeling lonely, experiencing a crisis, struggling through a difficult time, or simply stressed by everyday life, talk with one of our Stephen Leaders to learn more about Stephen Ministry:

Deacon Mike Seibert 812-482-1886
Carla Buechler 812-630-6217
Brenda Ferguson 812-639-1201

ST. ISIDORE PARISH

FISH DINNERS

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Drive thru only, held at the
Celestine Community Club ~ Celestine

\$12
plate



Lg. Fish Fillet
Homestyle Round Bread
German Fries
Green Beans
Vinegar Slaw

Cherry Delight Included

Celestine Community Club
7742 E. Ellsworth Rd.
Celestine, IN
4:30pm till 6:30pm
or until sold out

Drive-thru ONLY
till 600 plates are gone

Proceeds benefit the Religious Education Program

Thank you for supporting our religious education
program at St. Isidore Catholic Parish

Youth Information

TEENS ENCOUNTER CHRIST

The next Teens Encounter Christ Retreat weekend is coming up February 17-19. All Juniors and Seniors in high school or college students are encouraged to attend. This is a free weekend! St. Isidore pays your \$50 fee. Applications can be found on our website or talk to Craig. Adults are always needed and welcome to attend TEC as well. Reach out to Craig for more information.



SOURCE & SUMMIT

All students ages 13-18 are invited to join us March 8-10 for Source & Summit in Evansville. This three day retreat is themed around the Eucharist. The cost of this retreat is \$40 for the first student and \$35 for each additional sibling. This retreat will count for all Confirmation points for any students working on Confirmation Service Hours. Permission Slips can be found on our Website. Deadline to sign up is February 20th.

CATHOLIC HEART WORKCAMP

Registration is now open for our trip to Catholic Heart Workcamp in Knoxville, TN June 23-28. Join us for an amazing week of service, free time, games, music, and community. All students entering 8th grade through college are encouraged to sign up. We are needing 4 adult chaperones. Reach out to Craig to learn more about these free chaperone spots.



Parish Bus Trip to Madison and Oldenburg May 1, 2024

Plan to join us for our 17th St. Isidore Parish bus trip to Madison and Oldenburg, Indiana, which will take place on Wednesday, May 1, 2024. We will depart from St. Raphael Church at 8:00 a.m. and, about two hours later, we'll arrive in the scenic Ohio River town of Madison which boasts the largest contiguous National Historic Landmark District in the U.S. The coach will park at the Madison Visitor's Center, and we'll have about 1½ hours of free time there. Some of your options include: touring the Lanier Mansion (part of the Indiana State Museum) or another historic home, touring the Lanthier Winery and Distillery, strolling along Main and nearby streets to see some of the historic buildings, searching for a unique item in one of the many shops, visiting an art gallery, enjoying a drink in a cafe, walking along the riverfront or just sitting on a park bench watching the barges on the Ohio River pass by. Then we'll drive approximately one more hour to Oldenburg known as the Village of Spires, where the German heritage will immediately be evident. Our first stop in Oldenburg will be at the Brau Haus restaurant where we will have a prepaid fried chicken dinner. Then we will travel only a few blocks to the Sisters of St. Francis convent. Four Sisters who will serve as our tour guides will be waiting to greet us in the chapel. Then we will be divided into four smaller groups for a tour of the motherhouse. On our return trip, we'll drive through Clifty Falls State Park to the Clifty Inn. The restaurant will be open if you'd like to purchase a meal or a snack at your own expense. The inn also offers a very good view of the Ohio River from a high vantage point. We plan to arrive back in Dubois at about 8:00 p.m. The cost of the trip will be \$90 per person. Of this amount, \$50 will be non-refundable, but transferable. For further information and/or to reserve seats for yourself (and your guests) for this excursion, please contact Clara Fromme (812.639.9327) or Dorothy Rasche (812.678.3001) by March 17. Your deposit of \$50 per person may be mailed to Clara at 2977 E Jasper Dubois Road, Jasper, Indiana 47546. (If seats remain, the trip will be opened to non-parishioners after March 17.)

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LITURGICAL ROLES ST. ISIDORE PARISH

	Eucharistic Ministers	Ushers	Greeters	Servers	Lector	Sacristan	Music
St. Raphael Wednesday February 14 6:45am	Janice Betz Margaret Gehlhausen	Margaret Gehlhausen VOLUNTEER		VOLUNTEER	Terry Friedman	Pat Seger	
St. Celestine Wednesday February 14 12:00pm	Judy Senninger Eddie Reckelhoff Glenda Reckelhoff	VOLUNTEER VOLUNTEER VOLUNTEER	Fred & Therese Wessel Joel Johnson Betty Kleinhelter	Mike Vogler	Glenda Reckelhoff	Judy Senninger	
St. Celestine Wednesday February 14 7:00pm	Judy Senninger VOLUNTEER VOLUNTEER	VOLUNTEER VOLUNTEER VOLUNTEER	Martha Goepfrich Rick & Marlene Vonderheide Lisa Hohler	Avery S.	Ashley Gessner	Teresa Betz	Hannah Staub Lisa Wagner Youth Choir
St. Celestine Saturday February 17 4:30pm	Denise Buechler Judy Senninger Stan Goodman Karla Goodman Janell Pfau Lacey Fischer	Alex Pund Dale Knies Sherry Schnell	Suzanne Neukam Dave & Shirley Schmitt Jeff & Jamie Betz	Zachary B. Isaiah G.	Jill Krampe	Judy Senninger	TBD
St. Celestine Sunday February 18 8:00am	Angie Hochgesang Nancy Schroering Kay Schroeder Sharon Reckelhoff Janie Betz Diane Knies	Nathan Beyke Brian Thompson Chris Bieker	Andy & Heather Lindauer family Melinda Beyke Chris & Kelly Bieker family	Kaden B. Nigel T.	Grant Knies	Michael Tretter	Traci Catt
St. Raphael Sunday February 18 10:00am	Sabrina Harris Jennifer Mendel Lori Merkley Sarah Danhafer	Ian Denu Joe DeKemper Clara Fromme	Sabrina Harris	Halle D. Heidi S.	Matthew Wagner	Audrey Denu	Sherrie Knies TBD

Weekend Homebound Minister: Helen Beyke 812-678-2434