

St. Joseph Catholic Church

~ LaGrange, IN ~



Diocese of
Fort Wayne-South Bend



Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary ~ July 12th, 2026

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

- Tuesday and Wednesday from 4:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. & 4:30 to 8 p.m.
- **Monday & Friday CLOSED!**

CONFESSIONS

WEEKEND

- Saturday from 6:15 p.m. until last penitent.
- Sunday from 11:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

WEEKDAYS

- Tuesday & Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 9:20 a.m.
- Thursday from 10:15 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.
and from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

- By appointment.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

- Thursday from 10 a.m. to 6:15 p.m.

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND MASSES

- Saturday English Vigil Mass at 5 p.m.
- Sunday English Mass at 10 a.m.
- Sunday Spanish Mass at 12:30 p.m.

WEEKDAYS MASSES

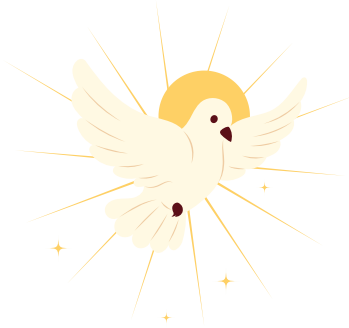
- Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday (English) at 9:30 a.m.
- Thursday (Spanish) at 6:30 p.m.

MASSES WITH THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

- **ENGLISH:** First Wednesday of the month
at 9:30 a.m. with Litany to St. Joseph.
- **SPANISH:** First Thursday of the month at 6:30 p.m.

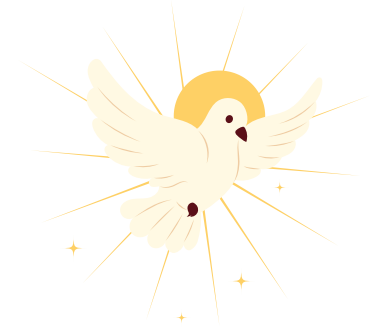
ENGLISH MASS DEDICATED TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

- First Friday of the month
with litany at the end at 9:30 a.m.

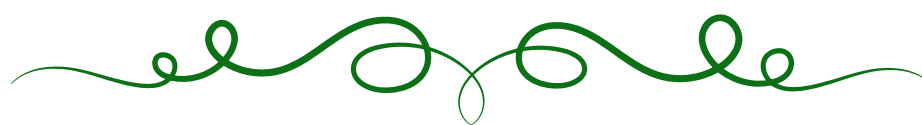


Spiritual Drop from our Pastor

XV Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 12, 2026



God knows each of His children very well and is fully aware of the capacity each of us has; that is why Jesus does not ask more of us than we can give. He knows that some can give 30%, others 20%, others 50%, and still others 100%. In the spiritual life, it is very important that we discover what God is asking us to give and what capacity we were created with, because we are not all the same. St. Thomas Aquinas had a different capacity than St. Carlo Acutis, but both are saints, and that is what really matters. Therefore, the challenge is to discover what God is calling us to do and to give the full percentage for which we were created. If you're a good cook and that's the only thing you know how to do, do it with love. If you speak 10 languages, don't boast about it—instead, put them to work for the common good. If you're a great scientist, put your knowledge to work for the good of others. The important thing is that you do it with love, because that is where your life will find meaning. If you were created to give 30%, you must give that 30%; it's not fair that you give only 10% or 20%. God will ask you for an account of what He has given you, not of what He has not given you. God loves you with infinite tenderness.



Dios conoce muy bien a cada uno de sus hijos y sabe perfectamente la capacidad que cada uno de nosotros tiene. Es por eso por lo que Jesús no nos pide más de lo que podemos dar. Sabe que unos pueden dar 30%, otros 20%, otros 50% y otros 100 %. En la vida espiritual es muy importante que descubramos qué es lo que Dios nos pide que demos y para qué capacidad fuimos hechos porque no todos somos iguales. Santo Tomás de Aquino tenía una capacidad distinta a la de San Carlos Acutis, pero los dos son santos y esto es lo que en realidad importa. Por lo tanto, el reto es descubrir a qué nos llama Dios y dar todo el porcentaje para lo cual fuimos creados. Si sabes cocinar bien y es lo único que sabes hacer, hazlo con amor. Si sabes hablar 10 idiomas, no presumas de ello sino más bien ponlos al servicio del bien. Si eres un gran científico, pon tu conocimiento al servicio del bien de los demás. Lo importante es que lo hagas con amor porque ahí tu vida encontrará sentido. Si fuiste creado para dar el 30% debes dar ese 30%, no es justo que solo des el 10% o el 20%.

Dios te pedirá cuanta de lo que te ha dado, no de lo que no te ha dado.

Dios te ama con ternura infinita.



Fr. Osman Ramos, FM

Pastor





PARROQUIA SAN ANTONIO DE PADUA



TE INVITA



AL

Retiro de

PAREJAS

CASADAS, NO CASADAS Y NOVIOS

Los días 24 de Julio de 5:30pm a 9:00PM
y 25 de Julio De 8:00AM a 9:00PM

Donación
\$120
por pareja

INCLUYE
TODAS LAS COMIDAS
FOTOGRAFIA DE RECUERDO
CERTIFICADO DE PARTICIPACIÓN
REGALO SORPRESA



Registro en línea



"A dónde tú vayas, yo iré; dónde quiera que tú vivas, yo viviré."
(Ruth 1, 16)

Habrà: Desayuno, almuerzo, cena, cuidado de niños, tiempo de Oración, Santa Misa
y adoración al Santísimo

CONFERENCISTAS INVITADOS



Hermana María Eugenia



Sra. Aleyda Guzmán



Diacono Fred Everett y
su esposa Lisa



Hermana Sara María

¡RESERVA TU LUGAR!

ANGOLA

Cesar Cruz (260)6670502
Ana Ayala (260)319-1103
Julissa Reyna (260)699-3031
Oficina (260)669-2899

LAGRANGE

Salvador Nieves (260)336-0750
Alma Nieves (260)585-4625
Oficina (260)463-3472

700 W MAUMEE ST, ANGOLA, IN 46703

WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Date and Mass Time	Altar Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Lay Ministers	Ushers
Saturday, July 18 th at 5:00 p.m.	- Fatima Hurtado - Isa & Regina Ballines	Ruben Jr Hurtado	Dolly North	- Necie Bejasa - Aaron Stroup
Sunday, June 19 th at 10:00 a.m.	- Gaby Medina - Renata Nieto	Mandy McDonald	Edwina Payne	Maria & Alejandro Medina
Domingo 19 de julio a las 12:30 p.m.	- Ariana Garcia - David Granados - Max Gonzalez	- Sofia Ceballos - Norma Albor	Celia Rodriguez	- Julian Barajas - Ruben Barajas - Enrique Barajas - Alejandro Flores

REGULAR COLLECTION REPORT



Saturday & Sunday	\$3,026.00
Franciscans of Mary	\$98.00
Celiling repair	\$500.00
Votives	\$53.00
Charity Box	\$20.00
Baptism donations	\$200.00
Peter Pence	\$31.00
Picnic collection	\$200.00
Venezuela Aid	\$1,976.00
Flowers	\$355.00

Total:
\$6,459.00

Thank you for your Contribution!



The Parish Office will be open on Tuesday, July 14th from 8am to 2pm **CLOSED** in the afternoon.

On Wednesday and Thursday, it will be open during its regular hours.

La oficina parroquial estará abierta el martes 14 de julio de 8am a 2pm **CERRADA** por la tarde.

El miércoles y jueves, estará abierto en su horario regular.



† Mass Intentions of July

**Wednesday, July 1st**

- 9:30 a.m. For the living & deceased members of the Knights of Columbus

Thursday, July 2nd

- 9:30 a.m. Adam Brady
- 6:30 p.m. +Gabriel Aguilar

Friday, July 3rd

- 9:30 a.m. Ana Lucia Nieves (B-day)

Saturday, July 4th

- 5:00 p.m. Dolly North

Sunday, July 5th

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. +Gilberto Barajas

Tuesday, July 7th

- 9:30 a.m. +George Gregus Jr.

Wednesday, July 8th

- 9:30 a.m. Luis Enrique Flores (B-day)

Thursday, July 9th

- 9:30 a.m. For the spiritual health of Inocencia Gonzalez
- 6:30 p.m. +Gabriel Aguilar

Saturday, July 11th

- 5:00 p.m. +Joseph Botteron

Sunday, July 12th

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. +Nestor Rodriguez

Tuesday, July 14th

- 9:30 a.m. Adrian Montoya (B-day)

Wednesday, July 15th

- 9:30 a.m. +Fidel Sanchez & Aurora Aguilar

Thursday, July 16th

- 9:30 a.m. +Billy Gregus
- 6:30 p.m. +Gabriela Perez Salinas

Saturday, July 18th

- 5:00 p.m. Pedro Hurtado (B-day)

Sunday, July 19th

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. +Ulises Rodriguez

Tuesday, July 21st

- 9:30 a.m. +Richard & +Charlene Miller

Wednesday, July 22nd

- 9:30 a.m. +Dolores Ulaszek

Thursday, July 23rd

- 9:30 a.m. Alexandra Landay (B-day)
- 6:30 p.m. Rosarura Nieves (B-day)

Saturday, July 25th

- 5:00 p.m. For the living & deceased of Jim & Diane Christie family

Sunday, July 26th

- 10:00 a.m. Fr. Jorge Sis, FM (B-day)
- 12:30 p.m. Por los feligreses de la parroquia.

Tuesday, July 28th

- 9:30 a.m. Dagoberto Alfaro (B-day)

Wednesday, July 29th

- 9:30 a.m. Ruben Hurtado (B-day)

Thursday, July 30th

- 9:30 a.m. +Lilian Gregus
- 6:30 p.m. +Aurora Perez



Parents and Grandparents get kids ready to embark on a wild, creature-filled adventure at Rainforest Falls where kids learn that God is Creator, All-knowing, our Refuge, Love, and Forever.

RAINFOREST FALLS

Monday, July 20-
Thursday, July 23rd.
6:00 PM- 8:00 PM

Call the parish office to register
260-854-3100

Exploring The Nature of God

**St. Gaspar Parish
in Rome City, IN**

Invites you to bring your kids to their vacation Bible school From July 20th through July 23rd Children ages 3 and up are welcome!

To sign up please call

**St. Gaspar parish office at
(260) 854- 3100**

**La Parroquia de San Gaspar
en Rome City, IN**

Te invita a traer a tus hijos a su escuela bíblica de verano del 20 al 23 de julio

¡Los niños a partir de 3 años en adelante son bienvenidos!

Para inscribirte, llama a la oficina de la parroquia de San Gaspar al (260) 854-3100

Birthday Party



Fiesta de Cumpleaños

Celebration of Fr. Jorge Sis, FM's Birthday

Sunday, July 26 at 2 p.m.
in the social hall; both communities
are invited to join us in celebrating
Father's birthday.

Please bring a dessert to share.
We look forward to seeing you there!

Celebración del cumpleaños del P. Jorge Sis, FM

El domingo 26 de julio a las 2 p.m. en el
salón parroquial; ambas comunidades de
ingles y español estamos invitados a
unirnos a celebrar al Padre Jorge su
cumpleaños. ¡Los esperamos!

Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel!

On Thursday, July 16th

at 9:30 a.m. during Mass, there will be
a blessing of scapulars and an imposition
ceremony for those who have not yet had
a scapular imposed by a priest.



El jueves 16 de julio

en la Misa de español de 6:30pm se hará
la bendición de escapularios e imposición
para los que no se los ha impuesto algún
sacerdote aún.

¡Fiesta de Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo!

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



ANUNCIOS DE LA PARROQUIA

Sunday, July 26th

- Fr. Jorge's birthday celebration with both communities English & Spanish at 2pm in the Social hall. Please bring a dessert to share. All are welcome!

Week of July 28th to August 20th

- Registration will open for the 2026–2027 for our Religious Education program.

Sunday, August 2nd

- Parish Summer Festival from 1:30pm to 4pm in the Pavillion of the Church.
- Let's have a great time together both Communities English & Spanish.
- We will have music, food and much more...

Wednesday, August 5th

- Anointing of the sick during 9:30am English Mass with Litany to St. Joseph at the end.

Friday, August 7th

- 9:30am – English Mass in honor to the Sacred Heart of Jesus with litany at the end.

Saturday, August 15th

- Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This year is NOT a Holy Day of Obligation.
- All weekend Masses will celebrated at their regular schedule.

Weekend of August 29th & 30th

- Special collection at all Masses to support Catholic University of America.

Monday, September 7th

- Labor day

Sunday, September 13th

- Religious Education classes start.
- All students MUST register, even if they attended last year.

Lakeland Jr. - Sr. High School has an opening job

- Guidance office Secretary
- Part Time - Salary range \$17 per hour
- 8 hrs. per day /205 days per school year.
- To apply and more details about the job please visit: www.lakelandlakers.org

El fin de semana del 24 y 25 de julio

- Retiro de matrimonios, parejas y novios en la parroquia de San Antonio en Angola. Para inscribirse pueden hacerlo en la Oficina Parroquial o con Alma y Salvador Nieves.

Domingo, 26 de julio

- Celebración del cumpleaños del P. Jorge con ambas comunidades de inglés y español a las 2pm en el salón parroquial. ¡Todos estan invitados!

Semana del 28 de julio al 20 de agosto

- Comienzan las inscripciones para el curso 2026-2027 de nuestro programa de Educación Religiosa.

Domingo, 2 de agosto

- Fiesta de verano de la parroquia, de 1:30pm a 4pm en el pabellón de la iglesia.
- Les invitamos a pasar un rato agradable ambas comunidades de ingles y español.
- Tendremos musica, comida y mucho más...

Jueves 6 de agosto

- Unción de los enfermos durante la Misa en Español de 6:30pm.

Viernes 7 de agosto

- 9:30am – Misa en inglés en honor al Sagrado Corazón de Jesús con letínata al final.

Sábado, 15 de agosto

- Solemnidad de la Asunción de la Santísima Virgen María. Este año NO es un día de precepto.
- Todas las Misas del fin de semana se celebran en su horario regular.

Domingo 30 de agosto

- Colecta especial en todas las Misas para apoyar a la Universidad Católica de América.

Lunes 7 de septiembre

- Día del Trabajo

Domingo, 13 de septiembre

- Comienzan las clases de educación religiosa.
- Todos los estudiantes DEBEN estar inscritos, incluso si asistieron el año pasado.

La escuela de Lakeland Jr. - Sr. High School tiene una posicion abierta de trabajo.

- Secretario/a de la oficina de orientación
- A tiempo parcial - Salario de 17 dólares por hora
- 8 horas al día / 205 días por curso escolar.
- Para aplicar y obtener más detalles sobre el puesto, visita: www.lakelandlakers.org

PARISH STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

Pastor: Fr. Osman Ramos, FM
(osmanramosguzman@hotmail.com)

His office hours are: Thursdays
from 11:15 a.m. to 12:30p.m. / 5p.m. to 8p.m.

Parochial Vicars:

Fr. Raúl Marroquín, FM (raul@frmaria.org)

Fr. Jorge Sis, FM (jorge@frmaria.org)

If you want to talk to any priest,
please make an appointment by calling at the Parish Office

Parish Secretary & DRE: Lupita Hurtado

(secretary@saintjosephlagrange.org)

Her office hours are: Tues, Wed, from 4:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Thurs.
from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. & in the afternoon from 4:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Business Manager: Anna Mendoza

(accountant@saintjosephlagrange.org)

Her office hours are: Tues. and Thurs. from
10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and Wed. / 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Sacristan & Cleaning: Verónica Montoya

Maintenance: Erick Nieves

Saturday evening Pianist: Kevin Ramer

Dear Parishioners,
If you would like to make a donation for the
works of charity of our Franciscans
of Mary priests, you can contact our Parish
Secretary. Thank you for your generosity!



KEY VOLUNTEERS

Pianist of Sunday morning:

Elizabeth Rogers

Cantors:

Charlie & Megan Hire (Saturday)

John Romer (Sunday)

Spanish Choir:

Luz Piña & Miguel Muñoz

Youth Ministry Coordinators:

Ruben Jr. Hurtado

Diana Mendoza

Parish Council President

Nathan Stroup

If you have any questions or concerns
about our Parish please contact him.

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION



To request information for Baptism,
Quinceañeras Masses, Weddings, house blessings,
Anointing or Communion of the sick, funeral Masses or
Masses for 25th, 50th, 60th wedding anniversaries, and
also information about social hall rental please call
the parish secretary during office hours
at (260) 463 -3472.

INFORMACIÓN SACRAMENTAL

Para solicitar información para Bautizos, Misas de
Quinceañeras, Bodas, Bendiciones de casas, Unción y
Comunión a los enfermos, Misas de funerales o Misas
de aniversario de bodas de 25, 50, 60 años y también
información para rentar de salón parroquial por favor
llame a la secretaria parroquial durante el horario
de oficina al (260) 463 -3472.



COMMUNION OF THE SICK

If you know anyone who is sick and would
like to receive Holy Communion, please
contact Larry Gephart (260) 585 - 4245



COMUNIÓN A LOS ENFERMOS

Si usted conoce a alguna persona enferma
que desee recibir la Sagrada Comunión,
por favor comuníquese con
Griselda Nieves al (260) 585 - 9600
Víctor Rodríguez al (260) 336 - 6142 .

Proxima fecha de Bautismos en español

- **Sábado 15 de agosto**
a las 12 p.m.



Si están interesados en bautizar, por favor
acudan en persona a la oficina parroquial
durante el horario de oficina para completar el
formulario de registro. En ese momento, se les
asignará también la fecha para la plática
prebautismal.

REQUISITOS:

- Traer el certificado original de nacimiento.
- Nombre completo de los papás.
- Nombre completo de los padrinos (si es un matrimonio **DEBEN** estar casados por la Iglesia o si es una persona soltera debe tener los 3 sacramentos de iniciación y no estar viviendo en union libre con nadie).



Official Statement from the Franciscans of Mary Association

Dear parishioners of St. Joseph Parish in LaGrange, Indiana:

Warm greetings in Christ Jesus.

We, the Franciscans of Mary, officially inform you of two matters regarding Fr. Alven Salada, who served in this parish between the years 2019 and 2020:

1. Fr. Alven Salada no longer belongs to the religious community of the Franciscans of Mary; therefore, any act he performs no longer represents and is no longer affiliated with our Association.
2. Fr. Alven Salada is prohibited, by order of Bishop Kevin Rhoades, from celebrating Mass or performing any other religious act in the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend, in Indiana, United States.

Thank you for your attention, and may God bless you all.

Franciscans of Mary



Comunicado Oficial de la Asociación Franciscanos de María

Estimados parroquianos de la Parroquia San José en Lagrange, Indiana:

Reciban un cordial saludo en Cristo Jesús.

Los Franciscanos de María les informamos oficialmente dos asuntos relacionados con el P. Alven Salada, quien sirvió en esta parroquia entre los años 2019 y 2020:

1. El P. Alven Salada ya no pertenece a la comunidad religiosa de los Franciscanos de María; por lo tanto, cualquier acto que realice ya no representa y ya no está relacionado con nuestra Asociación.
2. El P. Alven Salada tiene prohibido, por disposición del Obispo Kevin Rhoades, celebrar Misas y cualquier otro acto religioso en la Diócesis de Fort Wayne-South Bend, en Indiana, Estados Unidos.

Gracias por su atención y que Dios les bendiga a todos.

Franciscanos de María