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Dear People of God,

I am currently in Ireland with a fellow group of parishioners on a trip long-delayed by covid. As I experience the pleasures of such a vacation, I also travel with the concerns of the parish and my prayers for the parishioners as an inevitable part of each day. It is one of these concerns that prompts a review of a previous bulletin letter and answers to some questions which were not clearly addressed.

Several weeks ago I used my weekly bulletin letter as a venue for focusing on the parish budget process, especially as it is a part of the diocesan budget process. This is the time of year when we must file a financial report with the diocese. Part of my goal was to shed light on the difficulty of conjecturing about income and expenses when, unlike most households, we do not have a committed income stream and the current inflationary spiral has seriously handicapped our expense projections just as it has yours. At that time, the bulletin included a Commitment card asking that you estimate your regular contributions for the coming year either as a weekly, monthly or yearly gift. To assist you, the card included figures for various income levels (\$15,000 to \$100,000) with 3-5% commitments listed. The card also invited you to consider an increase in your gifts via percentages based on your current contributions.

The cards did not specify any deadline nor any method of return. Naturally, you understand the need for the information as soon as possible so that we can provide accurate projections to the diocese by <u>July 2022</u>. Dropping these into the collection basket is an easy method of returning them. An alternative is to send an email to the office at <u>trish@stpatshistoric.org</u> with your name, address and envelope #. If you are making your gifts electronically, please alert us to that fact so that we can record the amount in our system. We are not sure that this approach will be satisfactory enough to address our challenges but we are optimistic about the typical positive responses of our members as you consider your financial abilities and goals in helping us meet ours.

Since I am touring the Emerald Isle when you read this and since my concern for our parish and my prayers for all of you are traveling with me, expressing my appreciation for your cooperation and support in Gaelic seems fitting: Go raibh maith agat!

Msgr. Chris

Play Ball! Get your Mud Hens Tickets!

HSP Night at 5th Third Field Thursday June 30th

Dinner @ 5:30

Game Time 7:05

Game tickets = \$12 Game ticket + dinner @ the rectory = \$15

B.Y.O.B.

Get your tickets after the 10:00 am Mass

BACK BY REQUEST!

FOOD TRUCK SUNDAY SUNDAY, JULY 24TH

11:00 - 1:00 (After Mass)

FOOD TRUCKS ARE: MAC & LOAF'S GRILL & COOP'S (ICE CREAM ONLY)

This is a self-pay event so please come prepared

If you know that you will be attending this event the vendors are asking to let Jeanne Kanary know for an approximate number of customers.

If you plan on enjoying food or ice cream from the Food trucks there will be a sign-up sheet in the back of church over the next few weeks.

THERE WILL BE TABLES AND CHAIRS ON THE FRONT LAWN OF THE RECTORY FOR YOUR LEISURE

VOLUNTEERS TO TAKE DOWN AND PUT AWAY TABLES AND CHAIRS AFTER THE EVENT ARE ALWAYS NEEDED



Menu for Mac & Loaf's Grill

Sandwiches

\$12 Beef brisket on toasted sourdough with melted gouda and parmesan cheese

\$10 Pulled pork on toasted brioche bun with choice of sauce \$10 Roasted pulled chicken on toasted brioche bun and

melted provolone cheese

Choice of sauce: BBQ, Carolina Vinegar, or Horsey Sauce Sides

\$3 Creamy mac & cheese: shh, it's gluten free with provolone, gouda, melty love, and parmesan cheeses

\$3 Damn good baked beans: 5 beans, brown sugar, and damn good love

\$2 Asian style coleslaw: cabbage, carrots, celery, scallions, sesame seeds, and Asian inspired dressing

Drinks

\$1 Bottled Water, Sprite, Coke, Diet Coke, Mountain Dew, or Dr. Pepper

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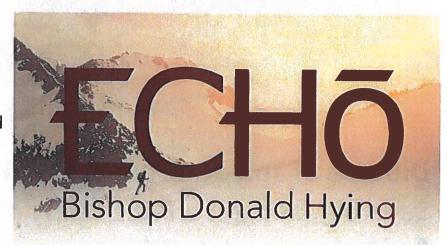
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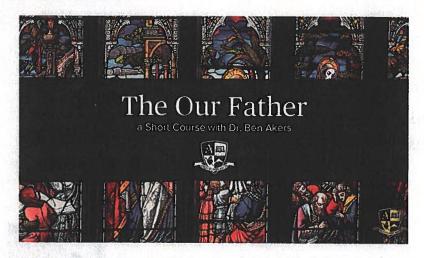
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ECHO WITH BISHOP DONALD HYING

ECHO is a series of short and engaging videos that introduces fundamental Catholic teachings and provides an inspiring start to personal growth in the Faith. This beautiful work of cinematography is hosted by Bishop Donald Hying of Gary, Indiana.



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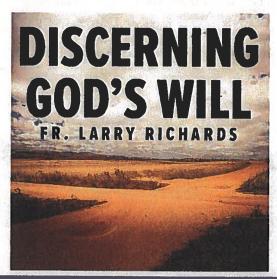
JESUS: THE MODEL AND MASTER OF PRAYER

In this episode of his course on the Our Father, Dr. Ben Akers teaches us what we can learn from the perfect model and master of prayer: Jesus himself

LISTEN

DISCERNING GOD'S WILL BY FR. LARRY RICHARDS

Discovering the will of God can be an intimidating challenge in the spiritual life. Join Fr. Larry Richards as he guides us in this task through practical advice and personal stories!



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June 24, 2022

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www.cedarpoint.com/save

Username: CPTDIOCESE

Password: tdiocese

The Diocese will be distributing exclusive Diocesan Fanny Packs in a variety of fun colors for FREE to the first 100 Guests who attend the 10:15 a.m Mass located inside the Lakeside Pavilion!

