



Angelus Letter
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LETTER #233
St. Apollinaris

Dear Parish Family,

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW FOR THIS WEEKEND

Friday Mass at 8 a.m. with Fr. Bozek
Friday Confessions at 4 p.m.

Saturday Mass 8 a.m. with Fr. Valencheck
Saturday Confessions at 9:30 a.m.
Saturday Vigil Mass at 4:30 p.m. with Fr. Bozek

Sunday Mass at 9 a.m. with Fr. Bozek
Sunday Mass at 11 a.m. with Fr. Valencheck
Sunday Mass (Latin) at 1 p.m. with Fr. Bede OSB

FLOOR ORGAN INSTALLED AT THE SEMINARY

The floor organ that once resided at St. Sebastian Parish Church has been in storage for quite some time thanks to the extreme patience and generosity of some of your fellow parishioners. As the seminary continues its major renovations, they found a need for an organ, and we were able to supply it to them. This past Monday was the official move date of the organ from its storage location to the seminary. It will be installed in the Sacred Heart Chapel, which is not the main chapel of the seminary, but one used on special occasions. If you have the occasion to visit the Sacred Heart Chapel, be sure to look up into the choir loft!

TOR

The attendance at our last Theology on the Rocks broke all previous records! Fr. Schultz gave a great and sensitive presentation on Transgenderism, obviously a topic heavy in many people's minds and hearts.

The next TOR will be **by advance ticket purchase only!** There will be no tickets sold at the door. Our presenter will be our ordinary, Bishop Edward Malesic.

Tickets on sale now at <https://one.bidpal.net/theologyontherocks/welcome> or you can go to the parish office and purchase them there.

COMPLIMENT

We recently had a visiting priest who was extremely complimentary of the parish. He fell in love with the organ and commented several times how much he appreciated how well St. Sebastian dresses for Mass. It's nice to hear an outsider's perspective. We are so very fortunate.

FROM THE FORGOTTEN CABINET

The next two files concerned bus service for the school and organizing a school band. The bus service concerned "war time" dark hours and too many children walking through dangerous intersections in the dark. Bus services were being worked out but with very complicated routes. It would cost the students \$.15 to ride or 10 rides for \$1.50.

In 1930, there was also bus service on Sunday along West Exchange and Mull Avenue that was extended to take people to church for Mass. Unfortunately, the bus service wrote, only a couple of people took advantage of this service and so "after next Sunday's service we shall cease to operate to the church."

Also, in 1930, Conn, the largest producer of instruments sent a letter through Edfred's Inc., 354 South Main Street, "Catholic School Band Department," about the possibility of starting a school band at St. Sebastian. Monsignor wrote back that we have come "to the conclusion that we are not ready." The school was too new (being founded a year earlier,) and there were too many organizations just getting started. Also, times were difficult, and they didn't want to saddle parents with any further expenses. But a "band is desirable at some future date and perhaps next September will give us an opportune time. We shall be glad to have you call at that time."

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

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TO GIVE TO THE FOUNDATION: <https://www.stsebastian.org/foundation/donate>

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please keep all of our sick and distressed in your prayers:

Gary Arman, Annette Bailey, Jill Buffa, John Buhalak, Regina Buhalak, Dan Canale, Christopher Casey, Emilio Cheuy, Jo Cooney, Nancy Cotter, Peggy Jo Cybulski, Anthony D'Attoma, Marjorie DeLuca, Deanna Ferris, Rosemarie George, Kenneth Gessford, Rita Buhalak Gessford, Robert Hickey, John and Terry Hogan, Ann Hubiak, Carson Hutzell, James Hutzell, Carolyn Jeske, Charise Kasper, Janet Kendrick, Candace Kidd, Fred Kovacic, Jean Labate, Frank Livigni, Mary Loftus, Myrna Marple, Don Matis, Ken Minrovic, Betty O'Hara, John Perry, Beverly & Mike Preston, Bob Rader, Monica and Thad Ricker, Mary Ricks, Aaron Salisbury, Ann Sandvick, Betty Sarich, Kim Sarich, Denise Schmidt, Michael Schnetzer, Cory Schulz, Tom Smith, Tim Steward, Keith Wisberger and Ann Zsembik.

God bless you,

Fr. Valencheck

St. Sebastian, pray for us.

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