

Dear Brothers and Sister in Christ,

Words cannot express my gratitude for being a part of this parish. We all know how challenging the last year and a half has been with the 100-year pandemic. Despite this, our parish remains vibrant and well-positioned to grow. **As I look to the future, I am excited about the abundant possibilities for St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish.**

Our parish is poised for the future because of the countless intentional sacrifices that parishioners and staff have made over years, but especially during the most challenging times. This sacrifice of time, talent, and treasure is an expression of faith in the Lord and His ability to continue to do good work in and through His Church. I do not take this for granted. Instead, **I express my heartfelt gratitude for the generosity of each person.**

With this in mind, **I invite you to respond to St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish's new stewardship program: "Living in Gratitude."** Please review the contents of this brochure and prayerfully consider how you and your family can play an active role in continuing the work of Jesus Christ through our parish community. Our goal is to increase our Sunday offertory contributions in order to bring Jesus Christ to as many people as possible. This is no easy task in today's climate, but I am confident that our dedicated parishioners are up to the challenge.

On September 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>, the parish will hold a special Commitment Weekend, inviting members of our community to connect with one another and to make a financial commitment that will allow St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish to continue its important work. **We are counting on you!**

As we forge ahead toward a bright future, I encourage everyone to consider how you can generously contribute time, talent, and treasure to our parish. The past accomplishments of St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish rise on the foundation of intentional generosity. Christ's good work continues because people intentionally share their gifts. I trust each person to contribute to the parish generously and intentionally, so that the good work Christ has begun in us may continue to full fruition.

In Christ,

*Fr. Travis R. Stephens*

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**ST. ALPHONSUS  
LIGUORI CATHOLIC  
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## Ways to Support & Give to Our Parish



**ONLINE**

Visit our website to give electronically  
at [www.zionsvillecatholic.com/giving](http://www.zionsvillecatholic.com/giving)



**MAIL**

**Mail to:**

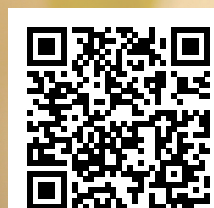
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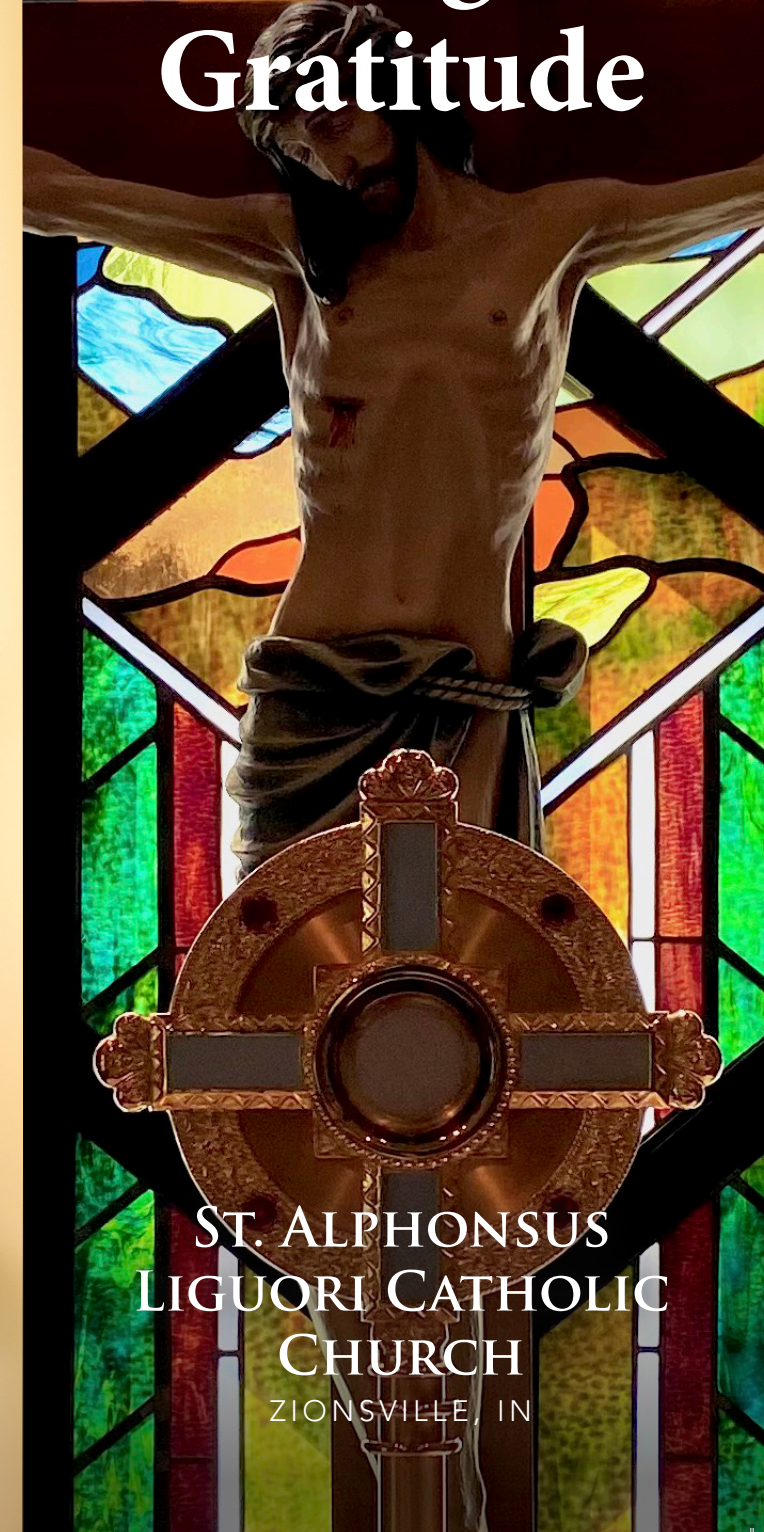
**Make a Stock Gift.** Call the parish  
office at 317-873-2885 and ask for  
Jolaine Hill.

**Scan this QR code** with your  
smartphone to fill out your  
Commitment Card online.



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# Living in Gratitude



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# Financial Snapshot: Calendar Year 2020

	2020 YTD Actual	2020 YTD Budget
<b>Income</b>		
Collections	\$1,254,397	\$1,259,125
Investment Income	\$8,320	\$11,040
Other Income	\$26,202	\$15,200
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$1,288,919</b>	<b>\$1,285,365</b>
<b>Expense</b>		
Personnel	\$873,539	\$928,526
Catholic Moment		
Subscription	\$18,124	\$26,488
Administration	\$245,935	\$271,437
Worship	\$8,223	\$14,339
Music	\$3,570	\$10,083
Evangelization	\$8,343	\$15,526
Religious Education	(\$7,955)	(\$4,541)
Family Life Ministry	(\$2,956)	\$2,549
Youth Ministry	\$1,601	\$628
Young Adult Ministry	\$362	\$242
Outreach	(\$961)	\$57
Communications	\$4,048	\$8,923
Mardi Gras/Scrip/		
Other	\$18,144	\$11,108
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$1,170,017</b>	<b>\$1,285,365</b>
<b>Net Income (Loss)</b>	<b>\$118,902</b>	<b>\$0</b>

We are a visible sign of the body of Christ, and together we do great things. Nourished by prayer and the sacraments, the members of our parish community are journeying on the path of discipleship and growing in relationship with Jesus Christ daily. We value discipleship and evangelization.

**1,713**

Families in our parish

**45**

Baptisms

**74**

First  
Communions

**76**

Confirmations

**14**

Funerals

**10**

Individuals who  
went through  
RCIA

**239**

Children enrolled  
in RE for this  
academic year

**67**

Middle Schoolers  
enrolled in  
Rooted for this  
academic year

**57**

Middle Schoolers  
enrolled in Edge  
for this academic  
year

**81**

High Schoolers enrolled in LifeTeen  
for this academic year

As we strive to live in gratitude, good stewardship plays a key role. Stewardship isn't a code word for financial support. Stewardship is about doing the work of Christ and engaging our many resources to further the ministry and mission of Our Lord. Remember that everything we have is a gift from our creator.

**5**

Daily Masses each week

**4**

Masses each  
weekend

**56**

Greeters +  
Ushers welcomed  
parishioners

Over

**200**

Volunteers serving in  
Liturgical Ministries

**1**

Seminarian from our  
Parish

We know the importance of bringing the love of God to our neighbors. Through our many ministries and our social and service-oriented outreach programs, we put into action the truth stated so eloquently by St. John the Apostle: "If God so loved us, we also must love one another" (1 Jn 4:11).

**32**

Volunteers serve in the Funeral Ministry

Funding from our  
parish helped serve  
lunches to over

**300**

school children in  
Croix-Fer, Haiti

The parish raised

**\$10,600**

to install a  
Safe Haven Baby  
Box at the local fire  
station

Funding from the  
parish helped  
create and  
maintain a medical  
clinic in Croix-Fer,  
Haiti

Quarterly food  
drives for The  
Caring Center

Love Your Parish

Love Your Savior

Love Your Neighbor