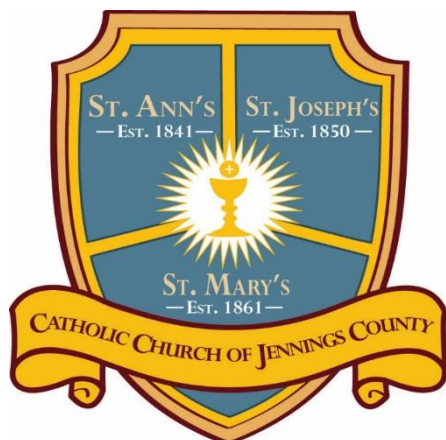


# Catholic Church of Jennings County



St. Ann's, St. Joseph's and St. Mary's

Parish Office

629 Clay Street

North Vernon, IN 47265

(812) 346-3604 phone

(812) 346-3506 fax

**Website: [ccjc3.org](http://ccjc3.org)**

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8am-4pm

**Mary, Mother of God**

*January 1, 2017*

## Mass Schedule and Intentions

**SM-Sat. December 31, 4:00 pm** – Billy Byron **INCENSE**

**SA-Sat. December 31, 6:00 pm** – Farrell Coons

**SJ-Sun. January 1, 7:30 am** – Members SA/SJ/SM

**SM-Sun. January 1, 10:30 am** – Catherine Carnes

**SM-Tues. January 3, 6:00 pm** – Ed and Stella Vogel

**SM-Wed. January 4, 8:30 am** – JoAnn Anglin

**SA-Wed. January 4, 6:00 pm** – Christina Mitchell

**SJ-Thurs. January 5, 6:30 am** – Delbert Hauersperger

**\*SJ-Fri. January 6, 6:30 am** – **CANCELLED**

**\*SM-Fri. January 6, 8:30 am** – **CANCELLED**

**SM-Sat. January 7, 4:00 pm** – Pat and Eileen Mulrow family

**SA-Sat. January 7, 6:00 pm** – Members SA/SJ/SM

**SJ-Sun. January 8, 7:30 am** – Kent Cardinal

**SM-Sun. January 8, 10:30 am** – Eleanor Dorsett **INCENSE**

*\*Take Note – this is a change from the normal schedule*

### Reconciliation/Confessions

Saturday 3:30 pm at St. Mary's

Saturday 5:30 pm at St. Ann's

Sunday 7:00 am at St. Joseph's

Sunday 10:00 am at St. Mary's

Tuesday 5:30 pm at St. Mary's (when there is 6pm mass)

Wednesday 5:30 pm at St. Ann's (when there is 6pm mass)

### Mercy Sunday – TBA in January

Exposition at 11:30am (following mass)

with Confessions following until 12:45 pm

with benediction at 1:00pm.

**Tri Parish Penance Service – TBA during Lent**

### Anointing of the Sick

•Emergency – Fr. Jerry Byrd (513) 403-1547

•Anointing within mass – **January 18<sup>th</sup> at St. Ann's 6pm mass**

•Call Fr. Jerry for the sacrament of Anointing at other times

*Happy New Year*

## CONTACT INFORMATION

### ●**Pastor: Father Jerry Byrd**

(812) 352-6271 (direct office)

Emergency (513) 403-1547

[frbryd@stmarysnv.com](mailto:frbryd@stmarysnv.com)

### ●**Deacon: Deacon Larry French**

(812) 525-6568 (cell)

[ljosephfrench@yahoo.com](mailto:ljosephfrench@yahoo.com)

### ●**Parish Office Staff:**

**Sharlot Ertel** (Administrative Asst.)

(812) 592-4107 (cell)

[sharlot01@gmail.com](mailto:sharlot01@gmail.com)

**Courtney Seiwert** (Pastoral Associate)

(812) 552-4219 (cell)

[courtneyseiwert@gmail.com](mailto:courtneyseiwert@gmail.com)

### ●**School Principal**

**Lisa Vogel**

(812) 346-3445 (school office)

[lisav@stmarysnv.com](mailto:lisav@stmarysnv.com)

### ●**School Secretary**

**Natalie Messer**

(812) 346-3445 (school office)

[nataliem@stmarysnv.com](mailto:nataliem@stmarysnv.com)

### **School Address**

209 Washington Street, North Vernon, IN 47265

## OTHER CONTACT INFORMATION

### ●**Chapel of the Good Shepherd**

Open 24 hours a day

Call (812) 346-4919 for chapel closing information

### ●**St. Vincent dePaul**

10 E. O & M Avenue, North Vernon, IN 47265

(812) 346-2576 Hours: Tues-Fri 10am-4pm Sat 10am-1pm

●**Birthline** Pregnancy Help Line (877) 734-2444

## Mary, Mother of God

January 1, 2017

### SACRAMENTAL STATS-

#### **Holy Mass Attendance for last weekend-Christmas**

St. Mary's 5:00PM- 721 St. Joseph's 7:00PM- 196

St. Mary's 9:00AM- 185 St. Ann's 9:00PM- 290

**TOTAL- 1,392**

### SACRIFICIAL GIFTS-

#### **St. Ann's**

**Giving for last weekend-Regular \$6,393.00**

**Giving for last weekend-Christmas \$750.00**

St. Ann's (weekly budget \$1,470.00)

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$85,374.00

Year to date **budget as of November 30<sup>th</sup>** \$35,572.40

Year to date **actual as of November 30<sup>th</sup>** \$29,125.52

**Shortage as of November 30<sup>th</sup> \$6,446.88**

#### **St. Joseph's**

**Giving for last weekend-Regular \$4292.03**

**Giving for last weekend-Christmas \$820.00**

St. Joseph's (weekly budget \$2,437.00)

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$135,969.00

Year to date **budget as of November 30<sup>th</sup>** \$56,653.85

Year to date **actual as of November 30<sup>th</sup>** \$48,797.33

**Shortage as of November 30<sup>th</sup> \$7,856.52**

#### **St. Mary's**

**Giving for last weekend-Regular \$9,186.00**

**Giving for last weekend-Christmas \$6,783.00**

St. Mary's (weekly budget \$9,533.00)

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$531,899.00

Year to date **budget as of November 30<sup>th</sup>** \$221,624.40

Year to date **actual as of November 30<sup>th</sup>** \$198,549.00

**Shortage as of November 30<sup>th</sup> \$23,075.40**

### Calendar of Meetings and Activities

Legion of Mary – January 7 ~ 9:00AM

#### **Various Groups and Ministries**

SM-SA K of C – January 2 ~ 7PM

SJ K of C – January 3 ~ 8PM

SM School Commission – TBA~ 5:30PM (school library)

SJ Rosary Society - TBA ~ 6:30PM

SM Physical Facilities – TBA~ 6:00PM

#### **Parish Council (PC) and Finance Committee (FC) Mtgs**

SA Finance Committee/Parish Council Mtg – TBA

SJ Finance Committee/Parish Council Mtg – TBA

SM Finance Committee – TBA

SM Parish Council – TBA

#### **Fr. Jerry on Retreat**

Fr. Jerry will be on retreat from January 6<sup>th</sup> through January 13<sup>th</sup>. A priest with Food for the Poor will be here for the weekend of January 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>. All weekday mass are cancelled **EXCEPT** for Wednesday, January 11<sup>th</sup> – Fr. Andy Syberg will be here to celebrate the All School mass that morning at 8:30 am.

#### **Chapel of the Good Shepherd**

**Open Hours are Thursday at 2am, Saturday at 6pm and Sunday at 12 noon.** If you are can permanently commit to one of these hours, please contact the parish office at 812-346-3604.

### STEWARDSHIP

All registered families at St. Ann's, St. Joseph's, and St. Mary's should have received an envelope with a letter from Fr. Jerry and the Parish Stewardship form enclosed. **Please read the letter, complete the stewardship form and return it to the parish office ASAP.** If you misplace your stewardship form, additional copies are available in the back of all three churches and in the chapel. **SECOND NOTICES WILL BE SENT OUT IN THE VERY NEAR FUTURE.**

#### **January Snow Removal Team for St. Joseph's**

Andy Elsner / David Vogel / Chris Bailey

#### **Rest in Peace...**

♦ Pray for the consolation of the family of **Andrew Lee McClellan** who entered into eternal life on December 24<sup>th</sup> and had his Mass of Christian Burial on December 27<sup>th</sup> at St. Mary's.

♦ Pray for the soul of **William Board** who passed away on December 15<sup>th</sup> – a memorial service will take place at a later date.

**May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.**

#### **Congratulations**

♦To **Magdalena Alice Brumfield**, daughter of Todd and Katherine (Vogel) Brumfield, who received the gift of baptism on December 23<sup>rd</sup> at St. Joseph's.

#### **E6 Catholic Mens Conference – Armor Up**

March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at All Saints Parish – guest speakers will be Patrick Madrid, Dr. Ray Guarendi and Anthony Munoz. Cost is \$40 per person. If you have questions, contact Duane Meyer at 812-290-5996. To register for the conference go to [www.e6catholicmensconference.com](http://www.e6catholicmensconference.com).

#### **Christ Renews His Parish (CRHP)**

##### ***The Cross is the Anchor of My Soul***

There are brochures in the back of all three parishes for women of the parishes wishing to attend the CRHP Retreat set for May 6 and 7, 2017 at St. Mary's. It is a wonderful opportunity to grow spiritually and renew your relationship with Jesus. For more information contact Angel Skelton at 812-592-1164 or Mary Kilgore at 812-592-6974.

#### **United Catholic Appeal**

	<u>Goals for 2016</u>	<u>Amount pledged to date</u>
St. Ann's	<b>\$ 9,364.00</b>	<b>\$16,951.00</b>
St. Joseph's	<b>\$17,852.00</b>	<b>\$21,627.00</b>
St. Mary's	<b>\$34,747.00</b>	<b>\$30,739.00</b>

Please mail your UCA pledge card in directly to the Archdiocese.

#### **Pilgrimage to the Holy Land – June 19<sup>th</sup> thru 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

Fr. Jonathan Meyer will be leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land in June, 2017. Walk where Jesus walked; sit where His disciples sate, experience the land of the Bible, renew your Baptismal promises at the Jordan River, renew your wedding vows in Cana, pray at the Rock of Agony and see the empty tomb. You will visit locations including Bethlehem, Cana, Capernaum, Galilee, Nazareth and Jerusalem. Cost of this Pilgrimage is approximately \$3,235. Register online at [www.tektonministries.org](http://www.tektonministries.org) or call (317) 574-4191.

# FAITH FORMATION

● **Bible Timeline Study – Week 20: January 15<sup>th</sup>  
Week 21: January 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
**When:** Sundays 9:00 am to 10:15 am  
**Where:** St. Mary's Parish Center

● **Religious Education**  
**Catholic Church of Jennings County**  
**Classes –Jan. 8, 15, 22, and 29**

**For:** children ages 2 through 7<sup>th</sup> grade  
**When:** Sundays 8:30 am to 10:00 am  
**Where:** St. Joseph's Parish Hall

● **Frassati Youth Ministry next gathering January 7<sup>th</sup>**  
**For:** 9<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> graders  
**When:** Saturdays after 6pm mass  
**Where:** St. Ann's Rectory-The Frassati House

● **RCIA will meet Jan. 8, 15, 22, and 29**  
**For:** anyone interested in becoming Catholic  
**When:** Sundays 9:00am to 10:15 am  
**Where:** St. Mary's Parish Center

● **Confirmation – next session January 18<sup>th</sup>**  
**For:** any 8<sup>th</sup> grader or older wishing to be confirmed  
**When:** Wednesdays after 6pm mass  
**Where:** St Ann's Rectory-The Frassati House

## BAD WEATHER POLICY

If school is cancelled, all school related activities are **CANCELLED** – this means practices, games, Bingo, PTO activities, school meetings, etc. Also, all parish meetings and activities will be cancelled at all three parishes (i.e. K of C, Parish Council meetings, Finance Council meetings, Adult Faith Formation, religious education activities, RCIA, etc.) **ALSO** – 8:30 am school masses at St. Mary's will be cancelled when school is not in session.

**CHAPEL CLOSING:** The chapel closing **WILL NOT** be linked to school closing – it will be based solely on the weather conditions – please call the **812-346-4919** for a recorded message on if the chapel is open or closed – don't just make assumptions. Bad Weather Policy cards are in the chapel.

## Pray for those who need healing grace and comfort.

**Please pray for:** Kelly Ailes, Brenda Artis, Vern Pytleski, Patty Kirby, Rita Bott, Betty Williams, Brian Wilbert, Doris VanSickle, Jeri Diekhoff, Brian Taylor, Emily Ross, Cohen Morris, Jonah Kreutzjans, Rose Leake, Leo Speck, Robin Laudermilt, Helen Rogers, Irvin French, Jack Wickens, Charlie Graham, Rex Sanders, Mary Catherine Fox, Elizabeth McCauley, Agnes Matern, Steve Luedeman, Wanda Wernke, and Brent Fry

## Sharing Christ: What You Did to Me Ministry In the hospital or nursing home????

If you or a family member has been hospitalized or have entered a nursing home, please contact Deacon Larry French at 812-525-6568 or the Parish Office at 812-346-3604. We would love for a volunteer from Sharing Christ to make a visit.

**ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK**  
**Erich K's Collision Center**  
(812) 346-1315

## Children's Envelopes

After the first of the year, all the school children and all the children in the religious education classes at the three parishes will be receiving a box of children's envelopes. All money put in these envelopes is deposited in an account to help assist seminarians of the Archdiocese. This is a perfect opportunity to teach our children about stewardship and taking some ownership in the parish while helping seminarians too. If you need additional envelope boxes for younger children or if your child did not receive one, there will be extra boxes in the back of church for you to pick up.

## ARE YOU A REGISTER MEMBER OF ST. ANN'S, ST. JOSEPH'S OR ST. MARY'S?

You would be surprised how many people believe they are registered members, but actually are not. Here is some information about being a registered member:

● If you are currently receiving collection envelopes every two months through the mail, **you are registered in one of the parishes.**

● If you are not receiving these envelopes, then you are **NOT registered in any of the parishes.**

● If you are 18 years or older and in the work force, **you should be registered on your own in the parish of your choice** not under your parents.

Be aware that if you are not registered, and want to rent any of the facilities, enroll your children in the school, get married in the churches, have children baptized, buy burial plots, etc. fees and requirements may be different than those who are registered members.

If you wish to be registered at St. Ann's, St. Joseph's or St. Mary's, please call the Parish Office at 812-346-3604.

If you wish to be registered at St. Ann's, St. Joseph's or St. Mary's, simply fill out the information below and return to the Parish Office by dropping it off, mailing it, or placing it in the collection basket. Appropriate registration forms will then be sent to you for completion.

Upon the return of these forms, you will be registered in the parish of your choice. If you have any questions at all, please call the Parish Office at 812-346-3604.

## WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

If you would like to register at St. Ann's, St. Joseph's or St. Mary's, change your address and/or phone, or simply have questions about any of our parishes, please fill out the information below, check appropriate boxes, and drop it in the collection basket or mail it to the Parish Office at 629 Clay Street, North Vernon, IN 47265

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

- I would like to register as an active parishioner. Please send me a registration form for St. Ann's, St Joseph's St. Mary's (please circle the parish where you want to register)
- Please change my address and/or phone to the one shown above.
- I would like to learn more about parish/school activities.
- I would like to learn more about the Catholic faith.