

Catholic Church of Jennings County

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

Parish Office

629 Clay Street

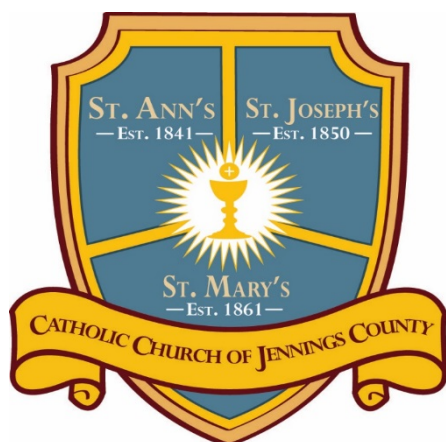
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Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 22, 2017

CONTACT INFORMATION

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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

Mass Schedule and Intentions

SM-Sat. January 21, 4:00 pm – Jim and Jean McLeod

SA-Sat. January 22, 6:00 pm – Members SA/SJ/SM

SJ-Sun. January 22, 7:30 am – Robert Vogel

SM-Sun. January 22, 10:30 am – Harold Clarkson **INCENSE**

SM-Tues. January 24, 6:00 pm – Catherine Carnes

SM-Wed. January 25, 8:30 am – Arthur Schafer

SA-Wed. January 25, 6:00 pm – Virgil Haskamp

SJ-Thurs. January 26, 6:30 am – Poor Souls in Purgatory

SJ-Fri. January 27, 6:30 am – family of Baby Drew McClellan

SM-Fri. January 27, 8:30 am – Dan Slabaugh

SM-Sat. January 28, 4:00 pm – Amelia Reagan **INCENSE**

SA-Sat. January 28, 6:00 pm – Members SA/SJ/SM

SJ-Sun. January 29, 7:30 am – Luke Elsner

SM-Sun. January 29, 10:30 am – Catherine Carnes **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

Exposition at 11:30am (following mass)

with Confessions following until 12:45 pm

with benediction at 1:00pm.

Tri Parish Penance Service – March 28, 2017 6:30 pm

St. Mary's Parish Center

Anointing of the Sick

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

● Anointing within mass – **February 21st at St. Mary's 6pm mass**

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

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SACRAMENTAL STATS-

Holy Mass Attendance for last weekend-Christmas
St. Mary's 4:00PM- 313 St. Joseph's 7:30AM- 225
St. Mary's 10:30AM- 217 St. Ann's 6:00PM- 132
TOTAL- 887

SACRIFICIAL GIFTS-

St. Ann's

Giving for last weekend \$1,313.00

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

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$85,374.00

Year to date **budget as of December 31st** \$42,686.88

Year to date **actual as of December 31st** \$43,861.52

Overage as of December 31st \$1,174.64

St. Joseph's

Giving for last weekend \$2,471.00

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

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$135,969.00

Year to date **budget as of December 31st** \$67,984.62

Year to date **actual as of December 31st** \$63,434.36

Shortage as of December 31st \$4,550.26

St. Mary's

Giving for last weekend \$8,640.00

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

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$531,899.00

Year to date **budget as of December 31st** \$265,949.28

Year to date **actual as of December 31st** \$245,318.00

Shortage as of December 31st \$20,631.28

Calendar of Meetings and Activities

Legion of Mary – January 28 ~ 9:00AM

Various Groups and Ministries

SM-SA K of C – February 6 ~ 7PM

SJ K of C – February 7 ~ 8PM

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

SJ Rosary Society – March 14 ~ 6:30PM

SM Physical Facilities – TBA~ 6:00PM

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

St. Ann's Finance Committee – TBA

St. Joseph's Finance Committee – TBA

St. Mary's Finance Committee – January 24~6:45pm(Parish Office)

Pastoral Council (NEW COUNCIL FOR ALL THREE PARISHES)

February 7, 2017~ 6:45 pm (St. Mary's Parish Center)

LOST AND FOUND

A cell phone was found outside of chapel. Stop by the parish office to claim it.

Way of the Cross Sign Ups – January 22 4pm

All 8th through 12th graders are invited to participate in the Way of the Cross – please come to sign ups this Sunday, January 22nd at 4pm in St. Mary's Parish Center Missi/Widerin Room. Plan on staying for the entire 2 hours. If you cannot make it and want to sign up or have questions, please call Jill Hall at 812-767-0714 or email her at jillanahall@hotmail.com.

Chapel of the Good Shepherd

All hours currently have at least one adorer. Thank you to **Robert and Gina Galyen** for taking the Thursday 2am hour. If you would like to join someone in an hour, please contact the parish office at 812-346-3604.

Prolife Extravaganza ~ January 22nd 6pm ~

St. Mary's Parish Center

January 22nd marks the 43rd Anniversary of the Supreme Court Decision of Roe vs. Wade and the legalization of abortion in our country. To commemorate and join in support with the thousands of people traveling to Washington D.C. for the March for Life, Frassati Youth Ministry and the Teens for Life club are sponsoring the Prolife Extravaganza. The evening will include a soup supper, talk, adoration, and the blessing of the new Prolife memorial. All are invited to join in this event. For questions, please contact Courtney Seiwert at (812) 552-4219.

K of C Free Throw Competition - Jan 29 ~ 2pm

Sunday, January 29th at 2pm at St. Mary's Parish Center girls and boys ages 9-14(as of January 1, 2017) are welcome to participate in the K of C Free Throw Competition. It is free of charge with the opportunity for advancement to district, regional and state competitions. Registration forms are available at St. Mary's School or can be filled out on the day of the competition.

All School Mass

The All School mass will be on February 2nd instead of February 3rd in celebration of Catholic Schools Week and will be in the gym at 9:30 am with St. Ambrose students joining in.

St. Mary's School PTO Chili Supper – February 4

PTO Chili Supper will be on February 4th from 4:30 pm to 7:00 pm. We will be having a chili/soup contest for anyone who is interested. This went very well last year, but we would love to have more people participate, so if you have a chili **OR** any other type of soup that you love, please sign up!! Registration forms will be in the back of church, in the school office and the parish office. If you have any questions, please call Jennifer Watts at 812-592-2505.

Youth Ministry Rome Pilgrimage Information Meeting

Thursday, February 23 ~ 6pm

FOR: If any Youth grades 9th through college interested in going on this pilgrimage and their parents

WHEN: Thursday, February 23rd

TIME: 6:00 pm

WHERE: St. Mary's Parish Center.

Pilgrimage Dates are December 27, 2017 through January 4, 2018.

E6 Catholic Men's Conference – Armor Up

March 4th, 2017 at All Saints Parish – guest speakers will be Patrick Madrid, Dr. Ray Guarendi and Anthony Munoz. Cost is \$35 for K of C Knights and \$45 for others. If you have questions, contact Duane Meyer at 812-290-5096.

To register for the conference go to

www.e6catholicmensconference.com.

Marathon Bingo – Sunday, March 5

Doors open at 11am and games begin at 1pm. \$10,000 prize money to be given away and door prizes.

12 cards \$30 / 18 cards \$35 / 24 cards \$40. License \$140880

Four Corners K of C Annual Consignment Auction

Saturday March 18th 2017, 9am

Held at Ed Maschino's farm in Hayden. It's time to start rounding up your items for the annual auction. The Knights will even help haul and store sale items. Contact Tom Lawson 525-4893 or Ben Hauersperger at 346-4444 to get your sale items listed and advertised

Reverse Raffle Up to a \$5,000 give away!

St. Mary's School Reverse Raffle-March 18 5pm

The 7th annual Reverse Raffle will be held on March 18th at 5:00 pm. The Reverse Raffle is the biggest fundraiser for the school. This fundraiser makes money that keeps the doors open! The money it makes it not used for things we want, it is used for things we need! Please keep this in mind when deciding to buy a ticket or donate to the Reverse Raffle. We are always so appreciative and astounded by the generosity of our parents and parishioners. Thank you!

What is a Reverse Raffle? A reverse raffle is where you want to be drawn out last and not first. When the final 10 numbers are left each person is called to the front. They can either decide to all split the money or draw more numbers! The final 3 left will be rewarded with money unless split before. 1st prize = \$3,500, 2nd prize= \$1,000, and 3rd prize = 500. We also have fantastic items at a silent auction and live auction with great socializing and adult beverages.

Tickets: \$40.00 until February 28th (then they go up)
Includes: Meal catered by Rolling Pin and your bid number for the night.

Tri-Parish Penance Service – March 28th 6:30pm

The Lenten Penance Service is set for Tuesday, March 28th at 6:30 pm in **St. Mary's Parish Center**. Note the location change.

PARISH MISSION – April 2-4, 2017

More information to come.

St. Joseph's Spring Garden and Craft Show Saturday, April 29th 8am to 2pm

This show will be held in St. Joseph's Parish Hall – come and check out the flowers, garden plants, homemade crafts, food, home decorations and much more. Contact Terri French with questions at (812) 525-9556.

St. Mary's WILL NOT be having a spring craft show

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.

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 misplaced your stewardship form, additional copies are available in the back of all three churches and in the chapel. **SECOND NOTICES WILL BE SENT OUT NEXT WEEK.**

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.

FAITH FORMATION

•Bible Timeline Study – Week 21: January 22nd

Week 22: January 29th

When: Sundays 9:00 am to 10:15 am

Where: St. Mary's Parish Center

•Religious Education

Catholic Church of Jennings County

Classes –Jan. 22, 29 and Feb 5, 12, 19, 26

For: children ages 2 through 7th grade

When: Sundays 8:30 am to 10:00 am

Where: St. Joseph's Parish Hall

•Frassati Youth Ministry next gathering January 21st

For: 9th to 12th graders

When: Saturdays after 6pm mass

Where: St. Ann's Rectory-The Frassati House

•RCIA will meet Jan., 22, 29 and Feb 5, 12, 19, 26

For: anyone interested in becoming Catholic

When: Sundays 9:00am to 10:15 am

Where: St. Mary's Parish Center

•Confirmation – next session February 8th

For: any 8th 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 meetings, Adult Faith Formation, religious education activities, RCIA, etc.)

ALSO – 8:30 am school masses at St. three parishes (i.e. K of C, Parish Council meetings, Finance Council 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 also in the chapel

St. Vincent dePaul

With your generous assistance, during the month of December, 99 families were served financially, 67 families obtained food (96 of those people were children.

Pray for those who need healing grace and comfort.

Please pray for: Jerry O'Mara, Tiffani Keys, Lee James, Kelly Ailes, Brenda Artis, Patty Kirby, Rita Bott, Betty Williams, Brian Wilbert, Doris VanSickle, Jeri Diekhoff, Brian Taylor, Ross Emily, 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

ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK

Murielle S. Webster Bright

Attorney at Law

(812) 346-2139

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.

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WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

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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 or 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.

INFORMATION FOR THE CHURCH BULLETIN

ALL INFORMATION FOR THE WEEKEND'S BULLETIN MUST BE TO THE PARISH OFFICE BY NOON ON WEDNESDAY FOR PUBLICATION FOR THE FOLLOWING WEEKEND. PLEASE BE MINDFUL AND CONSIDERATE OF THIS DEADLINE.

FORMED

We now have access to a program by the Augustine Institute called **FORMED**. This program offers digital access to various programs of faith formation, such as CATHOLICISM, Symbolon, and many others. Each parishioner has access to this program. Each user must register to use it.

How to register for FORMED

1. Go to FORMED.ORG
2. Enter the parish code ZERNZY under the individual section on the home page.
3. Click submit.
4. Create your own profile by following the prompts on the screen.
5. Submit your profile.
6. On the payment page, click on I've entered my parish code – take me to FORMED
7. You will now have access to all of the FORMED materials.

Sunday Collection Envelopes

Money placed in your Sunday Collection Envelope **IS** being posted to Sunday Collection – regardless what is written on the envelope. If you have a donation to cemetery, mowing, capital improvements, etc. Please use the special envelopes located in the back of the churches.

Rest in Peace...

- ◆ Pray for the soul of **Bill Ertel, Sr.** who had his Mass of Christian Burial on February 2nd at St. Mary's.
- May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.**

Congratulations

- ◆ To **Grayson Samuel Scott**, son of Michael and Rayann (Gerkin) Scott, who received the gift of baptism on May 1st at St. Mary's.

Purchasing Items for the Parishes

Be aware that if you buy something for the parishes that you will need to be reimbursed for, since we are tax exempt, we will **not be reimbursing any sales tax that you may be charged.** If you know in advance that you will be purchasing something, you can stop by the Parish Office and get a ST-105 form that businesses should accept and **NOT** charge you the tax.

Marriage

Congratulations to **Lucas Newsom and Ashley Ertel** who were united in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony at St. Mary's on July 11, 2015.

SAFE AND SACRED

All volunteers for the school, PTO, field trips, youth ministry, religious education, and anyone who will be helping with any youth **MUST** complete this training prior to any contact with students. The online training takes about 45 minutes

to complete and will consist of a background check that will be emailed the parish/school. Since it is web-based, this training is open 24/7. You will need to click on "create a new account" on this link:

<https://safeandsacred-archindy.org/login/index.php>

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St. Ann's: If you want to start to do Automatic Sunday Giving, please fill out the form and submit necessary information to the parish office. These **YELLOW** forms can be find in the back of St. Ann's Parish only.

St. Joseph's: If you want to start to do Automatic Sunday Giving, please fill out the form and submit necessary information to the parish office. These **BLUE** forms can be find in the back of St. Joseph's Parish only.

OR STOP BY THE PARISH OFFICE TO SIGN UP.

Snow Removal Schedule for St. Joseph's **December, 2016**

Larry Maschino, Andy Maschino and Tom Maschino

January, 2017

Andy Elsner, David Vogel and Chris Bailey

February, 2017

Joe Gerringer and Sean Hughes

March, 2017

Gilbert Vogel, Tony Vogel and Lenny Maschino

First bans of marriage between...

Michelle Pollert of St. Joseph and
Micha Bailey of North Vernon, IN

If any of you know cause or just impediment why these persons should not be joined together in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony, you are to declare it. ~ Rev. Jerry Byrd

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- I would like to speak with a priest about a vocation to the priesthood or religious life.

Automatic Sunday Giving Contribution Forms

St. Mary's: If you want to start to do Automatic Sunday Giving, please fill out the form and submit necessary information to the parish office. These **GREEN** forms can be find in the back of St. Mary's Parish only.