

Catholic Church of Jennings County



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

Parish Office

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Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8am-4pm

Second Sunday of Lent

March 12, 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. March 11, 4:00 pm – Mary Lee Cull

SA-Sat. March 11, 6:00 pm – Otto and Kate Daeger

SJ-Sun. March 12, 7:30 am – Henry and Rose Elsner

SM-Sun. March 12, 10:30 am – Members SA/SJ/SM

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SM-Tues. March 14, 6:00 pm – Jimmy Leach

SM-Wed. March 15, 8:30 am – Catherine Carnes

SA-Wed. March 15, 6:00 pm – Priestly Vocations

↑ Anointing of the Sick during Mass

SJ-Thurs. March 16, 6:30 am – Agnes Cardinal

***SJ-Fri. March 17, 6:30 am** – CANCELLED

SM-Fri. March 17, 8:30 am – Rodney Butler

SM-Sat. March 18, 4:00 pm – Vern Pytleski

SA-Sat. March 18, 6:00 pm – Members SA/SJ/SM

SJ-Sun. March 19, 7:30 am – Parishioners of St. Joseph's

SM-Sun. March 19, 10:30 am – Gertrude Burke Jaggie

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**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 – April 23rd, 2017

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 – **March 15th at St. Ann'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-

St. Mary's 4:00PM- 263 St. Joseph's 7:30AM- 219

St. Mary's 10:30AM- 275 St. Ann's 6:00PM- 129

TOTAL- 886

SACRIFICIAL GIFTS-

St. Ann's

Giving for last weekend \$1,986.00

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

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$85,374.00

Year to date ***budget as of January 31st*** \$49,801.36

Year to date ***actual as of January 31st*** \$50,030.52

Overage as of January 31st \$229.16

St. Joseph's

Giving for last weekend \$2,108.00

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

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$135,969.00

Year to date ***budget as of January 31st*** \$79,315.39

Year to date ***actual as of January 31st*** \$73,596.36

Shortage as of January 31st \$5,719.03

St. Mary's

Giving for last weekend \$9,201.00

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

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$531,899.00

Year to date ***budget as of January 31st*** \$310,274.16

Year to date ***actual as of January 31st*** \$285,846.00

Shortage as of January 31st \$24,428.16

Calendar of Meetings and Activities

Legion of Mary – March 18 ~ 9:00AM

Various Groups and Ministries

SM-SA K of C – April 3 (possibly changing this date) ~ 7PM

SJ K of C – March 21 ~ 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 – March 22, 2017 ~ 6:30pm

St. Joseph's Finance Committee – March 21, 2017 ~ 7:00pm

St. Mary's Finance Committee– March 23, 2017 ~ 6:30pm

Pastoral Council (NEW COUNCIL FOR ALL THREE PARISHES)

TBA (St. Mary's Parish Center)

LENT and HOLY WEEK

●Stations of the Cross during Lent

St. Joseph's – following 7:30 Sunday mass

St. Ann's – 6 pm Wednesdays

St. Mary's – 12:15 pm Fridays

St. Mary's – 7:00 pm Fridays

●Penance Service

Tuesday, March 28th 6:30 pm St. Mary's Parish Center

●Morning Prayer

8:30 am on April 13, 14 and 15 St. Mary's Church

●Way of the Cross

April 9th 2pm at Oldenburg

April 14th 1pm St. Mary's

●Mass of the Lord's Supper (Holy Thursday)

April 13th 7pm St. Mary's

●Service of the Lord's Passion (Good Friday)

April 14th 3pm St. Mary's

●Easter Vigil Mass

April 15th 9pm St. Mary's Church

●Easter Masses

April 16th 7am St. Joseph's Church

April 16th 9am St. Ann's Church

April 16th 11am St. Mary's Gym

Please pray for our Catechumens and Candidates as they prepare to enter the Church on the Easter Vigil:

Sara Arnold, Steve Arnold, Alyssa Buckingham, Mike Hines, Marcia Leahigh, Phil Leahigh, Ryan Shaw, Whitney Shaw, Doris Van Sickle, and Sharla Todd.

Lenten Soup Supper – Tuesday, March 14th at St. Mary's

●Mass 6:00 pm (in St. Mary's Church)

●Soup Supper 6:30 pm (in St. Mary's Gym)

●Lenten Talk on fasting 7:15 pm (in St. Mary's Gym)

K of C #1631 Fish Frys – Fridays of Lent

Come and enjoy the all-you-can-eat Fish Frys on March 17, 24, 31, April 7 and 14. Meals served 4:30 pm to 7:00 pm on these dates. **COST:** 4 and under free, ages 5-12 \$4.00 and ages 13 and up \$9.00.

Four Corners K of C Annual Consignment Auction Saturday March 18th, 2017, 10am

●Held at Ed Maschino's farm in Hayden.

●The annual K of C Pie Contest will be held before the start of the auction. All pies must be brought to the Maschino Farm between 7am and 8:50am the day of the auction. The judging will begin at 9:00 am and winners will be announced at the start of the auction at 10:00 am. They are also in need of any desserts to serve for the meal throughout the day – pies, cakes, cookies, etc. can be dropped off on Friday or Saturday to be sold with the meals. Thanks in advance!!

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

Tickets: \$40.00 per person until day of – prices go up at the door – 100 tickets left. Tickets can be purchased in the School Office. Includes: Meal catered by Rolling Pin and your bid number for the night.

St. Joseph's Feast Day Breakfast

Date: Sunday, March 19th, 2017

Time: Following 7:30 am mass

Location: in the Parish Hall

Parishioners from all three parishes are encouraged to celebrate in St. Joseph's Feast Day



St. Joseph's Church Cleaning - March 25th 9:00 am

All help with the cleaning of St. Joseph's Church on March 25th at 9:00 am will be greatly appreciated.

Frassati Youth Ministry High School Retreat

FOR: 9th through 12 graders

WHEN: March 24th – March 26th, 2017

WHERE: Higher Ground Retreat Center

COST: \$25

PERMISSION SLIPS: Are available in the back of all three parishes and must be turned in by **FRIDAY, March 17th**.

TRI-PARISH MISSION–

Days of Grace– April 2-4, 2017

DATES: Sunday, April 2nd, Monday, April 3rd and Tuesday, April 4th

TIMES: 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm each night *

LOCATION: St. Mary's Church

Mission is for members of all three parishes and will be facilitated by Fr. Shaun Whittington with Fr. Jerry providing music.

*there will be snacks and breakout session in the Parish Center following the first two nights of the mission and then a soup supper on the third night.

Four Corners K of C Work Day – April 8th 7:30 am

Four Corners Road cleanup and general parish maintenance day. Members are asked to gather at the Church Saturday morning April 8th at 7:30 am. All help is appreciated.

Easter Egg Hunt and Breakfast

When: Saturday, April 15th

Time: 9:00 am to 12 noon

Location: St. Joseph's at Four Corners

We will be having only one Easter Egg Hunt this year for all three parishes. The parishes will be buying the eggs and candy this year – anyone wishing to donate to this can place money in an envelope marked Easter Egg Hunt and place it in the Sunday collection from now until April 16th.

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.

First Communion Masses– April 29th and 30th

More information will go out to the parents of the children making First Communion and more information will be put in the bulletin in the near future.

Christ Renews His Parish (CRHP) May 6/7 at St. Mary's *The Cross is the Anchor of My Soul*

Register using brochures in the back of all three parishes. 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.

Chapel of the Good Shepherd

There is one open chapel hour – Wednesday 2am. If you would like to take this hour or join someone on another hour, please contact the parish office at 812-346-3604.

Lent Giving Food Drive

Pick up bags in the back of the churches –fill the bag and return it to any of the three Parish Halls when you go to mass **OR** take it directly to SVDP Tues-Friday 10am-4pm.

Thank you

Thank you to the wonderful person who delivered a statue of St. Therese to my front porch. Fr. Jerry

Senior Graduation Baccalaureate Mass

For: All Seniors of all three parishes

Date: Friday, May 19th

Time: 6:00 pm

Location: St. Joseph's Church

This will be the **only** Senior Mass and it will be for seniors of all three churches. Information was mailed to parents of these seniors: **Nick AmRhein, Noah Anderson, Annsley Blackburn, Sean Bower, Mackenzie Byram, Isabel D'Allua, Dylan Dewar, Naaman Diekhoff, Kaleb Downs, Luke Ertel, Tylor Estes, Edrei Garcia, Amy Gasper, Tyler Gasper, Eliza Gasper, Sidney Gerkin, Doug Gerringer, Allena Hall, Corbin Harmon, Matt Kirchner, Page Wagner, Chris Maschino, Mallory Matern, Zoe Miller, Kathryn Reitman, Abigail Sabelhaus, Bret Sawyer, Kathryn Schneider, Alex Skelton, Brittany Thill and Tyler Vogel.**

If your name does not appear above OR if your name appears and you are not a graduating senior, call the Parish Office at 812-346-3604.

FAITH FORMATION

•Religious Education

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Classes meet March 12 and 19, April 2, 9 and 23

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 March 11th

For: 9th to 12th graders

When: Saturdays after 6pm mass

Where: The Frassati House

•RCIA will meet March 12 and 19

For: anyone interested in becoming Catholic

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

Where: St. Mary's Parish Center

•Confirmation – next session March 22nd

For: any 8th grader or older wishing to be confirmed

When: Wednesdays after 6pm mass

Where: The Frassati House

Pray for those who need healing grace and comfort.

Please pray for: George and Mary Kreutzjans, Kathie Flohr, John A. Gootee, Pat Maschino, Page Wagner, Charlie Baldinger, Paula Bailey, Sheila Yux, Wilma Hughes, Fenton Seibert, Rose Leake, Phyllis Heaton, Jerry O'Mara, Kelly Ailes, Patty Kirby, Betty Williams, Brian Wilbert, Doris VanSickle, Jeri Diekhoff, Ross Emily, Cohen Morris, Jonah Kreutzjans, Jack Wickens, Charlie Graham, Rex Sanders, Mary Catherine Fox, Elizabeth McCauley, Agnes Matern, Steve Luedeman, Wanda Wernke, and Brent Fry

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