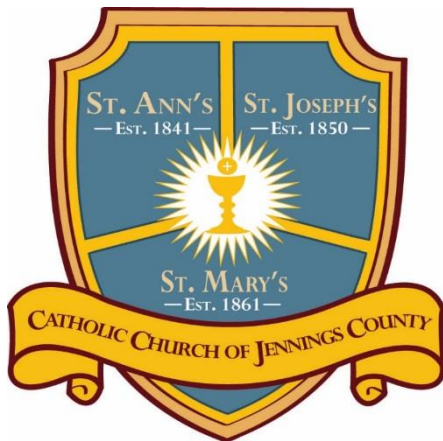


Catholic Church of Jennings County



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

Parish Office

629 Clay Street

North Vernon, IN 47265

(812) 346-3604

Website: ccjc3.org

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8am-4pm

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time ***August 20, 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. August 19, 4:00 pm – Ralph and Alberta Biehle
60th Wedding Anniversary

SA-Sat. August 19, 6:00 pm – Members SA/SJ/SM

SJ-Sun. August 20, 7:30 am – For deceased members of Rosary Society

SM-Sun. August 20, 10:30 am – Helen Rogers **INCENSE**

SM-Tues. August 22, 6:00 pm – Edna Smith Cull

↑ **ANNOINTING OF SICK DURING MASS**

SM-Wed. August 23, 8:30 am – Howard Cochran

SA-Wed. August 23, 6:00 pm – Clarence and Helen Kirchner

SJ-Thurs. August 24, 6:30 am – Priestly Vocations

SJ-Fri. August 25, 6:30 am – Irvin French

SM-Fri. August 25, 8:30 am – Deceased Members of the
Kirchner/Matern families

SM-Sat. August 26, 4:00 pm – Deceased Members of the
Kirchner/Matern families

SA-Sat. August 26, 6:00 pm – Raymond Richart

SJ-Sun. August 27, 7:30 am – Members SA/SJ/SM

SM-Sun. August 27, 10:30 am – William Rogers **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

Tri Parish Penance Service – Advent Service TBA

Anointing of the Sick

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

● Anointing within mass – **August 22nd at St. Mary's 6pm mass**

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

● Contact Deacon Larry French (812) 525-6568 for communion to the sick or hospitalized

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 20, 2017

SACRAMENTAL STATS-

Holy Mass Attendance for last weekend-

St. Mary's 4:00PM- 214 St. Joseph's 7:30AM- 221
St. Mary's 10:30AM- 310 St. Ann's 6:00PM- 121
TOTAL- 866

SACRIFICIAL GIFTS-

St. Ann's

Giving for last weekend \$1,310.00

St. Ann's (weekly budget \$1,470.00)
Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$85,374.00
Year to date **budget as of June 30th** \$85,374.00
Year to date **actual as of June 30th** \$79,194.52
Shortage as of June 30th \$6,179.48

St. Joseph's

Giving for last weekend \$2,322.00

St. Joseph's (weekly budget \$2,437.00)
Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$135,969.00
Year to date **budget as of June 30th** \$135,969.00
Year to date **actual as of June 30th** \$119,515.10
Shortage as of June 30th \$16,453.90

St. Mary's

Giving for last weekend \$8,775.00

St. Mary's (weekly budget \$9,533.00)
Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$531,899.00
Year to date **budget as of June 30th** \$531,899.00
Year to date **actual as of June 30th** \$497,072.79
Shortage as of June 30th \$34,826.21

Calendar of Meetings and Activities

Various Groups and Ministries

SM Legion of Mary – Saturdays 9AM
SM-SA K of C – September 6 ~ 5:30PM (before tent set up)
SJ K of C – September 5 ~ 8PM
SM School Commission – Sept. 13 ~ 5:30PM (Sprigler Room)
SJ Rosary Society – September 12 ~ 6:00PM
SM Physical Facilities Meeting – TBA

Faith Formation

RCIA Classes – August 20 and 27 9am-10am (St. Mary's)
Religious Ed. Classes – August 20, 27 / September 17, 24
8:30am-10am (St. Joseph's)

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

St. Ann's Finance Committee – August 30th after 6pm mass
St. Joseph's Finance Committee – August 24th after 6:30am mass
St. Mary's Finance Committee – August 29th after 6pm mass
Pastoral Council (NEW COUNCIL FOR ALL THREE PARISHES)
August 22nd 6:30 pm (St. Mary's Parish Center)

Congratulations

♦To **Abraham Herschel Bright**, son of Johnny and Murielle (Webster) Bright, who received the gift of baptism on August 13th at St. Mary's.
♦To **Maddox Dakota Boswell**, son of Luke Boswell and Cassie Seville, who received the gift of baptism on August 17th at St. Mary's.

Marriages

•Congratulations to **Kyle Hatfield and Nikki Crumley** who were united in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony at St. Mary's on August 5, 2017.
•Congratulations to **Clinton Vogel and Kelly Ertel** who were united in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony at St. Joseph's on August 5, 2017.

60th Wedding Anniversary Celebration

Ralph and Alberta Biehle will celebrate their 60th Wedding Anniversary with a mass in their home on Saturday, August 19th at 4:00 pm in St. Mary's Church. There will be an Open House from 5:30pm to 8:00pm in the Parish Center – family and friends are invited to come and celebrate with Ralph, Alberta and family.

Religious Education

Religious Education classes will begin this Sunday, August 20th, at St. Joseph's 8:30 am to 10:00 am for children ages 2 through 7th graders.

LOCK (Love Our College Kids)

If you would like your college kid to receive a little something and some words of encouragement each month while they are away at college, submit their names and college addresses to Courtney Seiwert at courtneyseiwert@gmail.com with the subject heading: **'LOCK 2017' by August 21st, 2017.** If any parent would like to take charge of a month, let her know that also.

Family Life/Environmental Meeting St. Ann's Parishioners-August 23, 2017 6:30 pm

There will be a meeting for all St. Ann Parishioners to review cleaning schedule and upcoming events. We request all parishioners to attend. If you are unable to attend, but are still willing to help, watch for announcements in the bulletin for cleaning and upcoming events. If you have any questions, please contact Elizabeth Kirchner at 812-498-0031.

Artificial Flowers in St. Ann's Hall

Anyone wanting any of the artificial flowers in the totes in the hall at St. Ann's are welcome to them. Any of them still there as of August 25 will be given to SVDP.

Luke Elsner 5K Run/Walk

The 9th annual Luke Elsner 5K run/walk will be on Saturday, September 2nd beginning at 8am at the Hayden Elementary School. You can sign up online at www.signmeup.com/118922 or by contacting Amber Elsner or Courtney Maschino. Early registration is \$20 with a shirt. This is a timed event but casual runners/walkers are definitely welcome. Any JCHS or JCMS athlete can get a special registration price. Day of registration will also be available starting at 7am for \$25. Age group awards, door prizes, snacks and music. All proceeds go to the Luke Elsner Fund through the Jennings County Community Foundation.

Bake Sale for Youth going on Pilgrimage to Rome

A fundraiser Bake Sale will take place after all the masses on September 2nd and 3rd for the youth going on Pilgrimage to Rome. We invite everyone to donate a baked item to the cause. If you are kind enough to help out, donations can be dropped at the Parish Office Friday, September 1st from 8am to 4pm or at the St. Mary's Parish Center Saturday, September 2nd from 9am to 11am. Thanks so much.

Vernon Township Vol. Fire Department Breakfast

WHEN: Sunday, September 3rd 7am-11am
WHAT: pancake, sausage and bacon breakfast
WHERE: 260 East Brown Street in Vernon
COST: \$5 all you can eat (children 10 and under \$3).

St. Mary's Catholic School

St. Mary's School welcomed 219 smiling faces as we started the new school year last week. Our enrollment is up from 206 students the previous year. Our theme this year is "TEAM JESUS" which we have connected to the verse, "No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other" (Luke 16:13). Students will be reminded that by their kind words, loving actions, and hard work they are making the choice to be on TEAM JESUS. We are looking forward to a great year at St. Mary's School!

St. Mary's School will host Meet the Teacher night on Monday, August 21st. We will begin at 6:00 pm in the gym.

Daddy Daughter Dance – October 22nd ~ 3PM-5PM

All dads and daughters are invited to the semi-formal dance to be held at the Willow Lake Event Center on October 22nd. Cost is \$10 per person. This dance is not just for dads, but any special man in a girl's life.

RETREAT - Save the Date

Grown Up Retreat
October 28 – 29, 2017
Saint Meinrad
More information coming!

Chapel of the Good Shepherd

WE ARE IN DESPERATE NEED OF GETTING THESE HOURS FILLED!!!!

OPEN HOURS: Tuesday 1AM Thursday 3AM
2nd adorer is wanted for Thursday 3PM.

If you could help with any of the open hours or would like to join someone on an hour, call the Parish Office at 812-346-3604 to get on the schedule.

Sharing Holy Communion outside of Mass

All parish members of Jennings County who would like to be a part of the "Christ Sharing Ministry" please contact Deacon Larry French at 812-525-6568. Deacon Larry has a list that he believes is complete for those individuals wanting to participate.

Anyone from the three parishes taking the Holy Eucharist to, parents, siblings, relatives, friends or spouses will be asked to attend a meeting on the proper procedures in the sharing of Holy Communion outside of Mass. There will be commissioning at Mass at a later date for those involved in Christ Sharing Ministry and those taking Holy Communion to family members.

We appreciate all of you in whatever ministry you are involved in, and if you are not in a ministry, please pray over it and remember..."*When Jesus bid you come, how can you say no!*"

Stewardship

All families who failed to turn in a stewardship form have been marked as inactive. Please be aware that you will no longer receive church envelopes and mailings. **SO** if you don't receive your July/August envelopes you are now on an inactive status.

Third bans of marriage between...

Tommy McDaniel of St. Mary's and
Chelsea Walker of St. Mary's

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

St. Mary's Community Festival (see flyer inserted in today's bulletin)

RAFFLE: The raffle this year will be different

- Winning prize – one winner of \$10,000
- Only 500 tickets have been printed *
- Each ticket costs \$50 each

* **Over 35% of the tickets are already sold**

• Tickets can be purchased in the Parish Office during the week. We will be selling tickets at the Back after masses beginning August 12th/13th.

• **SILENT AUCTION:** We are looking for items for the Festival Silent Auction. . Please call the Parish Office at 812-346-3604 if you have items to deliver or need items picked up.

• **Volunteers are needed** – to volunteer online go to www.signupgenius.com/go/5080F45A9AC2AA02-stmarys

Cross and Crucifix Display for the St. Mary's Festival

We are in need of various crosses and crucifixes to be part of a display at St. Mary's for the Festival. If you have a unique cross or crucifix, or one that you would like to have displayed, please bring it to the parish office by September 6th. Please make sure it has your name and phone number on it.

St. Vincent dePaul

"Anyone who has two shirts should share with the one who has none, and anyone who has food should do the same". Luke 3:10-11

During July 2017, St. Vincent de Paul North Vernon provided food & shelter assistance to 103 families (315 people). This service to others was possible as a result of amazingly generous donors, and extraordinary volunteers. Local volunteers include some very wise seniors, some pretty sharp youngsters still in school, and every age group in between. Want to join in and help out? Call Linda at [812-346-7852](tel:812-346-7852) to learn how.

Pray for those who need healing grace and comfort.

Please pray for: *Patty Sollman, Alan Littrell, Danny Vance, Tony Potteroff, Bill Bishop, Sheila Kane, Madonna Hillen, Skye Hasto, Susan Miller, Brian Taylor, Jim Walsh, Bill Schwacke, Thelma Harper, Phyllis Heaton, George Kreutzjans, Gladys Embry, Charlie Baldinger, Paula Bailey, Fenton Seibert, Betty Williams, Jeri Diekhoff, Cohen Morris, Jonah Kreutzjans, Jack Wickens, Charlie Graham, Mary Catherine Fox, Elizabeth McCauley, Agnes Matern, Steve Luedeman, Wanda Wernke, Brent Fry*

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