# Catholic Church of Jennings County



St. Ann's, St. Joseph's and St. Mary's
Parish Office
629 Clay Street
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# **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

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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

# Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 22, 2017

**SM-Sat. October 21, 4:00 pm** – Mass of Thanksgiving

for Ralph and Alberta Biehle

SA-Sat. October 21, 6:00 pm - Raymond Richart

SJ-Sun. October 22, 7:30 am - Paul and Agnes Cardinal

SM-Sun. October 22, 10:30 am – Members SA/SJ/SM INCENSE

\*SM-Tues. October 24, 6:00 pm - CANCELLED

SM-Wed. October 25, 8:30 am - Sheila Kane

SA-Wed. October 25, 6:00 pm - Raymond Richart

**SJ-Thurs. October 26, 6:30 am** – Priestly Vocations

SJ-Fri. October 27, 6:30 am — Joseph and Rose Hartman

**SM-Fri. October 27, 8:30 am** – Deceased Members of

Kirchner/Matern families

SM-Sat. October 28, 4:00 pm - Members SA/SJ/SM

SA-Sat. October 28, 6:00 pm - Christina Mitchell

SJ-Sun. October 29, 7:30 am - Joseph and Rose Hartman

SM-Sun. October 29, 10:30 am – Char Tatman 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 - November 12th

Confessions after mass until 12:30pm with Benediction to follow

Tri Parish Penance Service -December 19th at St. Mary's

#### Anointing of the Sick

- ●Emergency Fr. Jerry Byrd (513) 403-1547
- Anointing within mass November 14th at St. Mary's 6 pm 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

# Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 22, 2017

#### **SACRAMENTAL STATS-**

Holy Mass Attendance for October 8th-

St. Mary's 4:00PM- 219 St. Joseph's 7:30AM- 158 St. Mary's 10:30AM- 194 St. Ann's 6:00PM- 92

**TOTAL-663** 

Holy Mass Attendance for October 15th-

St. Mary's 4:00PM- 199 St. Joseph's 7:30AM- 168 St. Mary's 10:30AM- 274 St. Ann's 6:00PM- 101

TOTAL- 742

#### **SACRIFICIAL GIFTS-**

St. Ann's

Giving for October 8<sup>th</sup> \$1,512.00 Giving for October 15<sup>th</sup> \$1,686.00

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

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$85,230.00

Year to date *budget as of August 31<sup>st</sup>* \$14,205.00 Year to date *actual as of August 31<sup>st</sup>* \$12,223.00

Shortage as of August 31st \$1,982.00

St. Joseph's

Giving for October 8<sup>th</sup> \$1,946.44 Giving for October 15<sup>th</sup> \$1,217.00

St. Joseph's (weekly budget \$1,147.00)

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$129,502.00

Year to date *budget as of August 31<sup>st</sup>* \$21,583.66 Year to date *actual as of August 31<sup>st</sup>* \$18,389.84

**Shortage** as of August 31st \$3,193.82

St. Mary's

Giving for October 8th \$9,352.00 Giving for October 15th \$7.378.00

St. Marv's (weekly budget \$9.533.00)

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$528,081.00

Year to date budget as of August 31st \$88,013.50

Year to date actual as of August 31st \$81,386.00

Overage as of August 31st \$6,627.50

#### **Calendar of Meetings and Activities**

#### Various Groups and Ministries

SM Legion of Mary - Saturdays 9AM

SM-SA K of C - November 6 ~ 7PM

SJ K of C - November 7 ~ 8PM

SM School Commission –TBA ~ 5:30PM (Sprigler Room)

SJ Rosary Society – November 14 ~ 6:00PM

SM Physical Facilities Meeting - TBA

#### **Faith Formation**

RCIA Classes –October 22 and 29, November 5,12,19, and 26 9am-10am (St. Mary's)

Religious Ed. Classes –October 22, November 5,12,and 19 8:30am-10am (St. Joseph's)

Confirmation Classes– October 25<sup>th</sup> ~ after 6pm mass to 8:30pm (Frassati Youth House at St. Ann's)

#### Parents need to attend also

Bible Study on Matthew - October 22, 29

9:00am-10:15am (St. Mary's)

#### 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- TBA

Pastoral Council – Parish Governance In-Service Meeting October 30<sup>th</sup> 6:00 pm (St. Mary's Missi/Widerin Room)

#### Father gone

October 22-24 Preaching a 40 hour devotion at St.

Alphosus Liguori Parish

October 27-19 Grown Up Retreat at St. Meinrad

#### **Knights of Columbus Council #1631 Lunch**

When: Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>

Time: After the 10:30 am mass

Where: St. Mary's

Everyone is invited – Lunch of hamburgers (special recipe made by Jon Leach), hot dogs, chips, potato salad, mac and cheese and drinks will be provided by the Knights.

#### Rome Pilgrimage Meeting – October 22<sup>nd</sup> 11:30 am

All pilgrims are asked to attend the meeting at 11:30 am in St. Mary's Parish Center.

St. Mary's School PTO Meeting – October  $23^{\rm rd}$  6:00 pm

PTO meeting to be held in St. Mary's Parish Center Missi/Widerin Room October 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6:00 pm.

#### Grown Up Retreat October 28 - 29, 2017

Please pray for those adults who have registered to go on the Grown Up Retreat next weekend.

#### **Next Weekend - Cross Catholic Outreach**

Father Ron Mrozinski will be visiting our parishes next weekend to speak at all the masses on behalf of Cross Catholic Outreach which was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America.

# All Saints Day – Holy Day of Obligation – November 1<sup>st</sup> MASS SCHEDULE

October 31<sup>st</sup> Vigil 6:00 pm – St. Joseph's November 1<sup>st</sup> 8:30 am – St. Mary's November 1<sup>st</sup> 6:00 pm – St. Ann's

#### All Souls Day - November 2<sup>nd</sup>

Mass for All Souls Day will be at 6:30 am at St. Joseph's

#### **COME FOLLOW ME - FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3**

Jesus is calling... How are you going to answer him?

When: Friday, November 3rd

**Time:** 6:00pm

Where: St. Mary's Parish Center

**Who:** All 8th graders, confirmation students, High Schoolers, NCYC Participants, Rome Pilgrims, and anyone interested in learning about

discipleship.

Fliers with more information can be found in the back of

#### St. Ann's Turkey Shoot - November 5th

Meal begins at 12:30 followed by the shoot at 1:00pm

\*gun types: 12-16-20 (shells will be provided)

\*10 shooters per round

\*\$5.00 per shot for choice of turkey, ham pork loin or cash prize

\*meal consisting of vegetable soup, chili, hot dogs, dessert and drink

\*free will donations accepted

For more information, contact Jim Matern at 812-592-0853

#### **Archbishop Charles Thompson to Celebrate Mass**

Archbishop Thompson will be celebrating mass at St. Mary's on Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 am.

#### K of C Blood Drive - November 7th ~ 2pm to 7pm

The K of C is sponsoring a Blood Drive on November 7<sup>th</sup> from 2pm to 7pm in St. Mary's gym.

### St. Mary's Craftfest

Saturday, November 11, 2017 9:00 am to 2:00 pm This show is part of Crafty Saturday in Jennings County (a total of seven locations will have a show in the county) **Vendors of all varieties:** homemade crafts, Christmas decorations, candles, furniture, jewelry, wood crafts, Honey & Lace clothing, baked goods and much more. Booth space is \$20 per space, contact Sharlot Ertel at 812-592-4107 if interested in renting a space.

### St. Joseph Rosary Society Fall Bazaar

The 2017 Fall Bazaar is Saturday, November 11<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am to 2:00 pm. Homemade chicken and noodles, homemade bread, homemade pies, and many other handcrafted items will be available. Raffle includes handmade quilt by Mary Pyle, seven \$100 cash prizes, a \$50 cash prize and \$50 in Tupperware.

Frassati Youth Night – November 11<sup>th</sup> after 6pm mass Held at the Frassati Youth House at St. Ann's beginning after mass until 9pm for 9<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> graders.

#### Divine Mercy Sunday - November 12th

Confessions after 10:30 am mass until 12:30 followed by benediction. Adoration in the chapel will continue as usual during this time.

#### St. Vincent dePaul Thanksgiving 5K Run/Walk

When: November 23<sup>rd</sup>
Where: Begins at St. Mary's

**Time:** 8:00 am

Cost: \$25 or \$15 for 12 and under

Prizes will be awarded for different age groups

Sign up NOW for a t-shirt. You can sign up by going to the Face Book page St. Vincent De Paul Thanksgiving 5k run/walk. Contact Erika Downs at 812-528-6711 or <a href="mailto:edowns@jcsc.org">edowns@jcsc.org</a> with questions.

# St. Mary's Catholic School

Congratulations to St. Mary's School students and staff! The Indiana Department of Education recently released the 2016-2017 School Accountability Grades, and St. Mary's School has received an A for the second year in a row. This grade is determined by the percentage of students who pass and show growth on the ISTEP. We are so proud of all of the great things going on at St. Mary's School

#### First banns of marriage between...

Michael Gasper of St. Ann's and Makayla Marksberry 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

#### Marriage

Congratulations to *Derik Vance and Tasha Brewer* who were united in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony at St. Ann's on October 7, 2017.

#### Congratulations

- ◆To **Presley Marie Abel**, daughter of Charles and Joanna (Biehle) Abel, who received the gift of baptism on October 7<sup>th</sup> at St. Joseph's.
- ♦To **Elle Rose Ritter**, daughter of Kent and Cindel (Paswater) Ritter, who received the gift of baptism on October 14<sup>th</sup> at St. Mary's.

#### Rest in Peace...

♦ Pray for the soul of **Polly Purkhiser** who had her funeral service on October 16<sup>th</sup>.

May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

#### **Current Liturgical Ministers**

Changes to your mass preferences or ministry for the December 2017 - February 2018 schedule are due no later than November 2nd, 2017 to Courtney Seiwert. Please email her at <a href="mailto:courtneyseiwert@gmail.com">courtneyseiwert@gmail.com</a> with any updates. Also, if you or someone you know is interested in joining a liturgical ministry, have them contact Courtney.

## Chapel of the Good Shepherd OPEN HOURS:

# Sunday 4AM ● Tuesday 1AM ● Saturday 6PM ● 2<sup>nd</sup> adorer needed for Friday 1AM

We <u>desperately</u> need to fill these hours, so if you could help please call the Parish Office at 812-346-3604 to get on the schedule.

#### **FISH FOR SALE**

Left over fish from Festival Fish Fry – 12 pieces/bag (breaded and frozen) \$10 per bag. Stop by the Parish Office to purchase.

#### Thank You

- Thank you so much for the blessed thoughts and all your prayers and cards St. Joseph's Rosary Society and all my dear friends.
   Janie Richart
- Thank you for the prayers, memorials, flowers, cards and acts of kindness given to our family on the passing of our mother.
   Family of Sheila Kane

Pray for those who need healing grace and comfort. Please pray for: Jerry O'Mara, Carolyn Doxsee, Wanda Wright, Rachel Shaw, Rosanne Evans Gootee, Nicki Ebinger, Tony Potteroff, Madonna Hillen, Skye Hasto, Susan Miller, Brian Taylor, Jim Walsh, Bill Schwacke, Thelma Harper, Phyllis Heaton, George Kreutzjans, Gladys Embry, Charlie Baldinger, Fenton Seibert, 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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