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

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

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time November 12, 2017

SM-Sat. November 11, 4:00 pm – William T. Burke **SA-Sat. November 11, 6:00 pm** – Deceased Members K of C Council #1631 of St. Ann's and St. Mary's

SJ-Sun. November 12, 7:30 am - Members SA/SJ/SM

SM-Sun. November 12, 10:30 am – Patrick McCauley

INCENSE

SM-Tues. November 14, 8:30 am - Rita Bott

↑Anointing of the Sick during mass

SM-Wed. November 15, 8:30 am - Ed and Stella Vogel

*SA-Wed. November 15, 6:00 pm – CANCEELLED

*SJ-Thurs. November 16, 6:30 am - CANCEELLED

*SJ-Fri. November 17, 6:30 am - CANCEELLED

*SM-Fri. November 17, 8:30 am – CANCEELLED SM-Sat. November 18, 4:00 pm – Eleanor and Robert Dorsett

SA-Sat. November 18, 6:00 pm - Estella Arney

SJ-Sun. November 19, 7:30 am – Fr. Eisenmann and Fr. Jim Arneson *SM-Sun. November 19, 10:30 am* – Members SA/SJ/SM 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 with Benediction following last confession

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

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MASS PARTICIPATION

Holy Mass Attendance for November 5th

St. Mary's 4:00PM- 171 St. Joseph's 7:30AM- 246 St. Mary's 10:30AM- 239 St. Ann's 6:00PM- 128

TOTAL- 784

SUNDAY OFFERINGS

Giving is more than a responsibility – it is a privilege; more than an act of obedience – it is evidence of our faith.

St. Ann's

Offerings for November 5th \$1,484.00

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

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$85,230.00

Year to date *budget as of September 30th* \$21,307.50 Year to date *actual as of September 30th* \$17,066.00 <u>Shortage</u> as of September 30th \$4,241.50

St. Joseph's

Offerings for November 5th \$2,765.35.44

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

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$129,502.00

Year to date *budget as of September 30th* \$32,375.49 Year to date *actual as of September 30th* \$27,794.98

Shortage as of September 30th \$4,580.51

St. Mary's

Offerings for November 5th \$8,561.00

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

Total Yearly Sunday Giving Budget \$528,081.00

Year to date budget as of September 30th \$132,020.25

Year to date actual as of September 30th \$118,114.00

Shortage as of September 30th \$13,906.25

Calendar of Meetings and Activities

Various Groups and Ministries

SM Legion of Mary - Saturdays 9AM

SM-SA K of C – December 4 ~ 7PM

SJ K of C – November 21 ~ 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-November 12,19, and 26

9am-10am (St. Mary's)

Religious Ed. Classes -November 12, and 19

8:30am-10am (St. Joseph's)

Confirmation Classes- November 15th~after 6pm mass- 8:30pm

(Frassati Youth House at St. Ann's)

Bible Study on Matthew–November 5,12,19, and 26

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

Pastoral Council and Finance Committee Meetings

St. Ann's Finance Committee – November 29 6:30 pm

St. Joseph's Finance Committee – November 30 7:00 am

St. Mary's Finance Committee- November 30 6:00 pm

Pastoral Council – November 14 6:30 pm

(St. Mary's Missi/Widerin Room)

Frassati Youth Night – November 11th after 6pm mass

Held at the Frassati Youth House at St. Ann's beginning after mass until 9pm for 9th through 12th graders.

Divine Mercy Sunday - November 12th

Confessions after 10:30 am mass with benediction after the last confession is heard. Adoration in the chapel will continue as usual during this time.

NCYC - November 16th through 19th

Please pray for the Youth attending NCYC: Claire Ashcraft, Kent Biehle, Zach Bingham, Sydney Campbell, Alana Daeger, Ellie Ebinger, Kaylee Ebinger, Annie Ertel, Kris Garlitch, Joe Kelley, Fizzy Kirchner, Kristen Klosterman, Logan Lainhart, Wyatt Messer, Weston Miller, Samson Miller, Lauren Mull, Cassidy Mull, Jaylyn Nelson, Grace Ramey, Miranda Reitman, Riley Sawyer, Emily Sherman, Luke Sherman, AJ Siener, Mary Siener, Grace Taylor, Abi Vogel, Callie Wilder, and Rachel

Also pray for Fr. Jerry Byrd and the Chaperones attending NCYC: Iris Biehle, Nikki Ebinger, Shawn Miller, Lori Mull and Courtney Seiwert.

Saint Meinrad Weekend - November 18th/19th

Fr. Joseph Cox from Saint Meinrad will be here next Weekend covering masses for Fr. Jerry while he is away at NCYC. For 163 years Saint Meinrad monks have served the Catholic Church through their prayer and work. You will be receiving a brochure and letter through the mail from Archabbot Kurt describing the work of Saint Meinrad. Please respond as generously as you can. To learn more about Saint Meinrad visit www.saintmeinrad.org.

St. Joseph Parish activity - November 19th

WHAT: Coffee and doughnuts

WHEN: Sunday November 19th after Mass

FOR: All parishioners welcome

Come and join us after mass in the parish center for coffee and doughnuts

St. Vincent dePaul Thanksgiving 5K Run/Walk

When: November 23rd
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 edowns@jcsc.org with questions.

Rome Pilgrimage Meeting - November 26th 11:30 am

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

Night of Remembrance - November 26th 6:00 pm

Date: Sunday, November 26th, 2017

Time: 6:00 pm

Location: St. Mary's Church

You are welcome to submit names of deceased loved ones from the past five years to the Parish Office by November 17th.

Nursing Home Mass - Thursday, November 30th 9am

Fr. Jerry will be doing a Nursing Home mass on Thursday, November 30th at 9am with some of the school children in attendance.

Italian Dinner - December 1st 6:00 pm

Authentic Italian Dinner prepared by Fr. Jerry. This is a fundraiser for the Youth going to Rome.

Cost \$50 per ticket – only 100 tickets available so buy yours now.

Tickets can be purchased in the parish office or through the Youth going to Rome: Miranda Reitman, Olivia Foutch, Emily Sherman, Luke Sherman, Joseph Yoder, Matthew Maples, Kris Garlitch, Riley Sawyer, Sydney Campbell, Felicity Kirchner, Bailey Wilder, Josh McNulty, Samson Miller, Weston Miller, Wyatt Messer, Amy Gasper, Logan Lainhart and Adrian Kirchner.

Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary – Holy Day of Obligation

Mass times will be as follows:

Vigil Mass – December 7th 6:00 pm at St. Ann's Mass – December 8th 6:30 am at St. Joseph's Mass – December 8th 8:30 am at St. Mary's

Christmas Giving – Month of December

Food bags will be available during the month of December to stock the food pantry at St. Vincent dePaul.

Light Up Your Holiday with Archbishop Charles C. Thompson and the Catholic Community Foundation.

You are invited on **Thursday, December 7, 2017 at 6 p.m.** to the Catholic Center Assembly Hall, Indianapolis for an archdiocesan Christmas Tree Lighting and Prayer Service. Prepare your heart for the coming of Christ and celebrate those who have shared their own light by establishing memorial endowments in the names of loved ones. For a donation of \$10 or more, you can dedicate a luminaria in memory of a loved one. Gifts will be invested in the Catholic Community Foundation to support the growth of parish, school and agency ministries. A reception will follow the service. To RSVP by Wednesday, November 29, and/or make a donation, please visit **archindy.org/CCF/EveningOfLights**.

Friday Morning 6:30 am mass

As of December 15th, a 6:30 am regular daily mass will **NO LONGER BE OFFERED.**

PENANCE SERVICE - December 19th ~ 6:30 pm

The Advent Penance Service will be Tuesday, December 19th at 6:30 pm in St. Mary's Klinger Hall

MASS SCHEDULE for 4th Sunday of Advent

December 23 4:00 pm (St. Mary's) December 23 6:00 pm (St. Ann's) December 24 7:30 am (St. Joseph's)

MASS SCHEDULE for Christmas

December 24 5:00 pm (St. Mary's gym)
December 24th 9:00 pm (St. Ann's)
December 24th Midnight (St. Mary's church)
December 25th 8:30 am (St. Joseph's)

Mass for the 4th Sunday of Advent <u>DOES</u> <u>NOT</u> count as your Christmas obligation and Christmas Mass <u>DOES</u> <u>NOT</u> count as your 4th Sunday of Advent obligation.

E6 Catholic Men's Conference ARMOR UP

When: February 24, 2018 Where: East Central High School Time: 8:00 am to 3:00 pm

Speakers, Fr. Larry Richards, Dr. Ray Guarendi, Archbishop Charles Thompson and Fr. Jonathan Meyer. Register online now at

www.e6catholicmensconference.com

Christ Renews His Parish Retreat - April 14/15, 2018

Flyers are in the back of church to sign up for the 2018 CRHP Retreat to be held at St. Mary's. Please pick up a flyer if you are interested in attending.

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.

Jacob's Prayer Line

Anyone wanting to stay on the calling list or if you would like to join us in calling other members the prayer intentions please call Therese Blevins at 812-346-6360 and leave your name and phone number.

Chapel of the Good Shepherd *OPEN HOURS:*

Tuesday 1AM • Saturday 6PM

2nd 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. <u>THANK YOU</u> to **Sharlot Ertel** who took the 3am Tuesday hour.

Liturgical Ministry Schedules (Dec/Jan/Feb)

Ministry Schedules for Dec/Jan/Feb are in the back of all three churches – please pick up a copy as we won't be mailing this schedule to your home.

St. Mary's School PTO Raffle

PTO is raffling off $\frac{1}{2}$ Hog (cured and smoked). Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20. Tickets can be purchased in the school office. Drawing will take place at St. Mary's School Christmas Program on December 18th.

St. Mary's Catholic School

St. Mary's School welcomed Archbishop Charles Thompson on Tuesday morning. The archbishop was in Jennings County for the annual priest meeting at St. Joseph's. He made the trip from Indianapolis early in the morning so he could be with the students and staff for the all-school Mass. It was a beautiful celebration, and the bishop was very gracious when receiving a picture of our students and a spiritual bouquet of 1000 Our Father's, 1000 Hail Mary's, and 1000 Glory Be's.

Rest in Peace...

- ♦ Pray for the soul of **Rita M. Siener** who had her graveside service on November 6th at St. Mary's Cemetery.
- ◆ Pray for the soul of **Rosanne Gootee** who had her graveside service on November 7th at St. Mary's Cemetery

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

Congratulations

◆To **Benjamin Carl Callahan**, son of Anthony and Cynthia (Robertson) Callahan, who received the gift of baptism on November 4th at St. Mary's.

In Memory of Those Who Have Died

There are books on the side altars to list names of deceased family and friends.

UCA Pledge Cards

Every registered member was send a United Catholic Appeal card directly to your home. Please return your card and pledge in the envelope they provided by mailing it directly back to them.

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for: Brian Taylor, Betty Hutt, Dell Housel, Linda Leach, Jerry O'Mara, Carolyn Doxsee, Wanda Wright, Rachel Shaw, Nicki Ebinger, Tony Potteroff, Madonna Hillen, Skye Hasto, Susan Miller, 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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