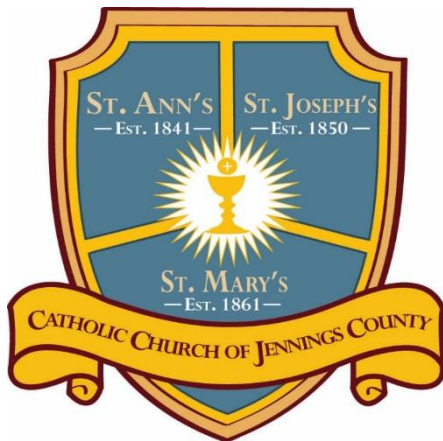


Catholic Church of Jennings County



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

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 19, 2017

CONTACT INFORMATION

●**Pastor: Father Jerry Byrd**

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frbyrd@stmarysnv.com

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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

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**

***SM-Tues. November 21, 8:30 am** – Ed Maschino

***SM-Wed. November 22, 8:30 am** - CANCELLED

SA-Wed. November 22, 6:00 pm – Laura Duke

***SM-Thurs. November 23, 9:00 am** – Priestly Vocations

***SJ-Fri. November 24, 6:30 am** – CANCELLED

***SM-Fri. November 24, 8:30 am** – CANCELLED

SM-Sat. November 25, 4:00 pm – Vern Pytleski

SA-Sat. November 25, 6:00 pm – Orval Duke

SJ-Sun. November 26, 7:30 am – JoAnn Gerringer

SM-Sun. November 26, 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 – TBA in January, 2018

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 **December 13 at St. Ann'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

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 19, 2017

MASS PARTICIPATION

Holy Mass Attendance for November 5th

St. Mary's 4:00PM- 199 St. Joseph's 7:30AM- 175
St. Mary's 10:30AM- 332 St. Ann's 6:00PM- 143
TOTAL- 849

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 \$1,058.00

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
Shortage as of September 30th \$4,241.50

St. Joseph's

Offerings for November 5th \$1,061.00

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 \$10,444.00

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 – January 9 ~ 6:00PM
SM Physical Facilities Meeting – TBA

Faith Formation

RCIA Classes–November 12 and 19
9am-10am (St. Mary's)
Religious Ed. Classes –November 12 and 19
8:30am-10am (St. Joseph's)
Confirmation Classes– November 29th~after 6pm mass- 8:30pm
(Frassati Youth House at St. Ann's)
Bible Study on Matthew–November 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 – December 12 6:30 pm
(St. Mary's Sprigler Room)

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.

Parish Goals: **St. Ann's \$9,163.00**
 St. Joseph's \$16,930.00
 St. Mary's \$37,436.00

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

This is a fundraiser to help up help those in need in Jennings County. Donations are welcome even if you do not participate in the race. Cash donations may be dropped off at the St. Vincent dePaul Thrift Store between the hours of 10am to 4pm Tuesday through Friday and 10am to 1pm on Saturday.

Mass on Thanksgiving Day – November 23rd 9am

Mass will be at 9am at St. Mary's

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. Tickets will be sold after the Masses on November 25th and 26th by the Rome pilgrims. Tickets are \$50 each and you will receive a four-course dinner made by Fr. Jerry. All proceeds go towards the pilgrims.

Frassati Youth Night – December 2nd after 6pm mass

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

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

OTHER PENANCE SERVICES:

Prince of Peace (Madison) – December 5th 7:00 pm
St. Ambrose (Seymour) – December 6th 7:00 pm
St. Patrick (Salem) – December 13 6:00 pm
St. Rose of Lima (Franklin) – December 13 7:00 pm
American Martyrs (Scottsburg) – December 14 6:00 pm
St. Bartholomew (Columbus) – December 14 7:00 pm

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 **DOES NOT** count as your Christmas obligation and Christmas Mass **DOES NOT** 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.

Chapel of the Good Shepherd

OPEN HOURS:

Tuesday 1AM • Saturday 6PM

2nd adorer needed for **Friday 1AM**

We **desperately** need to fill these hours, so if you could help please call the Parish Office at 812-346-3604 to get on the schedule. **THANK YOU** 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 ½ 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

With Thanksgiving just around the corner, I asked the students to tell me something for which they are thankful.

Alli Jo (K)- my mom and dad
Brooks (K)- my farm
Andrew (gr. 1)- my dog
Kaylen (gr. 1)- our Catholic Faith
Brooklyn (gr. 2)- my house
Madelyn (gr. 2)- pizza
Stone (gr. 3)- my mom and dad
Nicholas (gr. 4)- my birthday coming up
Zachary (gr. 4)- my family
Kyra (gr. 5)-my family
Landen (gr. 6)- God
Dymphna (gr. 7)- my friends
Gage (gr. 8)-my family

St. Joseph's Bazaar Raffle Winners

Quilt made by Mary Pyle – Kerri Morris
\$100 donated by the Elsner Family – Sally Vogel Hall
\$100 donated by Mary Ann Maschino – Gretchen Hughes
\$100 donated by Bingham's Farm Machinery – Doris Jewett
\$100 donated by Ebbing Auto Parts – Jan Disque
\$100 donated by Nina Hauersperger – Steve Hodges
\$100 donated by Bill and Kathy Maschino – Doris Fleenor
\$100 donated by Ingrid French – Veronica Edmundson
\$50 donated by Agnes Euler – Sue Palmer
\$50 in Tupperware donated by Martha Barber – Elizabeth Bridges

Marriage

Congratulations to **Michael Gasper and MaKayla Marksberry** who were united in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony at St. Ann's on November 11, 2017.

In Memory of Those Who Have Died

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

ROOMS IN THE PARISH HALLS

NOTE: you are not allowed to just show up and use the rooms in any of the parish halls **WITHOUT** getting prior approval. Please call the parish office at 812-346-3604 during office hours (Monday through Friday 8am to 4pm) to get on the schedule. Don't just assume the rooms are free or even if you have texted or emailed a request that you have been approved to use it without getting verification that you are booked.

•If you are using a room without approval and someone shows up who reserved it, you will be asked to leave and you will be expected to do so.

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for: David Baurle, Dave Bowman, Brian Taylor, Betty Hutt, Dell Housel, Carolyn Doxsee, Wanda Wright, Nicki Ebinger, 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, and Brent Fry

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