



ST. ANN | ST. JOSEPH | ST. MARY

CATHOLIC CHURCH OF *Jennings County*

MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SM - 4:00 PM † Lori Callahan Turner

SA - 6:00 PM † Pro Populo

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SJ - 7:30 AM † Dec. Mbrs of K of C
#10422 & Fr. Michael J. McGivney

SM - 9:30 AM † Lynda Pettigrew

MONDAY, AUGUST 12

Nineteenth Monday in Ordinary Time

NO SCHEDULED MASS

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13

Nineteenth Tuesday in Ordinary Time

SM - 6:00 PM † Sheila Kane

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

VIGIL

*SM - MASS CANCELLED

SA - 6:00 PM † Tom Hutt

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Holy Day of Obligation

SJ - 6:30 AM † Ed & Stella Vogel

*SM - 8:30 AM † Priestly Vocations

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16

Nineteenth Friday in Ordinary Time

SM - 8:30 AM † Tom Hutt

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SM - 4:00 PM † Josh Stidham

SA - 6:00 PM † Evelyn Elsner

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SJ - 7:30 AM † Pro Populo

SM - 9:30 AM † Darlene Williams

* indicates changes to the schedule.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11, 2019



19th Sunday

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

"Blessed are those servants whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival. Amen, I say to you, he will gird himself, have them recline at table, and proceed to wait on them." - Lk 12:37

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RECONCILIATION/CONFESSIONS

Saint Ann Wednesday | 5:30 PM (when there is 6 PM mass) & Saturday | 5:30 PM

Saint Joseph Sunday | 7:00 AM

Saint Mary Sunday | 9:00 AM,
Tuesday | 5:30 PM (when there is 6:00 PM mass), Saturday | 3:30 PM

MISSION STATEMENT

The Catholic Churches of Jennings County, under the patronage of Saint Ann, Saint Joseph, and the Blessed Virgin Mary, are places of worship, evangelization, and reconciliation. They offer to all men and women the occasion for a deepening conversion, a step forward in the journey to God with our patron saints as the model for that journey. These parishes, built generations ago, provide witness to our faith in Jesus Christ and our Catholic heritage. All are invited into the saving moments of faith, hope, and charity, so that they may be reconciled and transformed into living symbols of Christ's presence in the world. It is here that the faithful gather to worship God and are sent to spread God's word wherever they go.

PARISH CONTACTS

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Jerry L. Byrd, Pastor | frbyrd@stmarysnv.com

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Hours: Monday – Friday | 8 AM – 4 PM

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ST. MARY'S SCHOOL

209 Washington Street, North Vernon, IN 47265

School Office: (812) 346-3445

Lisa Vogel, Principal | lisav@stmarysnv.com

Natalie Messer, Secretary | nataliem@stmarysnv.com

ANOIDTING OF THE SICK

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

Call Fr. Jerry for the sacrament of anointing at other times.

Anointing during St. Mary's 6:00 PM Mass on August 20

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

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

(812) 346-2576

PRAYER LINE

(812) 346-6360 or (812) 346-3810

PARISH INFORMATION

WEEKEND OFFERINGS

AUGUST 3 & 4

What I spent is gone, what I kept I lost, but
what I gave will be mine forever.

ST. ANN'S—\$1,524.00

ST. JOSEPH'S—\$1,492.00

ST. MARY'S—\$10,199.00

WEEKEND ATTENDANCE

AUGUST 3 & 4

ST. ANN'S—6:00PM | 114

ST. JOSEPH'S—7:30AM | 175

ST. MARY'S—4:00PM | 198

ST. MARY'S—9:30AM | 237

TOTAL: 724

REST IN PEACE

Pray for the soul of **Robert Ley** who's Mass of Christian Burial was on July 31, 2019 at St. Mary's.

RCIA

If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith or are ready to become Catholic, please join us at RCIA. We meet every Sunday from October 6 –April 5 and again on May 17 excluding October 13 and 20, December 1, 22 and 29, and March 22 and 29. (these Sundays coincide with school breaks) from 10:45am–11:45am (after the 9:30am Mass at St. Mary's) in the Sprigler Room in the St. Mary's Parish Center. Email Jennifer Ertel at RCIA@stmarysnv.com for more information or to register.

PRAYER & WORSHIP

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Mattie Jo Kendall, Teresa Lane, Thomas Quinn Bowling, Marilyn Badgett, Debbie Sharp, Dee Vincent, Brittney Preusz, Dorothy Lauder milk, Chloe Hatton, Esther Lee, Mary Lucas, Hazel Lynn Biehle–Abel, William Hanson, Doyle Williamson, John Carty, Lenny Maschino, JP Morris, Jonah Kreutzjans, Jack Wickens, Brent Fry, Ann Tallant and Rose Leake.

If you would like to add someone to the prayer list please call Anne-Marie at the Parish Office 812-346-3604 or e-mail her at parishsecretary@stmarysnv.com

CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

OPEN 24 HOURS. CALL (812) 346-4919 FOR CHAPEL CLOSING INFORMATION

Thank you to...

...Michelle Gasper for taking the Wed. 5:00PM hour

...Ray Gerkin and Weston Miller for committing to the Wed. 2:00AM hour

If you would like to commit to an hour please call the Parish Office at (812) 346-3604.

CHAPEL BLESSINGS BOX

There is a box in the entrance of the chapel for anyone who has taken an hour or spent time before our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament in our adoration chapel that has received a blessing of any kind. We want to hear your stories and experiences and the results of spending time before our Lord in the Eucharist. These cards/experiences will be used in a publication for our parishioners at a later date. If you put your name on the card it will be published; if you wish for your name NOT to be published than you may leave your name off of the card.

T3 SWAG

There are T-shirts and hats available for purchase in the Parish Office. Shirts are \$10, hats are \$15 or you can get both for \$20. Shirt sizes range from Youth Small–Adult 3XL

SHARLOT RETIREMENT

Sharlot Ertel will be retiring from the Parish Office after 23 years of faithful service. Her last day in the Parish Office will be August 6.

We are extremely grateful for all of her hard work and dedication over the years. We will have a Retirement Reception for Sharlot after the 9:30 AM Mass on August 11 at St. Mary's.

HOOSIERS HELPING HAITI

Thank you for your support and generosity for our 'Christmas in July' in support of our Haiti Mission. If you are still wanting to donate in support of Hoosiers Helping Haiti you may put your envelope in the Sunday collection basket or drop it off at the Parish Office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education begins at St. Joseph on August 18 from 8:30AM–10:00AM. Religious Ed is for K through 7th grade. If you would like to register for Religious Ed please follow the link below or call Anne-Marie at the Parish Office and she will assist you.
[HTTPS://WWW.CCJC3.ORG/HOME/FAITH-FORMATION/#RELIGIOUSEDUCATION](https://www.ccjc3.org/home/faith-formation/#RELIGIOUSEDUCATION)

PARISH NEWS

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION—AUGUST 15

The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is on August 15 and is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass times are Aug. 14 at 6:00PM at St. Ann's and Aug. 15 at 6:30 AM at St. Joseph's and 8:30 AM at St. Mary's.

ST. MARY'S GYM

St. Mary's has bought new tables so we have around 10 old wooden 8 ft. tables for sale for \$10. They may be picked up in the back of the Parish Center on a first come first serve basis.

ST. MARY'S WORK DAY

August 17 beginning at 8:00AM

Parish work day will consist of cleaning, scrubbing, painting, weeding, power washing, etc. Everyone is welcome and lunch will be provided. **If you are willing to volunteer to help please sign up in the back of St. Mary's Church or by giving us a call in the Parish Office.**

WHY WE WORSHIP

Series by Dr. Brant Pitre

Beginning on September 17th at 6:30PM after Mass at St. Mary's in the Missi Room.

Christians today have lots of different opinions about what "worship" should look like. Some think it should be all preaching, other think it should be 'entertaining', still others think it's all about the music. But what does the Bible say about worship? And why do Catholics do what they do at Mass? Why all the standing, sitting, kneeling, and repetition? Where does it all come from? Many Catholics know what to do at Mass, but not why we do it. Many non-Catholics are confused by the rituals and words of the Mass. Some even think that most of the Mass is just 'made up' — a tradition of men. Nothing could be further from the truth. These and many other questions will be answered such as...

Who determines how we worship?

What did worship look like in the Old Testament?

Why did God demand animal sacrifice in the Old Testament?

Why did Jesus choose to die during the Passover?

ST. MARY'S COMMUNITY FESTIVAL

Festival Raffle tickets are now on sale in the office or you can purchase them after Masses on August 10-11 and 24-25. \$50 per ticket for a chance to win \$10,000. Only 500 tickets will be sold. License #150065

We are still in need of items for the Silent Auction. If you have any items that you would like to donate please drop them off at the Parish Office or call

Sharlot Ertel at (812) 592-4107

Please put out your festival yard signs and display them in your yard. Your assistance in advertising the event is greatly appreciated.

LEGION OF MARY

Legion of Mary is collecting rosaries and other small religious items to pass out to the youth at their booth at NCYC. If you have any items please drop them off at the Parish Office.

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 pastoralassoc@stmarysnv.com with the subject heading: 'LOCK 2019' by August 31, 2019. If any parent would be interested in taking charge of a month, please contact Courtney at the email listed



ST. MARY'S
CATHOLIC SCHOOL
VALUES AND TRADITIONS

St. Mary's School welcomes our new staff: Miss Tori Whitehead will be teaching middle school language arts, Mrs. Tara Crane will be the second grade assistant and is currently doing a maternity leave, and Mrs. Nicole Bullard is helping out in second grade.

Meet the **Elementary** Teachers Night for students in grades PK-5 is Tuesday, August 20, at 6:00pm. We will begin in the gym.

St. Mary's School is currently building an alumni database. Please share the following link with SMS alumni that wish to be added to our list:

<https://goo.gl/forms/mvOrceujUWrbXQr1>.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS GROUPS & MINISTRIES

SM Legion of Mary

Saturdays | 9:00 AM

SM-SA K of C

August 5 | 7:00 PM

SJ K of C

August 6 | 8:00 PM

SJ Rosary Society

September 10 | 6:00PM

St. Mary's School Commission

August 13 | at 5:30 PM (Sprigler Room)

SM Physical Facilities Meeting

August 7 | 6:00 PM

Frassati Youth Group

Dates will be sent via Flocknote

Religious Education

August 18 |

Bible Timeline

Aug. 12 & 19 | 6:00 PM

(St. Mary's Missi/Widerin Room)

PASTORAL COUNCIL & FINANCE COMMITTEE

St. Ann's Finance Committee

August 20 | 6:30 PM at the Parish Office

St. Joseph's Finance Committee

TBA

St. Mary's Finance Committee

August 27 | 6:30 PM at the Parish Office

Pastoral Council

August 13 | 6:30 PM

(St. Mary's Sprigler Room)

(All posted Pastoral Council Meetings are open to all Parishioners.)

SAFE AND SACRED

All adults (those 18 years and older) who will be volunteering in any capacity at our three parishes must complete the Safe and Sacred program. The program takes about 30 minutes to complete online. This includes any volunteers for St. Mary's Festival, St. Mary's School functions, etc. Once you complete the training, it is good for 5 years. Please call the Parish Office or email pastoralassoc@stmarysnv.com if you need to check your status or need help getting started. There is an insert in the bulletin and in the back of Church that gives instructions to complete the training.