



— ST. ANN | ST. JOSEPH | ST. MARY —
CATHOLIC CHURCH
OF *Jennings County*

SATURDAY, MARCH 6

Third Sunday of Lent

SJ 5:00 PM † Elizabeth Bridges

SUNDAY, MARCH 7

Third Sunday of Lent

SM 7:30 AM † Pro Populo

SA 9:00AM † P.H. Mick & Joseph Klein

SM 10:30 AM † Josh Stidham

MONDAY, MARCH 8

Memorial of St. John of God

TUESDAY MARCH 9

Memorial of St Francis of Rome

SM 6:00 PM † Barbara Dugan

WEDNESDAY MARCH 10

Third Week of Lent

SJ 6:00 PM † Conversion of Souls

THURSDAY MARCH 11

Third Week of Lent

SM 8:30 AM † Nell Ann Pfeifer &
Pfeifer Family

FRIDAY, MARCH 12-LATIN MASS

Lenten Feria

SA 6:00 PM † Priestly Vocations

SATURDAY, MARCH 13-LATIN MASS

Lenten Feria

SJ 8:30 AM † Elizabeth Bridges

SATURDAY, MARCH 13

Fourth Sunday of Lent

SJ 5:00 PM † Pro Populo

SUNDAY, MARCH 14

Fourth Sunday of Lent

SM 7:30 AM † William & Vera McClellan

SA 9:00AM † Brad Buening

SM 10:30 AM † Ann Tallant

SUNDAY, MARCH 7, 2021

Jesus wished to become indebted to St. Joseph for the necessities of life, and of this holy patriarch alone it may be said that he saved the life of his Savior. St. Madaleine Sophie Barat

**3rd SUNDAY
OF LENT**

“He found in the temple area those who sold oxen, sheep, and doves, as well as the money changers seated there. He made a whip out of cords and drove them all out of the temple area.” -Jn 2:14-15a

* indicates change in schedule

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSIONS
SEE INSIDE BULLETIN

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

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Hours: Monday - Friday | 8 AM - 4 PM

Office: (812) 346-3604 | Emergency: (513) 403-1547 | www.ccjc3.org

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL

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School Office: (812) 346-3445

Lisa Vogel, Principal | lisav@stmarysnv.com

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ANOINTING OF THE SICK

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

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.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

(812) 346-2576

PRAYER LINE

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

PARISH INFORMATION

MONTHLY CONFESSIONS:

Total Confessions for the month of _____ for all
three churches: ____

WEEKEND OFFERINGS FEBRUARY 28, 2020

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

ST. ANN'S— \$ 460.00

Weekly Budget: \$1,672.73

YTD Budget: \$46,836.44

YTD Actual: \$36,645.00

YTD Variance as of January ,2021:

(\$10,191.44)

ST. JOSEPH'S— \$ 3573.00

Weekly Budget: \$2,676.63

YTD Budget: \$74,945.71

YTD Actual: \$73,730.38

YTD Variance as of January

2021 : (\$1,215.33)

ST. MARY'S— \$ 10,711.00

Weekly Budget: \$10,416.67

YTD Budget: \$291,666.69

YTD Actual: \$247,707.00

YTD Variance as of January,

2021: (\$43,959.69)

WEEKEND ATTENDANCE FEBRUARY 28, 2021

ST. JOSEPH'S—5:00 PM | 170

ST. MARY'S—7:30 AM | 56

ST ANN- 9:00 AM | 86

ST. MARY'S—10:30AM | 80

TOTAL: 392

PRAYER & WORSHIP

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Rusty Brown, Scott Riggle, David Kreutzjans, Billy Bishop, Stephaine Hart, Sharon Cline, Dan Toppe, Nancy Toppe, Casey Brooks, Cidney Mathis, Abby David, Madisyn Harsh, John Hall, Jenny Goss, Theresa Wilson, Abby Johnson, Matt Sporleder, Brian Schroeder, Jason Smallwood, Brian Colbin, Tami Weber, Scott Starkey, Jeff Kreutzjans, Carole Ringer, Lisa Barlow, Jim Day, Sam Wagner, Marcia (Gerth) Stroud, Tommy Schumacher, Amy Davis, Mattie Jo Kendall, Brittney Preusz, Dorothy Laudermilk, Chloe Hatton, Esther Lee, Mary Lucas, William Hanson, Doyle Williamson, Lenny Maschino, JP Morris, Jonah Kreutzjans, and Brent Fry

If you would like to add someone to the prayer list please call Jane 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

OPEN HOURS THAT NEED TO BE FILLED:

SUNDAY 2:00 PM

SATURDAY 2:00 PM AND 3:00 PM

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

Chapel Openings and closings will be Flocknoted. If you do not receive flocknote please contact the Parish Office at 812-346-3604

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FAMILY OF THE MONTH:

Council #1631 Family of the Month for March: Jim Matern for all the preparation and behind the scenes work necessary to make the Knights of Columbus fish fries possible.

ROSARY AT ST MARY'S:

Come join your Parish family in praying the rosary prior to the 10.30 Mass at St. Mary's. Rosary starts at 10:05.

EAT, FAST, FEAST:

Would you like to learn the physical, mental and spiritual benefits of fasting? What does Jesus say about fasting? Would you like to learn how to increase your self-discipline without "suffering"? Would you like to improve your prayer life during Lent? Come join us Sunday evenings after Vespers at St Mary Parish Hall starting January 31st through Lent. You can meet in person or virtually to participate in the discussions. Bring a friend. Please order your book, Eat, Fast, Feast by Jay Richards from Amazon (\$10) or it its available free digitally through the library. Please RSVP via text, calling or emailing Traci Yoder at 812-592-2059 or tntyoder@gmail.com.

UNITED CATHOLIC APPEAL REPORT:

Please return your card and pledge in the envelope provided by mailing it directly back to them. There are envelopes available in the back of the churches if you are in need of one.

Parish Goals:

St. Ann's: \$ 7,626.00 **Pledged:** \$7,565.00

St. Joe: \$11,886.00 **Pledged:** \$19,300.00

St. Mary's: \$41,896.00 **Pledged:** \$20,159.00

PARISH NEWS

Mass Schedule:

Tuesday 6:00 PM St Mary
Wednesday 6:00 PM St Joe
Thursday 8:30 AM St Mary (School Mass)
Friday 6:00 PM St Ann
Saturday: 8:30 AM St Joe
5:00 PM St Joe's (Outside)
Sunday: 7:30 AM St Mary
9:00 AM St Ann
10:30 AM St Mary

Confession Schedule

St Mary's: Tuesday: 5:00 PM
St. Joe's: Wednesday 5:00 PM
St Ann's: Friday: 5:00 PM
St Joe's: Saturday: After 8:30 AM Mass
and at 4:00 PM
St Mary's: Sunday: 5:00 PM

CALENDAR OF EVENTS GROUPS & MINISTRIES

SM-SA K of C

April 5 | Missi/Widerin Room at 7:00 PM
or virtual meet.google.com/xzo-wsey-iix

SJ K of C

TBD | 7:00 PM @ St. Joe's

SJ Rosary Society

March 9 | 6:00 PM @ St. Joe Hall

St. Mary's School Commission

TBD | 5:30 PM

SM Physical Facilities Meeting

Mar 5 | 8:00 AM Parish Center

Frassati Youth Group

This will be Flocknoted | 6:30PM-9:00PM

Religious Education

On line, registrations forms in churches.

Men's Holy League

Mar 6 | 8:30 AM Mass, followed by
Eucharistic Holy Hour & meeting @ SJ

PASTORAL COUNCIL & FINANCE COMMITTEE

St. Ann's Finance Committee

TBD | 6:45 PM Parish Hall

St. Joseph's Finance Committee

TBD | 6:30 St. Joe Parish Hall

St. Mary's Finance Committee

3-23 | 5:00 PM Zoom meeting

Pastoral Council

TBD | 6:45 Parish Center

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

SHAWE MEMORIAL JR./SR. HIGH

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812-273-5835 ext. 245 or
812-801-1660

ST. JOE SNOW REMOVAL:

March 2021

Gilbert Vogel

Tony Vogel

Lenny Maschino

CHAPLET TO ST. JOSEPH:

The Chaplet to St. Joseph will be prayed starting Jan 31st at 5:15PM before Vespers at St Mary's in honor of the 7 Sunday's of St Joseph. This is one way the parish is honoring the Year of St. Joseph. The chaplet is prayed for 7 Sundays leading up to the Feast of St. Joseph. Chaplets will be available in the back of church. Please keep the chaplet if you plan to join the devotion and bring it back each week.

FEAST OF ST JOSEPH:

Come celebrate the Feast of St Joseph on March 19, 2021 with Mass at St Joe's at 6:00 PM. Bread is traditionally blessed at this Mass. You are welcome to bring any type of bread. Your bread MUST be wrapped/sealed.

MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL:

Mass of Christian burial was held for Deborah Fay Sorg on March 1, 2021 at 10:00 AM at St Mary's with burial in Vernon Cemetery.

ROSARY SOCIETY CHICKEN & NOODLES:

St. Joseph Rosary Society will be offering carry out chicken and noodles dinners after the Sunday, March 13 Mass at St Joseph. They are offering carry out only. Free will donation will be accepted and all money will be given to our seminarians.

K of C FISH FRY:

This years fish fry will be a drive through every Friday of Lent from 4:30 to 7:00 PM. Good Friday hours will be 4:30 to 6:00 PM. Please enter for the curbside pick up line off of Clay Street.

ONE BREAD ON CUP HIGH SCHOOL:

One Bread One Cup High School Youth Conference will be June 14-18, 2021. This year, we have 6 spots for reserved. The conference may happen in person at St. Meinrad or virtually, a decision will be made by March 31. If you have high schooler, who would like to go, have them contact Courtney at the Parish Office ASAP for more information.

VOLUNTEER NEEDED:

A volunteer is needed to wash and iron the weekly liturgical linens for St. Mary. You will be trained on how to properly wash and iron the linens. If you are interested in this ministry please call the Parish Office.



ST. MARY'S
CATHOLIC SCHOOL
VALUES AND TRADITIONS

The dough cookie dough sale began this week. All orders must be placed online at www.ClubsChoiceFundraising.com. The St. Mary's School code is STMA52. Please consider supporting this fundraiser by buying some cookie dough. Thank you