



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

SATURDAY DECEMBER 30

Octave of Christmas

SM 4:30PM +Alberta Biehle

SJ 6:00 PM +Jeffery Anglin

***SUNDAY DECEMBER 31**

The Holy Family

SA 8:00 AM Pro Populo

SM 9:30 AM +Kelsey Martin

OLOP Midnight Priest Intention

MONDAY JANUARY 1

Holy Mother of God

No Mass

TUESDAY JANUARY 2

St. Basil The Great

SM 8:30 AM Holy Souls in Purgatory

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 3

Most Holy Name of Jesus

SJ 6:00 PM 3rd Order Franciscans

Marian Minor

THURSDAY JANUARY 4

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

SM 8:30 AM +Charlie Parks

***FRIDAY JANUARY 5**

St. John Neumann & First Friday

SM 6:00 PM Priestly Vocations

***SATURDAY JANUARY 6**

Epiphany of the Lord & First Saturday

OLOP 9:00 AM Pastor's Intention

SM 4:30 PM Pro Populo

SJ 6:00 PM +Alberta Biehle

SUNDAY JANUARY 7

Epiphany of the Lord

SA 8 AM Poor Souls

SM 9:30 AM +Travis Campbell

*Indicates a change in schedule

Confession Schedule

Tuesdays: SM after 8:30 a.m. Mass

Wednesdays: SJ 5:30 p.m.

Thursdays: SM after 8:30 a.m. Mass

Fridays: SA 5:30 p.m.

Saturdays: SM 4:00 p.m. & SJ after 6 p.m.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2023



PRAYER TO THE HOLY FAMILY

"LORD JESUS CHRIST, WHO, BEING MADE SUBJECT TO MARY AND JOSEPH, DID CONSECRATE DOMESTIC LIFE BY YOUR UNSPEAKABLE VIRTUES; GRANT THAT WE, WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF BOTH, MAY BE TAUGHT BY THE EXAMPLE OF YOUR HOLY FAMILY AND MAY ATTAIN TO ITS EVERLASTING FELLOWSHIP.

PARISH CONTACTS

PARISH STAFF

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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

JACOB'S PRAYER LINE

(812) 346-6360 or (812) 592-1102

PARISH INFORMATION

WEEKEND OFFERINGS

DECEMBER 2023

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

ST. ANN'S—

YTD Budget: \$22,038.24

YTD Actual: \$20,253.00

YTD Variance as of October

2023: (\$1,784.24)

Monthly Automatic Giving:

\$320

Dec. 17: \$1,846

ST. JOSEPH—

YTD Budget: \$46,853.68

YTD Actual: \$40,188.26

YTD Variance as of October

2023: (\$6,665.42)

Monthly Automatic Giving:

\$665

Dec. 16: \$2,114

ST. MARY'S—

YTD Budget: \$ 166,666.68

YTD Actual: \$ 143,946.00

YTD Variance as of October

2023: (\$22,720.68)

Weekly Automatic Giving:

\$2,160

Monthly Automatic Giving:

\$1,955

Dec. 16 & 17: \$7,465.98

MASS ATTENDANCE

December 16 & 17

St. Ann: 226

St. Joseph: 121

St. Mary: 129 & 148

*"LET US GO TO THE HOUSE OF
THE LORD." PSALM 122*

PLEASE KEEP IN PRAYER

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

John Doran, Sandra Kreutzjans, Jerry Lowman, Bill Baurle, Tori Herche, Andrew Lee, Doug Mays, Makayla Reitman, Ruby Gatewood, Penny Sullivan, Kaye Sullivan, Roger Bowen, Justin Brinker, Joanna Alcorn, Brittany Preusz, Jeff Kreutzjans, Sharleen Warren, Stacy Borgeman, Ian Hoff, John Eaton, Mike Irwin, Helen Hoff, Susie Sanert, Reda Wickens, Carolyn Hensley, Abby Johnson, Bob Kirchner, Charlie Heilers, Megan Snyder.

If you would like to add someone to the prayer list please call the Parish Office: 812-346-3604. Names will appear for two weekends. then will be taken off as space allows.

CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

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

OPEN HOURS THAT NEED TO BE FILLED

WEDNESDAY 3 AM TO 4 AM

WEDNESDAY 8 PM TO 9 PM (SECOND ADORER)

THURSDAY MIDNIGHT TO 1 AM

THURSDAY 1 AM TO 2 AM

FRIDAY 1 AM TO 2 AM

FRIDAY 5 PM TO 6 PM

FRIDAY 10 PM TO 11 PM (SECOND ADORER)

SATURDAY 4 AM TO 5 AM

SATURDAY 6 PM TO 7 PM

SATURDAY 8 PM TO 9 PM (SECOND ADORER)

SUNDAY 4 AM TO 5 AM

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

UNITED CATHOLIC APPEAL

Parish	Goal	Amt. Pledged	# of Donors
St. Ann:	\$5,937	\$21,565	13
St. Joseph:	\$10,784	\$21,100	18
St. Mary:	\$39,172	\$16,695	70

OUR BLESSED MOTHER

Praying the rosary honors our Blessed Mother for the protection She gives us and Her powerful intercession to the prayers of the faithful. Please join us at the following:

St. Ann: Prior to the 8:00 AM Sunday Mass

St. Mary: Prior to the 4:30 PM Saturday Mass and the 9:30 AM Sunday Mass.

St. Joseph: Prior to the 6 PM Saturday evening Mass at 5:40 PM.

WEDDING BLESSINGS

EVAN HURR AND ALLISON VOGEL were married on December 30, 2023 at St. Joseph Church.

Deacon Bobby Vogel was the celebrant. Congratulations and many blessings!

DONUT SUNDAYS

DONUT SUNDAY IS DEC. 31

after the 9:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mary in the Missy room. We appreciate a \$1 donut donation. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Cristina at 317-378-9774. Your time and talent is always treasured! **Save the date for the next one on Jan. 14.**

GET YOUR BLESSED CHALK

BLESSED CHALK FOR THE NEW YEAR

Chalk is available in the back of each church for the traditional house blessing. See the graphic below for more information on this beautiful tradition.

THANK YOU

THE FAMILY OF EDWARD KREUTZJANS

gives sincere thanks to Father Byrd, Deacon French, Courtney Vogt, the altar servers, Funeral Dinner Team, Welcome Ladies, and Sawyer Pickett Funeral Home for your help and kindness to our family and friends with the passing of Edward Kreutzjans.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS
GROUPS & MINISTRIES

Tri- Parish Pastoral Committee
TBD 6:00 PM SJ
RCIA |Jan. 14|10:30 a.m. SM
Religious Ed| Jan. 10,17|6:30 p.m. SJ

SNOW REMOVAL

SNOW REMOVAL FOR ST. JOSEPH

January 2024

Joe Gerringger
John Gerringger
Dale Gerringger

February 2024

Gilbert Vogel
Tony Vogel
Lenny Maschino

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Thursdays: SM after 8:30 a.m. Mass
Fridays: SA 5:30 p.m.
Saturdays: SM 4:00 p.m. & SJ after 6 p.m. Mass.
Sunday: SA 7:30 a.m.

Please Note:

The Holy Mother of God Feast Day on January 1 is NOT a Holy Day of Obligation this year.

OFFICE HOURS

PARISH OFFICE HOLIDAY HOURS

There will be limited hours Dec. 27 through Jan. 3. Please call before you come on those dates to make sure we can assist you.

UPDATE FROM THE EDITOR

BULLETIN DEADLINES

Items are due Mondays by 5 p.m. No exceptions.



USE THIS CENTURIES OLD TRADITION TO CELEBRATE THE EPIPHANY OF GOD'S BLESSING. The sacred signs and symbols set our homes apart as places of Christian hospitality. It is an outward way to request Christ to bless our homes and stay with those who dwell in them throughout the year. It also asks for blessings on all those who visit our homes.

The CMB have the above meanings in the graphic for blessing and also stand for the three wise men who visited the Christ Child: Caspar, Melchior, and Balthazar.