



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

**SATURDAY MARCH 16**

Fifth Sunday of Lent

SM 4:30PM + Marie Fry

SJ 6:00 PM St. Joseph Feast Day

**SUNDAY MARCH 17**

Fifth Sunday of Lent

SA 8:00 AM +Helen Henz

SM 9:30 AM Pro Populo

**MONDAY MARCH 18**

No Mass

**\*TUESDAY MARCH 19**

St. Joseph

NO MASS +Travis Campbell

**\*WEDNESDAY MARCH 20**

Lenten Weekday

NO MASS +Ruth Long

**\*THURSDAY MARCH 21**

Lenten Weekday

NO MASS Luke Diekhoff

**\*FRIDAY MARCH 22**

Lenten Weekday

OLOP 6:00 PM Priestly Vocations

**SATURDAY MARCH 23**

Palm Sunday

SM 4:30 PM +Ed Kreutzjans

SJ 6:00 PM +Ruth Long

**SUNDAY MARCH 24**

Palm Sunday

SA 8:00 AM Pro Populo

SM 9:30 AM +Joseph Burgmeier

**\*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

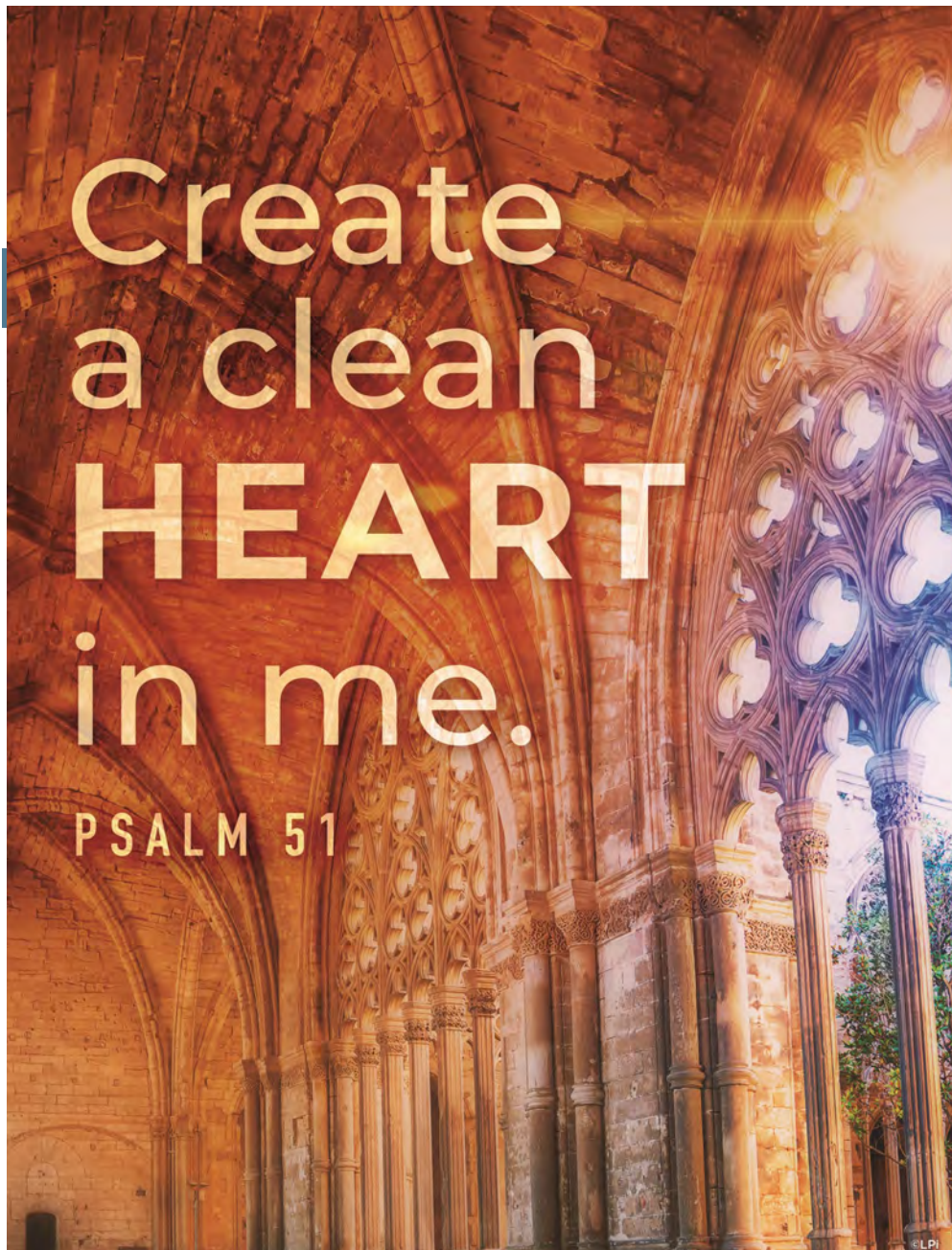
Fridays: SA 5:30 p.m.

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

Mass.

Sunday: SA 7:30 a.m.

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[Binding Prayers From Fr. Byrd:](#)

In the Name of Jesus, I bind you spirit of \_\_\_ and send you to the foot of the Cross to be judged by Our Lord. Amen

**For general protection** In the Name of Jesus, I bind any spirit here that is not of the Holy Spirit, and send you to the foot of the Cross to be judged by Our Lord. Amen

## 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

#### MARCH 2023

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

#### ST. ANN'S—

YTD Budget: \$44,076.48

YTD Actual: \$42,097.00

YTD Variance as of December

2023: (\$1,979.48)

**Monthly Automatic Giving:**

**\$320**

**March 10: \$569**

#### ST. JOSEPH—

YTD Budget: \$70,280.52

YTD Actual: \$65,426.94

YTD Variance as of December

2023: (\$4,853.58)

**Monthly Automatic Giving:**

**\$540**

**March 9: \$2,782**

#### ST. MARY'S—

YTD Budget: \$250,000.02

YTD Actual: \$233,007.98

YTD Variance as of December

2023: (\$16,992.04)

**Weekly Automatic Giving:**

**\$2,160**

**Monthly Automatic Giving:**

**\$1,955**

**March 9 & 10: \$5,410**

## MASS ATTENDANCE

**March 9 & 10**

**St. Ann: 113**

**St. Joseph: 107**

**St. Mary: 231 at 4:30 p.m. &  
154 at 9:30 a.m.**

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

## PLEASE KEEP IN PRAYER

### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Jacob Frey, Wendy Reitman, Melissa Helm Taylor, Maurice Jackson, Sarah Loudermelk, John Doran, 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.

**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**

TUESDAY 9 PM TO 10 PM

WEDNESDAY 3 AM TO 4 AM

WEDNESDAY 8 PM TO 9 PM (SECOND ADORER)

THURSDAY 1 AM TO 2 AM

FRIDAY 1 AM TO 2 AM

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

SUNDAY NOON TO 1 PM

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	\$25,940	20
St. Mary:	\$39,172	\$21,170	77

### 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.



## PARISH NEWS

### NO DAILY MASS

PLEASE NOTE THE DAILY MASS SCHEDULE!

Fr. Byrd is on pilgrimage with a group of parishioners at the Shrine of the Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, Alabama from **March 18-21**.

**Please pray for those on this pilgrimage. Fr. Byrd is taking all the Mass intentions with him and praying for all parishioners on this trip!**

### WAY OF THE CROSS



JOIN US FOR AN AMAZING PERFORMANCE

Our youth will reenact the events of Holy Week with two performances:

**2 p.m. St. Mary on March 24**

**1 p.m. St. Mary on March 29**

You don't want to miss this!

### DONUT SUNDAY

JOIN US FOR DONUT SUNDAY on **March 24** after the 9:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mary in the Parish Center. Free will donation appreciated.

### PARISH OFFICE CLOED

THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED **MARCH 18 THROUGH MARCH 22**. It will reopen Monday, March 25.

### BAPTISM BLESSINGS

FELICITY THERESE NAVILLE daughter of William & Alyson Dant Neville received the Sacrament of Baptism at St. Mary Catholic Church on March 10, 2024. Fr. Jerry Byrd was the celebrant.

### Marriage Banns

CHRISTOPHER MASCHINO & MADISON BECKETT are to be married on April 6, 2024 at St. Joseph Catholic Church. If any of you know cause or just impediment why these persons should not be joined together in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony you are to declare it. —Rev. Jerry Byrd.

### FISH FRY EVENTS

BUFFET STYLE FISH FRY BY K OF C St. Mary on the Fridays of Lent from 4:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. \$15 per person. Kids \$10 and 5 and under are free! No Fish Fry on Good Friday.

**St. Joseph Fish Fry** is Friday, March 22 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. with live Bluegrass music.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS GROUPS & MINISTRIES

Tri- Parish Pastoral Committee

TBD 6:00 PM SJ

Religious Ed | April 3,10, 17,24 @ 6:30 p.m. SJ

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

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Every Friday of Lent at St. Mary's 8:30 a.m with the school.

March 22 at St. Joseph 6 p.m.

### HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

THE TRIDUUM IS THE MOST HOLY WEEK OF THE CHURCH YEAR

All liturgies will be at St. Mary Church.

**Holy Thursday March 28 at 6 p.m.**

**Good Friday March 29 at 3 p.m.**

**Easter Vigil 8 p.m. March 30**

### EASTER SUNDAY MASSES

8 a.m. St. Ann

8 a.m. St. Joseph

9:30 a.m. St. Mary in the gym only!

Please note a visiting priest will be helping with the Masses.

### K OF C NEWS

FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Eugene Kreuzjans for their dedication to the Adoration Chapel and their faith.

**Four Corners K of C Road Clean Up**

Members are ask to gather at St. Joseph Church at 8 a.m. Saturday, March 23. We will clean the road to the highway. All help is appreciated.

### ST. MARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

St. Mary Catholic School students will celebrate First Communion on Saturday, April 6 at the 4:30 p.m. Mass at St. Mary. A reception will follow for friends and family in the St. Mary Parish Hall.

Religious Education Students will celebrate their First Communion on April 13 at the 6 p.m. Mass. There will be a reception to follow in St. Joseph Hall.

### UPDATE FROM THE EDITOR

BULLETIN DEADLINES

Items are due each Monday by 5 p.m. No exceptions.