


PRAYER CHAIN

 pray for others ~ request prayers
 If you would like the ability via email to ask others in the parish to pray for your intentions or if you would like to be notified via email when fellow parishioners are asking for prayers, send an email to mjprayerchain@gmail.com or call Lee Griggs in the parish office 812-425-1577 x207

Christmas Year Round...
Your gift to someone in need.
 Give today... envelopes available in church

The Diocese of Evansville
EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS
*A Revival for Your Heart
 Life for Your Soul*

January 13, 2024
 Old National Events Plaza
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This Eucharistic Congress is meant to draw the local body of Christ together for worship, adoration, education, service, joy.



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The Baptism of the Lord
January 7, 2024



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WEEKEND MASSES
 Saturday Mass 4:00 pm | Confession 3:15-3:45 pm
 Sunday Mass 10:00 am | Confession 9:15-9:45 am
 Sunday Mass 4:00 pm | Confession 3:15-3:45 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES
 Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
 Adoration 11:00 am | Confession 11:30-11:55 am | Mass 12:05 pm



...they all gather and come to you...

Items for the bulletin need to be turned in by 12:00 pm on Tuesdays
Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8 am- 4 pm
Food Pantry Hours: Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs 9 am-Noon and 1-3 pm

Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation Please contact the Parish Office about sacramental preparation, to schedule a Baptism or info on sacrament schedules.

Become Catholic - RCIA We welcome you and are here to help answer all those questions from the call that God is inviting you to follow. Contact the Parish Office.

Marriage Couples planning to marry need to contact the parish office at least 6 months prior to their anticipated wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick Offered first weekend of each month after Masses. To schedule a time for receiving please contact the Parish Office.

A diverse, welcoming and vibrant Catholic community committed to living out the Good News of Jesus Christ through word, sacrament and service.

This Week in the Parish

Sunday 1/7	Monday 1/8	Tuesday 1/9	Wednesday 1/10	Thursday 1/11	Friday 1/12	Saturday 1/13
Epiphany Confession 9:15-9:45 am Mass 10:00 am Confession 3:15-3:45 pm Mass 4:00 pm	Food Pantry 9-12 & 1-3 pm Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30-11:55 am Mass 12:05 pm.	Food Pantry 9-12 & 1-3 pm Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30-11:55 am Mass 12:05 pm. StVdP meets 5 pm	Food Pantry 9-12 & 1-3 pm 1:00 pm Take down Church Christmas Decorations Choir 6:30-8pm	Food Pantry 9-12 & 1-3 pm Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30-11:55 am Mass 12:05 pm Building & Grounds 6 pm.	Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30-11:55 am Mass 12:05 pm.	Confession 3:15-3:45 pm Mass 4:00 pm

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 14, 2024

First Reading 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19
 Second Reading 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20
 :Gospel Jn 1:35-42

Mass Intentions

Sat.	1/6	4:00 pm	Jan Howell
Sun.	1/7	10:00 am	Marce Halbig and family
		4:00 pm	Needs and Intentions of the Parish
Mon.	1/8	12:05 pm	Gary Tucker
Tues.	1/9	12:05 pm	Janet Ziliak
Thurs.	1/11	12:05 pm	Betty Wolf
Fri.	1/12	12:05 pm	Tim Hahn
Sat.	1/13	4:00 pm	Leona Logel
Sun.	1/14	10:00 am	Jean Elpers
		4:00 pm	Needs and Intetnions of the Parish
Mon.	1/15	12:05 pm	Emma Majewski
Tues.	1/16	12:05 pm	In Memory of Jan Howell
Thurs.	1/18	12:05 pm	Joe Melcher
Fri.	1/19	12:05 pm	Jean Elpers
Sat.	1/20	4:00 pm	In Memory of Mary Ann Zenthoefer
Sun.	1/21	10:00 am	Mark Hirsch and Family
		4:00 pm	Needs and Intentions of the Parish
Mon.	1/22	12:05 pm	Doris Bush
Tues.	1/23	12:05 pm	Gary Tucker

MASS INTENTIONS... Please contact Lee Griggs 812-425-1577 ext 207 to schedule a Mass intention or you can fill out a Mass Intention envelope found in church and drop it in the stewardship basket or go to our website intention form.
PRAYER CHAIN... Contact Lee Griggs if you would like to join the parish Email Prayer Chain or if you have a prayer request... something or someone you would like us to pray for.

Welcome to Sts. Mary and John Parish!!

Are you attending Mass here at Sts. Mary and John and possibly have been for a while and are not a registered member of any parish? We would love you to register here at this Parish and welcome you as a registered member of our parish family. Please contact Lee Griggs 812-425-1577 or email lgriggs@evdio.org.

Weekly Collection

Mass Time	12/23-24/2023	12/30-31/2023
Saturday 4:00 pm	\$ 15,242.00	1,092.00
Sunday 10:00 am	\$ 611.00	1,162.00
4:00 pm	\$ 2,812.00	5,765.00
9:00 pm	\$ 1,225.00	
9:00 am	\$ 480.00	
Electronic	\$ 243.54	743.54
Office Mail in	\$ 5,685.00	9,436.00
Total	\$ 26,298.54	18,198.54

Alms 00 StVDP \$385.00 CYR \$220.00

Let us Pray...

That, like the Magi, we as Christian Stewards, generously share our gifts with the Lord, trusting He will provide all that we need.

Marie Cervone, Sally Barton, Ed Goebel, Christine Bessette, Lovella Martin, Stan Logel, Cap Berg, Mary White, Chris Render, William Sanderfur, Tara Nellis, Ray Bigge, Tara Blessinger, Liz Saum, Nancy Hamilton, Sue Dills-Wall, Anne Priestly.
Pray for our loved ones in the Military...

William Russell Staff Sgt. Shaun Nelson
 Lt. Noah Huelsing Gunnery Sgt. Nathan Ulrich
 2nd Lt. Corey Cannon LT Noah Algee

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

1/1 Robert Greenwell, George Hoffmann, Mark Kessler
 1/2 Diane LeVee
 1/3 Kyler Greenwell
 1/4 Carol Miskinis
 1/5 Anne Priestly
 1/8 Eugene Brouillard, Lisa Paxton
 1/9 Hilary Arney, Phillip Mortis
 1/10 Vicky Carl, Michael Carter
 1/11 Barry Collignon
 1/12 Christy Baker, Mike Whetstine

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YOUR HELP IS NEEDED...

Wednesday, January 10 at 1:00 pm we will take down the Christmas decorations and trees in church. We would appreciate any help... hope to see you!!



**If you would like to take a poinsettia plant home with you, please come forward after any Mass this weekend and take one.



DONATED BOOKS ~ ENJOY ONE!

Feel free to take a copy of the book "Beautiful Eucharist" from Dynamic Catholic. This book ties into the Eucharistic Revival happening in the Catholic Church. Books can be found in the hall outside of church. It is a great read especially as we prepare for the Eucharistic Congress. Thank you to Maurice and Gail Coates for this gift to the parish.

BUILDING AND GROUNDS MEETING

There will be a Building and Grounds meeting on Thursday, January 11 at 6:00 pm in the Ministry Center. All are welcome to attend these meetings. Building and Grounds Meetings will be help every other month through this year and all dates and times will be posted in the bulletin beforehand.

St. James YOUTH GROUP BREAKFAST
 JOIN US AFTER MASS! SUNDAY, JANUARY 21
 7:30 - 10:30 AM SJ MADDEN HALL
 Pancakes, Sausage, Scrambled Eggs, Biscuits & Gravy.
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Laudato Si'

A weekly tip on Caring for Our Common Home #33

Buy reusable mesh bags to use for fresh produce items when you are grocery shopping. That will eliminate the need to use the grocer's plastic produce bags, which are difficult to recycle. Mesh bags, available from a number of retailers, can be laundered and kept with your reusable grocery bags for convenience.

STRENGTHEN YOUR NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION!
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We have seven tickets left for a seat in our parish blocked section for the Eucharistic Congress... contact Lee in the office!!

IN PREPARATION FOR The Diocese of Evansville EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS
 PLEASE JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF ADORATION
 Friday - January 12, 2024 - 6:30 PM
 St. Benedict Cathedral
 With John Michael Talbot
 Very Rev. Alex Zenthoefer
 Dr. Edward Sri
NO TICKET NEEDED - ALL ARE WELCOME

January 7, 2024
 Epiphany of the Lord
 Stewards Worship

"They fell down and worshipped him. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh." - MATTHEW 2:11

Notice the order of events in the Magi's visit. First, they knelt before Jesus and prayed to Him. Then they presented Him with their gifts. We, too, as Christian Stewards, must take time to pray before we present our gifts to the Lord. We never know what God may be asking us to share!