

**PRAYER CHAIN**



pray for others ~ request prayers

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**Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**August 13, 2023**



**Sts. Mary and John Catholic Parish**  
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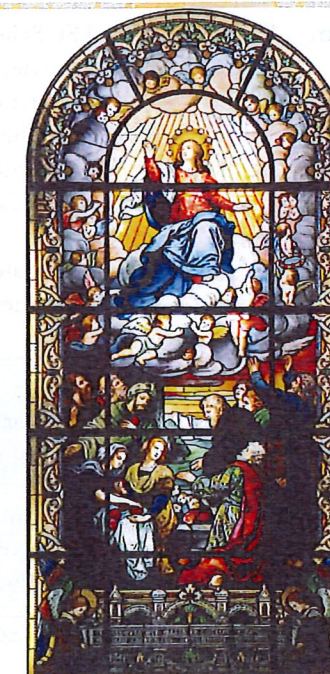
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**WEEKEND MASSES**

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



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.

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This Week in the Parish

Sunday 8/13	Monday 8/14	Tuesday 8/15	Wednesday 8/16	Thursday 8/17	Friday 8/18	Saturday 8/19
Confession 9:15-9:45 am Mass 10:00 am Confession 3:15-3:45 pm Mass 4:00 pm	Food Pantry 9am-12 & 1-3 pm Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30-11:55 am Mass 12:05 pm	Food Pantry 9am-12 & 1-3 pm Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30-11:55 am <b>Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Masses 12:05 pm and 5:30 pm</b> StVdP meets 5 pm	Food Pantry 9am-12 & 1-3 pm Choir 6:30-8pm	Food Pantry 9am-12 & 1-3 pm Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30-11:55 am Mass 12:05 pm	Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30-11:55 am Mass 12:05 pm	Confession 3:15-3:45 pm Mass 4:00 pm

**Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

August 20, 2023

1st Reading; Is 56:1, 6-7  
Second Reading; Rom 11:13-15, 29-32  
Gospel; Mt 15:21-28

**Mass Intentions**

Sat.	8/12	4:00 pm	In Memory of Troy Hinderliter
Sun.	8/13	10:00 am	Deceased members of the Burek and Supinsky families
		4:00 pm	For needs & Intention of the parish
Mon.	8/14	12:05 pm	Jan Howell
Tues.	8/15	12:05 pm	Marian and Arnold DeBaillie
		5:30 pm	For the people of our parish
Thurs.	8/17	12:05 pm	Ann Snyder
Fri.	8/18	12:05 pm	1953 High School St. Scholastica's College Manilla Philippines
Sat.	8/19	4:00 pm	All those who have donated to the Roof Capital Campaign and their families
Sun.	8/20	10:00 am	All those who have donated to the Roof Capital Campaign, their families and the people of our parish
		4:00 pm	All those who have donated to the Roof Capital Campaign and their families
Mon.	8/21	12:05 pm	Rosie Greeson

**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.  
**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!!*

A "Hello" and a warm "Welcome" to all guests. If you are new to the area and are looking for a parish home or have been attending here for awhile and not registered, we invite you to register here at Sts. Mary and John Parish. We would love to welcome you as a member of our parish family. Please contact Lee Griggs 812-425-1577 or email Lee at lgriggs@evdio.org.

**Weekly Collection August 5-6, 2023**

Mass Time	Collections
Saturday 4:00 pm	\$ 2,905.00
Sunday 10:00 am	\$ 2,584.00
4:00 pm	\$ 912.00
Electronic	\$ 2,403.75
Office Mail in	\$ 1,992.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 10,797.75</b>

SVDP \$ 668.00 Alms Collection \$ 1,460.00  
Thank you for all you do — May God Bless You for your generosity to the parish!

Let us Pray... That we as Christian Stewards, respond obediently to God's call and have the confidence to walk on water.



Mary Ann Zenthoefer, Bennett Hatfield, Drew Meyer, Gloria Riley, Nancy Hamilton, Betty Feller, Lovella Martin, Diane Tomas, Sue Dills-Wall, Anne Priestly, Bill O'Nan, Liz Saum, Ray Bigge, Gladys Lane, Mary Eichenberger  
**Pray for our loved ones in the Military...** LT Jake Morris, 1st LT Danielle Morris, William Russell, Lt. Noah Huelsing, 2nd Lt. Corey Cannon, Staff Sergeant Shaun Nelson, Nathan Ulrich; Marines.

**AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**

- 8/14 Wayne Kinch
- 8/15 Katie Nurrenbern
- 8/18 Tim Huelsing
- 8/19 Donna Leader, Elizabeth Sneed
- 8/21 James Riger
- 8/22 Phyllis Alford, Michelle Collignon, Lee Jorgensen  
Dr. William O'Nan
- 8/26 Sheldona Kempf

**We Celebrate You**

Please browse our website at: [www.stsmaryandjohnparish.org](http://www.stsmaryandjohnparish.org)  
Visit and Like our Facebook page: Sts. Mary and John Parish @stsmaryjohn  
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**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS**



This week we again had a full roster of calls to make, but as happens from time to time, several applicants were not possible to reach, though many calls, texts and messages are usually tried. CenterPoint bills remain the focus of many of our calls, and we were able to help several folks avoid shutoff. We had one new resident of Buckner Towers, just across Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd from the church. We helped him meet his first month's rent obligation, and hope he can get settled into his new housing, after being homeless. Two Neighbors needed furniture and we provided them with vouchers to the SVdP Thrift Store where couches are usually priced at \$45. When we ask our Neighbors what their prayer requests may be, sometimes they ask for prayers of thanksgiving for the help they are receiving from Sts. Mary & John Parish. Please know that the people we help appreciate this parish.

**FOOD PANTRY NEWS**

The month of July 2023 the Parish Food Pantry served 190 households (351 people). Thank you to all our volunteers.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR for the St. Vincent de Paul's 16th Annual Friends of the Poor Walk, September 23, 2023 at the Evansville State Hospital Ground, 3400 Lincoln Ave. Registration 8 am; Start 9 am**

**THE EUCHARIST AND THE CHURCH'S TEACHING ON THE REAL PRESENCE SESSIONS CONTINUE**

Deacon Tom Kempf continues classes on the Eucharist the 4th Sunday of each month. On **Sunday, August 27 and Sunday, September 24** the class will be held in Rager Hall immediately following the 10:00 am Mass. Please join us... all are welcome to attend these sessions.

Thank you for all you do and May God Bless You for your generosity to the parish! With our new roof work in progress we would like to pray for those that are making it possible. The weekend of August 19 and 20 the Mass Intentions for all Masses will be offered 'For God's blessings on all those who donate to the Roof Capital Campaign and their families.' Please join us in prayer. If you have questions or would like to donate to our roof fund please contact Fr. Eugene at 812-425-1577 ext 205 or [eschmitt@evdio.org](mailto:eschmitt@evdio.org)

**Laudato Si'**

A weekly tip on Caring for Our Common Home #15 "There is a nobility in the duty to care for creation through little daily actions, and it is wonderful how education can bring about real changes in lifestyle. Education in environmental responsibility can encourage ways of acting which directly and significantly affect the world around us..." (Laudato Si', 211)

**Holy Day of Obligation: Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

Tuesday, August 15 is The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, one of the most important feast days of the year. This holy day marks the occasion of the Virgin Mary's bodily ascent to heaven at the end of her life. Our Mass times on this day will be 12:05 pm and 5:30 pm.



**CAN YOU GIVE A LIFE CHANGING GIFT?**

Help us find a kidney donor! St. James parishioner, Clara, has stage 5 kidney disease and is in great need of a kidney donor. Please pray for Clara and consider helping! It just takes the right person to read or share this request.



Scan the QR code to connect with St. Vincent's Living Donor program.

Please consider contacting [stvincent.donorscreen.org](http://stvincent.donorscreen.org) or calling the Living Donor phone line at 317-338-2694.

Catechist Formation Day, "The Heart of the Catechist: Abiding in the Eucharistic Jesus" will be held Saturday, Aug. 26th from 8am- 2pm Central at the Catholic Center. Sr. Mary Rachel Capets of the Nashville Dominicans will be the keynote speaker. Find more information and register at [evdio.org/formation-day](http://evdio.org/formation-day)

**August 13, 2023  
19th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Stewards Trust**

"He said, 'Come.' Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus." - MATTHEW 14:29

When we hear Jesus calling, do we respond as Stewards and trust that He knows what He's doing? If so, we are walking on water! When we say "yes" to Jesus, we feel the power of his presence in our lives. We can feel the freedom it gives us! Listen how Jesus is calling you to live the extraordinary life He has intended for you.