


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

God Bless our Volunteers

ALBION
 Albion Fellows Bacon Center

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month.


In 2022, Albion's Emergency Shelter provided 6,093 nights of safe shelter to adults and children in an 11-county Southern Indiana service area.

5 WAYS YOU CAN HELP

- Organize a donation drive of toiletries, hair care products, undergarments, small gift cards, or laundry items including baskets.
- Organize and deliver a meal for shelter guests (up to 30 people at any time).
- Invite Albion to speak to your church, club, or organization.
- Host a fundraiser
- Volunteer

For more information, contact Ashley at ashleym@albioncenter.org or 812-422-9372

24 HOUR CRISIS HOTLINES:
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Sts. MARY & JOHN

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 October 15, 2023



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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

I shall live in the house of the LORD all the days of my life.

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 10/15	Monday 10/16	Tuesday 10/17	Wednesday 10/18	Thursday 10/19	Friday 10/20	Saturday 10/21
Confession 9:15-9:45 am Mass 10:00 am Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister Training after Masses 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 Communion Service 12:05 pm StVdP meets 5 pm in Ministry Ctr.	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 Communion Service 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

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 22, 2023

First Reading Is 45:1, 4-6
Second Reading 1 Thes 1:1-5b
Gospel Mt 22:15-21

Mass Intentions

Sat.	10/14 4:00 pm	Sam Fitzsimmons
Sun.	10/15 10:00 am	Deceased members of the Burek and Supinsky families
	4:00 pm	The Needs and Intentions of the Parish
Mon.	10/16 12:05 pm	In Memory of Jean Elpers
Tues.	10/17 12:05 pm	Communion Service
Thurs.	10/19 12:05 pm	Communion Service
Fri.	10/20 12:05 pm	For healing of Tara Blessinger
Sat.	10/21 4:00 pm	Sam Fitzsimmons
Sun.	10/22 10:00 am	In Memory of David Spaetti
	4:00 pm	Joe Melcher
Mon.	10/23 12:05 pm	All our Mothers
Tues.	10/24 12:05 pm	Healing and strength for Tara, Craig and Ana Blessinger
Thurs	10/26 12:05 pm	Maggie Guzman Carlos on her birthday
Fri.	10/27 12:05 pm	Conchita Jalandoni Minaya on her birthday
Sat.	10/28 4:00 pm	In Memory of William Hager on his birthday

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!!

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 to invite 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 Lee at lgriggs@evdio.org.

Weekly Collection Oct 7-8, 2023

Mass Time	Collections
Saturday 4:00 pm	\$ 1,212.00
Sunday 10:00 am	\$ 1,778.00
4:00 pm	\$ 991.00
Electronic	\$ 272.90
Office Mail in	\$ 655.00
TOTAL	\$ 4,908.90

Alms \$ 1,091.00 SVDP \$ 395.00

Let us Pray...

That we as Christian Stewards earn to depend on God to supply for our all needs.



Olivia, Carl, Andy Funke, Chris Render, William Sanderfur, Tara Nellis, Ray Bigge, Tara Blessinger, Nancy Hamilton, Sue Dills-Wall, Anne Priestly, Liz Saum, For all those experiencing war and violence.

Pray for our loved ones in the Military...

LT Jake Morris 2nd Lt. Corey Cannon
1st LT Danielle Morris Staff Sgt. Shaun Nelson
William Russell Gunnery Sgt. Nathan Ulrich
Lt. Noah Huelsing LT Noah Algee

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

10/14 Barry Schaefer
10/15 Liz Chandler
10/16 Romero Baltzell Sr.
10/17 Ben Griggs, Reese Hamilton
10/18 Jeff Purdy
10/19 Robert LeVee
10/20 Kim Arney, Karen Kuhlenhoelter
10/22 Robin Bell, Dorothy Uloth, Laurie Williams
10/23 Keith Behnke, Kevin Borst

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ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



This week we resumed home visits for some of our Neighbors. This was routine for us pre-pandemic, and it was good to visit face to face with folks needing help. Six of our 14 referrals needed help with CenterPoint—an ever-present situation. With the addition of some extra funds from the District St. Vincent de Paul, we were able to do more than usual in helping some of these households avoid shut-off, and in some cases, get them completely up to date with their gas and electricity. The District staff sent out notices of a job fair which was occurring on Thursday, the 12th of October, and an even bigger “Jobapalooza” at WorkOne of Southwest Indiana scheduled for the 19th of October. We were able to pass that information along to some of our Neighbors who are out of work, but are looking. As part of our outreach, we try to direct our clients to resources which may help them with systemic change, and not just apply a financial “band aid” for their immediate problem. Through the prayer and contributions of this parish, we believe we are doing some good for those amongst us who have less.

The St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store at 767 E. Walnut St. remains open, despite work on Walnut Street, and is always looking for gently used furniture, household goods and clothing. Please keep it in mind.

Your Parish Food Pantry is in need of your help!!!

Volunteers are needed to work mornings 9-Noon or afternoons 1-3 pm. We are open to give out food 4 days a week. Our pantry is very busy with people in need coming in for food. When there are not at least two volunteers we have to close the pantry as they have to work in at least twos. Handled grocery bags are needed to give out food to clients. Please save your bags and bring to church or drop by the parish office. If you could double bag them for sturdiness that would be appreciated.

EXPLANATION OF THE MASS

Fr. Eugene will give another presentation on an EXPLANATION OF THE MASS on the following date and time. It will also be held in church!!!



Sunday, October 22 after 10 am Mass in church

This will hopefully help you to better understand what is done in Mass and where the rituals of the Mass come from.

Laudato Si'

A weekly tip on Caring for Our Common Home #24

Heed the old saying “less is more” by avoiding needless consumption. Reduce, reuse, recycle — preserve resources whenever possible, use them more efficiently and limit the use of non-renewable resources.

NEWS FROM ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CEMETERY

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ALL SOULS DAY MASS: Please join us as we pray for all the faithful departed at our annual All Souls Day Mass of Remembrance on Sunday, October 29, 2023 at 2 pm in the cemetery mausoleum chapel. We especially invite the family and friends of those who have loved ones that were buried in the cemetery this past year. During the Mass, we will have a special remembrance of all those who have died this past year. Join us as we remember the gift these people have been in our lives.

Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister Training

Due to some changes and for all to follow the guidelines put out by the diocese Fr. Eugene asks that all Ministers of Communion attend one of the trainings being offered after these Masses.

Saturday, October 14 after 4 pm Mass

Sunday, October 15 after 10:00 am Mass

Sunday, October 15 after 4:00 pm Mass

If you are a current Eucharistic Minister or would like to be trained to be one please attend one of the trainings to assure all the ministers at all the Masses are aware of the guidelines to

Children's Liturgy of the Word volunteers

We are needing some volunteers 18 and over to help with our Children's Liturgy of the Word on Sunday mornings for approximately 20-25 minutes during 10:00 am Mass. Please contact Lee Griggs in the parish office 812-425-1577 ext. 207.

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month.

For over 43 years, Albion Fellows Bacon Center has been strategically working toward preventing domestic and sexual violence in our community and offering services to empower victims. Our services assess barriers to safety and self-sufficiency as well as the emotional and psychological needs of victims. We are a 501© 3 non-profit organization, a United Way partner agency and work closely with law enforcement, medical providers, local prosecutors, and coordinate with area service providers to aid those who have been impacted by domestic and sexual violence, stalking and human trafficking. Follow on Facebook or go to albionfellowsbacon.org for ways to help.

October 15, 2023

**28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Stewardship Lifestyle**

“My God will fully supply whatever you need...” - PHILIPPIANS 4:19

God really does provide for those who are grateful and generous. This is very difficult for people that don't live a Stewardship lifestyle to believe. People are skeptical and say it's just a coincidence. If you are skeptical, try living a Stewardship lifestyle for just one month – be generous with your gifts of time in prayer, talent in charitable works, and treasure, then see how God provides for your needs.