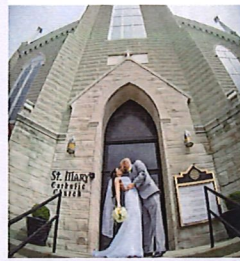


PRAYER CHAIN



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

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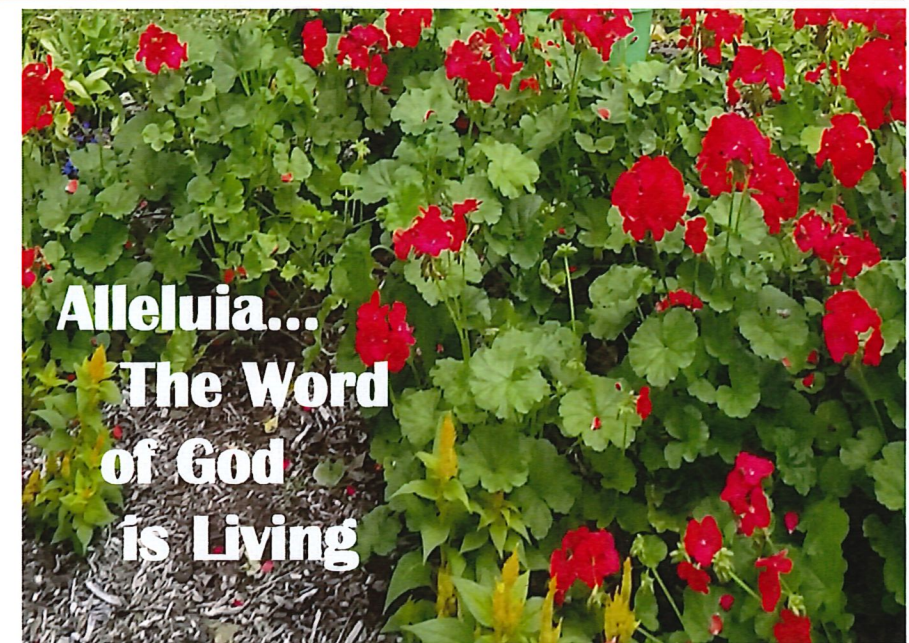
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Weekend Masses
Saturday Mass 4:00 pm; Confession 3:15-3:45 pm
Sunday Mass 10:00 am; Confession 9:15-9:45 am
Sunday Mass 4:00 pm; Confession 3:15-3:45 pm
Weekday Masses
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
Adoration 11:00 am - Confession 11:30-11:55 am- Mass 12:05 pm



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 To arrange for receiving the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please contact the Parish Office.

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This Week in the Parish

Sunday 10/16	Monday 10/17	Tuesday 10/18	Wednesday 10/19	Thursday 10/20	Friday 10/21	Saturday 10/22
Confession 9:15-9:45 am Mass 10am	Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30-11:55 am Mass 12:05 pm <i>RCLA Class 6-7 pm</i> Creation Care Meets 6 pm	Food Pantry 9am-12 & 1-3 pm Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30-11:55 am Mass 12:05 pm St. Vincent de Paul Meeting 5:00 pm Ministry Ctr.	Food Pantry 9am-12 & 1-3pm Basic Catholic Course 6 pm Ministry Ctr 3rd fl Choir 6:30-8pm	Food Pantry 9am-12 & 1-3 pm Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30-11:55 am Mass 12:05 pm CAJE Listening Session 5:30 pm Ministry Ctr 1st fl	Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30-11:55 am Mass 12:05 pm	Confession 3:15-3:45 pm Mass 4:00 pm

**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 23, 2022**

First Reading Sir 35:12-14, 16-18
Second Reading 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18
Gospel Lk 18:9-14

Mass Intentions

Sat	10/15	4:00 pm	Celebration 1 yr anniversary for Sue Dills and Jim Wall
Sun.	10/16	10:00 am	Jack Jackson
		4:00 pm	Needs and Intention of the Parish
Mon.	10/17	12:05 pm	Ann Behrens
Tues.	10/18	12:05 pm	Herman Hill
Thurs	10/20	12:05 pm	In Memory Ann Snyder
Fri.	10/21	12:05 pm	John & Gail Dunn 50th Wedding Anniv
Sat.	10/22	4:00 pm	Rosie Felarca Santos' Birthday
Sun.	10/23	10:00 am	Shirley Schutte
		4:00 pm	Needs and Intentions of the Parish
Mon.	10/24	12:05 pm	Willa Lewis
Tues.	10/25	12:05 pm	Nancy DeVoe
Thurs.	10/27	12:05 pm	David Baumgart
Fri.	10/28	12:05 pm	Mike and Patty Diebler
		4:00 pm	In Memory of William Hager

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.

PRAYER CHAIN... Contact Lee Griggs if you would like to join the parish Email Prayer Chain or if you have 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 or are looking for a parish home, 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 October 8-9, 2022

Mass Time	Collection
Saturday 4 pm	\$ 1,485.00
Sunday 10:00 am	\$ 1,289.00
4:00 pm	\$ 1,455.00
Electronic	\$ 487.07
Office Mail in	\$ 3,355.00
TOTAL	\$ 8,071.07

SVDP \$ 370.00 Alms Collection \$ 140.00

Let us pray... That as Christian Stewards our eyes may be open to the needs around us and our hands and hearts may be open to sharing our gifts to make this world a better place for all of us.



The family of Mike Purdy, Emma Majewski, LeeAnn and Mike, Jan Howell, Patti and Tom Harmon, Ray and Rosie Bigge, Sondra Bell, Sarah Seivers, Bill O'Nan, Sue Martin,

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Pray for our loved ones in the Military... LT Jake Morris, 1st LT Danielle Morris, Andrew Hicks, William Russell, Reed Shanks; Air Force Special Agent, Lt. Noah Huelsing, 2nd Lt. Corey Cannon, Staff Sergeant Shaun Nelson, Nathan Ulrich; Marines

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

10/15 Liz Chandler
10/16 Romero Baltzell Sr.
10/17 Ben Griggs, Reese Hamilton
10/18 Karen Karns, Olivia McKinney, Jeff Purdy, John Ritz
10/19 Robert LeVee, Mary Wannemuehler
10/20 Karen Kuhlenhoelter
10/22 Robin Bell, Dorothy Uloth, Laurie Williams
10/23 Keith Behnke, Devin Borst
10/25 Kay Behnke, James Williams

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU

**Safe Environment Program
Diocese of Evansville**

Diocesan Report and Inform Policy

Children are the most important gifts God has entrusted to us. The Diocese of Evansville is committed to safeguarding minors, who are persons under eighteen (18) years of age.

Immediately report the suspected abuse or neglect of a minor to the Department of Child Services (DCS) or to a local law enforcement agency.

- State of Indiana DCS Hotline: 1-800-800-5556
- Local law enforcement: 9-1-1

If a bishop has (a) performed sexual acts with a minor or a vulnerable person; (b) forced someone to perform or to submit to sexual acts through violence, threat, or abuse of authority; (c) produced, exhibited, possessed, or distributed child pornography, including by electronic means, or recruited or induced a minor or vulnerable person to participate in pornographic exhibitions; or (d) executed actions or omissions intended to interfere with or avoid a civil or Church (canonical) investigation into allegations of sexual abuse committed by a cleric or religious: after reporting to DCS or to a local law enforcement agency, inform the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting service, which is a third-party reporting service for gathering and relaying such reports to the appropriate Church authorities.

- Make a report online at www.reportbishopabuse.org or call 1-800-276-1562

If the sexual abuse of a minor involves a priest, deacon, candidate for ordination, pastoral minister, administrator, staff person, or volunteer: after reporting to DCS or to a local law enforcement agency, inform the diocesan victim assistance coordinator.

- Toll-free: 866-200-3004
- Local: 812-490-9565

The sexual abuse of a minor also includes:

- **A vulnerable person** is any person in a state of infirmity, physical or mental deficiency, or deprivation of personal liberty which, in fact, even occasionally limits their ability to understand or to want or otherwise resist the offense.
- **Child pornography**, which is any representation of a minor, regardless of the means used, involved in explicit sexual activities, whether real or simulated, and any representation of sexual organs of minors for primarily sexual purposes.

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The Brute Society is an honorary association of Southwestern Indiana Catholic laypersons who have been recognized by their parish as outstanding models of Christian stewardship.

The 2022 Mass and Solemn Ceremony of Induction into the Brute' Society will take place at St. Benedict Cathedral, November 6, 2022 at 2PM CST

Mark your calendars

BUILDING AND GROUNDS MEETINGS

Mark your calendars for these Building and Grounds Meetings 6:00 pm in the Ministry Center.

Wednesday, January 11, 2023

Wednesday, April 12, 2023

Wednesday, July 12, 2023

Wednesday, October 11, 2023

LISTENING SESSION... WHAT CAN WE DO??

Do you ever find yourself wishing there was more you could do to help alleviate the needs of your family, friends, and community? Join others from Sts. Mary and John parish to listen to each other's concerns and explore how we can work together to effect real change in our community. Bring a friend! All are welcome. Call, text or email Terri Berg with any questions: tunterre@hotmail.com or 314.239.5919 Thursday, October 20th 5:30pm in the ministry center. Come a little early to grab a snack.

BASIC CATHOLIC COURSE last two Fall classes

Wednesday, October 19

Wednesday, October 26

Classes are held on the 3rd floor of the Ministry Ctr.. Videos of the class are posted on our website following the class. You can find the Spring and Fall class videos www.stsmaryandjohnparish.org under the Resource heading. Thank you for your participation in this program. For any questions please contact Deacon Tom Kempf 812-204-4623.

CREATION CARE

You have an opportunity to gather with and get to know others in our parish family by sharing prayer, conversation and inspiration concerning creation and its care. Our focus will be: recognizing God in creation, deepening a spirituality of creation, exploring ways we can nurture and care for our earth where we live, as well as, experiencing a life of relationship with ALL God's creation. Come join us! Our first gathering will be this Monday, October 17 at 6pm in the Sts Mary and John Ministry Center on the 3rd floor. All are welcome. If interested, please contact Jenny DiLegge, 812-306-4512.

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Faithful Stewardship

"...proclaim the word, be persistent whether it is convenient or inconvenient..." 2 TIMOTHY 4:2

It is not always convenient to be a good Steward, especially when all the temptations of our busy and materialistic world get in the way. Now add our own pride and ego into the equation and living a Stewardship lifestyle may be downright uncomfortable! Remember, God didn't call us to be comfortable. He never said that we would have an easy life. Rather, He called us to be faithful!