

PRAYER CHAIN



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contact Lee Griggs in the parish
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Immediately report suspected abuse or
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Toll-free: 800-800-5556, or to
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In the event of an allegation of sexual
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inform the Victims Assistance Coordinator
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Solemnity of All Saints

November 1, 2026



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Turn in bulletin items Tuesdays by 4pm

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 - OCIA

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.
Or to schedule a time to be
anointed 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 11/1	Monday 11/2	Tuesday 11/3	Wednesday 11/4	Thursday 11/5	Friday 11/6	Saturday 11/7
All Saint's Day Clocks Fall Back One hour Confession 9:15-9:45 am Mass 10:00 am CLOW OCIA 11am Confession 3:15 Mass 4:00 pm	All Soul's Day Food Pantry 9-12 and 1-3 Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30 Mass 12:05 am National	Food Pantry 9-12 and 1-3 Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30 Mass 12:05 am Bible Study 12:45-2:15 pm Rager Hall StVDP 5pm Vocation	Food Pantry 9-12 and 1-3 Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30 Mass 12:05 pm Choir 6:30 pm Awareness	Food Pantry 9-12 and 1-3 Women's Bible Study 10am MC Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30 Mass 12:05 am Week	Adoration 11 am Confession 11:30 Mass 12:05 pm	Women's Bible Study 10am Ministry Ctr Alms Collection Anointing Confession 3:15-3:45 pm Mass 4:00 pm

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time November 8, 2026

1st Reading; Wisdom 6:12-16
2nd Reading; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
Gospel: Matthew 25:1-13

Mass Intentions

Sat. 10/31 4:00 pm	For all who have died from this parish
Sun. 11/1 10:00 am	Kathy Weinzapfel
4:00 pm	Needs and Intentions of the parish
Mon. 11/2 12:05 pm	Doris Bush
Tues. 11/3 12:05 pm	Kathy Weinzapfel
Wed. 11/4 12:05 pm	Repose of the Soul of Arthur Goedde
Thurs. 11/5 12:05 pm	Norbert Neimeier
Fri. 11/6 12:05 pm	Bob Wilzbacher
Sat. 11/7 4:00 pm	Keith Cox
Sun. 11/8 10:00 am	Jessie and Bill McConnell
4:00 pm	Rose Weiss
Mon. 11/9 12:05 pm	Doris Bush
Tues. 11/10 12:05 pm	Elaine M. Rauk
Wed. 11/11 12:05 pm	Catherine Bausch
Thurs. 11/12 12:05 pm	Kathy Weinzapfel

MASS INTENTION envelopes in church. Please fill out and drop in the stewardship basket at Mass, or contact Lee Griggs in the parish office 812-425-1577 or lgriggs@evdio.org.

Prayer Request
Logan Lindauer, Juliana Rivera, Paul Walker, Becky Thatcher, Marti Barrett, Mona Bowling, Ron McBride, Basia Bazell, Pat Kersteins, Geri Kempf, Pat Barnes, Joe Staggs, Charles Asher, Gene Warren, Carolyn Skelton, Jaya Dodd, Lovella Martin, Dan DiLegge, Jean Ann Priestly, Jim Wall, Jim Lance
Pray for our loved ones in the Military...

Specialist Jay Irwin
Connor Day
William Russell
Lt. Noah Huelsing
Captain Corey Cannon
Staff Sgt. Shaun Nelson
Staff Sgt. Nathan Ulrich
LT Noah Algee
Staff Sgt. Andrew Hicks (deployed) AF
EN2 Coleton Shirk Navy (deployed)

Hello and Welcome to our Parish!

Would you like to become registered members of the parish or join a ministry group in the parish? Please contact Lee Griggs in the parish office for more information 812-425-1577 ext. 207 or email lgriggs@evdio.org.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Fiscal Year July 1, 2026-June 30, 2027
Annual Collection Budget \$ 626,921.00
Year to date collection budget \$ 204,969.00
Year to date actual collection \$ 160,778.58
October 24-25, 2026 Collection
Weekly Budget \$12,057.00 Weekly Collection \$ 5,239.53
Alms \$50.00 StVdP \$ 1,340.00
Let us pray... That we as Christian stewards ask God to help us grow in the virtue of humility.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

11/1 Daylen Eppler, Carl Ford,
Jacey Griggs, Roger Nurrenbern
11/2 Dale Boyd, Kathy Dressel,
George Stanley
11/5 Charles Asher, Fr. Eugene Schmitt
11/6 Mary Blanc
11/7 Sandra Dills-Wall
11/8 Linda Evinger, Patty Galloway, Sarah Glover,
Oliver Glover

In Loving Memory...

We remember, parishioner, Susie Hawkins, 88, who died October 14, 2026. Keep her family in prayer.
Prayers for... Tom and Karen Bryan and their family in the loss of Tom's sister Sally Troutman, 87, who died August 24, 2026.

Next Week Ministers for Mass

Sat. Nov 7, 4:00 pm
Lector Bobbie Schutz **EMHC-** Vicky Carl, Tina Hirsch
Server- Carol Stratman **Ushers-** Daryl Schutz

Sun. Nov. 8 10:00 am

Lector- Terri Schaefer **EMHC-** Stan and Lori Lindauer
Usher -John Barisano

Sun. Nov. 8, 4:00 pm

Lector- Kody Johnson **EMHC-** Rosie Bigge, Laurie Ewers
Ushers- Kody Johnson

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS...

Our requests run in cycles. Early in the month, rent assistance is a priority of our Neighbors. Towards the end of the month, utilities take center stage. We assisted 8 Neighbors with CenterPoint and one with water, out of our 15 quota this week. It seems that underemployment, illness and disability are the primary foundations of their inability to meet their obligations. When this is just temporary, it is very gratifying to be able to assist them over the hump to where they can resume financial independence. Where there is an ability to be gainfully employed, the District SVdP has programs to educate and train the participants in ways to improve themselves, work, and avoid falling into that situation. The members of the various conferences in this Diocese individually chip in and take turns furnishing meals to those meetings, in order to support this worthwhile effort to affect systematic change. All the moneys we are given for our mission go directly to help our Neighbors. Our only overhead is the cost of printing checks. Thank you for your support.



2026 Simon Brute Society Award Recipients

Tom and Karen Bryan Congratulations on being named Sts. Mary and John Parish's 2026 Simon Brute Society Award Recipients!
You are great examples of good stewards of the blessings you have received from God. Your many years of ministry in our parish, our diocese, and our community have been a wonderful witness to all whom you serve. Thank you both for your dedication and service. You are a blessing to our parish.
As a reminder, the Brute Mass to honor all Brute recipients in our diocese will take place on **November 22 at 2:00 PM at St. Benedict's Cathedral.**



Remembering all those who have died...

In November, the Catholic Church traditionally celebrates the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed especially on All Soul's Day (Nov 2). We recall our ancestors in faith who have died and recognize them as yet-to-be-named saints awaiting the resurrection. During the Month of November, especially on All Soul's Day, we remember all who have died. We also remember the deceased parishioners who have died within the past year by a display of pictures located in the back of church by our Lady of Lourdes Grotto. There will also be a Book of the Names of the Dead available during the month of November by the Grotto in the back of church and we invite you to write the names of your loved ones who have died in the book provided. They will be remembered at all Masses and in our Prayer Intentions throughout the month.

All Saint's - Stewardship Humility

"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with soul, and with all your mind." **MATTHEW 22:37**
The world celebrates people in the spotlight and those who have the most of everything. We think celebrity, money and possessions are the key to happiness. Yet, our world is filled with more loneliness, anxiety, and depression than ever before. The stewardship lives of the saints show that the key to a happy life are relationships. Relationships with God and each other. Trust is the foundation of any good relationship and humility is the seed of trust.

Mental Health
and THE HOLIDAYS

HI EVERYONE,
THE HOLIDAYS CAN BE A TIME OF JOY, BUT THE REALITY CAN ALSO FEEL OVERWHELMING, LONELY, OR EXHAUSTING.

JOIN US AS WE TAKE SOME TIME TO SLOW DOWN, AND TALK ABOUT HOW WE CAN SUPPORT OURSELVES (AND EACH OTHER) THROUGH THE SEASON.

HOPE TO SEE YOU HERE...

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2026
STS. MARY AND JOHN PARISH
RAGER HALL
TIME: 10:00 AM-NOON

WE WELCOME OUR GUEST SPEAKERS
Robert A. Stephens, MS, LCSW
Bob is a registered clinical social worker based in Evansville, IN
His discussion will include:
• Identifying the kinds of stress we experience during the holidays.
• Investigating the ways we think about these situations.
• Developing skills to manage the stress of the holidays.

Catholic Charities Diocese of Evansville
Jacob Hartz, M.Ed., LMHC; Manager of Counseling Services
Denise Seibert Townsend; Executive Director
Jacob and Denise will discuss the services Catholic Charities offers and how they can assist individuals and the community.

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