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### MASS SCHEDULES

Weekend Masses Saturday - Saint Joseph Church Campus 4:00 pm Mass Reconciliation: 3:30 pm

**Sunday - Saint Anthony Church Campus** 10:30 am Mass Reconciliation: 9:45 am

### Weekday Masses

Saint Anthony Church Campus **Tuesday and Thursday** 9:00 am

SA—Hearing assistance is available. Ask any member of the Parish Team.

### **OFFICE INFORMATION**

### **All Saints Parish Office Hours**

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm Friday 9:00 am - 1:30 pm 704 N First Ave Evansville IN 47710-1632

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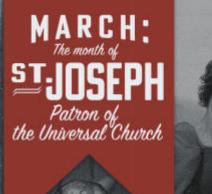
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St. Joseph, pray for us, especially in this year that the Holy Father has dedicated to you!

### **EVENTS THIS WEEK**

Saturday, March 6 SJ 3:30 pm Confessions SJ 4:00 pm Mass **Rice Bowl Collection** 

Sunday, March 7 **3rd Sunday of Lent** SA 9:45 am Confessions SA 10:30 am Mass **Rice Bowl Collection** 

**Tuesday, March 9** SA 9:00 am Mass

Wednesday, March 10 SA 10:30 am Community Meal SA 10:30 am Clothes Closet

### Thursday, March 11 SA 9:00 am Mass

Saturday, March 13 SJ 3:30 pm Confessions

SJ 4:00 pm Mass

### Sunday, March 14 4th Sunday of Lent

SA 9:45 am Confessions SA 10:30 am Mass



Reminder: Daylight Savings Time begins March 14th

### Indiana Bishops extend dispensation from Sunday Mass obligation until further notice

We will continue to record the Sunday Mass each week and post it on our website, app, Facebook, and YouTube Channel by Saturday evening.

### **Pastoral Staff**

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Vision Statement: We are called to be a faith filled family, who acts justly, loves tenderly, forgives freely and walks humbly with our God.

### **Special Points of Interest**

**Baptism of children** should be arranged in advance by contacting Fr. Davidson at the Parish Office.

### **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults**

**(RCIA):** Those wishing to become Catholic or learn more about the Catholic faith may call the Parish Office.

**Marriage:** Couples planning to be married should contact Fr. Davidson at least six months before the wedding date. This ensures time for adequate preparation.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Please call the Parish Office. It is best to arrange the anointing while the person who is ill can participate.

**Catholic Schools:** Grades K-12, open to children of our parishioners. Contact Sharon Vogler at the Parish Office to ask about our policy of sponsoring students in Catholic Schools.

**Family Faith Formation:** Religious Education for families and children is available. Please call Sharon Vogler at the Parish Office.

**Prayer Chain:** Contact Judy Wittgen at our Parish Office if you would like to join the phone or email prayer chain.

Homebound, Nursing Home or Hospital Visitation: Call the Parish Office.

**New Parishioners:** Call Tom Bogenschutz at the Parish Office to receive our Welcome Packet and Parish Directory.

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March 28	<b>Palm Sunday</b> 4:00 pm Mass (Saturday) at St. Joseph Church 10:30 am Mass (Sunday) at St. Anthony Church				
March 30	<b>Chrism Mass</b> 5:30 pm at St. Benedict Cathedral				
April 1	Holy Thursday 7:00 pm Mass at St. Anthony Church				
April 2	<b>Good Friday</b> Pray the Stations of the Cross online with us, All Saints Website, "Faith Opportunities " tab. 7:00 pm Service at St. Anthony Church				
April 3	Holy Saturday/Vigil 8:00 pm Mass at St. Anthony Church				
April 4	<b>Easter Sunday</b> 8:30 am Mass at St. Joseph Church 10:30 am Mass at St. Anthony Church				

Holy Week at All Saints Parish



### Diocese of Evansville Impact Report

The Diocese of Evansville has recently finished their 2020-2021 Impact Report. We intend for this to be an annual publication in which we give our benefactors a report on the effects of their contributions to the

Catholic Parishes Campaign. Around March 1, The Diocese of Evansville will mail this report to anyone who made a contribution/ pledge to CPC in 2020. We believe this report will shed some light on the ever-present question "What happens with my gift to CPC?" It will also help with your efforts when the appeal rolls around in the fall. To view the full report visit:

http://www.evdio.org/impact-report.html

MARCH MASS INTENTIONS For All Saints Parish							
Recorded Mass	6		Parishioners				
Saturday	6	4:00 pm Betty Dewig					
Sunday	7	10:30 am	Theresia Freudenberg				
Tuesday	9	9:00 am	Larry Wink				
Thursday	11	9:00 am	Mary Lou Ulrich				
Recorded Mass	13		Parishioners				
Saturday	13	4:00 pm	Martin Castrale				
Sunday	14	10:30 am	John Gerard				

Stewardship at All Saints Parish					
Online Contributions	\$4,337.00				
Weekend Collection Feb 28	\$3,741.00				
Total	\$8,078.00				
Weekly Amount Needed	\$15,000.00				
Budget YTD	\$510,000.00				
Collection YTD	\$398,482.28				
St. Vincent de Paul	\$340.00				
Restoration	\$100.00				
Easter Flowers	\$120.00				
We Care Fund	\$10.00				

## Legacy of Giving

Did you know you can specify leaving a percentage, say 10%, of your retirement accounts, bank accounts, life insurance, annuities, or brokerage accounts to All Saints Parish simply by indicating such on your beneficiary form. You don't have to leave the entire amount to the Church.



# Wearts & Hands in Ministry

**Charlotte Connerton & Mary Berendes** 

In this Covid time, some groups have found ways to remain active. One of our ministries, our health committee, particularly Charlotte Connerton and Mary Berendes, have found ways to continue meeting and offering services. Last August it was a walking program and just recently it has been a virtual version of the Healthy Eating and Active Living program. Their dedication to bettering our lives is commendable and we thank them for their unflagging service to us in the midst of an epidemic.

### Daylight Savings Time Begins March 14th

Daylight Saving Time begins next Sunday, March 14th at 2:00 AM. On Saturday evening, our clocks need to "spring forward" one hour.



### All Saints Women's Group

Our mission is to encourage and unite the women of All Saints Parish to join us in prayer,

fellowship and to build a closer relationship with Christ. We meet via Zoom the third Monday of each month at 6:00 pm. Our next meeting is **Monday**, **March 15th**. Please call the Parish Office if you would like to join us. New members are always welcome!

### It is Lent in our Church Seasons!

Check out the new resources we will be putting on our GIFT webpage



http://allsaintsevansville.org/growing/ click on "Seasonal Resources" then click on Lent.

Enjoy!

**3rd Sunday of Lent** Exodus 20: 1-17 1 Corinthians 1: 22-25 John 2: 13-25

### **4th Sunday of Lent** 2 Chronicles 36: 14-16, 19-23 Ephesians 2: 4-10

John 3: 14-21



# Questions of the Week

P First Reading:

In God's revelation to Moses of His "10 Commandments," seven of the ten Commandments regulate how we are to relate to

each other. Which of these seven Commandments challenges you most?

### Second Reading:

Paul speaks of Jesus as both the "power of God and the wisdom of God." How could you prove Paul's assertion to a non-believer?

Gospel:

John connects Jesus' cleansing of the Temple in Jerusalem to Jesus' bodily resurrection from the dead with a quote from Psalm 69: "Zeal for your house will consume me." During this season of Lent, how passionate is your faith?

### Update on Faithful Families HEAL Classes

Healthy Eating and Active Living (HEAL) classes by video are underway with weeks one and two completed where participants learned about Planning what's for dinner, Get the best for less and Shop for value, Fixing it fast at home versus eating out and Fix it safe.

Weeks three and four build on choices; choosing more fruits and vegetables with making smart drink choices and to choose to move more and making the connection.

Responses by various participants have been "great presentation of information, easier to make better choices, and the colored handouts are easy to follow." In the coming two weeks participants will:

- Receive the video link for week 3 and 4 by e-mail.
- Bags of incentives will be at Parish Office, available at church or delivery arrangements can be made. Incentives include a thermal shopping bag, cooking utensils and cookbook. Incentives have been provided through the Upgrade grant.
- Questions or comments please email, phone or use All Saints App chat room 'Health Challenge' we love hearing from you!

A grand prize will be given to a person chosen from those participating and who have completed their pre-evaluation and post evaluations. The winner will be announced at Masses on March 27 and 28, 2021.

1 Corinthians 3:16 "Do you not know that you are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in you?" Let us look to God's Spirit within each of us for strength, as we work each day to care for ourselves

and others. Faithful





### **Family Faith Formation**

"I received from the Lord what I handed on to you." 1 Corinthians 11:23

We are beginning our 3<sup>rd</sup> week of Lent.

How is it going?

Fr. Jim told us a couple of weeks ago that all we have to do is ask, "God what do you need me to do today?" How is our love of being with God showing this Lent?





### **Catholic School Families**

It is that time of year when families with Kindergartners for the 2021-2022 school year are visiting schools. All Saints Parish does enter into a partnership with qualifying parish families offering tuition assistance. If you are interested in learning more about this partnership, contact Sharon at the Parish Office (812) 423-5209 or svogler@evdio.org



Visit All Saints Facebook Page for daily news. Make sure you like and follow our page to get all the latest

updates. Make sure you use the dropdown menu next to "like" and "follow" and choose "see first." This way, you'll get our notices at the top of your news feed.



We are participating in Operation Rice L Bowl again this year. The cardboard Rice Bowls are available in our churches. You are welcome to take one. Because of the pandemic, if you are not comfortable taking a Rice Bowl, please feel free to create your own Rice Bowl at home. We also have extra Rice Bowls at the Parish Office.

Rice Bowls will be collected on Sunday, March 7 and Palm Sunday, March 28.

There will be a basket/box in the churches for your Rice Bowl. Or you can put your money in an envelope marked "Rice Bowl" and drop it off at the office, or mail in a check for your Rice Bowl contribution.

Please be sure to mark your contribution "Rice Bowl."

### **"THIRD WEEK OF LENT** SUSTAINABILITY IN EL SALVADOR

Drought has become a big problem across El Salvador, making it difficult for farmers to produce enough crops to support their families. But new farming techniquesand a new generation of young farmers—are making a difference. What would you do if your livelihood was threatened? How can you support young people in your community and around the world? Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.

You can find more information, videos and meatless recipes online at https://www.crsricebowl.org/

### Looking for a daily reading and reflection for Lent?



Join All Saints Parish as we read, reflect, pray and put into action Words for the Weary.

These inspirational readings will be available each day on our Facebook Page, Website, and Parish App. Visit <u>https://allsaintsevansville.org</u>, from the homepage scroll down to Daily Reflections for Lent.

From our GIFT page, https://allsaintsevansville.org/ <u>growing/</u> click on the Seasonal Resources tab then choose Lent. Here you will find the entire reflection Words for the Weary booklet.

On our All Saints Parish App—Click on the LENT button then choose Words for the Weary. We hope you embrace these daily reflections during our challenging pandemic year.

### **CAJE Update**

### Congregations Acting for Justice & Empowerment

Our research teams have been very busy the last few weeks!

The Evansville Affordable Housing and Safe Neighborhoods teams met together with City Councilmen Beane, Burton and Heronemus to learn more about the councilors' priorities. We learned that all three councilmen are concerned about the gun violence in Evansville and the urgent need for safe, decent and affordable housing.

Councilman Heronemus was the most forthcoming and shared with us details on the Mayor's recent allocations of funds that will be used to begin a two year partnership with the National Network for Safe Communities. Because of the Mayor's allocation (in the form of an ordinance), CAJE sent representatives to last night's City Council meeting, which was the first reading of the ordinance. There was little discussion concerning the funds for what the city has dubbed the "Community Gun Violence Prevention Program". Our own Associate Organizer, Kedzie Hopkins, went before council and shared her personal experiences with gun violence. She spoke eloquently of her fears and subsequent relocation to a safer neighborhood.

<u>The 2nd and 3rd readings of the ordinance will be at</u> <u>the March 8 City Council meeting; third floor of the</u> <u>Civic Center, 5:30 pm.</u> If you feel it is safe for you to attend - please do! CAJE staff and some committee members will be there early to hand out CAJE stickers. Seating will be limited.

If you do not wish to attend, please click this link to send an email to City Council, urging them to approve the allocations on March 8: <u>https://www.greaterevansvillecaje.org/take-action</u>

Updates on our other campaigns are coming up this week! In the meantime, don't forget to follow CAJE on Twitter & Facebook!

Peace, Amy DeVries

### Congregations Acting for Justice & Empowerment CAJE

### Our work for justice in our community continues...

**CAJE** Calendar

- April 12, 2021: CAJE Rally
- May 10, 2021: Nehemiah Action
- June 14, 2021: Celebration

# Justice...Our Mission

Welcome to...Justice....Our Mission

All Saints Parish Vision Statement: We are called to be a faith filled family, who acts justly, loves tenderly, forgives freely and walks humbly with our God.

As we know living the Gospel teaches us the need for Charity but also the importance of working for Justice. We will be offering resources to help us grow in our understanding of Justice and opportunities to work for Justice.

You may find more items of interest at Just Faith... Visit the JustFaith website

### https://justfaith.org/

You may enjoy their "Blog" or one of the following "Stories," Still in the Storm," "Mosiac," "Catching Light," and "Building Bridges, Building Hope."

### We as Christians are here to help others!

Family, friends, neighbors - who need help with rent/utilities. Please let them know about these 2 new programs. Please offer to help anyone who may need assistance on the computer.

Recent news about 2 new resources to obtain help with rent and/or utilities:

**Salvation Army Rent Assistant** is available now for first come, first serve basis for monies for help with rent/utilities, up to \$500.

Please call Salvation Army (812) 422-4673

Indiana Housing Now is waiting for federal COVID monies to arrive to help individuals with unpaid rent and utilities. This is open to all of Indiana on first come, first serve basis. If you know of someone in need or if you are in need you can sign up for email that will let you know when applications are being taken. You can sign up <u>indianahousingnow.org</u>

**Reminder**: All Saints Parish has the We Care program to help individuals. See All Saints App/Coping with COVID-19.

# Advertiser of the Week

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### Justice Challenge ~ 3rd Week of Lent

In our first reading this weekend we hear the 10 Commandments. And our responsorial psalm reminds us, "Lord, you have the words of everlasting life." For this third week of Lent, let's take some time reading the Commandments one more time. Choose one Commandment to focus on this week as we continue to see how we are being called to do works of justice.

### 3D SUNDAY OF LENT





Please drop your Easter Flower Memorial envelopes into the Sunday collection or mail to the Parish Office by **Sunday**, **March 21** 

to be included in the Easter Sunday Bulletin. You may also place an Easter Flower Memorial through All Saints Parish App and Website. From the App, go to the "Give" feature then choose "Easter Flowers" and follow the prompts. From the Website, click on the "Online Giving" tab at the top of the Homepage.



Are you doing spring

cleaning or sprucing up your home or yard this Spring? Why not purchase SCRIP to cover your scrubbing, decorating, and planting needs. We stock Home Depot, Lowes, Menards, Meijer, Target and Walmart SCRIP cards.

SCRIP is a safe, secure and easy way to do your shopping, just call ahead with your order and we will bring it to your car when you get here. Check out our SCRIP Stock form on this page.

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Product	%	Qty.	Amt.	Total			
Amazon.com	2.25%		\$10/\$25/100				
AMC Theatres	8%		\$25.00				
Arby's	8%		\$10.00				
Azzip Pizza	10%		\$10.00				
Barnes & Noble	8%		\$25.00				
Bath & Body Works	12%		\$10.00				
Bob Evans	10%		\$10.00				
Burger King	4%		\$10.00				
Camilla's Closet	10%		\$10.00				
Circle K	1.5%		\$25.00				
Cracker Barrel, Buffalo							
Wild Wings, Red Lobster,	8%		\$25.00				
Cheesecake Factory			+_0.00				
CVS/pharmacy	6%		\$25/\$100				
Dairy Queen	3%		\$10.00				
Denny's	7%		\$10.00				
Donut Bank	10%		\$5.00				
Dunkin' Donuts	3%		\$10.00				
El Charro	10%		\$20.00				
El Patron	10%		\$20.00				
Fazoli's	9%		\$25.00				
G.D. Ritzy's	15%		\$10.00				
Hacienda	10%		\$10.00				
Home Depot	4%		\$25/\$100				
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iTunes®	5%		\$15.00				
JoAnn	6%		\$25.00				
Kohl's	4%		\$25/\$100				
Lic's	20%		\$2.00				
Lowe's	4%		\$25/\$100				
Marathon	3%		\$25/\$100				
McAllister's Deli	10%		\$25.00				
Meijer	3%		\$25.00				
Meijer	3%		\$50.00				
Menards	3%		\$25.00				
Michaels	4%		\$25.00				
Outback, Bonefish Grill	8%		\$25.00				
Olive Garden,	8%		\$10/\$25				
Cheddar's, Longhorn	070						
Panera Bread	8%		\$5/\$10				
Papa Johns Pizza	9%		\$10.00				
Red Lobster	8%		\$25.00				
Showplace-North	10%		\$5.00				
Starbucks	7%		\$5/\$10/\$25				
Subway	6%		\$10.00				
Target	2.5%		\$10/\$25/\$100				
TJ Maxx,Marshalls,							
Home Goods	7.0%		\$25.00				
Turoni's	10%		\$25.00				
Visa	1.25%		\$50.00				
Visa	1.25%		\$100.00				
Walgreen's	5.00%		\$25.00				
Walmart (Sam's Club)	2.5%		\$10/\$25/\$100				
Wendy's	6.5%		\$10.00				
Order Total							



Helping our children grow in their Catholic faith.

# All Saints Parish



### Penance vs. punishment

Penance isn't punishment. Real penance helps us undergo a change of 📑 heart that helps us become better people who positively affect others. Our sin affects



others, and our penance and reparation can, too.

### Foster loving kindness

In a time that seems to be full of bad news, selfless acts can result in an emotional uplift for the giver and the recipient. Practice acts of kindness each day. Use a gentle voice in every circumstance. Smile at someone who looks like they need it. Allow others to go get ahead of you in line. Sit with someone who looks as if they need a friend. Pray for those who are unkind to you.

### As God loves

"Charity, love, is sharing with the one we love in all

things. Love makes us similar, it creates equality, it breaks down walls and eliminates distances. God did this with us." Pope Francis



**Raising good decision makers** 

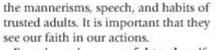
At the root of every sin is a bad decision. Children's inexperience and lack of perspective often leads to bad choices that get them into trouble. A well-formed Catholic conscience,

accountability, and experience are powerful ways to raise happy, healthy and holy decision makers.

Faith as foundation. Solid ways to form a Catholic conscience include taking families to weekly Mass, regular Confession to a priest, making religious education classes a priority,

and expecting and modeling Gospel-centered behavior at home.

Modeling good choices. Parents have the biggest impact on forming children's consciences. The process begins when children start developing attachments. Children start to imitate



Experience is a powerful teacher. If parents are attentive, respectful, and

nurturing to a child, she learns to internalize these characteristics as the way to relate to others. For example, attending to a child's emotion pain will teach remorse when she causes others pain. Invest active time in children, foster a sense of belonging, and communicate love. Accountability is

loving parents holding

children responsible for their own decisions. When confronted by their bad behavior, youngsters may try to shift blame, refuse to acknowledge or follow rules, or attempt to avoid consequences. Set standards, give consequences, and follow through.



Fasting is a traditional form of penance to show sorrow for our sins. By creating hunger and a desire for that which is denied, we are reminded of the reason why we are fasting. During Lent, we fast

# Why do we fast?

because Jesus fasted during his time in the desert before he began his public ministry.

We also fast to sympathize with those who are hungry or poor and don't have the blessings we enjoy. Fasting helps us to be more loving and compassionate.

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# Find renewal during Lent

When choosing Lenten observances, children are inclined to give too much or too little. For example, "I'll give up playing video games for the entire season!" or "I'll give up green vegetables that I don't like." Yet, Lent isn't just about sacrifice. This is also a time to make changes that will bring us closer to God and give Him a central place in our family life.

blessings and guide them to recognize the source as God.

Make Sunday about God. If you have to choose between sports and Sunday Mass, choose Mass. Resolve to make sure the Eucharist and Mass come before anything else.

Spend time with your family. In a pandemic, alone time may be what keeps us sane. Yet, family time is critical to forming healthy families. Try to find ways to spend more time together. Read books, tell stories, draw pictures. Make the good times overwhelm the bad.

Practice gratitude. Gratitude helps to keep everything in perspective. Encourage children to share what they count as

# CTIPILITE Mark 14:1-15:47, Soin our pain with Jesus'

This Gospel reading tells of Jesus' suffering and death on the Cross. Remembering Jesus' suffering is not just something we do just once a year. The more often we remember, the more it will help us recall that Jesus was human, too, and experienced what we feel – and so much more. If we offer him our suffering and remember his, it makes our pain easier to bear.

Every day our frustrations, our fears, our loneliness and temptations can become ways in which we share in the suffering and death of Christ. Likewise, our



March 2 – St. Agnes of Bohemia (1282). Born in Prague to King Ottocar I of Bohemia, St. Agnes renounced court life to become a Poor Clare instead. She was known for serving the poor and working miracles.

March 17 – St. Patrick of Ireland (493). Born in Scotland, St. Patrick was kidnapped by Irish pirates and brought to Ireland as a slave when he was about sixteen. He escaped several years later and became a priest. He was ordained the bishop of Ireland and is credited for having established joys, our good health, our family and friends are all important ways to share in the joy of his Resurrection. The point is to offer everything to Christ.

What can a parent do? Suffering is part of life. Yet, disciples of Jesus can have the same attitude toward suffering as he did, and we can also share in his joy of the

Resurrection. When children are hurt, sad, or scared, help them remember to turn to Jesus because he wants to comfort them with his great love.

the Church there.

March 19 - St. Joseph (1st century). Husband to the Blessed Mother, St. Joseph is a model of fatherhood and a protector of families.

March 28 – Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion. The Sunday before Easter is called Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion. It recalls Jesus' entry into Jerusalem when he was greeted

by crowds waving palms and cheering. It marks the beginning of Holy Week. We use palms to commemorate this special day.



As Lent approached this year, I realized that children were pretty stressed between online learning and missing usual activities curtailed and



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eliminated by the pandemic. So this year, we took a different Lenten path. Every time the

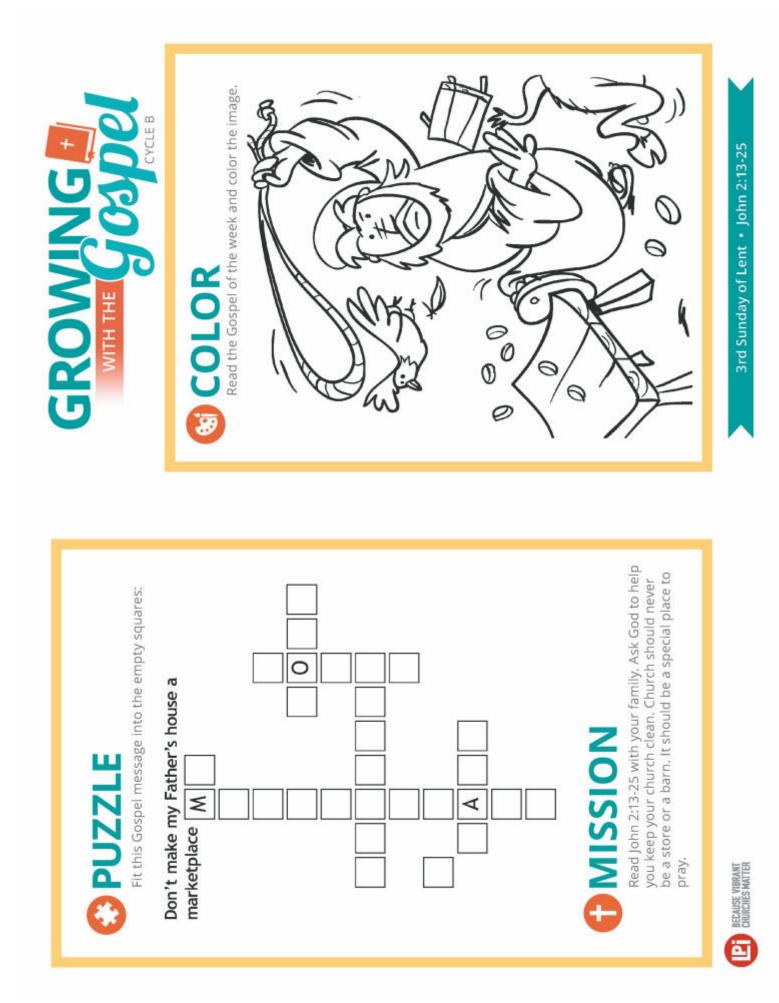
children asked us to buy something – a new game, takeout

for dinner, a new toy – we asked if it was something they could live without. If they said, "yes" (often with guidance), we looked up the price of the item and put that amount into our family Lent jar. Once the jar was full, we dumped the contents into the Poor Box at church.

Next, we tackled excess. Every day during Lent, we go through our closets and drawers and put one item in the give-away pile.

The daily activities keep us focused on Lent and we are working to simplify our lives. When Easter comes, we will be lighter and more grateful for what we have.







# **GOSPEI**

Gospel. It broke his heart and made Jesus turned into a barn or a store. It should be special place where people can meet with angry. God's house is not supposed to be you. That is what Jesus found in today's All around your church, you see people Imagine coming to your church to pray. shouting. You cannot even pray with all the noise and activity going on around The animals are loud. The people are selling animals. It smells like a barn. God.



God, my church is a place for prayer. Help me to remember that always.





# GRIEF SHARE

Have you or someone you know suffered the devastating loss of a loved one? Are you trying to make sense of your feelings? GriefShare might be a way for you to share those thoughts/feelings or just time away to sit and reflect with others who truly understand what you're going through. Our group welcomes all faiths and meets on Tuesday evenings from 6-8 pm in the Church conference room at Good Shepherd Parish. There is no fee to attend and no pre-registration required - just attend the first meeting. Should you have any questions, contact Sue Kroupa at (812) 449-3740 or email at <u>skroupa@evdio.org</u>. This is a national organization so if you'd like to check out other resources, their website is: www.griefshare.org

### **Prayer Requests**

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Please forward your prayer requests to Judy Wittgen jwittgen@evdio.org or Machalle Walker <u>mwalker@evdio.org</u> at the Parish Office (812) 423-5209. You may also make a prayer request from our

Parish App. Click on the Parish Family button and find "Submit your prayer request." The Power of Prayer will bring us closer together!

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