

Celebrating at St. Anthony & St. Joseph Churches

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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

5:00 pm Praise Mass

**Reconciliation:** 10:00 am

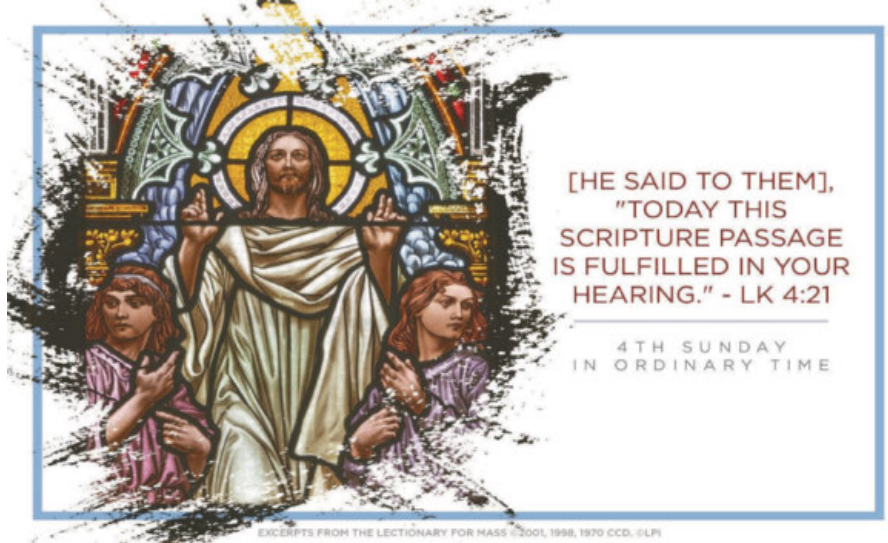
**Weekday Masses**

**Saint Anthony Chapel**

**Tuesday and Thursday**

7:00 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**

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All Saints Website

[www.allsaintsevansville.org](http://www.allsaintsevansville.org)

All Saints Facebook

[www.facebook.com/saintanthonyevansville/](http://www.facebook.com/saintanthonyevansville/)

**PARISH COUNCIL**

**Officers**

Gina Tucker...Chairperson

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Laura Ackerman / Liturgy

Wilma Spaulding / Justice & Charity

Gina Tucker / Youth

**EVENTS THIS WEEK**

**Saturday, January 29**

SJ 3:30 pm Confessions

SJ 4:00 pm Mass

**Sunday, January 30**

**4th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

SA 9:00 am Children's Choir Practice

SA 10:00 am Confessions

SA 10:30 am Mass/Children's Liturgy

SA 3:30 pm Praise Music Practice

SA 5:00 pm Praise Mass

**Tuesday, February 1**

SA 7:00 am Mass

SA 6:00 pm Parish Council

**Wednesday, February 2**

SA 8:00 am Bible Study

SA 10:30 am Community Meal

SA 10:30 am Clothes Closet

SA 6:30 pm Choir Practice

**Thursday, February 3**

SA 7:00 am Mass

**Saturday, February 5**

SJ 3:30 pm Confessions

SJ 4:00 pm Mass

**Sunday, February 6**

**5th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

SA 9:00 am Family Faith

SA 10:00 am Confessions

SA 10:30 am Mass/Children's Liturgy

SA 3:30 pm Praise Music Practice

SA 5:00 pm Praise Mass



Don't Forget...  
SCRIP Gift Card Sales before  
& after Masses January 29 & 30

**Pastoral Staff**

Rev. John Davidson.....Pastor, x114.....j davidson@evdio.org

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Darlene Steffe.....Wedding Coordinator

## 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.



The Automated External Defibrillators are located in the back of St. Anthony Church near the restroom and the front west wall in St. Joseph Church.



## Synod Listening Session Postponed

Due to ongoing concerns about the Covid-19 pandemic, the Synod 2023 Listening Session originally scheduled to take place on February 23 has been postponed. More information and the new date for the Listening Session will be announced in the coming weeks.

## Reminder...

Coming to Mass and wanting to social distance in the pew? St. Joseph and St. Anthony Churches, BOTH, have a reserved section that is roped off for those who are wanting to sit in a socially distanced space. You will find these sections roped off with blue yarn in both churches. This leaves every other pew empty to allow for social distancing. Once in the pew, please be aware of the distance required between you and the next person/family sitting in the pew.

## 2021-2022 Catholic Parishes Campaign

As of January 24, 2022 you have pledged \$102,390.78 (68%) of our CPC goal. \$75,324.25 (50%) has been paid towards our goal. Our goal is \$151,346.00. All Saints Parish is committed to helping our community thrive, we are hopeful to have 100% participation with this year's Catholic Parishes Campaign. Thank you for being so generous and kind.

## Donations Made by the Parish in January

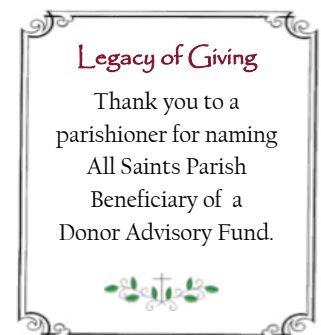
All Saints Parish is a steward of God's gifts. Most "special collections" have been eliminated as we give a portion of our regular collection to the following causes:

Latin America	\$500.00
CAJE dues	\$411.25
Total	\$911.25

Stewardship at All Saints Parish	
Online Contributions	\$5,942.00
Weekend Collection January 16	\$3,796.63
Total	\$9,738.63
Weekly Amount Budgeted	\$14,000.00
Weekly Difference	\$4,261.37
Collection to Date	\$332,886.06
Budgeted to Date	\$392,000.00
Fiscal YTD Difference	\$59,113.94
St. Vincent de Paul	\$400.00
Holy Day	\$30.00
Restoration	\$20.00
St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry	\$500.00
Other	\$250.00

Stewardship at All Saints Parish	
Online Contributions	\$5,975.00
Weekend Collection January 23	\$6,699.00
Total	\$12,674.00
Weekly Amount Budgeted	\$14,000.00
Weekly Difference	\$1,326.00
Collection to Date	\$345,560.06
Budgeted to Date	\$406,000.00
Fiscal YTD Difference	\$60,439.94
St. Vincent de Paul	\$380.00
Christmas	\$35.00
Restoration	\$115.00
Outreach	\$400.00
Other	\$240.00

For the Year to Date Financial Report, visit our website at [allsaintsevanville.org](http://allsaintsevanville.org). From the Homepage, click on the All Saints Parish tab; then choose "YTD Financial Report".





## Hearts & Hands in Ministry

### All Our CPC Contributors

We're trying to wrap up our 2022 CPC or Catholic Parishes Campaign.

CPC is not our favorite appeal, but it is absolutely needed. Many of our diocesan services and ministries are dependent on this income and we as a parish make up any shortfall in our goal.

The key thing for us, though, is to have everyone participate.

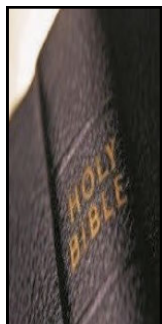
We thank all who have returned a pledge card.

Your stewardship is much appreciated.

If you haven't returned a card, we encourage you to join us in this expression of commitment and stewardship by returning a pledge card.



JANUARY/FEBRUARY MASS INTENTIONS For All Saints Parish			
Saturday	29	Recorded	Richard & Betty Joest and family
	29	4:00 pm	Bill Becker
Sunday	30	10:30 am	Phyllis McAtee
	30	5:00 pm	Parishioners
Tuesday	1	7:00 am	Cathy Schuta Holmes
Thursday	3	7:00 am	Carol Money
Saturday	5	Recorded	Wanda Adcock
	5	4:00 pm	Bonnie Tenbarga
Sunday	6	10:30 am	Don Burton
	6	5:00 pm	Parishioners



#### 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19 pg. 688  
1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13 pg. 1317  
Luke 4:21-30 pg. 1206

#### 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 6:1-2, 3-8 pg. 625  
1 Corinthians 15:1-11 pg. 1318  
Luke 5:1-11 pg. 1207

### Check out our Ministries in Action!

- A-Men's Club:** 6:00 pm, 3rd Tuesday each month, SA
- All Saints Women's Group:** 6:30 pm, 3rd Monday each month, SA
- Children's Choir:** Practice every other Sunday at 9:00 am, SA
- Children's Liturgy of the Word:** Sundays, 10:30 am, SA
- Covenant Choir:** Practice every Wednesday at 6:30 pm, SA
- Family Faith:** Every other Sunday, 9:00 am, SA
- Praise Mass Groups:** Practice every Sunday at 3:30 pm, SA
- RCIA Inquiry:** Call the Parish Office (812) 423-5209, SA
- Wednesday Morning Bible Study:** Wednesdays, 8:00 am, SA



### Questions of the Week

#### First Reading:

In his call to be a prophet, the Lord informs Jeremiah of both the human resistance and the divine providence that lies ahead for him. When have you felt God's presence in the midst of turmoil in your life?

#### Second Reading:

Paul eloquently defines the spiritual virtue of "love" for the Christians in Corinth. How well do you live by the standards of love as defined by Paul?

#### Gospel:

The people of Nazareth were "filled with fury" at Jesus' words to them. How do you imagine Jesus reacted to being rejected by those in his hometown of Nazareth?

### We need your help!

In an effort to reduce our SCRIP inventory, we need your help! We have several cards that we are removing from our SCRIP gift card inventory. Please check the list, call our office and we will hold the cards for your prompt payment. These cards can still be special ordered. If you place your order at Mass or by 10:30 am Monday morning you will have your card by the next weekend. **SCRIP will be sold at Mass the weekends of January 29 & 30, February 12 & 13 and February 26 & 27.** We would like to thank all who continue to support the SCRIP program.

AMC Theatre (\$25) 4 cards

Barnes & Noble (\$25) 2 cards

Camilla's Closet (\$10) 1 card

Chipotle (\$10) 5 cards

CVS (\$100) 2 cards (We will continue the \$25 card)

Dunkin Donuts (\$10) 2 cards

Fazoli's (\$25) 7 cards

iTunes (\$10) 2 cards

JoAnn's (\$25) 2 cards

McAllister's (25) 3 cards

Meijer (\$50) 2 cards (We will continue the \$25 card)

Menards (\$25) 3 cards

Olive Garden (\$10) 3 cards (We will continue the \$25 card)

Panera Bread (\$5) 11 cards

Panera Bread (\$10) 4 cards

Sonic (\$10) 7 cards

Starbucks (\$25) 9 cards (We will continue the \$5 & \$10 card)

Target (\$100) 2 cards (We will continue the \$10 & \$25 card)

TJ Maxx/Marshalls (\$25) 1 card

Walgreen's (\$25) 3 cards



## Family Faith Formation

### "Say the Word and My Soul Shall be Healed."

People reaching for God and God reaching for people.  
We can't get there on our own.

Again today, I read our Family Faith Formation theme above...How do we get to God?

In the 2nd reading today we hear...

"Love is patient, love is kind.

It is not jealous, it is not pompous,

It is not inflated, it is not rude,

it does not seek its own interests,

it is not quick-tempered, it does not brood over injury,

it does not rejoice over wrongdoing

but rejoices with the truth.

It bears all things, believes all things,

hopes all things, endures all things."

How do we love?

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### It is Ordinary Time 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 Ordinary Time!

## Teens Encounter Christ February 19-21

Teens Encounter Christ (TEC) is a three day experience in Christian living for persons who are searching for goals, for acceptance, for meaning, for community, for values, and for God. Teens Encounter Christ is open to teens who have completed their sophomore year of high school, college aged young adults, and adults. February TEC will be held at St. Mary's in Ireland on February 19-21. Here is the link for anyone wanting to sign up online: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScI8D8YFTvUt1NXEOKvDvA2UCtRnJCMYy2n\\_hcADi1vqEmcKBw/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScI8D8YFTvUt1NXEOKvDvA2UCtRnJCMYy2n_hcADi1vqEmcKBw/viewform)



### A-Men's Club of All Saints Parish

Monthly meeting Tuesday, February 15

Come and join us at 6:00 pm !

St. Anthony Campus

Questions?



Contact Roger Rogge 812-430-4550



### All Saints Women's Group

Our mission is to encourage and unite the women of All Saints Parish to join in prayer, service, and fellowship to build a closer relationship with Christ. We meet in the St. Anthony Cafeteria each month on the third Monday at 6:30 pm. Our next meeting will be on Monday, February 21st at 6:30 pm. New members are always welcome!



### Sunday Morning Breakfast Update

Since Vanderburgh has gone back to red, we will discontinue Sunday coffee and doughnuts for a while at least until this latest virus surge is over. Thank you for your understanding.

## Advertiser of the Week

Thank you Titzer Family Funeral Home  
Miller & Miller Colonial Chapel  
Parish Member for sponsoring  
All Saints Parish Bulletin.

## 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.

### **Catholic Relief Services**

<https://www.crs.org/>

We know them for the Rice Bowl during Lent. See what else they have to offer and how you can be involved.

<https://www.crs.org/get-involved>

Lead the Way on Hunger  
Lead the Way on Migration

## **Congregations Acting for Justice & Empowerment (CAJE)**

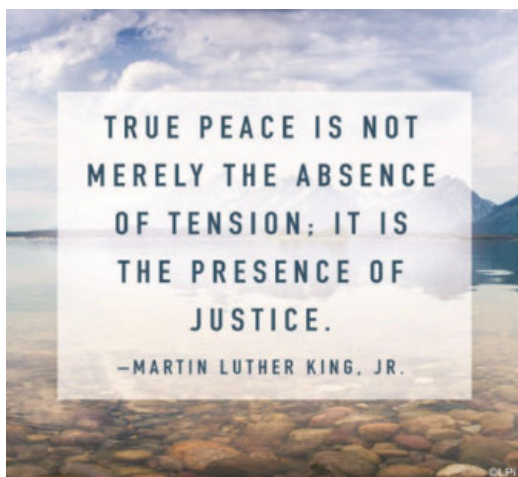
### **Our work for justice in our community continues...**

Please see CAJE Campaign Issue Updates in this week's bulletin.



### **CAJE Calendar**

- ❖ Monday, April 4, 2022 – Rally
- ❖ Monday, May 9, 2022 – Nehemiah Action
- ❖ Monday, June 13, 2022 – Celebration



## **Justice Challenge**

### **4th Sunday of Ordinary Time**

Next week we honor St. Paul Miki, whose feast falls on February 6. St. Paul Miki was crucified for his faith in Jesus, but he, like Jesus, forgave his murderers as he hung on the cross. **Your challenge this week is two-fold.** First read a brief but very inspiring biographical sketch of St. Paul at <https://bit.ly/paul-miki>.

Then spend some quiet time reflecting on a person or persons in the world who cause suffering or even death to others. Lift that person or those persons up in your prayers. Remember, Jesus told us to love our enemies and pray for our persecutors!

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### **Join our Prayer Ministry Team at All Saints Parish**

Visit our App daily and the Parish Family Button to see prayer intentions for the day. If you tune in once a week, then visit our prayer ministry archive to see what prayer intentions have been added to the list. You can submit a prayer request as well for your special intentions.

**Remember a loved one with a Mass!** Schedule your Mass Intentions online for the coming months using our App. On the App, go to Give and select Mass Intentions to remember a loved one with a Mass.



### **What do you enjoy about Mass at All Saints?**

The music? The homilies? The fellowship with friends? Hopefully you answered yes in there somewhere and maybe even yes to all the above! To let your friends and family know the great things we have going on here at All Saints, we are asking you to check in on your social media when you arrive at church. Since you are silencing your phone anyway, a quick check in on your social media might just be the invitation that someone you know needed.



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.

## **Congregations Acting for Justice & Empowerment (CAJE)**

### **Campaign Issue Updates January 21, 2022**

#### **Safe Neighborhoods:**

- National Network for Safe Communities (NNSC) has completed and delivered to the Mayor and the EPD the problem analysis for the city of Evansville along with a list of recommendations to help decrease the number of murders and non-fatal shootings occurring. Twenty-one murders in 2021 saw one of the highest death tolls since the late 60s.
- The problem analysis (using 2020 data) showed that 56% of gun violence in the city was caused by .09% of the population.
- The city will create and maintain a Custom Notification Team comprised of law enforcement, community members, and social service providers who will directly communicate to this .09% of the population  
1) a community message against violence 2) a credible law enforcement message about consequences for continued violence 3) a credible and genuine offer of help to those who want it.

#### **Evansville Affordable Housing:**

- CAJE's steering committee for affordable housing has continued to work on getting clarification about how much the major is going to propose to go into Evansville's Affordable Housing Trust Fund over the next two years. We met with Katie Hines by zoom (who is with a national group that helps communities develop local affordable housing trust funds) on Jan. 6<sup>th</sup> and found out that the final rules for the use of American Rescue Plan monies were published that day. We forwarded the 4 page introduction to the rules to the mayor the same day and have asked when he is going to let us know. We are going to follow up with a request for a meeting.
- Brenda Meyer has been attending the local HOUSE meetings and participating in the process to identify what the current problems are for our area. Linda Henzman has been attending Evansville Trust Fund meetings to monitor their actions and the use of the money.

#### **Warrick County Affordable Housing:**

- CAJE has a unique opportunity with the Warrick County Affordable Housing Campaign. Due to the American Rescue Plan funding, this committee is researching how to create an Affordable Housing Trust Fund as well as the different kinds of Trust Funds.
- The committee had a research visit with Debbie Bennett-Stearman. She is an independent grant writer that the County Commissioners hired to help them with the ARP funding and rules.
- There will be a time that we ask the members of CAJE to come support our neighbors in Warrick County by attending County Council and Commissioner meetings and sharing testimonies.

#### **Dual Diagnosis:**

- The committee learned about the Stone Family donation to create a mental health center in Evansville as a part of the IU School of Medicine. Because of Mayor Winnecke's update at the November CPA the committee sent him a letter asking him if he had more information about it. He says he doesn't and plans for a meeting with Mayor Winnecke are being discussed.
- The committee did a research visit with Scott Branam the CAO of Deaconess Crosspointe. He also doesn't know much about this new center or if they will treat patients diagnosed with Autism.
- We were given new information regarding Southwestern Behavioral Health looking to possibly apply for a grant that would give them the ability to expand services in the community.
- Further research meetings are being scheduled so we can continue to get information.

#### **Housing Security:**

- The new research committee has had a couple of research visits. Both were meetings regarding the rising cost of utility bills. The committee learned a lot of great information during those meetings. There is still more that needs to be learned in terms of Center Point Energy and utility bills.
- In February the committee will do research meetings with agencies that will hopefully give us more information on housing conditions and absentee landlord as well as continue to research the rising utility bills.

# Happy February Birthday




1	Claire Goebel	9	Kelli Fink	22	Xuan Trinh
1	Scott Joest	9	Khloe Goodwin	22	Colin Venturini
1	Mike Wathen	10	Pat Sutton	23	Steve Wessel
2	Susan Barron	10	Sandra Tempel	23	Lila Wolf
2	Andrew Effinger	11	Tyler Wink	24	Carolyn Adler
2	Diane Fehrenbacher	12	Peyton Rogge	24	Tegan Rush
2	Caleb Morton	13	Raymond Moore	24	Sarah Wink
3	Seth Allen	14	Judy Kirsch	24	James Zelle
3	Connie Brady	15	Deavron Farmer	25	Carolyn Adams
3	Christa Gibbs	15	Sara Tucker	26	Joan Nunn
3	David Marks	16	Hunter Stephens	26	Nancy Reinhart
3	Toy Widmer	17	Madison Newell	28	Lexi Levi
4	Doris Becker	18	Virgil Jost	28	Peggy Ann Powless
5	Gladys Schaefer	18	John Marks	28	Roger Rogge
5	Johnny Shea	18	Misty Minar	28	Carol Wagner
6	Steve Castrale	19	John Shea	29	Marie Rigdon
6	Donna Koewler	19	Brian Thomas		
6	Angela Mobley	20	Kassiti Fink		
6	Josef Pietrzyk	20	Sr. Teresa Gunter		
7	Charles Steven James	20	Jennifer Kennedy		
7	Jody Neidig	21	Harper Guth		
7	Jack Trainum	21	Sylvia Kinswa		
8	Marie Dillman	21	Alethea Price		
8	Barbara McCormick	22	Jerri Hatfield		
9	Norma Carp	22	Larry Minar		
9	Kyla Chenoweth	22	Debbie Miskell		

## Happy Anniversary

Dewayne & Angie Wilhite	2
Norman & Pamela Scheller	3
Mike & Phyllis Meyer	14
Rick & Julie Phillips	15
Terry & Patricia Evans	18
John & Judy Marks	23



Do everything  
With LOVE

 <b>All Saints Parish SCRIP</b> <b>Special Order Form</b> Updated 10/2021				Order Date:	Mass Time:	Total pg. 1			
Name:				Cash	Order Taken by:				
Phone:				Check #	Order Total				
<b>Please only add the cards that need to be special ordered, if you pull from SCRIP box use attached form.</b>									
Product	%	Qty.	Amt.	Total	Product	%	Qty.	Amt.	Total
Academy Sports	4%		\$25.00		**Home Goods	7%		\$25/\$100	
**Amazon	2%		\$25/\$100		**IGA-Buehlers	5%		\$25.00	
**AMC Theatres	8%		\$25.00		IHOP	8%		\$25.00	
Applebee's	8%		\$25/\$50		**iTunes®	5%		\$15/\$25	
**Arby's	8%		\$10.00		**Kohl's	4%		\$25/\$100	
**Azzip Pizza	10%		\$10.00		**Lic's	20%		\$2.00	
Auntie Anne's Pretzels	6%		\$25.00		**LongHorn Steakhouse	8%		\$25/\$100	
**Barnes & Noble	8%		\$10/\$25/\$100		**Lowe's	4%		\$25/\$100/\$500	
Bass Pro Shops	10%		\$25/\$100		**Macy's	8%		\$10/\$25	
**Bath & Body Works	12%		\$10/\$25		**Marathon	3%		\$25/\$100/\$250	
<b>Bed, Bath &amp; Beyond,</b>									
Macy's, Sephora	7%		\$25/\$100		**Marshalls	7%		\$25/\$100	
Best Buy®	4%		\$25/\$100/\$250						
Big Lots	4%		\$25.00		**McAllister's Deli	6%		\$25.00	
**Bonefish Grill	10%		\$25/\$50		Auntie Anne's				
**Buffalo Wild Wings	8%		\$10/\$25		**Meijer	3%		\$25/\$50/\$100	
Build-A-Bear	8%		\$25.00		**Menards	3%		\$25/\$100/\$500	
**Burger King	4%		\$10.00		**Michaels	4%		\$25.00	
**Camilla's Closet	10%		\$25.00		**O'Charley's	13%		\$25.00	
					**Olive Garden,	8%		\$25/\$100	
**Cheddar's	8%		\$25/\$100		Cheddar's, Longhorn				
					**Outback,	10%		\$25/\$50	
**Cheesecake Factory	5%		\$25.00		Bonefish Grill				
Chipotle Grill	10%		\$10/\$25		**Panera Bread	8%		\$10/\$25	
Chuck E. Cheese	8%		\$10.00		**Papa John's Pizza	8%		\$10.00	
**Circle K	1.5%		\$25/\$100		**Red Lobster®	8%		\$25.00	
<b>Cracker Barrel,</b> Buffalo Wild Wings, Red Lobster	8%		\$10/\$25		Ruth Chris Steakhouse	10%		\$50/\$100	
Crate & Barrel	8%		\$25/\$100		**Sephora	5%		\$25.00	
**CVS/pharmacy	6%		\$25/\$100		Shoe Carnival	5%		\$25.00	
**Dairy Queen	3%		\$10.00		**Showplace-North	10%		\$5.00	
					**Sonic	8%		\$10/\$25	
Disney	3%		\$25/\$100		**Starbucks	4.5%		\$10/\$25/\$50	
Domino's	8%		\$10/\$25		**Subway	4%		\$10/\$50	
**Donut Bank	10%		\$5.00		**T.J. Maxx, Home Goods, Marshalls	7%		\$25/\$100	
**Dunkin' Donuts	3%		\$10/\$25		Taco Bell	5%		\$10/\$25	
**El Charro	20%		\$20.00		**Target	2.5%		\$10/\$25/\$100	
**El Patron	20%		\$20.00		Texas Roadhouse	8%		\$25/\$100	
**Fazoli's	9%		\$25.00		**Turoni's	10%		\$25.00	
**G.D. Ritzzy's	15%		\$10.00		ULTA	6%		\$25.00	
GameStop	3%		\$25.00		**Visa	1.25%		\$50/\$100/\$250	
Golden Corral	9%		\$25.00		**Walgreens	5%		\$25/\$100	
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# Partners in FAITH™



Helping our children grow in their Catholic faith.

February 2022

All Saints Parish



## Thoughtful Moments

### Through the eyes of a child

In teaching our children about the Catholic faith, we have the chance to learn again for ourselves. Let a child's wonder about the mysteries of God's love awaken your own sense of excitement. In connecting with your children, you may find you are reconnecting with the child in yourself.



### Telling is not tattling

Sometimes children encounter or witness situations they can't handle. For example, they may see that a friend is overwhelmed and in danger but has no one to help. Youngsters may be afraid that seeking help for the friend is "tattling." Remind children periodically that as a parent, you are on the same team. Telling isn't the same as tattling. Everyone needs help sometimes.

*"His divine power has granted to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of him who called us to his own glory and excellence" (2 Peter 1:3).*



## The five Rs of raising Catholic children

There is no one formula for raising devout Catholic children into faithful Catholic adults, but we can utilize a strategy that has helped many parents and families. These five Rs can help you shape your parenting strategy.

### Receive the sacraments frequently.

Sacraments are direct encounters with Christ and we need them to keep our souls alive. Baptize babies as soon as possible after birth. Make an immovable monthly date for family Confession. Bring children to Mass every Sunday and holy day of obligation.

**Raise children in the Faith.** If they don't attend Catholic school, enroll them in your parish religious education program. Support their formation from

kindergarten all the way through high school graduation. Put sports and clubs second.

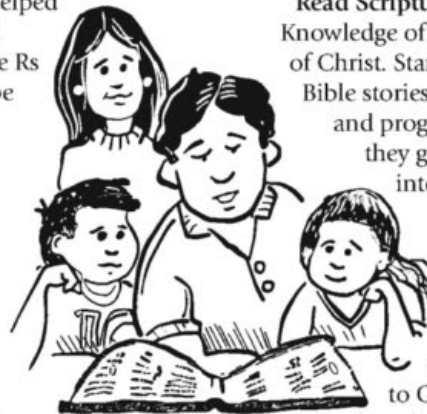
### Read Scripture as a family.

Knowledge of Scripture is knowledge of Christ. Start with simple toddler Bible stories when they are small, and progress to the real Bible as they grow. Incorporate these into evening story time.

### Remember to pray - often - together.

Model daily prayer for children and encourage them to talk to God regularly. Teach them basic Catholic prayers and devotions. Pray in the morning, the evening, at meals (even in public), when there's trouble and when there is joy.

**Remain steadfast.** Don't let anything or anyone lure your family from God's friendship. Rely on His grace and trust Him.



## Why Do Catholics Do That?

### Why do Catholics have candles blessed on February 2?

In the liturgical calendar, February 2 is the Feast of the Presentation of Jesus in the temple, when Jesus was dedicated to God. At that time, Simeon greeted Mary, took the infant Savior in his arms and praised God, "Mine



*own eyes have seen your salvation... a light to reveal you to the nations" (Luke 2:30-32).* For this reason, priests traditionally bless candles - a liturgical symbol of Christ - and give them to the people. Thus, the feast is called, Candlemas Day.

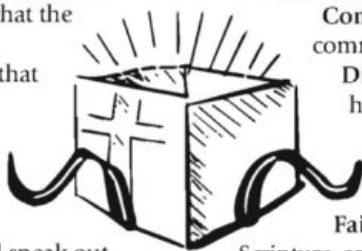
## Give your children lots of gifts

If you could give your child any gift in the world, what would it be? The truth is that you know that what the world can offer won't make him or her happy. Instead, pray frequently and fervently for gifts that will. Consider making petitions for these gifts part of your prayers for your children:

**Wisdom.** Ask that your child be inspired to avoid poor choices and have the wisdom to lead Gospel-centered lives.

**Courage.** Fortify him to stand for justice and speak out against bigotry, unfairness, and cruelty.

**Strength.** Pray that as she grows she will withstand



negative peer pressure.

**Compassion.** Help him follow Jesus' commandment to love one another.

**Discernment.** Give children the skills to select healthy friendships.

**Independence.** Ask that children care less about what other people think of them and be more interested in pleasing God.

**Faith.** Faith in God, the teachings of Christ, Scripture, and the teachings of the Church are the foundation for a healthy life and eternal salvation.

These gifts will make children happy forever.

### Scripture LESSON

### Luke 6:39-45, What's in your heart?

In this Gospel passage, Jesus compared our deeds to the fruits on the trees. If the tree is good, it will produce good fruit, just as if a person is good, his words and actions are likely to be good. It would be less likely for a bad person to regularly do many virtuous deeds.



Jesus extends the "good trees, good fruit" parable to our speech. Just as you can measure the health of a tree by its fruit, you can check the condition of your heart by the quality of your words. This is because our "heart" –

our deepest center – is the origin of our actions, including our words. Whether we are at peace or angry affects what we do.

*What can a parent do? Teach children that words do matter and that how they talk can affect others for good or bad.*

Words are the easiest way we can imitate Jesus. If our words are uplifting, kind, truthful and try to bring peace to others, then that is a good sign we are heading in the right direction.

### Parent TALK

As children, we never missed Mass. That's why I was shocked when my brother recently declared that he doesn't take his children to Mass. "It's



enough that I bring them to religious education class every week," he said. "We're too busy for Mass, too."

Why would anyone teach children a religion but prevent them from practicing it? In class children learn about a Catholic's serious obligation to attend Mass and the wonderful graces we get from the Eucharist. At home, they learn that soccer practice or birthday parties come before Mass. Sports before Jesus? How confusing!

I gave my brother a copy of *Follow the Way of Love*, a message to families from the U.S. bishops. It's about how God's love is experienced in a family and how it is supported by the whole Church. Hopefully it will help him see being Catholic as a gift and not a burden.

### Feasts & Celebrations

**Feb. 2 – St. Catherine of Ricci (1590).** St. Catherine was born to a prominent banker. Against her father's wishes, she joined the Dominicans when she was twelve. She is known for her visions of the Lord's Passion, which she experienced every Friday.

**Feb. 11 – Our Lady of Lourdes (1858).** A heavenly lady appeared to St. Bernadette Soubirous, a poor, sickly girl from a French village. A miraculous spring with healing waters emerged from a nearby cave. The beautiful lady revealed herself as the "Immaculate Conception"

– the Blessed Virgin Mary.

**Feb. 19 – St. Barbatus (c. 682).** From Benevento, Italy, St. Barbatus tried to convert his town from paganism. In a last-ditch effort, he described what they would suffer when Emperor Constans II besieged the city. The whole city converted promptly, and he was elected bishop soon after.

**Feb. 22 – St. Peter's Chair.** Marking St. Peter's establishment of the Holy See, on this festival we thank God for His Church and pray for its holy preservation.



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### Corpus Christi School & Parish takeout Marx BBQ Dinner

Corpus Christi School and Parish are having a takeout Marx BBQ Dinner on **Saturday, February 5** from 4:30 pm—6:30 pm. Come support a great school by ordering a take out dinner!! All you have to do is drive through on February 5th and let someone else cook you dinner. Please contact Jessica Wildeman at (812) 430-6783 or [jmwildeman5040@gmail.com](mailto:jmwildeman5040@gmail.com) to preorder tickets.

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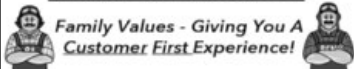
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