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MASS SCHEDULES

Weekend Masses

Saturday - St. Joseph Church 4:00pm Mass Reconciliation: 3:30pm

Sunday - St. Anthony Church

10:30am Mass 5:00pm Praise Mass **Reconciliation:** 10:00am

Weekday Masses

St. Anthony Chapel Tuesday and Thursday 7:00am

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





All Saints Parish Picnic

Sunday, September 17 after the 10:30 Mass

OFFICE INFORMATION

All Saints Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:00am - 4:30pm Friday 8:00am - 1:30pm

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EVENTS THIS WEEK

Saturday, July 29

SJ 3:30pm Reconciliation SJ 4:00pm Mass

Sunday, July 30

SA 9-10am Light Breakfast SA 10:00am Reconciliation SA 10:30am Mass

SA 3:30pm Praise Music Practice

SA 5:00pm Praise Mass

Monday, July 31

SA 6:30pm Gospel of Matthew

Tuesday, Aug 2

SA 7:00am Chapel Mass

Wednesday, Aug 3

SA 10:30am Soup Kitchen SA 10:30am Clothes Closet

Thursday, Aug 4

SA 7:00am Chapel Mass

Saturday, Aug 5

SJ 3:30pm Reconciliation

SJ 4:00pm Mass

Sunday, Aug 6

SA 9-10am Light Breakfast SA 10:00am Reconciliation

SA 10:30am Mass

SA 3:30pm Praise Music Practice

SA 5:00pm Praise Mass



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.

Pastoral Team

Darlene Steffe Wedding Coordinator

2023 MASS INTENTIONS For All Saints Parish				
Saturday	29	Recorded	No Mass	
	29	4:00pm	Geraldine Schaefer	
Sunday	30	10:30am	Marshall Wilson	
	30	5:00am	Susan Barron	
Tuesday	1	7:00am	Scott Reaves	
Thursday	3	7:00am	Helen Arrick	
Saturday	5	Recorded	Parishioners	
	5	4:00pm	Alvin Teipe	
Sunday	6	10:30am	Joseph Goedde	
	6	5:00pm	Wayne Pokorney	

For the Year to Date Financial Report, visit our website at <u>allsaintsevansville.org</u>.

From the Homepage, click on the All Saints Parish tab; then choose "YTD Financial Report".

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Confirmation 2023

Please pray for our Confirmation Candidates as they prepare to be confirmed in October.

Sessions 4 WITH Sponsors Sunday, August 20th from 2 – 4 pm in the Fr. Niehaus Room

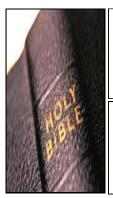
Family Faith Formation



Registration forms coming soon!

Our first session will be on Sunday, August 20th. We welcome all families with children and any other adults who would be interested in learning more about your faith in an intergenerational setting. Here, we accept the wisdom of God moving in all of us. It is wonderful to hear the wisdom coming from people of many different ages and generations.

If you have a child in 2nd grade, you will be part of Family Faith Formation sessions as your child prepares for First Communion.



Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Kings 3:5, 7-12pg. 302 Romans 8:28-30 pg. 1300 Matthew 13:44-52 pg. 1161

Transfiguration of the Lord
Daniel 7:9-14 pg. 816
2 Peter1:16-19 pg. 1378
Matthew 17:1-9 pg. 1164

All Saints Parish July Lector Schedule

July 29

4:00pm Gina Tucker

July 30

10:30am Jim Tolen, Nick Seib 5:00pm Chris Hamman

Join Us Situational Awareness Training

Thursday, August 10, 2023 from 6-8:00pm in the cafeteria on the St. Anthony Campus for a Situational Awareness Training class offered by the Evansville Police Department.



There is NO cost for this class.

Situation Awareness Training is designed to help us read body language and other signs that may lead us to be aware of the mood, agitation, or possible actions of another individual.

This class is being offered especially to our Wednesday morning Community Meal and Clothes Closet volunteers, the members of our local St. Vincent de Paul Conference, greeters at Masses and ALL other interested individuals.

Please RSVP, so we know that we will have enough space available. BY noon on Friday, August 4th.

RSVP to the All Saints Parish Office at 812-423-5209 or mwalker@evdio.org

17吐 SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME







Justice Challenge

17th Week in Ordinary Time

Family reunions happen a lot during the summer months. You may have seen signs or notices in parks where families have reserved space to come together to catch up on news, share family stories and food and to celebrate their heritage. When we take time to nurture relationships and to support and celebrate our families, it is a blessing. Our families are the first places we learn about faith and what it means to be a part of God's family. There are some things we know about being a part of God's family: we must feed the hungry, clothe the naked, give drink to those who thirst and visit those in prison. Our families help us do this good work. How has your family been a witness to you of being Christ in the world?

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Family Faith Formation

"This is my body given for you." (Luke 22:19) ... Awesome God

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

The other part of the Eucharistic prayer that I love is just before it ends when we are called to remember all those who have died and all of the Saints. As I've shared before, the Communion of Saints is one my favorite things about being Catholic. The ever presence of everyone who has died. They are so much a part of my daily life. From St. Anthony for my current lost item, to St. Isidore of Seville when I am yelling at my laptop, to my grandparents and aunt and uncle when I'm wanting help with family... There is peace and reassurance for me in knowing they are all with me. And, I am reminded of this every time I hear the Eucharistic prayer.

17世 SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME







Thursday, August 3 • Bosse Field • 6:35 p.m.





Sing In Our 500-Voice Choir!



Habitat for Humanity of Evansville is bringing back the 500-Voice Choir for our "Headed for Home" night with the Evansville Otters on Thursday, August 3rd!

We'd like to invite you to come sing with us! Choir members will be singing the National Anthem and leading the 7th-Inning Stretch.

All choir members get free admission to the game and a free t-shirt. The whole family is welcome to sing!

We hope you'll join us! To sign up for the choir, or for more information, please call the Habitat office at (812) 423-5623.

Members of the choir can pick up their tickets and t-shirts at the Habitat Office beginning on Monday, July 31st through 3 PM on Thursday, August 3rd.



Game Date: Thursday, August 3

Game Time: 6:35 PM (gates open at 5:30 PM)

Location- Bosse Field 23 Don Mattingly Way, Evansville, IN 47711

We hope you will join us!

From the homilies recently...

Fr. Steve

This parable is pretty simple isn't it...let them grow together?

Do we have the patience to let the weeds in the wheat grow together? What does this tell us about our God? God calls and cares for the good and the bad. God is patient and kind. God is merciful and forgiving even to the enemy that plants the weeds in our fields.

The parable says, let them grow together until harvest. God will do the separating. God is the one who shows clemency. God is the one who is lenient and kind. That may not have been the God you grew up with. That is the God that we hear today.

All of us have weeds in our life. All of us would do well to be pulling our own weeds. God is with us. We all need to be patient.

The weeds of hatred and jealousy, bitterness and envy, they are all part of our lives. The sinful part. God wants to help us.

What else in our lives do we need to be patient with and let it work itself out? This parable reminds me that we need to appreciate God's patients and mercy. Even though we live in this broken world, we still see God's help and deliverance.

Thank God that God is bigger and better and more beautiful than any of us can ever imagine.

THIS WEEKEND... Sisters of St. Benedict, Ferdinand Mission Appeal

Let us welcome Sr. Kathy Huber!
For over 50 years, the Sisters of St. Benedict of Ferdinand, Indiana, with the support of the Diocese of Evansville, have served in Peru, South America in ministries of education, health care and pastoral work. She will be sharing greetings from the sisters in Peru along with stories from the many years of ministry that the sisters have provided to the people of this country. An opportunity to continue to support the work of the sisters will be offered.



Kristi and Vince Wagner and Brenda Meyer traveled to Emory University for the Roundtable meeting for Diocesan Social Action Directors in July. We spent three days learning about human trafficking of individuals for sex or use of their labor. Human trafficking is modernday slavery. It involves the illegal transport of individuals by force or deception for the purpose of labor, sexual exploitation, or activities in which others (not the person themselves) profit financially. The United States is the destination for many of the sex trafficking victims. We learned of children, men and women caught up in sex trafficking, young people and young adults offered "jobs with schooling opportunities" in more affluent countries which turned out to be traps and even three generational families where the children and grandchildren were enslaved to pay off a parent's debt that could never be repaid.

This is a 50 million person problem around the world. One presenter told Kristi that she could come into our community and very quickly identify where trafficking was happening in our community. It can happen anywhere, and rural areas or small communities are not free of this problem. It appears that those individuals on the fringe in any community are vulnerable. Those most at risk are those who are immigrants who do not have language skills in the places they land. Also, the likelihood that someone possess as a helper and tricks or traps the person into servitude is high. We came back not sure of what we should be doing in our community, but feel our eyes were opened for a reason. We are praying for those who are caught up in this mind, soul and body breaking abuse. We hope to start the conversation so that we can make a difference.

A few of us (Kristi and Vince Wagner, Brenda Meyer and several others) saw the movie Sound of Freedom on opening night at the Northside Showplace Cinemas. It is still in town and is one of those movies we think you shouldn't miss. The movie tells the struggle of two young children who were tricked into human trafficking through the guise of getting involved in the glamor photography business and those who tracked them down and rescued them. Yet it is told in a manner that opens one's eyes without traumatizing the viewer. Not easy viewing, but we think increases understanding and puts a human face on a very difficult subject.

The Gospel of Matthew was not the first Gospel written, but arguably has been the most favored Gospel for Christians over the Church's history. It is also the Gospel we will hear on Sundays throughout this liturgical year. Monday, August 31 at 6:30 pm, Tom Bogenschutz will offer a presentation and lead a discussion on Matthew's Gospel. We will explore this Gospel's special character as well as reflect on key passages. This will be held in the Davidson Rm (parish office), but you can also join the discussion online by requesting a Zoom invite by emailing Tom, <a href="mailto:thorse-representation-to-super-serior

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to see a link to our Online Giving page. Follow the prompts to give to the Sunday Collection or to make a donation to the ministry of your choice.



Questions of the Week



First Reading:

The young King Solomon asked the Lord in prayer for a wise and discerning heart, and it was granted to him. What gift would you ask from the Lord?

Second Reading:

Paul teaches the believers in Rome that God calls us "according to his purpose." Do you have a sense your purpose in life? If so, what is it?

Gospel:

Jesus offers several kingdom of heaven parables to the disciples: buried treasure and fine pearls (a priceless discovery) and the large catch of fish (an invitation to all). With these parables, what do you think Jesus is teaching us about the kingdom of heaven?

Check out our Ministries in Action!

A-Men's Club:

3rd Tuesday each month, at 6:00pm SA

All Saints Parish Women in Ministry:

4th Monday of the month at 6:00pm

Becoming a Catholic?

Call the Parish Office (812)423-5209 SA

Bible Study:

Summer Break, will resume August 16

Children's Choir:

On Summer Break, will resume Oct. 22 Contact Fatma at fseib@evdio.org

Children's Liturgy of the Word:

Sundays at 10:30am SA

Covenant Choir:

On Summer Break, will resume Oct. 25

Family Faith:

Summer Break, will resume August 20

Praise Mass Groups:

Practice every Sunday at 3:30pm SA



Special Points of Interest

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

Baptism of children should be arranged in advance by contacting Sharon Vogler at the Parish Office.

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.

Homebound, Nursing Home or Hospital Visitation: 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.

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

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA):

Those wishing to become Catholic or learn more about the Catholic faith may call the Parish Office.

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

All Saints Children's Choir

This summer we will have a special opportunity for the Children's Choir to sing the National Anthem during the Otter's Game at Habitat for Humanity Night on Thursday, August 3rd.

Practices will be July 23 immediately after the 10:30am Mass. Approximately 20 minutes. Please attend at least one practice.

Children's Choir is on summer break and will resume on October 22.

If you have any questions or are interested in joining, please contact Fatima Seib at fseib@evdio.org

Thanks, Fatima

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. Enjoy!!

All Saints Parish Clothes Closet



We are currently in need of the following items:

- · Men's underwear sizes L, XL, XXL, XXXL
- · Men's and women's short socks all sizes
- Men's pants especially waist sizes 30 and 32.
 We are in need of more men's pants in all waist sizes 30 and larger
- · Men's shirts sizes XXL, XXXL and larger
- Men's shorts all sizes

Items can be dropped off at the Parish Office during regular office hours or at Masses on the weekend. As always, thank you for your help and generosity!

Advertiser of the Week

Thank you G.R. Freeman Heating & Air Conditioning, INC for sponsoring the All Saints Parish Bulletin.

This bulletin is furnished to the Parish without charge. The advertisements that appear completely defray all publishing costs.

Kissing the Altar at Mass

Question:

Why do priests kiss the altar at the start of Mass?

Answer

Our churches and chapels are filled with symbols. We might think of the more common symbols (like the crucifix, statues, stained-glass windows, vestment color and altar cloths) as well as major symbols (such as the paschal candle and the baptismal font). But there are some things that we can take for granted in our sacred spaces, because unfortunately, they seem to just be part of the building, including three of the main symbols of our liturgy: the ambo (lectern), the chair for the priest celebrant, and the altar.

These three objects are placed in a specially designated area called the sanctuary. They are the places where the Word of God is proclaimed, where the priest prays and presides at the celebration, and where the bread and wine are offered by the priest during the Eucharistic Prayer. Although each of these objects is sacred because of the role they play in our worship, the altar holds a special place. In a document containing the rules and instructions for the Mass — the "General Instruction of the Roman Missal" — we read: "The altar on which the Sacrifice of the Cross is made present under sacramental signs is also the table of the Lord to which the People of God is called together to participate in the Mass, as well as the center of the thanksgiving that is accomplished throughout the Eucharist" (no. 296).

One of the ways that we recognize the importance of the altar is when the priest and deacon kiss the altar at the beginning of Mass. Kissing is an ancient act of devotion. Remember, we also kiss the cross on Good Friday, and the deacon or priest kisses the "Book of the Gospels" after the Gospel is proclaimed. This act of devotion reminds us that the altar is a symbol of Jesus, the "living stone" (see 1 Peter 2:4), the foundation stone of our faith. It is a symbol gesture, but it is a powerful reminder of the One on whom our faith is built and in whose name we gather as the "household of faith" (see Galatians 6:10). To learn more, see the "Catechism of the Catholic Church" (no. 1382-1383).

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Find and circle these words from today's Gospel:

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Put God's kingdom first. Read a Bible story every morning.

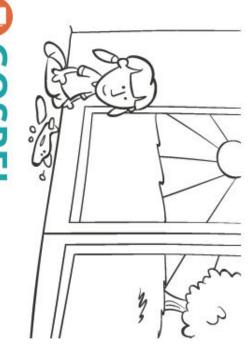






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GOSPEL

just to be a part of God's kingdom. found the treasure sold everything else own. In both stories, the person who don't last forever. The kingdom of heaven Your clothes can shrink and stain. Things Heaven is worth more than anything you does last forever. It is like a treasure. Your toys can break. Your books can tear.

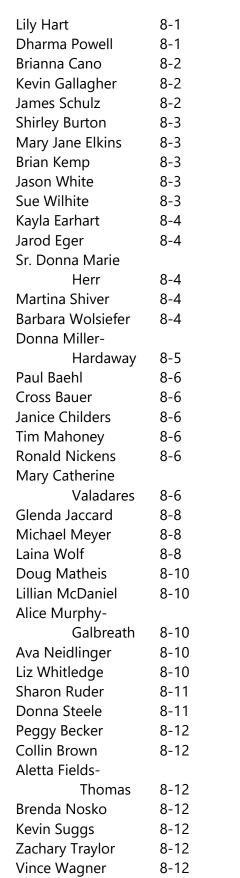


the things I have. God, help me to love your kingdom more than



treasure. Draw a picture of yourself finding a buried

August Birthdays



Colette Meadows	8-14
Sarah Rush	8-14
Sharon Hinderliter	8-15
Larry Donald	8-16
Elijah Martin	8-16
Gayle Uebelhor	8-16
Tammy Schulz	8-17
Wilma Spaulding	8-17
Randy Will	8-17
Mark Bradley	8-17
Emily Rickard	8-19
Norman Scheller	8-19
Mary Ann Baehl	8-20
Charles Kirsch	8-20
Lorita Utley	8-20
Gary Witty	8-20
Pam Castrale	8-20
Catherine Nickens	8-22
Angela Effinger	8-24
James Haley	8-24
Mia Venturini	8-24
John Adams	8-25
Suzanne Donald	8-25
Jerry Fenwick	8-25
Ann Debes	8-26
Julie Dietz	8-27
Marilyn Hephner	8-27
Brett Michael James	8-27
Suzanne Knight	8-27
Randy	
Schoenbachler	8-27
Karen Williams	8-27
Anna	
Bruggenschmidt	8-28
Mary Mueller	8-28
Barbara	
Schmahlenberg	8-28

Lindsey Gunter

Eleanor Rasche

Ruth Bradburn

Tom Koressel

Donna Rutter

8-29

8-29

8-30

8-30

8-31





Anniversaries



Nick & Fatima Seib	8-1
Ron & Brenda Nosko	8-2
Mike & Sandy Tempel	8-2
Scott & Judy Campbell	8-5
Frank & Gertrude Howard	8-5
Bob & MaryAnn Hubbard	8-6
John & Karla Adams	8-7
Gary & Glenda Thomas	8-7
Larry & Nancy Reinhart	8-9
Richard & Sharon Paul	8-12
Jim & Kathy Zelle	8-13
Louis & Yvonne Woodburn	8-14
Bob & Terry Koressel	8-15
John & Mary Wittgen	8-17
Steve & Rose Castrale	8-18
David & Susan Stigall	8-18
Larry & Carolyn Adams	8-19
Deavron & Jeanene Farmer	8-23
Virgil & Patsy Jost	8-23
Doug & Pam Martin	8-25
Mike & Traci Brown	8-26
Vince & Kristi Wagner	8-28
Gary & Jeanine Witty	8-29

"Go and make disciples"

We're all called to spread the Gospel as missionaries

(Mark 16:15), but not everyone is required to travel. As a Carmelite nun, St. Therésè of Lisieux lived out her "second calling" to be a missionary. Here are three ways to spread the Gospel within any vocation:

Go deeper in your faith. You can't share what you don't have. St. Therésè developed her "Little Way" of holiness after years of prayer and study. Step deeper into your faith daily: read a section of the

Catechism, pray over a verse of Scripture, listen to a

Catholic podcast while driving or walking, pray.

Adopt-a-missionary: St. Therésè was a "spiritual sister"

to several missionaries, writing them letters and supporting them in prayer, indirectly helping hundreds of souls. Adopt a missionary – or anyone who shares the Faith. Contact your parish or diocese for suggestions.

"Intercession fueled by charity": St.

Therésè lovingly offered to God the "thorns" she received from others – discomforts,

misunderstandings, hurt feelings – to win souls for Christ. Offer your "thorns" as saving graces.









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