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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.



**Christmas Eve** Mass with Children

> See more pictures on page 6-7

### OFFICE INFORMATION

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

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

8:00am - 1:30pm

704 N First Ave Evansville IN 47710-1632

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### **EVENTS THIS WEEK**

### Saturday, Jan 6

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

### Sunday, Jan 7

SA 8:30-10am Family Faith

SA 9-10am Light Breakfast

SA 10:00am Reconciliation

SA 10:30am Mass

SA 3:30am Praise Music Practice

SA 5:00pm Praise Mass

### Monday, Jan 8

SA 6-8:00pm SPRED Epiphany Party

### Tuesday, Jan 9

SA 7:00am Chapel Mass

### **Automated External Defibrillators**

shock the heart back into normal rhythm and are located in the back of St. Anthony Church near the restroom and the front west wall in St. Joseph Church.

### Wednesday, Jan 10

SA 8:00am Bible Study

SA 10:30am Soup Kitchen

SA 9:00am Clothes Closet

SA 4:30pm St. Vincent de Paul

SA 6:00pm Covenant Choir Reh

### Thursday, Jan 11

SA 7:00am Chapel Mass

### Saturday, Jan 13

SJ 3:30pm Reconciliation

SJ 4:00pm Mass

### Sunday, Jan 14

SA 9-10am Light Breakfast

SA 10:00am Reconciliation

SA 10:30am Mass

SA 3:30pm Praise Music Practice

SA 5:00pm Praise Mass

### **Pastoral Team**

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December/January 2023 MASS INTENTIONS For All Saints Parish			
Saturday	6	Recorded	Charles & Elsie Bishop
	6	4:00pm	Clarence Mitsdarffer
Sunday	7	10:30am	Bob Lamkin
	7	5:00pm	Parishioners
Tuesday	9	7:00am	Wayne Pokorney
Thursday	11	7:00am	John Gerard
Saturday	13	Recorded	Parishioners
	13	4:00pm	Frank Wolf
Sunday	14	10:30am	Joseph & Maria Phan
	14	5:00pm	Theresa Wahl



### In Sympathy



Our desire is to remember All Saints Parishioners who have experienced the loss of a family member.

It is possible for us to miss a notice about your loved one. Please reach out to the parish office at (812)423-5209 or email <a href="mailto:mwalker@evdio.org">mwalker@evdio.org</a> if you have lost someone in your family so that we can remember you in our prayers.

Please remember in your prayers the souls of all the recently departed of our Parish Family. May God grant peace & comfort during this difficult time.

Joseph H. Herr, Andie Gunter's Dad

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted." Matthew 5:4



### **Epiphany of the Lord**

Isaiah 60:1-6 pg. 679 Ephesians 3:2-3, 5-6 pg. 1335 Matthew 2:1-12 1147

### **Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19 pg. 244 1Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20 pg. 1311 John 1:35-42 pg. 1237

### All Saints Parish January Lector Schedule

Saturday, January 6

4:00pm Sr. Jane Michelle McClure

Sunday, January 7

10:30am Fred Mulfinger, Larry Adams

5:00pm Gina Tucker

Saturday, January 13

4:00pm Donna Cheatham

Sunday, January 14

10:30am Dorothy Wilderman, Nancy Reinhart

5:00pm Holly Earhart-Weir

Saturday, January 20

4:00pm Gina Tucker

Sunday, January 21

10:30am Nick Seib, Jim Mills

5:00pm Susan Volz, Liz Whitledge

Saturday, January 27

4:00pm Jennifer Kennedy

Sunday, January 28

10:30am Bob DeCarli, Hans Bauer

5:00pm Joyce Duncan, Chris Hamman



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".



### Christmas Flower Memorials

Ackerman Family Keller Family Clarence Mitsdarffer

### Save the Dates!

### **All Saints Parish Mission**

Sunday, January 28

Mission Session 1 in St. Anthony Church from 1-2 pm Title: "The gifts of the Spirit given for the common good."

In his letter to the Corinthians, St. Paul reminds us that "there are a variety of gifts, but the same Spirit," and that it is the same God who activates all of these gifts in everyone...for the common good. Each of us is gifted in some way, and all of our gifts are needed in service of the Gospel. What are the gifts of the Spirit being manifested in you?

Presenter: Sr. Anita Louise Lowe

**Mission Session 2** in St. Anthony Church Monday, January 29 from 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Title: "Do Not Quench the Spirit"

"The Spirit is present to our inmost being all the time, inviting us to allow the Spirit to be the source of our actions at every level. Where do you go to listen to the Spirit?

How is the Spirit nudging you?

Presenter: Sr. Kathy Huber

Mission Session 3 in St. Anthony Church Tuesday, January, 30 from 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Title: "Catch the Spirit"

How is the Spirit moving you to become who you

were meant to be? Sr. Teresa Gunter

### EPIPHANY









### **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 the parish office 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.

### 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:

Wednesday 8-9:30am SA

### Children's Choir:

Contact Fatma at <a href="mailto:fseib@evdio.org">fseib@evdio.org</a>

### Children's Liturgy of the Word:

Sundays at 10:30am SA

### **Covenant Choir:**

Contact Fatma at fseib@evdio.org

### Family Faith:

Every Other Sunday, 8:30-10:15am SA

### **Praise Mass Groups:**

Practice every Sunday at 3:30pm SA

### SPRED: Special Religious Ed

Every Other Monday, 6-7:30pm SA Chapel





January is here....that means it is time for us to help restock the shelves at the

### St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry! NON-perishable foods

Saturday, January 6<sup>th</sup> – Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup> Boxes at the doors in BOTH Churches Thank you for your help!

### St. Vincent de Paul News

This Sunday we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany, where the Magi find the newborn King and offer him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. In the spirit of the Magi, please make a donation to the St. Vincent de Paul Poor so that comfort and peace can once again be given to a newborn child.

### Advertiser of the Week

Thank you **Master Tire & Accessories, 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.



### **All Saints Parish Clothes Closet**

The weather is getting colder. We are in need of winter clothing, heavy coats (1x-4x), hats, scarves and blankets.

We are in need of underwear and socks for all sizes and men's pants and shirts, especially sizes extra large and larger.

### Justice Challenge Epiphany

In Sunday's Gospel we hear the story of the "astrologers from the east" who came to pay homage to the Infant Jesus. They remind us that Jesus was a universal Savior. He came to redeem all of us, including the lepers and tax collectors and prostitutes. He even reached out to the hated Samaritans, although it was forbidden by law to have any type of contact with them. Your challenge this week is to explore how open you are to the "Samaritans" in your life—those people who are different from you in their faith, their ethnicity, their politics, or their lifestyles. Then do two things. First, find something you share in common with this group. Recognize your common humanity. Second, learn one new thing about this group that you didn't know before which is worth celebrating. It might be a prayer practice you could embrace, or a recipe for their food which you could try. It could even be a new way of caring for God's creation. Open your heart to be stretched, get out of your comfort zone, and discover the face of God in the Samaritans around you!

The First Reading on Baptism of the Lord talks about the mission of the Messiah, and Isaiah clearly proclaims that it includes bringing justice to the earth. Isaiah writes, "Here is my servant whom I uphold, my chosen one with whom I am pleased, upon whom I have put my spirit; he shall bring forth justice to the nations..." Your challenge this week is to reflect on how important justice is in YOUR life. Do you seek it, not just for yourself and your family, but for all those who suffer from injustice—in the local community, in the U.S., and across the world? Do you speak out when you see someone being treated unjustly? Pray that you can be a person of justice in whom God can be well-pleased as He was with His Son.

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### **Family Faith Formation**

"Come to Me, all you who labor and are burdened." Mt. 11:23

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

Today we celebrate the Feast of the Epiphany. In Matthew's Gospel we hear, "Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh."

When we open the treasure of ourselves, what gifts do we offer God, family, parish, community?

### **Welborn Baptist Foundation News**

What a blessing we have at All Saints Parish. What support we have for justice!!

All Saints Parish parishioners, friends and supporters raised \$26,840 by the end of the year for the Welborn Baptist Foundation Matching grant appeal. This includes \$10,000 from the

All Saints A-men's Club that offered in the very beginning to match funds. It was this opportunity that made the entire process flow. People responded and within 18 days we had raised \$10,000 and with the A-men's Club's funds met the goal of raising \$20,000 to get a matching grant of \$20,000 from Welborn Baptist Foundation. We have sent off our request and are expecting to receive the Welborn Foundation money in early January. Thank you too all!

### From the homilies recently...

### Fr. Steve

What does it mean to be a holy family? What does it mean in your life to be a faithful family? Look around... We will see those who are young families with little babies, married, widowed, never married... we are all called to be a holy family. We all have the opportunity to be a holy family.

Simeon came to the temple every day because he did not want to die before he saw the son of God. Anna came to the temple every day to praise God. Mary and Joseph came for the circumcision of Jesus. The law is the law of faith and obedience. Jesus is consecrated to the Lord. We too are people of faith.

Abraham was a man of faith. He always wanted his son, and he was promised his son. Abraham was faithful to God. Even when Isaiah was born, Abraham was willing to sacrifice him to God.

Part of being family is doing all we can to live in faith...coming to church, trying to grow strong in the wisdom and faith of God. Today we help our children grow up strong and be filled with faith.

Honor your father and mother. Honor your children. Honor your extended family. Be faithful and obedient.

We are family. We are a parish family by choice. We come here by choice. Let us continue to be a holy family as parish family and welcome everyone here and make it a true home.

### SPRED (Special Religious Ed)

SPRED will have their Epiphany Party Monday, January 8, 2024 at St. Anthony Cafeteria.

For more information call Francie Gilles at (812)484-5905.



### Fr. Ray

Today we celebrate the feast of the holy family. How can we ever expect to imitate the holy family? Their life was filled with stresses. They lived in poverty. Jesus is born in a stable. We know they went through a lot in their life. When we look at Jesus, when he stayed behind in the temple, remember that they went through looking for him. Like teenagers today. Jesus said, didn't you know I had to be about my father's business? There was confusion in their life,

Today, we can imitate them a certain way. For example, our life of prayer. We come here this evening to join together in prayer and song, and praise to our God who loves us and saved us. We have concern for one another...our immediate family, our church family, our larger family the community. We have concern for one another through many programs we do throughout the year.

To hear Fr. Ray's stories, go to <a href="https://allsaintsevansville.org/growing/livestream-all-saints-">https://allsaintsevansville.org/growing/livestream-all-saints-</a>

Fr. Tom - Mary Mother of God, New Year's Day As I get old, I wonder how all this happened. I'd like to know more of the historical part of it. What was it like for Mary to travel so far, give birth in a cave/stable?

How do we as Christians have hope that is different than others in the world? How do we go from self identifying as Christians to being disciples? How are we pilgrims?

Dorothy Day...I'm so glad Jesus was born in a stable. My soul is so much like a stable. It is in poor condition. I am so glad that Jesus was born in a stable. Perhaps he can also be born in me.



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**Seats 1-15** 

The cost is \$36 per ticket. Lunch will be sold at the ONB Events Plaza and will be an additional expense to each of us who attends.

Call the Parish Office if you are interested in a ticket in a ticket in the All Saints section. (812)423-5209

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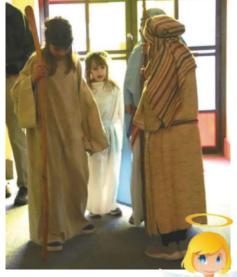
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Christmas Mass with Children
December 24





































Christmas Eve 2024

## **All Saints Catholic Parish**

and

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### Southern Justice Pilgrimage

## Birmingham, Selma, and Montgomery

4 days and 3 nights

April 17 -20, 2024

# What is a faith and justice pilgrimage?

A pilgrimage is more than a trip to an important site. It is a spiritual journey that deepens one's understanding. A pilgrimage allows us to immerse ourselves in cultural, historical, and spiritual aspects of places we visit. We will visit places at the center of the struggles for racial and civil liberty that call us to examine our own social justice actions. Witness and be open to what God has to say.

# Prayer is an important part of a pilgrimage.



As pilgrims of various faith communities, we will at times stop, reflect, and pray.

## Our Goal for our Community

A pilgrimage can be a transformational inner journey, but we are also hoping it has a community impact as well. During our pilgrimage we will have opportunities to meet and develop relationships with others who are interested in social justice. Our hope is that we can return from Alabama with deeper connections so that we can work more effectively on social justice issues.

Stipends available, please inquire.

### Registration

Church affiliation

Email address

Must be eighteen or over to participate.

Register Early!!!

Space limited to fifty-three people.

Sponsorship available to reduce costs.

Deadline for registration: March 12, 2024

Checks payable to:

All Saints Catholic Parish 704 N. 1st Avenue Evansville, Indiana 47710

For information contact:

Brenda Meyer at 812-457-5529 or bmeyer@evdio.org

All Saints office at 812-423-5209

Rev. Floyd Edwards at 765-610-5862 or

floydedwards@live.com

## Wednesday, April 17

6:30 a.m. Leave Evansville All Saints Catholic Parish 704 N. 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue. Travel to Birmingham by bus, enjoy a sack lunch along the way.

1:30 View Bethel Baptist Church

2:00 Tour the 16th Street Baptist Church



Travel through Kelly Ingram Park

3:30 Tour the Birmingham Civil Rights Institute



5:15 Drive through the 4th Avenue Historical District on the way to the hotel

5:30 p.m. Check into The Tutwiler Hotel Hampton Inn Downtown

6:00 Dinner on own in the area. Explore on your own this evening if you want.

### Thursday, April 18

8:15 a.m. leave for Selma

10:00 Selma, brief visit Edmund Pettus Bridge

11:15 Visit Interpretive Center at City of St. Jude 4th camp site on the March to Montgomery

12:30 Arrive in downtown Montgomery and have lunch at The Alley.

2:00 Visit Rosa Parks Museum



4:00 – 6:00 Bus tour with Wanda Battle, local guide. View Court Square Fountain, Historic Riverfront, First Baptist Church, Ben Moore Hotel, Maiden Brother Barbershop, The Harris House, Dexter Parsonage Museum, State Capitol, Dexter Avenue King Memorial Baptist Church, Southern Poverty Law Center's Civil Rights Memorial,



Freedom Rides Museum, The Mothers of Gynecology Memorial, and Mt. Zion African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church.

6:15 hotel - Hampton Inn and Suites Downtown

Dinner on your own this evening.

### Friday, April 19

9:00 a.m. Arrive at The Legacy Museum

Spend the day at The Legacy Museum and the National Memorial for Peace and Justice, with shuttle service available between the two. Enjoy Pannie -George's Restaurant at the Legacy Museum.



4:00 Leave Legacy Museum and return to hotel.

Dinner on own

6:45 p.m. brief prayer service for racial justice and opportunity to debrief.

### Saturday, April 20

8:30 Leave Montgomery. Travel home.

4:30 Arrive All Saints Catholic Parish

Cost: \$500 includes bus transportation, entrance and speaker fees, one box lunch, 3 nights hotel (double occupancy \*) with breakfast, tips.

\*Single room supplement additional \$290

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