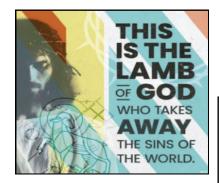
A Franciscan Parish for 156 years! - Janaury 15, 2023 - 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



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MASS SCHEDULE

<u>Weekend</u> Saturday at 5:30 pm Sunday at 8:00 & 10:00 am <u>Weekdays in Main Church</u> Monday-Friday at 8:00 am <u>Holy Day</u> Please check the bulletin.

VIRTUAL MASS SCHEDULE

LIVE on Saturdays at 5:30pm on our Facebook page Available on our Website shortly after Saturday Mass

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Contact <u>Beth Geis</u> to arrange a Baptism holyfamilybeth@gmail.com/ 812-934-3013 (ext. 125)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Saturdays from 4:30pm - 5pm

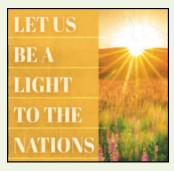
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Fr. Carl's Thoughts and Reflections Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 15, 2023

We're back to Ordinary Time and green vestments, even if the Christmas lights and decorations are up for another day or two in church. Our Christmas and New Year's celebrations are over for another year. I hope you all had an enjoyable season of celebrating, while remembering God's gracious love and mercy in sending His Son Jesus to be our Savior & Redeemer. Mary's faith and humility made this possible when she agreed to be God's handmaid and the mother of His Son Jesus. We are



called likewise to respond to God's invitations and inspirations in our daily lives.



Our Scriptures for this weekend continue to reflect on and be amazed at God's action in our lives and our world. The Prophet Isaiah describes his role as God's servant to bring back the people to the Lord. He is to be a light to all the nations, bringing the good news to the ends of the earth. St. Paul begins his First Letter to the Corinthians by reminding them that they have been sanctified in Christ and are called to be holy. His wishes them grace and peace from God the

Father and His Son Jesus. In the Gospel, St. John tells us about the relationship of John the Baptist and Jesus. John calls Jesus the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. John goes on to say that Jesus ranks ahead of him, even though John baptized Jesus to help make Him known. John reports that the Spirit came down on Jesus like a dove, and this indicated that Jesus is the Son of God and is to baptize with water and the Holy Spirit. We learn a lot about Jesus in this short account from these Scriptures. How do we relate to Jesus and profess our faith in Him? What do we believe about our Baptisms?

The Parish Council met on this past Tuesday and addressed a number of new issues, including a discussion of replacement statues for our outdoor crèche. We also talked about the proposed walking trail grant that the Freudenfest committee is considering. More information should become available in the next few weeks.

We congratulate Cleo Michelle Arnett, daughter of Trevor and Fawn (Ryan) Arnett, on the Baptism of their baby girl on Sunday, January 8. May they continue to grow in their love of God as they raise their daughter in the Catholic faith.

We offer our sympathy and the promise of our prayers to the family of Dolores "Toots" Enneking whose funeral Mass was this Saturday morning, with burial in our parish cemetery. May she rest in peace and may all the Enneking family be consoled.



Have a Blessed Second Week in Ordinary Time!

Fr. Carl



Please enclose Cash, Check, or Money Order: \$20 per copy, and put in collection basket or mail to: <u>Holy Family Directory, P O Box 98,</u> <u>Oldenburg, IN. 47036</u>. You will be alerted when the Directories are available for pick up.

January 23rd is designated as a "Day of Prayer and Penance" for the legal protection of unborn children. The Holy Family 8AM Mass & rosary on January 23rd will be said for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion



Saturday, January 14 5:30pm † Mr. & Mrs. Joe & Helen Nunlist Family

Sunday, January 15 8:00 am † Barb Lecher 10:00 am Members of the Parish Monday, January 16 8:00 am Kaleb Norton **Tuesday, January 17** 8:00 am † Ronald Moorman Wed, January 18 8:00 am † Rita Amberger Thurs, January 19 8:00 am † Francis Flaspohler Friday, January 20 8:00 am † Herman Suttman Saturday, January 21 5:30pm † Steve Amberger Sunday, January 22

8:00 am Members of the Parish 10:00 am † Tom Zins

Mass Intention Requests Is there someone in your life that has passed on & you would like a mass intended for them? We at Holy Family are blessed with several friars that would be able to hold them in their intentions during Mass. Please contact Toni Cummings at 812-934-3013 ext. 4 Or tdcummings96@gmail.com for intention requests. Mass intentions are \$10/Mass.

OFFERING AN ACT OF WORSHIP

January 8th Sunday Collection

Envelope Collection	\$5,626.50
Loose	\$2,005.00
Total	\$7,631.50
Budget	\$7,656.32
BELOW Budget	\$24.82
Monthly Collection	\$1,202.00

Special Parish <u>JANUARY</u> Collection: Heating Costs

Please consider Holy Family Church in your will for a lasting way to give to your parish. We thank our parishioners for their generosity.

Criterion News Paper is the weekly



Catholic News paper delivered to your home. The Archdiocese of Indianapolis wants every parishioner to have the opportunity to receive this

Catholic newspaper. The cost to Holy Family to provide this paper is \$722 per month. If each parishioner could pay the subscription cost of \$16/year, this would help out tremendously! Envelopes for this can be found in your weekly contribution packets. **THANK YOU**.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Leah Schornick, Paul Messerschmidt, Bobby Patterson, Tami Peters, Dick Hirt, Beth Fasbinder, Marian Beetz Lisa Haessig, Jean Ham, Cliff Nobbe, Scott Cooper, Keith Milligan, Pat Schrank, Wesley Neil Thompson, Tony Gorball, Sandy Koch, Carlos Luken, Melanie Jones, Jane Fussner, Jon Flanary, Terri Jo Thompson, Tina Cohill, Carolyn Scheele, Kenny Barber, Gary Lewis, Kathleen Jones, Andy Murphy, Dennis Harmeyer, Beth Lamping, Eugene Laker, Dan Wagner, Sylva Havens, Stephanie West, Jen Tucker, Donna Doll, Doty Amberger, Rita Litzinger, Clare Ronnebaum, Daryl Stearns, Jerry Lamping, Helen Enneking, Anna Mae Raver, Dave Amberger, Gary Payne, Mattie Wagner, Julianne Raver, Alma Simmermeyer, Dale Kuntz, Rita Struewing, Ruth Ronnebaum, and all our nursing home & homebound parishioners.

January 15, 2023



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 15, 2023

Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34 Monday: Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1-4/Mk 2:18-22 Tuesday: Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 and 10c/Mk 2:23-28 Wednesday: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1-4/Mk 3:1-6 Thursday: Heb 7:25-8:6/Ps 40:7-10, 17/Mk 3:7-12 Friday: Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85:8 and 10-14/Mk 3:13-19 Saturday: Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Ps 47:2-9/Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday: Is 8:23-9:3/Ps 27:1,4, 13-14 (1a)/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23

BAPTISM: If you are

preparing to have your child



baptized or need to receive a Baptismal Certificate, please

contact Beth Geis. If this is your first child, you will need to schedule a Baptism Class with Beth Geis. If this is not your first child & have attended a class already, we will need proof.

E-mail: holyfamilybeth@gmail.com Phone #: (812)-934-3013 ext 3



Secular Franciscan Meeting

January 15th at 2pm AT MEADOWBROOK. All are welcome to join us!

MISSION CLUB CARD PARTY



Do you like to play cards? Join us January 18th in the Fr. Rudolf Room underneath

the Holy Family Parish Rectory in Oldenburg, IN at 1pm.

Thank you Mission Club Card Party Committee: KC Rae Fisk, Megan Fitzsimmons, Jody Flaspohler, Paula Fledderman.



Join us for our Adoration Hours from 9am-9pm Monday-Friday in St. Anne's Chapel at Holy Family Church. All welcome to join the scheduled adorers, & thus grow in your love of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament & His love for you! SEEKING adorers for the 5pm hour on Thursdays & the 1pm & 3pm hours on Fridays. If that would fit in your schedule, contact Dustin Walke at 317-691-5209/walkedustin@gmail.com.

Mass Ministry Schedule January 14 & January 15 January 21 & January 22 January 28 & January 29 Servers: Servers: Servers: 5:30pm Henry Jelinek & George Jelinek 5:30pm Annabelle Eckstein & Taytum Froehling 5:30pm Sam Patterson & Charlotte Trossman 8:00am Ellen Swain & Jeremy Honnert 8:00am Caitlin Raver & Luke Raver 8:00am Wilbur Giesting & Henry Giesting 10:00am Gus Robben & Abe Trossman 10:00am Grant Wanstrath & Maggie Jelinek 10:00am Gus Robben & Abe Trossman Lector:

5:30pm Mary Gehring 8:00am Patricia Doll 10:00am Jaculin Wilhelm **Eucharistic Ministers:** 5:30pm Tom Meyer, Darrin Moorman, & Doug Nobbe

8:00am Jenna Honnert, Christy Honnert, & Jon Spreckelson 10:00am Kay Pulskamp, Allen Raab, & Brandy Starost

Music:

5:30pm Bryce & Shannon Mullins 8:00am Parish Choir

10:00am Leon Enneking, Tim Volz, Carol Roell & Kim Brockman

USHERS for January

5:30pm: Jay Pfeiffer, Brad Nobbe & Doug Nobbe 8:00am: Bill Hoff. Brad Laker & Bob Schrank 10:00am Joe Goldsmith, Troy Ilderton & Brian Lecher

Lector: 5:30pm Steve Kerker 8:00am Eric Doll 10:00am Paul Brockman **Eucharistic Ministers:** 5:30pm Jay Pfeiffer, Connie Chaffee & Lisa Oldham 8:00am Karen Trenkamp, Dorothy Ziegler & Cathy Kaiser 10:00am Ryan Tekulve, Steve Deputy & Carol Dobson Music: 5:30pm Leon Enneking, Tim Volz, Carol Roell & Kim Brockman 8:00am Jayne Enneking

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SEEKING MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS please reach out if you have ANY interest or questions about volunteering for one of our many ministries! We NEED Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Greeters, Ushers & Servers. FOR ANYONE WHO RECEIVED 1st COMMUNION/ CONFIRMATION LAST YEAR - THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY to start a new ministry and chapter in your faith. Server training or guidance with lector, Eucharistic minister, usher or greeter will be provided to get you started ASAP! Call/Text Toni Cummings at 812-212-2354 or email at tdcummings96@gmail.com if you are interested in learning more about how you can help!

Are you interested in helping with a Ministry at Mass, but you aren't sure who or how to join? Please take a look below! We may group train depending on interest or can individually train. We just want you to help us serve the Lord. Please contact the church office at (812)-934-3013 ext. 4 or tdcummings96@gmail.com



Altar Servers: The name "server" identifies the role of an altar servers at Mass – to serve God and his people by assisting the priest and parish community in their worship & celebration of the Eucharist. ANYONE (really) who have completed their First Communion and older are eligible. All servers must

attend a training session prior to serving at a Mass.



Usher/Greeters: Ushers & Greeters foster a sense of welcome & belonging to those who assemble. The ushers take up the collection, count numbers at Masses & Greet those at the front door saying hello. For more information to become an Usher/Greeter, please contact Toni Cummings!

Eucharistic Ministers: Eucharistic Ministers assist with the distribution of the Sacred Body and Precious Blood of Christ at all masses. You will need to attend a training. If interested in doing this, please contact Toni Cummings!

Lectors: Lectors make the Living Word of God present by



their proclamation during the Liturgy of the Word. They are trained to help the congregation to better understand the scripture & to successfully communicate the message to the people. For more information on how to become a lector, please contact Toni Cummings!



Mark your calendar for the 2023 E6 Catholic Men's Conference, which will be taking place on Sat., Feb. 18th 2023, at the East Central High School Performing Arts Center in St. Leon, IN (80 miles southeast of Indianapolis and 35 minutes northwest of Cincinnati). We cordially invite every man to attend this 8th annual event. Please join us for inspiring talks, confession (available all day), celebration of the Holy Mass and fraternity with fellow men of Christ. We pride ourselves on presenting a quality, substance-driven, inspirational and faith-filled event that will change men's lives and help equip them to be the man Christ calls them to be. Do not miss this! More details and tickets are on sale now at www.e6cmc.com.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Preschool/Kindergarten Religious Education NO CLASS on January 15th. Class will resume on January 22nd.

Religious Education Grades 1-8 is Wed., Jan. 18th @ 6:30 PM. Beth Geis will be out of the office January 14th -January 22nd. I will not be around on January 18th, but we still be having class. Toni Cummings will be in my spot for the evening. On January 25th 8th graders will be having their Circle of Grace training! Starting the week of February 1st, we will have available Reconciliation for the students. You will receive an email the week your class will be receiving Reconciliation.

HIGH SCHOOL Religious Education' is Wed.,

January 25th from 6:30pm-7:30pm in the old stone church building. Any High School student (9th - 12th) interested is welcome to join ANY time.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Beth Geis! E-mail: holyfamilybeth@gmail.com or call: 812-934-3013 (ext. 3)

RUMMAGE SALE Upcoming **Collection Dates**

JANUARY Collection Dates:

January 17, 2023, January 31, 2023

FEBRUARY Collection Dates:

February 14, 2023 February 28, 2023,

Collection times are 6pm-7:30pm Please use **FRONT** entrance of school. Must bring items to sorting room INSIDE building.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION TURTLE SOUP SALE WE ARE IN NEED OF HELP!!

Peelers & Dicers on Tuesday, January 31st

Wednesday, February 1st 🥃 Cooking day! Pull up a chair & STIR!

In the Soup Kitchen after 8 am Mass!

NEED A HALL FOR FAMILY GATHERINGS? WE CAN HELP. LOCATIONS/DATES AVAILABLE

Holy Family Cafeteria &/ or Gym Call Cheryl @ 812 -934-3013 Opt. 2

St. Mary of the **Rock Hall & Shelter** Call Brad Lecher @ 812-212-2908



You are cordially invited to attend an AMAZING, interactive retreat entitled: "Discovering the Essential Role of the Lay Person in God's Plan," based upon the teachings of Pope Saint John Paul II.

When: February 17-18, 2023 Where: St Phillip the Apostle Church, 944 US-22, Morrow, OH **Cost:** A free-will offering, so everyone can afford to come! Lunch will be provided to all who pre-register! To learn more or pre-register, visit Presentation Ministries.com or call (513) 373-2397

TEAM JESUS HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

The next event will be **Sun., Jan. 22nd** @ St. Anthony in Morris, IN. There will be some Card games available to play & we will discuss what evangelization is 4 what it means !! Please welcome any high schooler to join us!!





Are you interested in High School Youth Group but don't know what it's about? Talk to these students who love coming Landon Oldham,

Charlotte Trossman, Jon Spreckelson, Isaac Trossman 4 Matt Geisen (Pictured from left to right) We always welcome new people

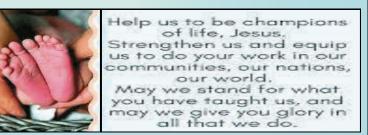
MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP "SAINTS IN THE MAKING"

Our next Youth Group will be Fri., Feb. 3rd from 3pm-5pm. Our next Bible Study will be Mon., Jan. 23rd from 3pm-5pm. If you are interested eq need help with a ride, please let Beth Geis know & she can help get you to St. Louis from Batesville.



MISSION TRIP Our next Mission Trip meeting will be on Sun, January 22nd from

4:30pm-6:30pm @ St. Louis.



Remember to SAVE those Aluminum Cans!

Aluminum Cans ONLY Please. Please deposit them in the Wire Bins located on the South side of the Church Parking lot. Thank you! PLEASE PLACE CANS IN A BAG BEFORE DEPOSITING THEM IN THE BIN! NO LOOSE CANS.







