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MASS SCHEDULE

<u>Weekend</u> Monday-Friday at 8:00 am Saturday at 5:30 pm Sunday at 8:00 & 10:00 am 3rd Sunday at St. Mary of the Rock at 11 am <u>Holy Days</u> Check the Bulletin for Mass Times

VIRTUAL MASS SCHEDULE

LIVE on Saturdays at 5:30pm on our Facebook page A link is available on our website from livestream 'til next Mass.

FIRST FRIDAY

ADORATION & BENEDICTION

First Friday of the month after Daily Mass - 7pm Main body of Holy Family Church

ADORATION

Monday-Friday 9am-9pm St. Anne's Chapel located by the East side entrance.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday - Friday from 7:15am-7:45am Saturdays from 4:30pm - 5:30pm Sundays 7am-8am & 9am-10am

A Franciscan Parish for 158 years! • January 19, 2025 • Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Family Parish



You have kept the good wine until now... (John 2:10)

In the Gospel according to John, Jesus' miracles are always called "signs," because they point to or reveal His divinity and the power of the Kingdom breaking into the world. These signs are Jesus raising Lazarus from the dead; walking on water; feeding the multitude with a few loaves and fish; healing the blind, the lame, and the near dead; and...turning water into wine. Compared to the other signs, that last one can seem so mundane, so trivial, even like a magic trick. But, of course, it's not.

Because they are signs, these miracles all have significance deeper than the surface facts. In the case of water turning into

wine, we have to understand what a wedding and wine signify in Israel's prophetic tradition. In our first reading this week, Isaiah declares: "As a young man marries a virgin, your Builder will marry you; and as a bridegroom rejoices in his bride, so shall your God rejoice in you." In many other places in the Old Testament, the relationship between God and His people is likened to a marriage. This metaphor carries over into the New Testament. In the Book of Revelation, for example, we find the Church as the bride in "the wedding feast of the Lamb" (19:7-9). And Jesus often compares the Kingdom of God to a wedding banquet. So, it's significant that Jesus' first "sign" occurs at a wedding banquet. Jesus at a wedding banquet signifies that He has come to establish the longed-for Kingdom, in which God and His people will celebrate their full reconciliation.

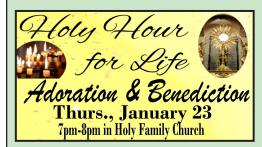
What about the wine? In the prophets we also find images of God's reign as a rich feast with an abundance of wine (Isaiah 5:6). The prophet Joel even tells us that one day "the mountains will drip new wine" (4:18). Jesus turns *a lot* of water into wine (180 gallons!!!), a

sign not only of His divine power but also of the incredible generosity and joy to be found in the Kingdom Jesus has come inaugurate. The promise of Christmas Day begins to unfold in the life and ministry of Jesus, Who has come to bring not just abundant wine, but abundant, eternal, joyful life for all who want it.

Congratulations, Payson Jon!

Payson Jon, son of Jennifer and Nick Schutte, was baptized here at Holy Family church on January 12 at the 10:00 Mass. Let's all welcome our brother in Christ, Payson Jon, to the household of God. Alleluia!





National and Local Holy Hour for Life

On January 23 and January 24, Catholics across the country will once again observe a nationwide prayer vigil to pray for an end to abortion and a greater respect for all human life. The Opening Mass will take place at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception at 5:00 PM on Thursday, January 23. After the

Mass, there will be a National Holy Hour for Life. Please join us here at Holy Family Church at 7:00 PM on Thursday as we pray our own Holy Hour for Life with those around the nation. The national events will be broadcast on various Catholic networks and will be livestreamed on the Basilica's website at www.nationalshrine.org/mass.

RUMMAGE SALE Upcoming Oldenburg Knights of St. John Sausage & Pancake Breakfast **Collection/Sorting Dates** January 19 - 7am-Noon **JANUARY Collection Date:** January 21, 2025 **Holy Family Cafeteria FEBRUARY Collection Dates:** Join us for whole hog sausage, pancakes, biscuits & gravy, February 4, 2025 scrambled eggs, fried apples, sweet rolls, fruit, drinks! Dine-in or Carry out available. FREE WILL OFFERING! February 18, 2025, Proceeds benefit Tri-County Council for Special People, Inc., Society of St. Vincent de Paul, & many other local & regional charities & organizations Collection times are 6pm-7:30pm Please use **FRONT** entrance of school. Must bring **Chamber Music Concert** items to sorting room INSIDE building. by Duo Mente Secular Franciscan Meeting Saturday, February 8 at 7pm **COME & SEE** Holy Family Church Sun., January 19th 2pm @ Meadowbrook Apartments Please join us for an evening of chamber All are welcome! Come & See what we are all about! music for violin and piano. Duo Mente violinist Dan Qiao and pianist Meng Yuan -FREE blood pressure will present a selection of classical pieces checks after all Mass and new works by contemporary composers. January 25th & 26th No admission fee – donations accepted in the bride's room at the to support the musicians back of church. 8:00am to 3:30pm AST HURRAH EAST CENTRAL **8%**8 **HIGH SCHOOL** licholas **10TH ANNUAL** PERFORMING **ARTS CENTER** E6 CATHOI

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Craig Pohl

Fr. Jonathan

Last dance before demolition! Jimmy Buffet / Margaritaville Style! CRB SATURDAY 6:00PM-& DJ FELLER FEB 1, 2025 11:30PM 11:30PM

TICKETS: \$25 EACH ALL PROCEDES GO TO ST. NICHOLAS HERITAGE PROJECT FOR PHASE II TO PURCHASE TICKETS EMAIL SCHOOLOFFICE@STNICHOLAS-SUNMAN.ORG OR CALL 812-623-2348

20 SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



WWW.E6CATHOLICMENSCONFERENCE.COM YOU'RE INVITED! Enjoy preferred group seating and a discounted ticket for this year's E6 Catholic Men's Conference on Sat., February 22nd, 8am -3:30pm, doors open at 6:30am - meals provided. It's spiritual open heart surgery - come and see! No one has been promised tomorrow! To join our group email or text James @ jdickey@etczone.com or 812-212-8799."

FEBRUARY

Saturday

2025

St. Nicholas-Healing the Whole Person Retreat

With Fr. Jerry Bryd & Fr. Shaun Whittington @ St. Nicholas Church, Sunman When: Sundays 1pm-5pm February 9th, 16th, 23rd, and March 2nd

Each session will have a talk, a short break, a second talk, & then end with prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. For more info. & registration, please visit https://stnicholas-sunman.org/healing-the-whole-person

Register Here SCAN ME

MEN'S CONFERENCE

Keynote speaker

Chris Stefanick

Pul on the Armor of God so that you may be able to

stand firm against the tactics of the devil. ~Ephesians 6.11



Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 18 5:30pm † Jerry Lamping Sunday, January 19 8:00 am Members of the Parish 10:00 am † Daniel Flodder 11:00 am † Elmer Jansing (SMR) Monday, January 20 8:00 am † Joan Tillar Tuesday, January 21 8:00 am † Phyllis Bryan Wed, January 22 8:00 am † Herman Suttman Thurs, January 23 8:00 am † Irene Peck Friday, January 24 8:00 am † Millie Cutter Saturday, January 25 5:30pm † Cletus Tekulve Sunday, January 26 8:00 am † Bill Amberger 10:00 am Members of the Parish

OFFERING AN ACT OF WORSHIP

Solemnity of Mary Collection		
Envelope Collection	\$1,841.00	
Loose	\$1,597.60	
Total	\$3,438.60	

January 12th Sunday Collection		
Envelope Collection	\$6,314.25	
Loose	\$1,869.00	
Total	\$8,183.25	
Budget	\$7,692.31	
ABOVE Budget	\$290.94	

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

Heating Cost



Info & envelopes can be found on the bulletin board in the center vestibule. An information/donation link is available on our website.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Patrick Schene Diane Raver Ben Batta Rita Batta Rita Brockman Rory Biltz Russell Wagner Tim Wurtz Logan Nicholas Doll Melanie Jones Dave Amberger Doty Amberger Tina Cohill Connie Alisa Doll Terry Duncan

Beth Fasbinder Rick Flodder Marvin Gehring Tony Gorball Lisa Haessig Jean Ham Dennis Harmeyer Sylva Havens Becky Horstman Dale Kuntz Eugene Laker Beth Lamping Jim Lamping Jr. Todd Leising Gary Lewis Rita Litzinger Carlos Luken Carolyn Meyer

Sandy Meyer Keith Milligan Layla Mulcahy Shane Neal Bobby Patterson Gary Payne Tami Peters Corey Peters Jeanne Phillips Bill Pierce Anna Mae Raver Clare Ronnebaum Ruth Ronnebaum Donn Salladay Carolyn Scheele Wilfrid Scheele Leah Schornick Pat Schrank

Ellen Siebert Alma Simmermeyer Ruth Ann Starost Paul Strassel Carol Strassel Steve Suding Terri Jo Thompson Wesley Neil Thompson Jen Tucker Dan Wagner Mattie Wagner Rick Wilhelm Tom Wilson and all our nursing home & homebound parishioners. January 19, 2025

2025 Capital Improvement Projects/Expenses to Date

Project	Cost	Description
4 Stage carts and Roller	\$ (2,800.00)	Rollers for tables stored under the stage to get them in and out
Camera System	\$ (2,000.00)	Update the security cameras & ensure each outside door is covered
Grout needs fixed on Church		Need to get a quote on this one.
Bedroom & Bathroom Redone in Friary	\$ (8,000.00)	Replace shower & recarpet bedroom, paint and dry wall
Total 2025 Projects to Date	(\$12,800.00)	
Remaining Donations left from 2024	\$4,169.00	
Donations from 2025	\$5,000.00	
Total Deficit for 2025 Projects	(\$3,631.00)	

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 19, 2025



Sunday: Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-3, 7-10 (3)/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11 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 & 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 & 10-14/Mk 3:13-19 Saturday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Mk 16:15-18 Next Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8-10, 15/ 1 Cor 12:12-30/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Criterion Newspaper is the weekly

Catholic newspaper delivered to your home. The Archdiocese of Indianapolis wants every



parishioner to have the opportunity to receive this Catholic newspaper.

If each parishioner could pay the subscription cost of \$18/year, this would help out tremendously!

Envelopes for this can be found in your weekly contribution packets.



Thanks to all that donate non-perishable items or money for the Batesville Food Pantry. We will continue our Second Sunday Collections and look forward to helping those who are hungry. Donations welcome anytime



Liturgical Ministry Schedule

<u>USHERS for January</u> <u>5:30pm</u>: Marvin Wissel, Bill Beetz & Paul Brockman <u>8:00am</u>: Tom Honnert, Louis Giesting & Jason Honnert - <u>10:00am</u>: Mike Baumer, Bill Starost & Jacob Starost

USHERS for February5:30pm: Herbert Moorman, Brad Nobbe & Martin Brockman8:00am:Eric Heppner, Rick Hoff & Bill Hoff - 10:00am:Tim Ryker, Roger Collins & Ken Enneking

January 18th & January 19th

Servers:

5:30pm Kenzi Froehling & Greyson Farmer 8:00am Luke Raver & Kiersten Kreuzman 10:00am Nolan Wanstrath & Emma Robben

Lector: 5:30pm Paul Brockman 8:00am Angie Kelly

10:00am Gus Robben

Eucharistic Ministers:

51268:00am Deann Kaiser, Eric Heppner, Christy Honnert, Karen Trenkamp & Dorothy Ziegler

10:00am AJ Strassell, Carol Dobson, Tina Duncan, Wendy Havens & Julia Heidlage

<u>Music:</u>

5:30pm Bryce & Shannon Mullins 8:00am Parish Choir 10:00am Leon Enneking, Tim Volz, Carol Roell & Kim Brockman

January 25th & January 26th

Servers:

5:30pm Annie Patterson & Aubrey Kruthaupt 8:00am Leo Spreckelson & Henry Giesting 10:00am Jonah Trossman & Adelynn Kruthaupt Lector: 5:30pm Toni Cummings

8:00am Shannon Munchel 10:00am Wendy Havens

Eucharistic Ministers:

5:30pm Tom Meyer, Karen Patterson, Will Patterson, Carla Enzinger & Maureen Grote **8:00am** Cathy Kaiser, Deanna Raver, Jon Spreckelson, Kris Baumer & Theresa Boyce **10:00am** Dave Rieman, Teri Rieman, Jenny Ilderton, Melissa Jacobs & Kay Pulskamp

Music:

5:30pm Leon Enneking, Tim Volz, Carol Roell & Kim Brockman
8:00am Jayne Enneking
10:00am Bryce & Shannon Mullins

February 1st & February 2nd Servers:

5:30pm George Jelinek & Makynze Borgman 8:00am Blaise Mullens & Kiersten Kreuzman 10:00am Heidi Werner & Abe Trossman Lector:

5:30pm Mary Gehring 8:00am Angie Harmeyer 10:00am Paul Brockman

Eucharistic Ministers:

5:30pm Elaine Hawkes, Lisa Oldham, Michael Irvin, Carla Enzinger & Tom Meyer 8:00am Jeff Paul, Teresa Merkel, Dennis Moeller, Christy Honnert & Karen Trenkamp 10:00am Allen Raab, Brandy Starost, Jacob Starost, Ryan Tekulve & Beth Geis

Music:

5:30pm Parish Choir 8:00am Matt Trossman 10:00am Leon Enneking, Tim Volz, Carol Roell & Kim Brockman



COME & SPEND MORE TIME IN THE PRESENCE of the LORD, our SAVIOR Monday – Friday 9am-9pm in the St. Anne's Chapel.

If you would like to sub when needed, PLEASE join our GroupMe Chat. You will then receive text messages for times when a sub is needed. If interested to be added to the Chat OR help with an hour, please contact Dustin Walke at 317-691-5209 or walkedustin@gmail.com.

BATESVILLE PREGNANCY HOTLINE OF ISOLATION INCOMPANY ADDATES IN THE PREGNANCY HOTLINE PREGNANCY HOTLINE DID YOU KNOW... Abortion harms women. The pro-life group Heartbeats surveyed women who previously had an abortion. 82% reported intense feelings of loneliness or isolation. 53% increased or began using drugs &/or alcohol to deaden the pain. 28% attempted suicide. The Batesville Pregnancy Hotline also offers one on one peer counseling & can provide more information on any of these options. Free and confidential help is available! Batesville's pregnancy hotline mission is to help mothers in difficult situations. If you need help or know a mother needing help,

please call 812-934-5116, go to <u>www.batesvillecph.org</u>, or search for Batesville Pregnancy Hotline on Facebook & also reachable at FB Messenger.



ST. NICHOLAS EUCHARISTIC HEALING SERVICE Join Fr. Shaun Whittington for a Eucharistic Healing Service on **Tues. January 21st** at St. Nicholas Catholic Church in Sunman, IN. Confessions 6:20,8:20pm; project 8, worship

Confessions 6:30-8:30pm; praise & worship music begins at 6:45; and the service at 7:00 p.m. Personal prayer will be offered.

HOLY FAMILY VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

CONTACTS: CATECHIST or RUMMAGE SALE: Beth Geis: at 812-932-3045 or holyfamilybeth@gmail.com TURTLE SOUP: Dorothy Ziegler @ 812-212-0414 MASS MINISTRIES: Toni Cummings @tdcummings96@gmail.com or 812-932-3046 -FESTIVAL or CHURCH LINEN SERVICES: Cheryl Borgman @ 812-934-3015 or holyfamilycheryl@gmail.com CARING COMMITTEE: Carol Dobson @ 812-212-3582 BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE: Marcia Bischoff @ 812-871-4872 NEED A PLACE FOR FAMILY GATHERINGS? WE CAN HELP. LOCATIONS & DATES AVAILABLE

Holy Family Cafeteria &/or Gym OR St. Mary of the Rock Hall & Shelter Call Cheryl Borgman @ 812-934-3013 Opt.2

Religious Education/Youth Ministry Page

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

 1st - 8th Grade Religious Education - The next class will be Wed. January 22nd from 6:30pm-7:30pm.
 Preschool/Kindergarten Religious Education Class Next Class is on January 19th again from 9:45am-11:00am.



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

There will be a Server Training **January 22nd at** 6:30pm for students in 5th, 6th, 7th ↓ 8th grade who already serve <u>AND</u> those interested in serving. Please meet Father John ↓ Diane Tekulve in the Church.

FORMED OF THE WEEK: THE ADVENTURES OF OCIEE

NASH - Need a fun movie to watch during these cold winter days? Based on Milam McGraw Propst's awardwinning novel, A Flower Blooms on Charlotte Street. The Adventures of Ociee Nash is a delightful and inspriing film you won't soon forget! Although



nine-year-old Ociee loves roaming Mississippi's 1898 rural landscape, her widower fatherr feels that Ociee lacks a role model to help her become a "young lady". So, Ociee boards a train to North Carolina, to be raised by her Aunt Mamie. Although Ociee meets heroes like the Wright Brothers & the U.S. President, she ultimately proves that she, too, is Capable of greatness in this heartwarming, rewarding film the whole family will enjoy.

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



John D. Kelley Vocations Essay Contest

The Serra Club of Indianapolis is sponsoring its 2025 annual vocations essay contest. It is open to any Catholic student in grades 7 through 12 in parochial, public or homeschool systems in the Archdiocese of Indianapolis.

The theme and question for this year's contest is:

<u>Theme:</u> The Holy Father has announced that 2025 is a Jubilee Year, a special occasion which happens every 25 years. The celebration begins on Christmas Eve, December 24, 2024, and concludes on January 6, 2026, on the Feast of the Epiphany. The theme for this Jubilee Year is "Pilgrims of Hope".

<u>Question:</u> How has a priest or consecrated person encouraged you to seek God? How does pursuing a vocation bring hope into your life? And how are you preparing to know where God is calling you to build up his kingdom with your God-given talents?

For more details and an essay submission form, contact your school religion teacher, REP instructor, or parish catechist/youth minister. Information is also available from the Office of Vocations at vocations@archindy.org

Submitted essays must be postmarked no later than Friday, March 7, 2025.



TEAM JESUS YOUTH GROUP (HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP): High School Youth Group is Sun., Feb. 2nd, from 5:30-7:30pm @ the St. Louis Youth Center. More details to Come in the future!

Join your peers every Wednesday morning for High School Bible Study at the Youth Center 7:07-7:37 AM. Smoothies, Coffee, Hot Chocolate and Snacks provided.

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP: The next youth group is THIS Fri., Feb. 7th from 3-5pm at the St. Louis Youth Center.

MIDDLE SCHOOL BIBLE STUDY: Middle School Bible Study is THIS Mon. Jan. 13th at the St. Louis Youth Center. If you are interested in joining us, please contact Beth Geis.

If you need any help getting your Child from the Middle School to the Youth Center, please contact me & we will be willing to help figure something out.

TRIFORCE MISSION TRIP: This year, the group is going to East Bank, West Virginia July 6-12th, 2025. The next meeting is **Feb. 15th** from 4:30-5:30pm in the youth Center at St. Louis.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

next session is Jan. 22nd from 6:30pm-7:30pm in the Parish Library (located up the stone stairs across from Oldenburg firehouse.) "The Pilgrimage of Hope" will be our next topic with Fr. E.J. Stein. Hope is the theme for this Jubilee

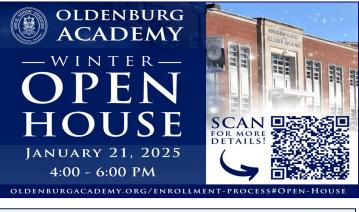


Year. Come to any session you can! We hope to see you there!



<u>BAPTISM</u>: 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. Phone #: (812)-934-3013 ext 3 or **E-mail**:<u>holyfamilybeth@gmail.com</u>





St. Nicholas School Open House

Tues., January 28th 5:30-7:00pm.

Meet our staff and tour our school. Start your child's journey to becoming a Saint & Scholar! For more information, call the School Office at 812-623-2348 or email schooloffice@stnicholas-sunman.org.