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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend

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

Holy Days

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 **Beth Geis** to arrange a Baptism

holyfamilybeth@gmail.com/

812-934-3013 (ext. 125)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

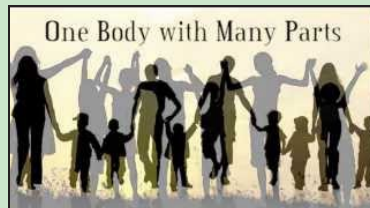
Monday - Friday from 7:15am-7:45am

Saturdays from 4:30pm - 5:30pm

Sundays 7am-8am & 9am-10am

A Franciscan Parish for 158 years! • January 26, 2025 • Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Family Parish



One Body with Many Parts

The eye cannot say to the hand, "I do not need you..." (1 Cor 12:21)

The Christian life is not meant to be lived alone. It *can't* be lived alone. Christians are members of the Church, the family of God. Today Saint Paul reminds us that the Church is also a single body, the body of Christ. It is this

one body, formed by one Spirit, that gives the one Church – throughout time and space – its unity. The bond that holds us together is the Spirit, who is Love. Christ prayed that we all would be one in this love (John 17:21). At the sign of peace in the Mass, we pray that Christ, who came to give us His peace, will graciously grant us "peace and unity." Without this unity, there is no Church.

This one body contains many parts – each one of us – who are different reflections of the one, infinite Word-made-flesh. The body of Christ needs those differences, just as a human body needs different parts to be alive and healthy. We heard last week about spiritual gifts that each of us receive in Baptism. Those gifts, plus many natural gifts, contribute so much to the Church and to the world that we can't do without them. "The eye cannot say to the hand, 'I do not need you.'" We need each other, and we need to be working together as members of Christ's body. When one part of the body suffers – spiritually, especially – the whole body suffers with it. This is one reason we must "have the same concern for one another" and pray for one another. When you are spiritually healthy, I benefit. When I am spiritually sick, you suffer, even if you do not realize it.

God has given you gifts. Which ones will you use to benefit the body of Christ? What do you think God is calling you to share to keep the whole body strong, vibrant, and alive in the world? To help us worship well, to serve others, to heal, encourage, teach? Have you thought about it? If not, ask the Holy Spirit this week to help you discover what gifts He wants you to bring to the body. You, and all of us, will be better for it.

Congratulations, Wilbur Paul!

Wilbur Paul, son of Caroline and Gavin O'Gara, was baptized at St. Mary of the Rock on January 19 at the 11:00 Mass. Let's all welcome our brother in Christ, Wilbur Paul, to the household of God. Alleluia!



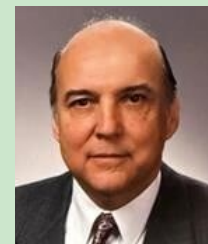
Advent Haiti Outreach Thank You

Congratulations and thanks to the parishioners of Holy Family Parish – we raised \$6,650 for the people of Haiti for our Advent outreach project. This money will allow many families to have a proper home and a good education for their children.



Please Pray for the Families of Anna Mae Raver and Thomas Hellmich

On Wednesday, January 22, our sister Anna Mae (Vogel) Raver was laid to rest at Holy Family Cemetery after a Mass of Christian Burial at Holy Family church. On Friday, January 24, our brother Thomas Hellmich was laid to rest at St. Louis



Cemetery after a funeral Mass at the Sisters' Chapel. Please take a moment to pray for Anna Mae and Thomas: *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.* Please pray also that the Lord will console their families and friends who will miss them.

- Fr. John

RUMMAGE SALE Upcoming Collection/Sorting Dates

FEBRUARY Collection Dates:

February 4 from 6pm-7:30pm

February 18 from 6pm-7:30pm

March Collection Date:

March 4, 2025 from 6pm-7:30pm

March 15, 2025 from 9am-Noon

Please use **FRONT** entrance of school. Must bring items to sorting room **INSIDE** building.

LAST HURRAH IN St. Nicholas Gym

Last dance before demolition!
Jimmy Buffet / Margaritaville Style!

CRB & DJ FELLER | **SATURDAY FEB 1, 2025** | **6:00PM-11:30PM**

TICKETS: \$25 EACH

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO ST. NICHOLAS HERITAGE PROJECT FOR PHASE II
TO PURCHASE TICKETS EMAIL SCHOOLOFFICE@STNICHOLAS-SUNMAN.ORG OR CALL 812-623-2348

BYOB | **Costume Contest**

St. Nicholas Food Truck (cash only) | **Silent basket auction**




Daughters of Isabella
MEETING MON, February 4th at the Hall of the Knights of Columbus at 7pm.



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
CATHOLIC CHURCH
MILLHOUSE, INDIANA



The 14 Stations of the Eucharist

Why Do You Attend Mass?

Thursday, February 6th at 6:45 PM



Speaker: Fr. Jonathan Meyer
Pastor in Solidum: All Saints, St. Lawrence,
St. Mary, St. Teresa; Dearborn County

National Eucharistic Preacher



Chamber Music Concert by Duo Mente

Saturday, February 8 at 7pm
Holy Family Church

Please join us for an evening of chamber music for violin and piano. Duo Mente – violinist Dan Qiao and pianist Meng Yuan – will present a selection of classical pieces and new works by contemporary composers.

No admission fee – donations accepted to support the musicians

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



FREE blood pressure checks after all Mass THIS WEEKEND in the bride's room at the back of church.

8:00AM TO 3:30PM

EAST CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

35 minutes NW of Cincy
60 minutes SE of Indy
1 Trojan Place, St. Leon, IN 47022



Bobby Angel



Craig Pohl



Jake Khym



Fr. Jonathan Meyer



10TH ANNUAL E6 CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

22 FEBRUARY
Saturday 2025

Keynote speaker
Chris Stefanick

Put on the Armor of God so that you may be able to stand firm against the tactics of the devil. ~Ephesians 6.11

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."

Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 25

5:30pm † Cletus Tekulve

Sunday, January 26

8:00 am † Bill Amberger

10:00 am Members of the Parish

Monday, January 27

8:00 am † Todd & Chris Schoettelkotte

Tuesday, January 28

8:00 am † Karen Rupp

Wed, January 29

8:00 am † Eugene J. Galle

Thurs, January 30

8:00 am † Edith 'Eydie' Lamping

Friday, January 31

8:00 am † Brenda Suttman

Saturday, February 1

5:30pm † Living & Deceased members of the John & Rose Bedel Family

Sunday, February 2

8:00 am † Dave Rehberger

10:00 am Members of the Parish

If you would like a Mass offered for a loved one who has passed on or as a special intention for someone in your life, please contact

Toni Cummings at

tdcumings96@gmail.com or 812-932-3046

Mass intentions are \$10/Mass.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Joe Moll
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 Gorbali
Lisa Haessig
Jean Ham
Dennis Harmeyer
Silva 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 26, 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)	

OFFERING AN ACT OF WORSHIP

January 19th Sunday Collection

Envelope Collection.....\$6,900.50

Loose.....\$1,307.00

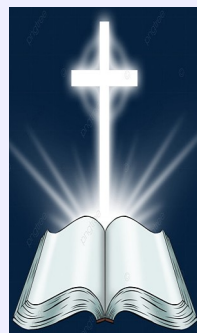
Total.....\$8,207.50

Budget.....\$7,692.31

ABOVE Budget.....\$515.19

Special Parish **JANUARY** Collection:

Heating Cost



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 26, 2025

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

Monday: Heb 9:15, 24-28/Ps 98:1-6/Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday: Heb 10:1-10/Ps 40:2 & 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11/Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday: Heb 10:11-18/Ps 110:1-4/Mk 4:1-20

Thursday: Heb 10:19-25/Ps 24:1-4ab, 5-6/Mk 4:21-25

Friday: Heb 10:32-39/Ps 37:3-6, 23-24, 39-40/Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Lk 1:69-75/Mk 4:35-41

Next Sunday: Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Ps 24:7-10/Lk 2:22-40

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.



BATESVILLE
PREGNANCY HOTLINE

DID YOU KNOW... There is no such thing as a safe

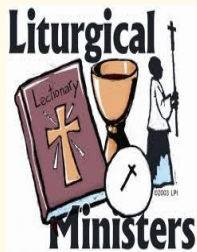
abortion, since at least one human being dies in each abortion. It is impossible to make abortion "safe, legal, and rare". The Batesville Pregnancy Hotline also offers one on one peer counseling & can provide more

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 www.batesvillecph.org, or search for Batesville Pregnancy Hotline on Facebook & also reachable at FB Messenger.



Info & envelopes can be found on the bulletin board in the center vestibule.

An information/donation link is available on our website.



Liturgical Ministry Schedule

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

USHERS for February 5:30pm: Herbert Moorman, Brad Nobbe & Martin Brockman
8:00am: Eric Heppner, Rick Hoff & Bill Hoff - **10:00am:** Tim Ryker, Roger Collins & Ken Enneking

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 Alice Austin
8:00am Nolan Wanstrath
10:00am Halle Meyer

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

February 8th & February 9th

Servers:

5:30pm Annabelle Eckstein & Jason Kaiser
8:00am Luke Raver & Leo Spreckelson
10:00am Annie Harmeyer & Gus Flaspohler

Lector:

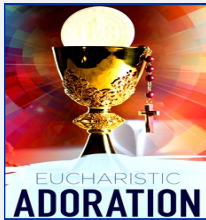
5:30pm Toni Cummings
8:00am Shannon Munchel
10:00am Carol Dobson

Eucharistic Ministers:

5:30pm Jay Pfeiffer, Connie Chaffee, Eddie Obermeyer, Maureen Grote & Dan Eckstein
8:00am Dorothy Ziegler, Cathy Kaiser, Deanna Raver, Jon Spreckelson & Isaac Trossman
10:00am Carol Dobson, Tina Duncan, Wendy Havens, Julia Heidlage & AJ Strassell

Music:

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



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.



Please welcome
**Paige Gindling
 & John
 Gerstbauer**

to Holy Family Parish



Young adult men's group every third
 Tuesday of the month.

First meeting

Tues., February 18th at 7:30pm.

The group welcomes young men who are single
 or married with or without young children.

Call, text, or email Stephen Janssen to sign up or for more details.

Phone: 317-502-9524 Email: smjanssen08@gmail.com

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:

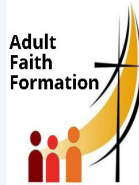
1st – 8th Grade Religious Education - The next class will be **Wed. January 29th from 6:30pm-7:30pm.**

There will be a **parent/student Confirmation Meeting** in the Cafeteria for **7th grade parents.**

Preschool/Kindergarten Religious Education Class
Next Class is on **January 26th** again from 9:45am-11:00am.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

next session is **Jan. 29th from 6:30pm-7:30pm in the Parish Library** (located up the stone stairs across from Oldenburg firehouse.) **The book of Psalms will be our next topic!** with **Fr. E.J. Stein.** Come to any session you can! We hope to see you there!



FORMED® PICK OF THE WEEK

FORMED OF THE WEEK: Jubilee: 700 Years Seeking Forgiveness Travel with some of the great experts and cultural leaders of the Church to the four Basilicas in Rome, where pilgrims have visited for centuries. Join the experts as they teach us how each of the four Holy Doors has something to teach us about the Jubilee Year. The documentary focuses especially on the main Jubilee of the Church's history, the Great Jubilee of the Year 2000. Joaquin Novarro-Valls, who was the spokesman for Pope John Paul II, gives firsthand details and fresh insight about this great celebration.



YOUTH GROUP

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.** Come for some Catholic Skits & a Lip Sync Battle.

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. 16th** from 4:30-5:30pm in the youth center at St. Louis.



FRESH SOUP'N SUBS: Super Bowl Weekend! Our Soup & Sub fundraiser is a fan favorite. Subs are overflowing with ingredients and made fresh to order, paired with St. Louis Parish's famous mock turtle soup! This year, we will be selling our Soup & Subs on Super Bowl Sunday, so you can have more time to watch the game! You can order online @ <https://www.triforcemissionteam.org/events> or there are forms in the back vestibule of Church!

The Royal Ball AND PIRATE COVE

ROYAL BALL & PIRATE COVE:

Tickets are on Sale now!! Sunday, March 30th @ the St. Louis School Activity Center. Early Event 12:30-2:00 PM & Late Event 3:00-4:30 PM. Please go to <https://www.triforcemissionteam.org/event-details/royal-ball-and-pirate-cove-early-event>



TURTLE SOUP PREPPERS We need Peelers, Dicers & Preppers on **January 30th anytime after 8am Mass.** Join us at the Soup Kitchen for **FUN & fellowship** while preparing our delicious Turtle Soup. Any questions, call Dorothy Ziegler at 812-212-0414.



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

Religious Education

TURTLE SOUP SALE

Available February 6th UNTIL SOLD OUT!

AT THE VILLAGE STORE

IN OLDENBURG, IN

Stop & get it while it lasts!

3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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



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.