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# St. Ambrose and St. Mary

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Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Lord:

Recently Pope Francis resumed his catechesis on why we ought to go to Mass on Sunday. I would like to share with you some of his thoughts. The Pope stated: “The Sunday celebration of the Eucharist is at the heart of the Church’s life (see the Catechism of the Catholic Church, n. 2177). We Christians go to Sunday Mass to encounter the Risen Lord, or better still to allow ourselves to be encountered by Him, to hear His Word, to nourish ourselves at His Table, and thus to become the Church, that is, His Mystical Living Body in the world....Jesus’ disciples understood this. They celebrated the Eucharistic encounter with the Lord on the day of the week that the Hebrews called ‘the first of the week’ and the Romans called ‘the day of the sun,’ because on that day Jesus rose from the dead and appeared to the disciples, speaking with them, eating with them, giving them the Holy Spirit (see Mt. 28:1; Mk 16:9; Lk. 24:1 and Jn. 20:1)...It is the Mass that makes Sunday Christian.”

“...The Eucharist is our guide, Sunday after Sunday. For this reason the Second Vatican Council wished to emphasize that Sunday ‘is the original feast day, and it should be proposed to the piety of the faithful and taught to them so that it may become in fact a day of joy and of freedom from work.’ (Constitution of the Church, c.106)

....It was the Christian awareness of living as children and not as slaves, inspired by the Eucharist, which made Sunday—almost universally—the day of rest.”

“Without Christ we are condemned to be dominated by everyday weariness, with its worries, and by fear of the future. The Sunday encounter with the Lord gives us the strength to experience the present with confidence and courage, and to go forth with hope....Eucharistic communion with Jesus, Risen and ever-Living, anticipates the Sunday without sunset, when there will be no more weariness nor pain, nor sorrow nor tears, but only the joy of living fully and forever with the Lord....We do not go to Mass in order to give something to God, but to receive what we truly need from Him....We Christians need to participate in Sunday Mass because only with Jesus’ grace, with His living Presence within us and among us, can we put His commandments into practice, and thus be His credible witnesses.”

I cannot improve upon that teaching one bit.  
Peace be with you, Monsignor

## Parish Information

	<b>Monday</b> 1/8/2018	<b>Tuesday</b> 1/9/2018	<b>Wednesday</b> 1/10/2018	<b>Thursday</b> 1/11/2018	<b>Friday</b> 1/12/2018	<b>Saturday</b> 1/13/2018
<b>St. Mary</b>	8:00 AM Rita Ambrose	NO MASS	NO MASS	8:10 AM Poor Souls	NO Mass	2:30-3:30 Confessions
<b>St. Ambrose</b>	8:00 AM Rosemary McVey	8:00 AM Fr. Edward Dhondt	8:00 AM Charles Graybill	8:00 AM Suzann O'Connor	8:10 AM Jesse Backous	4:00-5:00 Confessions
<b>Other Locations</b>			St. Vincent Hospital 11:30 Intentions of Betty Brownfield		10:30 AM Keystone Woods  Dr. Mark Stinson	

## Liturgical Ministers Schedule

<b>Jan. 13th &amp; 14th</b>	<b>Sat. 4:00 PM</b> <b>St. Mary</b>	<b>Sat. 5:30 PM</b> <b>St. Ambrose</b>	<b>Sun. 7:30 AM</b> <b>St. Mary</b>	<b>Sun. 9:30 AM</b> <b>St. Ambrose</b>	<b>Sun. 11:30 AM</b> <b>St. Mary</b>
<b>Mass Intentions</b>	Robert Adams	Pro Populo	Beata Susanne Brovich	Kelson Lineberry	Jonathan Norris
<b>Reader</b>	Allen Raver	Janice Martin	Becky Hull	Rick Pitts	Juan Briones
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Tom Hodson Cheryl Hodson Ron Adams Jan Adams Pam Wickens H	Dan Novak H Nate Bell Marian Dykes Mark Loose Harriett Russel	Irv Noll Volunteers Joe Lambert H	Pat Backous H Roger Kemp H Rosie Graybill Mary Lamper Henry Lamper Angie Pitts	Maria Arreola Rosa Fisher Virginia Ramirez Daniel Flores David Kroll H
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## PARISH COMMUNITY NEWS



<u>Stewardship</u>	
<b>St. Ambrose</b>	\$ 22,546
YTD	\$ 473,739
NTD	\$ 676,000
<b>ST. Mary</b>	\$ 46,009
YTD	\$ 568,969
NTD	\$ 936,000
Renovation Fund	\$ 76,884 of 1st \$330,000

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**On Line Giving— visit us at the following:**

St. Ambrose—[https:// www.osvonlinegiving.com/272](https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/272)

St. Mary—<https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/13>

### **Dates To Remember**

January 13th- Knights of Columbus chicken fry 5-7:30 PM

January 20th- Community Care Day at Holy Cross North Campus

**ENL:** Classes are cancelled for the month of January. Classes will resume on Tuesday, February 6th, in the Holy Cross North School Annex from 9:30-11:15 AM. Happy New Year!

### **Job Opportunity**

Anyone interested in a part-time secretarial job at St. Mary Rectory M-F 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, bi-lingual preferred. Please call Harriett Russel at 644-5956 or 644-8467.

**Year End Contributions:** We will accept contributions at both St. Ambrose and St. Mary until January 8th. All checks **MUST** be dated December 31st 2017.

### **That Man Is You (TMIY)**

Our meetings are at the Columbian Hall on Main Street (behind the Toast). Breakfast is at 6:00 AM, presentation at 6:15, Small group discussion at 6:45. Dismissal at 7:15. You can call Mike Evans at (765) 602-0306 for more information.

Session 14- St. Joseph: January 13th meeting “The Heart of a Father”

- Natural Formation and Virtue
- Home at Nazareth
- St. Joseph’s Relationship with God
- St. Joseph as the Spouse of Mary
- The Pathway of Mercy
- The Start of the Christian Home
- The Birth of the Church

## **Eucharistic Adoration**

**St. Mary Adoration** is on Thursdays from 2:00 PM to 7:00 PM

**Santa Maria Adoración** es el jueves de 14:00-19:00 PM

## **Need Prayer Intentions**

Parishioners of St. Ambrose and St. Mary will pray for you and your special intentions.

Call Betty Worden (642-0824). You do not have to give your name. Call Betty if you can help with the prayer line.

## **Weekly Scriptures:**

**Sun.** Is 60:1-6, Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6, Mt 2:1-12; **Mon.** Is 42:1-4, 6-7, Mk 1:7-11, Mk 1:7-11; **Tues.** 1 Sm 1:9-20, 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8, Mk 1:21-28; **Wed.** 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20, Mk 1:29-39; **Thurs.** 1 Sm 4:1-11, Mk 1:40-45; **Fri.** 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a, Mk 2:1-12; **Sat.** 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a, Mk 2:13-17

## **Hospice Volunteers: Helping People Live**

Care Hospice Services is in need of caring, compassionate people who are interested in volunteering their time and talents. Whether it's providing companionship to a person in the final months and weeks of life, offering support to family members and caregivers, or possibly helping with projects in the office, volunteers are essential to our hospice program. Volunteers are the HEART of Hospice. By being a hospice volunteer, you can gain great personal satisfaction from knowing that you have made an impact in another person's life. All volunteers receive training to ensure they feel comfortable with their tasks. If you have an interest or would like more information about volunteering with Care Hospice Services please contact Francis at 317-214-9459 or by email to [fmcgrath.care@gmail.com](mailto:fmcgrath.care@gmail.com).

## **Pilgrimage to the Holy Land**

Spaces are still available to travel with Fr. Shine to the Holy Land. Please contact Mr. Alfred Salsa the Tour coordinator by phone at (810) 874-1771 or email [alfredasalsa@yahoo.com](mailto:alfredasalsa@yahoo.com) for any questions. You can also visit [goodshepherdtravel.com](http://goodshepherdtravel.com) for further information about the company. Don't miss this trip of a life time.

## **Please Pray For**

Please remember in your prayers all those who are ill or injured, especially the sick and elderly in our parishes.

**The Military in the Middle East:** Josh Fisher, son of Gary and Kathy; Pfc. Cole Gillespie Army Infantry, son of David & Samantha Gillespie; Pvt. Jalen Lewis US Army, son of Stephanie Akin; Specialist Mark Schulten, Sergeant Joseph Schulten, Matthew Schulten HM3, grandsons of Cathy Thompson; Michael Shane Carter Air Force, grandson of Marllon and Emily Carter; Pvt. Caitlyn Fernandez Duarte, granddaughter of Rhonda Cox. Lance Corporal Brock Acra stationed in Okinawa Japan US Marine Corp, son of Greg and Sonia Acra. Specialist Clayton Keogh, US Army, grandson of Tim and Maryfrances Kincaid. YN3 Tyler Brock, son of Karen (O'Connor) Brock.

If you have a family member who is in the service and called to active duty and would like to add their name to a list for special prayers, please call the rectory and give us this information. Let us pray for **PEACE World Wide**. God Bless us all!

## OUTREACH

### **St. Vincent de Paul**

Will be at the church doors accepting your monetary donations next weekend, January 13th and 14th. Please remember the needy in our community.

**“We Can Care”** Is a Collaborative Ministry of St. Ambrose and St. Mary Churches in Anderson for St. Vincent de Paul. The boxes will be at the entrances of both Churches next weekend to receive your donations. Monetary donations can be placed in the orange boxes. Please remember the needy in our community during this giving season.

The collection for January 13th/14th will be canned fruit. Your participation will be greatly appreciated by the hungry families of Madison County.

### **Rummage News-We are no longer accepting rummage.**

**Knights of Columbus** will be holding their monthly chicken fry on Saturday, January 13th at the Columbian Hall from 5-7:30. Come for a great meal and even better fellowship. Price is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under 12.

### **Community Care Day**

This year will be hosting the 3rd Annual Community Care Day on January 20th, at Holy Cross North Campus. This event is sponsored by Merciful H.E.L.P. Center, at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish. Families have registered for assistance for coats, shoes, school uniforms, socks, etc. **Volunteers are needed to assist with this program.** You can sign up at [www.mercifulhelpcenter.org/community](http://www.mercifulhelpcenter.org/community). Select the sign-up genius to pick your date and time. Or call (317) 663-4039. This is a very successful event for the needy in our community and it is a good opportunity to give back. Hope to see you there!

How to report an incident of sexual abuse of a minor: If you or someone you know has been a victim of child sexual abuse by a person working for the Roman Catholic Church in the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana (such as a priest, deacon, sister, brother, lay officer, lay employee, lay volunteer, etc.) you are requested to report the incident in the following manner:

1) Make a report to Child Protective Services by calling 800-800-5556. 2) Call the Office of the Vicar General (800-942-2397) or the Office of Assistance Ministry (800-533-7018) for the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana. 3) Compose in writing a detailed description of the facts/incidents of the abuse and send it as soon as possible to: Mr. Max Layden, 712 Chase Building, Lafayette, IN 47901. 4) Thereafter, an investigation will be undertaken by or on behalf of the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana.

Cómo denunciar un incidente de abuso sexual contra un menor: Si usted o alguien que conoce ha sido víctima del abuso sexual infantil por parte de una persona que trabaje para la Iglesia Católica-Romana en la Diócesis de Lafayette en Indiana (tal como un sacerdote, diácono, religioso, funcionario laico, empleado, voluntario, etc.) se le pide que denuncie el incidente de la siguiente forma:

1) Realice una denuncia ante la organización de protección para menores llamando al 800-800-5556. 2) Llame a la Oficina del Vicario General (800-942-2397) o a la oficina del ministerio de asistencia (800-533-7018) de la Diócesis de Lafayette en Indiana.

3) Redacte una descripción detallada de los hechos e incidentes de dicho abuso y envíela tan pronto como sea posible a: Mr. Max Layden, 712 Chase Building, Lafayette, IN 47901. 4) Posteriormente, la Diócesis de Lafayette en Indiana o un representante de ésta, llevará a cabo una investigación.



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Sunday Religious Education  
 Clases de catecismo dominical

**SRE** is January 14 and 21 - 10:35 – 11:25 for Kind – 12 grade children  
**La Clase de SRE es el domingo, 14 y 21 de enero 10:35-11:25 estudiantes**  
**First Communion Class** is January 28 – 10:35 – 11:25  
**La Clase de Primera Comuni3n** es el domingo 28 de enero – 10:35-11:25

#### **Young Church**

Youth Group meets on Sunday, January 7th at 6PM at St Mary, Holy Cross North school annex. Come for a meal, games and surprise **guest speaker** in the annex and school gym.  
**All high school youth are invited.** Our meeting will end at 8:00PM

#### **Indiana March for Life and Rally** **Monday, January 22, 2018**

All are invited to join in the First Annual Indiana March for Life. The events include:

- 12:10 Mass, St. John the Evangelist with Archbishop Thompson and Bishop Doherty.
- 1:30 March from the Indiana Convention Center to the State House
- 2:30 Rally at the State House steps
- 4:00 Memorial for the Unborn Rose Service, Indiana State House, with keynote by Abby Johnson, author and founder of And Then There Were None
- 6:30 Youth Rally and Holy Hour, St. John the Evangelist, featuring Abby Johnson

Feel free to join in all or part of the day's activities. But most importantly, join us as we testify to the dignity of life and the beauty of each human person. For more information check out [www.rtlindy.org/upcoming-events/Indiana-march-for-life](http://www.rtlindy.org/upcoming-events/Indiana-march-for-life) or contact Susan Hoefler, Diocesan Respect Life Coordinator, [shoefler@dol-in.org](mailto:shoefler@dol-in.org) / 765-421-1998. Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Indianapolis, the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana, and Right to Life of Indianapolis. This would be an excused absence for school or feel free to attend only the evening session.

High school retreat opportunities:

**Destination Jesus** – February 16 – 18 **all high school youth**

Contact Janice for registration information at [stmarys.minister@catholicweb.com](mailto:stmarys.minister@catholicweb.com)

High School **SERVICE** Opportunities

Help unload product for Community Care Day: Jan 13<sup>th</sup>, time to be announced  
**10 service hours required for Confirmation next year! Get an early start now.**

## DESDE EL PASTOR

Queridas Hermanas y Hermanos en el Señor:

Recientemente, el Papa Francisco reanudó su catequesis sobre por qué deberíamos ir a misa el domingo. Me gustaría compartir con ustedes algunos de sus pensamientos. El Papa afirmó: "La celebración dominical de la Eucaristía está en el corazón de la vida de la Iglesia (véase el Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica, n. 2177). Nosotros los cristianos vamos a la misa dominical para encontrarnos con el Señor resucitado, o mejor aún, para permitirnos ser encontrados por él, escuchar su palabra, alimentarnos en su mesa y así convertirnos en la iglesia, es decir, su cuerpo viviente místico. en el mundo ... Los discípulos de Jesús entendieron esto. Celebraron el encuentro eucarístico con el Señor el día de la semana que los hebreos llamaron "el primero de la semana" y los romanos lo llamaron "el día del sol", porque ese día Jesús resucitó de entre los muertos y se apareció al discípulos, hablando con ellos, comiendo con ellos, dándoles el Espíritu Santo (ver Mt. 28: 1; Marcos 16: 9; Lucas 24: 1 y Juan 20: 1) ... Es la misa que hace que el Domingo Cristiano "

"... La Eucaristía es nuestra guía, domingo tras domingo. Por esta razón, el Concilio Vaticano II quiso enfatizar que el domingo "es la fiesta original, y debe ser propuesta a la piedad de los fieles y enseñada a ellos para que se convierta de hecho en un día de alegría y de liberación del trabajo". . '(Constitución de la Iglesia, c.106) .... Fue la conciencia cristiana de vivir como niños y no como esclavos, inspirados por la Eucaristía, lo que hizo que el domingo -casi universalmente- fuera el día del descanso "

"Sin Cristo estamos condenados a ser dominados por el cansancio cotidiano, sus preocupaciones y el miedo al futuro. El encuentro dominical con el Señor nos da la fuerza para experimentar el presente con confianza y coraje, y avanzar con esperanza ... La comunión eucarística con Jesús, Resucitado y siempre vivo, anticipa el domingo sin puesta de sol, cuando ya no habrá más cansancio ni dolor, ni tristeza ni lágrimas, sino solo la alegría de vivir plenamente y para siempre con el Señor ... No vamos a Misa para darle algo a Dios, sino para recibir lo que realmente necesitamos de Él ... Nosotros, los cristianos Necesitamos participar en la Misa dominical porque solo con la gracia de Jesús, con su presencia viviente dentro de nosotros y entre nosotros, podemos poner sus mandamientos en práctica y así ser sus testigos creíbles "

No puedo mejorar esa enseñanza un poco. La paz sea contigo, Monseñor

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