THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF ST. MAURICE, ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST, AND IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

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MASS SCHEDULE

TUE: 6:00 PM at St. Maurice WED: 8:00 AM at St. John THUR: 6:00 PM at IC FRI: 8:00 AM at St. John SAT: 8:00 AM at St. John (Holy Hour One Hour Prior to All Masses Listed Above.)

SATURDAY VIGIL 4:00 PM at St. Maurice 5:00 PM at St. John

SUNDAY OBLIGATION 7:30 AM at St. John 9:00 AM at IC 10:00 AM at St. Maurice

ADORATION EVERY FRIDAY

9:00 AM-12:00 PM at St. Maurice 12:00 PM-3:00 PM at IC 3:00 PM-6:00 PM at St. John

> **ROSARY** Mondays 10:30 AM at Immaculate Conception

CONFESSION TIMES

ST. JOHN: Friday 3:00–4:00 PM Saturday 4:45 PM

IC: Thursday 5:10 PM-5:25 PM After Sunday Mass

ST. MAURICE: 15 minutes before weekend Masses

+ **Baptism** is scheduled by appointment. Call your parish office for information about sacramental preparation.

+ The Sacrament of ${\bf Marriage}$ requires at least six months of preparation. Call your parish office before setting your wedding date.

+ The Sacrament of $\ensuremath{\textbf{Anointing}}$ is available upon request. Please call your parish office to schedule a visit.

AREA CHURCH NEWS

SAUSAGE AND PANCAKE BREAKFAST ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH SUN., JAN. 28 ~ 7:30 AM - 12:00 NOON Annual Whole Hog Sausage Breakfast will be held at St. Peter Gym, 1207 East Rd, Brookville, IN 47012. There are NO presale sausage orders this year. Sausage sales will begin Sunday morning at 7:30 a.m.

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS JULY 17-21

until all sausage is sold.

This summer, tens of thousands of Catholics will gather at the feet of Jesus in Indianapolis, boldly anticipating a new Pentecost. Don't miss this historic moment! Get your pass at https://eucharisticcongress.org.

JANUARY 21 ~ THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The Archdiocese of Indianapolis will take up the Collection for the Church in Latin America next weekend. For more than 50 years, this collection has given U.S. Catholics an opportunity to share faith in unity with our brothers and sisters in Christ throughout Latin America and the Caribbean islands.

The work of evangelization is carried out by Christians who meet people where they are — not only in a geographical sense but also in the context of culture. Though the Gospel is unchanging, we have many ways to make it relevant to people of all cultural, ethnic, and linguistic backgrounds.

The countries of South America have diverse populations from Indigenous, African, European, and Asian ancestries, all with different cultural experiences. By welcoming and understanding people from so many backgrounds, the Church grows and continues its mission of making disciples of all peoples....Such encounters and engagement with the peoples of South America are made possible when U.S. Catholics generously give to this Collection for the Church in Latin America. Your participation becomes a way for you to share your Catholic faith. I ask you to be as generous as you can.

Gratefully yours in Christ, Most Reverend Charles C. Thompson Archbishop of Indianapolis

CANOTHADY LIGHT INTENTIONS

| SANGTUART LIGHT INTENTIONS | | | | | |
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| JANUARY 21 | JANUARY 28 | FEBRUARY 4 | | | |
| Keith & Barb Coyner | Harold Huff | Jim & Glenna Schuler | | | |

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Jan. 20 – Chad White Sunday, Jan. 21 – Pauline Witkemper Saturday, Jan. 27 – Amelia Wolter Sunday, Jan. 28 – Mary Scholle Tuesday, Jan. 30 – Lucille Simon

PARISH SUPPORT

| Adult Envelopes | \$2363.00 |
|--------------------------|------------------|
| Children's Envelopes | \$ 16.00 |
| Loose Collection | <u>\$ 276.00</u> |
| Total Regular Collection | \$2655.00 |
| Utility Fund | \$653.00 |
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| Solemnity of Mary | \$5.00 |
| Criterion | \$20.00 |
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BLESS YOU FOR GIVING OF YOUR TREASURE!

| LITURGICAL MINISTRY LIST | | | | | | | | |
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| | Sat., Jan. 27 - 4:00 PM | Sun., Jan. 28 - 10:00 AM | Sat., Feb. 3 - 4:00 PM | Sun., Feb. 4 - 10:00 AM | | | | |
| GREETERS | Steve Gilland Ken Hellmich | Paul & Arlene Gehl Steve Gilland Paul Simon | | Tom & Joyce Muckerheide | | | | |
| SERVER(S) | Ava Wagner Ella Wagner | Macy Kinker | Sam Simon | Macy Kinker | | | | |
| LECTOR(S) | Tara Johannigman | Arlene Gehl Julie Stephens | Judy Steuri | Ron Bauerle Grace Truesdell | | | | |
| GIFTS | Kevin & Kara Huff | Bruce & Jessica Moorman | Caleb & Brooke Payne | Chris & Valorie Parker | | | | |
| EUCHARIST MINISTERS | ⊕ Beth Simon Judy Steuri (Hall) Terry Harmeyer Rita Kress | ⊕ Cindy Weisenbach Kevin Tunny (Hall) Dana Newhart Scott Simon | ⊕ Terry Harmeyer Beth Simon (Hall) Janet Wagner Rita Kress | ⊕ Amanda Schutte Kevin Tunny (Hall) Leslie Hicks Katie Spreckelson | | | | |



Please Remember in Prayer: Rosemary Mistler, Lou Wolter, Frances Borgman, Frances Werner, Eileen Wagner, Sue Tunny, Mary Busch, Sandy Wenning, Evette Jackson, and Donnie Kohlman.

If you would like to add someone to the prayer line, please call Arlene Gehl (812-614-3388) or Marita Billman (812-593-4674).

THANK YOU – "As we celebrated the Feast of the Epiphany and the three kings presenting their gifts to Jesus, I couldn't help but reflect upon your gifts to our Sisters and community – gifts we also treasure. This year, I helped unwrap your many gifts! On behalf of all the Sisters, I thank you. We are so very grateful for your generous giving. We do not take your kindness for granted. Prayerfully, Sister Shirley"

<u>YOUTH ACTIVITIES</u> – Youth outing to Perfect North Slopes TODAY, January 21, leaving after the 10:00 AM Mass.

CYO Volleyball will be starting this month. Thank you to Shaylee Volz for volunteering her time to be the coach.

WEEKDAY MASSES – Fr. Binu will resume celebrating weekday Masses this Thursday, January 25, at Immaculate Conception.

PRAYERS – Please pray for Donnie Kohlman as he recovers from major back surgery.

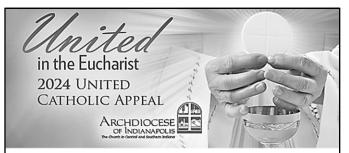
SANCTUARY LIGHT – There are availabilities for the sanctuary light on 3/31, 4/14, 4/21, 4/28, 5/5, 5/12, 5/26, 6/9, 6/16, 6/23, and 6/30. You can put the money in an envelope marked "Sanctuary Light" with the name of the person you wish to remember. The cost is \$5, and it will burn for the week in memory of a loved one.

ELEMENTARY RELIGIOUS ED – Classes for Preschool through Grade 5 this Wednesday, January 24, 6:45 PM.

<u>JR. HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL RELIGIOUS ED</u> – Classes for Grades 6 through 11 next Sunday, January 28, at 8:30 AM.

GOLDEN GATE CHOIR – On January 21, the Golden Gate Choir will be starting practices for their Palm Sunday cantata, "Oh, What a Savior," performed at the Damm Theater in Osgood on March 24. Practices will be held at the United Methodist Church, 213 S Walnut Street, Osgood, beginning at 1:30 PM each Sunday until the performance. Attend as many as you are able.

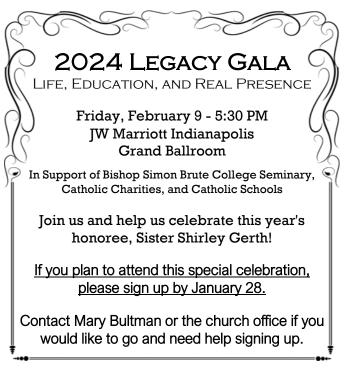
At the first practice, you will be given a CD and music to practice at home. The choir is a nondenominational organization of people who love to sing praises to Our Lord, and they are always in need of new singers. If you have any questions, please contact Sharon Miller, director, 812-871-3401.



If you have not given to the United Catholic Appeal, the appeal will be in process through April, but hopefully we can reach the goal set for our parish by February 29. So far, this is what our church has given:

PARISH GOAL: \$16,858 AMOUNT PLEDGED: \$11,695 PERCENTAGE TO GOAL: 69% NUMBER OF DONORS: 65

Please consider supporting the United Catholic Appeal since it helps all parishes in our diocese do what no one parish can do alone. It is a great sharing of our love for Jesus and our love for one another.



BLOOD DRIVE – The Napoleon Winter Community Blood Drive will be held in our parish hall on Monday, February 5. Appointment times are 12:00 until 2:00 PM, and 3:30 until 6:00 PM. You can schedule your appointment online at hoxworth.org/groups/napoleon, or you can call Arlene Gehl at 812-614-3388.

January 2024

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | |
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| 31 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | |
| FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY No JH/HS Religious Ed Celebration of Mass 10:00 AM Hall Rented - No Mass in Hall | SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD 9:00 AM Mass at St. John NEW YEAR'S DAY | No Holy Hour No Mass | No Elementary Religious Education Classes | | Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9:00 AM - Noon | Celebration of Mass 4:00 PM Pickpockets | |
| 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | |
| FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY JH/HS Religious Ed 8:30 - 9:45 AM Mass - 10:00 AM Pickpockets | THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD | No Holy Hour No Mass | Elementary Religious Education Classes 6:45 - 8:00 PM | | Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9:00 AM - Noon | Celebration of Mass 4:00 PM | |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | |
| JH/HS Religious Ed 8:30 - 9:45 AM Celebration of Mass 10:00 AM | Martin Luther King Day | No Holy Hour No Mass | FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY Elementary Religious Education Classes 6:45 - 8:00 PM | | Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9:00 AM - Noon | Celebration of Mass 4:00 PM | |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | |
| JH/HS Religious Ed 8:30 - 9:45 AM Celebration of Mass 10:00 AM Youth Outing to Perfect North Slopes | DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE UNBORN | No Holy Hour No Mass | FEAST OF OUR LADY OF PEACE Elementary Religious Education Classes 6:45 - 8:00 PM | FEAST OF THE CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE | Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9:00 AM - Noon | Celebration of Mass 4:00 PM | |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 1 | 2 | 3 | |
| JH/HS Religious Ed 8:30 - 9:45 AM Celebration of Mass 10:00 AM Last Day to Sign Up for Legacy Gala at Indianapolis | | Holy Hour 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM Celebration of Mass 6:00 PM | Elementary Religious Education Classes 6:45 - 8:00 PM | Fc W re- wi dis | THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE MONTH For the Gift of Diversity in the Church: Ve pray that the Holy Spirit may help us to ecognize the gift of different charisms <i>v</i> ithin the Christian community and to iscover the richness of different traditions ind rituals in the Catholic Church. | | |