

PARISH: 812-663-8427

Extensions

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| Pastor, Fr. John Meyer | 201 |
| Associate Pastor, Fr. Adam Ahern | 203 |
| Deacon, Brad Anderson (cell #) | 317-691-7317 |
| Pastoral Associate/DRE, Anita Navarra | 204 |
| Youth Minister/CRE, Megan Gehrich | 206 |
| Director of Liturgy, Joan Koors | 205 |
| Business Manager, Andy Beetz | 202 |
| Parish Secretary, Tina Kramer | 200 |

SCHOOL: 812-663-2804

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| Principal, Nancy Buening | 111 |
| Assistant Principal, Alicia Prickle | 129 |
| School Secretary, Lore Oesterling | 100 |
| Maintenance, John Ploeger | 126 |
| Day Care, LuAnn Cain | 118/128 |

Parish office hours are Mon—Friday 8:00 am—4:00 pm

WEBSITE: www.stmarysgreensburg.com

BULLETIN DEADLINE

All bulletin articles will need to be in the office (e-mail or written) no later than 11:00 am on Monday

parishoffice@stmarysgreensburg.com

After parish office hours the number for the emergency anointing of the sick or other urgent matters is (812) 663-8427.

Communion— Holy Communion is taken to the elderly and the sick regularly. Please let us know if you wish to receive.

Weddings— Please contact the Pastor at least 6 months in advance.

COMING UP THIS WEEK - February 11-17

11 MONDAY

Adult Choir - 6:00 pm
Prayer Group - 7:15 pm


12 TUESDAY

Rosary for the Unborn - 11:30 am

13 WEDNESDAY

Religious Ed classes - 6:30 pm
TMIY - 6:30 pm
1st Eucharist Parent Meeting - 6:45 pm

14 THURSDAY

Valentine's Day 

16 SATURDAY

Reconciliation - 3:30 pm

17 SUNDAY

Bible Study—9:00 am—meeting room 1



PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for the sick and suffering and their families of our parish and community:

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| Melly Allgeier | Ericka & Jeremy Martin |
| Mary Bruns | Karen McKinley |
| Jennifer & Taylor Burt | Rosann Miller |
| Roseann Cook | Marilyn Preston |
| Paul Corya | Mandy Scott |
| Joe Desra | Craig Simon |
| Dorothy Fullenkamp | Sam Simons |
| Jim Hardy | Marilyn Strasburger |
| Tim Harmon | Carl W Veerkamp |
| David & Pam Hartman | Dale Veerkamp |
| Carroll Hoeing | Barb Waits |
| Carolyn Jordan | Michael Weelborg |
| Al Knecht | Jerry Wright |
| Adam Lutterbach | Vicki Zeigler |
| Lenny Petrus | |



Please pray for all of our Armed Forces serving both abroad and in the U.S. especially for:

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| Chris Alden | Logan Kramer |
| Mike Arnold | Cynthia Krieger |
| Amanda Batten | Jude Levy |
| Ed Beagle | Jordan Lloyd |
| Stephen Berggren | Codey Martin |
| Dustin Blasengame | Rhett Mauer |
| Jeremy Bollig | Jeff McNeal |
| Kristopher Brewsaugh | Fred Monroe |
| Steven Brown | Bryce Moore |
| Ben Buening | Sueann Morel |
| Joe Buening | Matthew Navarra |
| Tala Clark | Ricky Powers |
| Patrick Cunningham | Steve Redmon |
| Joe Davis | Scott Reynolds |
| Cameron DeWeese | Traye Schoettmer |
| Chris Eineman | Andrew Schroeder |
| Trevor Gartenman | Stephanie Schutte |
| Daniel Gibson | Tyler Schutte |
| Blake Gindling | Noah Schwering |
| Shayne Greiwe | Landon Shera |
| Paul Hellmich | Brantley Springmeyer |
| Adam Herbert | Jennifer King Strobel |
| Paul Huber | Bill Volk |
| Terry Humpfort | Courtney Weintraut |
| Kyle Inscho | Ryan Welch |
| Nick Johnston | |

If you have a friend or loved one that you would like to add to our prayer list, please call the parish office @ 812-663-8427 ext 200. They will remain on the sick list for 4 weeks. Military lists remains until you ask us to take them off.

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Monday - February 11

7:15 am - Communion Service

Tuesday - February 12

5:30 pm - +Marge Martin

Wednesday - February 13

8:15 am - +Mary Richards

Thursday - February 14 (Heritage House)

2:30 pm - +Frank Bender

Friday - February 15

12:00 pm - +Dottie Bilbrey

Saturday/Sunday - February 16/17

4:30 pm - +Tom Meyer

8:00 am - +Living and Deceased Members of the
Clem & Luella Kohrman Family

10:00 am - +Dick & Alma Powers

LECTORS

Saturday/Sunday - February 16/17

4:30 pm Rosemary Schroeder

8:00 am Brian Wenning

10:00 am Linda Greiwe

FEBRUARY HOSPITALITY MINISTERS

4:30 pm

Tanner Volz
Aaron Bruns
Paul Bruns
Eric Capper
Phil Nobbe
Mike Fields

8:00 am

Mike Novak
Sandy Nieman
Larry Nieman
Ken Koors
Roger Koors
Harold Koors

10:00 am

Doug Loyd
Danny Nobbe
John Ploeger
Jim Hagerty
Greg P Navarra
Dan Scheidler

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday/Sunday - February 16/17

****designates washing vessels after Mass underlined ministers
designates sign in coordinator and prepare bread and wine.**

| 4:30 pm | 8:00 am | 10:00 am |
|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| *Chas Lecher | *Kathy Nobbe | *Emilie Pank |
| *Christina Lipps | *Carole Ann Nobbe | *Lydia Abellada |
| Chris McClelland | Laura Johnson | Diana Robbins |
| Jayne McClelland | Scott Johnson | Wanda Ploeger |
| Carl Stier | Steve Meyer | John Ploeger |
| Darlene Banks | Donna Lecher | Jane Burkert |
| Kristen Douglas | Diane Novak | Dan Nobbe |
| Sandy Meyer | Mike Novak | LeaAnn Nobbe |
| Barb Bohman | Jeanie Hempstead | Nancy Buening |
| <u>Kim Stone</u> | <u>Sheila Kirchoff</u> | <u>Jen Blankman</u> |
| <u>Angie Wessler</u> | <u>Linda Ricke</u> | <u>David Blankman</u> |

SERVERS

| Tuesday Feb. 12 5:30pm | Saturday Feb. 16 4:30 pm | Sunday Feb. 17 8:00 am | Sunday Feb. 17 10:00 am |
|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| Molly Lipps | Genevieve Smith | Sam Cathey | Cecilia Scheidler |
| Rachel Lipps | Samantha Smith | Alex Sizemore | Macy Smith |
| | Garrett Schwering | Abigail Hoeing | Ethan Smith |

Decorating Crew Needed!

We are ready to start planning our decorations for the 2019 "Roar" Vacation Bible School. Will you join us as part of our planning crew? Please call Megan (ext. 206) or Anita (ext 204) at the parish office if you can lend a hand. We are looking for high school students and adults that can help us design some sets. Later we'll also ask for volunteers to help set up.



A huge THANK YOU to Linda Ricke for her 19 years of volunteer service as the parish Sacristan, where her job consisted of many jobs we were never aware of. She will be missed, as part of our Liturgy/Spirituality Commission, and especially her very special "sense of humor" and her care of the many sacristy jobs to keep everything in order.

We are so happy to welcome her replacement as our new sacristan, Laura Jo Tebbe. We look forward to working together, Laura Jo, and helping with any problems that may come your way.

THANKS AGAIN, Linda & WELCOME, Laura Jo!!
God's Blessing for your service to your St. Mary's Family.

Our Sunday Collections

1/13/2019

| <u>Description</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| Weekend Contributions | \$22,446.08 |
| Capital Improvement Fund | \$2.00 |
| Church Bus | \$5.00 |
| Energy Cost | \$100.00 |
| First Offering | \$65.00 |
| Clarity | \$421.00 |
| Solemnity of Mary | \$80.00 |
| Outreach | <u>\$20.00</u> |
| Total Sunday Collections | \$23,139.08 |

Thank you for your generous contributions. This week our actual collections after adjusting for special collections were \$(14,673.09) compared to our budget of \$37,119.17.

“We pray in union with Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit.”

Stewardship - A Way of Life

February 10, 2019 - 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, ‘Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?’ ‘Here I am,’ I said, ‘send me!’” (Isaiah 6:8)

Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, “Whom shall I send?” Whether it is someone to take on a new ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities to help someone in need. The next time you hear God calling, have the courage to walk through the door and say “Here I am, Lord.” Listen and you will hear his call.

~The Stewardship Commission

Good Gestures and Preventative Practices at Mass

It’s that time of year when we are more conscious of the spread of germs. You notice that the altar servers and I discontinue handholding during the Lord’s Prayer, and offer a “peace sign” at the Sign of Peace. Please consider doing the same out there in the pews!

We pour less wine in preparation for Communion knowing that less people drink from the chalice in the winter as they may have colds.

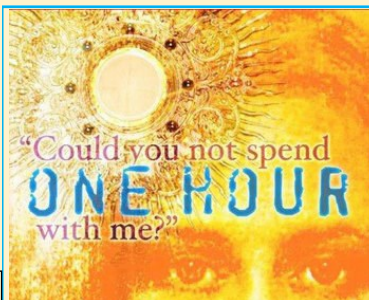
While the seasonal allergies typical for Spring and Fall aren’t prevalent now, some of us deal with breathing issues and even asthma-like symptoms induced by scents at Mass, like incense, and most especially the effects of perfume and cologne in high doses. Please consider the fact that those around us can be more sensitive to our aroma than we think.

Please, whether you are a Eucharistic Minister*, Lector, Cantor, Usher or fellow parishioner, consider the possibility that those you serve or those around you may be allergic to perfume or cologne and highly aromatic hand lotions.

Thank you very much,

Father John “Old Spice” Meyer

*Hand lotions as well as perfumes and colognes can easily be transferred to our communicants even after using hand sanitizer.



Openings Available for Adoration Chapel

We need a permanent adorer for:
Saturday at 6 pm, 7 pm, and 8 pm

Do you feel called to be a substitute adorer?

We would love to have you! If interested, please contact Linda Ortman, 812- 614-4553 (cell)

A message from Linda Ortman... I will be attending the pilgrimage to the Holy Land from Feb 4-14th. If you can't find a sub for your adoration hour during this time, please call Melissa Yake at 812-614-9165. If you know in advance that you need someone during this time, please contact me asap at 812-614-4553. Thank you!

ON THE PHYSICAL DEATH OF JESUS CHRIST

February 26, 2019

7:00 pm

Led by Dr. Mary McCullough
St Mary Parish, Greensburg

Monetary donations and help needed

for a breakfast benefit coming soon for the Preble family who endured a house fire last week. Mother and son were both injured. Tentative date for breakfast benefit - Feb 23. More information to come. Please contact the parish office at 663-8427 ext 200 if you would like to help. Please pray for this family.

Prayer Basket– There are people waiting to pray for your intentions. Please place them in the small basket located by the Pieta statue in the back of the church.

The School Zone

FEBRUARY 10, 2019



Honor Roll for second 9 weeks

St. Mary's is pleased to announce our "All A" Honor Roll. Students on the All "A" Honor roll at St. Mary's have achieved at least a 95% in all core subject areas. This is quite an accomplishment and we are very proud of the hard work shown by these students.

All A's

8th Grade

Noah Burr
Christina Fogg
Abigail Hoeing
Natalie Kalinowski

7th Grade

Justin Bedel
Eva Bower
Addie Gauck
Claire Ginder
Malana Kramer
Kenlee Martin
Claire Nobbe
Anne Pumphrey
Owen Stephens
Ava Wilmer

6th Grade

Dan Fisse
Garret Kramer
Cy Miller
Tam Ngo
Jill Witkemper

5th Grade

Madison Gould
Nikki Harpring
Logan Meyer
Carmin Ripperger
Wade Schutte
Ethan Smith

4th Grade

Katelyn Aug
Madelyn Bedel
Katelyn Fisse
Caleb Fry
Kamryn Haas
Kierra Kennelly
Lucas Kramer
Alexandra Nobbe
Simon Nobbe
Clare Scheidler
Adelynn Stier
Kiley Swango

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Feb. 12 Girls Basketball
Home vs. Franklin
County--6:00 pm

Feb. 14 Girls Basketball
Home vs. North
Decatur--6:00 pm

Feb. 16 8th Girls B-ball
OA Tip-off Classic
@ OA--8:00 am

Did you know...?

St. Mary's School's annual Magazine Sale is under way! This is our only all-school fundraiser, and the sale has been an annual tradition. The money raised from this sale funds special programs and field trips, and transportation costs for the field trips. In this way, most field trips are free of charge to the students. This sale includes magazine subscriptions, cookie dough and other items. Check with your favorite St. Mary's student to order and to help us meet our goal!

Thank you for your support!

Coming soon... the A/B Honor Roll list.

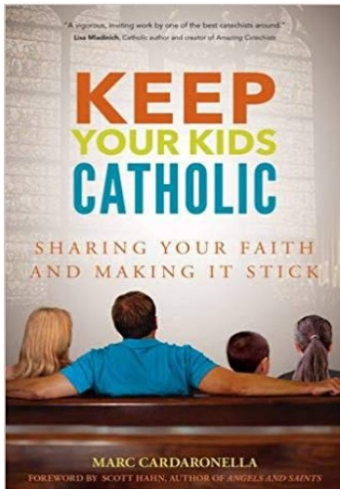
St. Mary's Adult & Youth Faith Formation

"Promoting Faith Formation in the Community"

February 9 & 10, 2019

Keep Your Kids Catholic

A Book for Parents
When author, Marc Cardonella, shares his story of coming back to the Catholic faith in his 30's, he often gets questions from older parents asking how they can bring their adult children back to the faith.



Marc, now a DRE at a parish, shares that it is really up to those adult children to make the choice to return to their roots, but those questions made him realize he needed to write a book on the importance of living and strengthening the faith of our children - when they are children.

He believes parents need to do more than drop off their kids at Catholic school or religious education, and go to Mass each Sunday. This book challenges parents to take their place as the primary educators of their children, especially when it comes to faith.

This book is short, with each chapter being about 4 to 5 pages long - an easy read for

live our faith as models for our children. The book covers liturgy, gospel, prayer and salvation history.

This book is available through many

Faith Formation Calendar

February 12 - Adult Retreat Mtg, 6:30

February 13 - Religious Education,
6:30 pm

1st Eucharist Parent Mtg, 6:45 pm

- TMIY—6:30 pm

February 26- "The Crucifixion" - presentation from a medical point of view.

March 4 & 5—Parish Mission with Fr. John Meyer



Christ Have Mercy Retreat

March 23-24, 2019

Registration Open Now

TO REGISTER, see our bulletin inserts or register online at <https://form.jotform.com/83325472984163> or contact the St. Mary's Parish Office (812-663-8427, ext. 204).

Retreat Team

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|---------------------|--------------------|
| Sue Lebo | Theresa Schwering |
| Janet Dougan | Mike & Diane Novak |
| Carrie Schlotter | Steve Lowe |
| Matt Lawrence | Wendy Blake |
| Charlotte Buening | Eric Capper |
| Jennifer Gauck | Maurice Bedel |
| Margaret Derflinger | Michelle Lang |
| Anita Navarra | Jill McLaughlin |



“Give thanks to the Lord for he is good,
his mercy endures forever.”

1 Chronicles 16:3

St. Mary's will host a 2 day retreat reflecting on Mercy. The retreat will focus on the Mercy of God through Christ on a personal level; the Mercy we each experience and share in our daily lives; and the Mercy we each share with those around us, in our community and to those we may not even know. ***This is a great opportunity and compliment to the Lenten Season.***

Christ Have Mercy Retreat for women and men will be held over two days.

Saturday March 23, 11:30pm - 8:00pm

Sunday March 24, 7:30am - 1:00pm.

The weekend will include Reconciliation, Mass, sessions with time for prayer and reflection and also dinner on Saturday, breakfast on Sunday. Registration is open now. The retreat is limited to the first 40 adults (over 21).

DEADLINE FEBRUARY 22



**Christ Have Mercy Retreat
St. Mary's Parish, Greensburg, IN
Saturday-Sunday, March 23-24, 2019
REGISTRATION FORM**

Name(s) _____

Address: _____

Best telephone contact: _____ Email: _____

Parish if not St. Mary's: _____

List any dietary restrictions of medical needs the retreat should be aware of: _____

There is no cost for this Retreat, FREE WILL donations will gladly be accepted.

**Please complete the registration form and return to: St. Mary's Parish Office; 1331 E Hunter Robbins Way;
Greensburg, IN 47240, call (812) 663-8427.**

Register online at <https://form.jotform.com/83325472984163>



"...Grace Abounds All the More"

Saturday March 23, 2019
INDIANA CONVENTION CENTER
8:30 AM to 4:45 PM
Lunch Included

For detailed information or to register online, please visit
www.indianacatholicwomen.com



Msgr. Joseph Schaedel



Rose Sweet



Donna Cori Gibson



Barbara Heil

- ✦ VIP Seating and a special gift for the largest group.
- ✦ Student, young adult and religious rates available.

Special St. Mary (Greensburg) group rate!!

\$45 if part of group of 10 or more. Check payable to: 'St. Michael Foundation'
Leave check and your name, phone and email at St. Mary Office.
Carol Blasdel will contact you to confirm and schedule carpool.
Contact Carol: (812) 614-1005 or csblasdel@hotmail.com

Hosted by the Marian Center of Indianapolis
in partnership with the Archdiocese of Indianapolis

2019 E6 CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE



ARMOR UP

2.23.2019 | 8AM - 3:30PM

EAST CENTRAL H.S. PERFORMING ARTS CENTER
1 TROJAN PLACE, ST. LEON, IN 47012



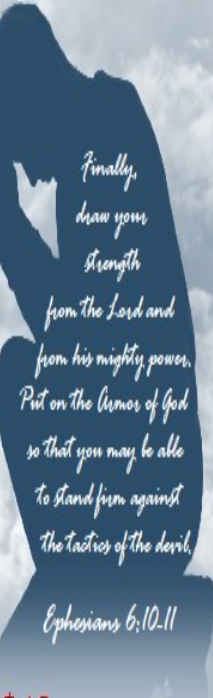
MARK HART



TRENT HORN



JUSTIN FATICA



*Finally,
draw your
strength
from the Lord and
from his mighty power.
Put on the armor of God
so that you may be able
to stand firm against
the tactics of the devil.
Ephesians 6:10-11*

TICKETS ONLY \$40

REGISTRATION INCLUDES:

- INSPIRING TALKS BY RENOWNED CATHOLIC SPEAKERS
- FREE BOOK AND ROSARY
- LUNCH, COFFEE & REFRESHMENTS
- MASS & ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
- CONFESSION AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT THE DAY
- FREE CLOSE PARKING AND COMFORTABLE SEATING

WITH SPECIAL GUEST:

THE CATHOLIC MAN SHOW



REGISTER ONLINE:

WWW.E6CATHOLICMENSCONFERENCE.COM





The Appalachian Trail A Franciscan's Spiritual Journeys

by Joseph Nelson, O.F.M.
"El Padre"

Fr. Joe Nelson, OFM who resides at Holy Family, Oldenburg, has written a book entitled *"The Appalachian Trail: A Franciscans Spiritual Journey"*. In it he gives a day by day account of his time on the Appalachian Trail and then how it fits in with autobiographical parts of his life, and finally how it reflects Franciscan Spirituality.

The cover price on the book is \$16.95 but he will sell it to you for \$14.95.

If you would like a copy send a check made out to Franciscans for \$14.95 plus \$3.00 for postage and handling to:

Fr. Joe Nelson, OFM
P.O. Box 98
Oldenburg, IN 47036.

(The \$3 will cover up to 3 books .)

BLOOD DRIVE

St. Maurice Church in Napoleon is hosting a Community Blood Drive at their Parish Hall on Tuesday, Feb 19th from 12:30 - 6:00 PM.

Schedule an appointment online at: www.hoxworth.org/groups/napoleon or call Arlene Gehl (812-852-4394).

Thank you to all who helped with dad's funeral mass and the meal following. You are all very much appreciated.

The Family of Vincent J. Springmeyer.

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY
ANITA
NAVARRA!**



The St. Lawrence Ladies Auxiliary will meet Thursday, February 14 at 7:00 pm at the Knights of St. John Hall.



Come and Be Comforted

SEASONS OF HOPE

A group for the bereaved

If you're in need of consolation after losing a loved one, this Christ-Centered faith sharing group is for you. We will meet for six Mondays beginning on April 22nd and continuing on April 29th, May 6th, 13th, 20th and June 3rd with arrival from 6:30 PM-6:45 PM and the program from 6:45 PM to 8:30 PM in St. Mary's Meeting Room.

Brochures on the program are in the back of Church.

Prayer, Scripture, Faith Sharing, & Fellowship

If you are interested in attending this program, please call the Parish Office (812-663-8427) and leave your name and phone number. A member of the Bereavement Ministry Team will call you back.

In order to have enough materials on hand for the program, we ask that you let us know if you'd like to attend by April 15th.

You are welcome to bring a friend or relative with you.



Marion Township Volunteer Fire Department

All You Can Eat Fish Fry

Menu:
Whitefish
Tenderloin
Hot Dogs
French Fries
Baked Beans
Applesauce
Drink

Time:
5-8pm

Dates:
February 22nd
March 8th
March 22nd
April 5th



812-222-0029

www.millhousefire.com

**DIVINE MERCY
AND ROSARY**

*Have Mercy on **US** and on the whole world!*



MONDAY'S 7:15 P.M.
ST. MARY'S CHURCH

FOR AMERICA

Praying for Our Country

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8 ~ 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11 ~ Luke 5:1-11

St. Mary's School - Greensburg
Prospective Preschool / Kindergarten
OPEN HOUSE



Kindergarten

WHERE: St. Mary's School @ 1331 E. Hunter Robbins Way
(just off of 421 S) Greensburg, IN 47240

Students entering preschool must be 4 years old by August 1, 2019.

- Registration at school office for current St. Mary's school families or Daycare families.
Feb 4th 5:30pm-7:00pm; Feb. 5, 6, 7, 8th from 8:00am-4:00pm.
- Registration for members of St. Mary or St. Catherine of Siena Parish
Feb 11th 5:30pm-7:00pm; Feb 12 1:00pm-4:00pm; Feb.13,14 and 15th from
8:00am-4:00pm.
- Open registration for all others, where available space permits Feb.18 - 5:30pm-7:00pm;
Feb.19 1:00pm-4:00pm; Feb 20, 21, 22 8:00am - 4:00pm

When registering you must bring the following paperwork please: **Immunization Records**
Birth Certificate
Baptismal Record
Any custody paperwork if applicable

Sessions will be offered as follows:

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| Monday / Wednesday / Friday | 9:00 - 11:30 am |
| Monday / Wednesday / Friday | 12:30 - 3:00 pm |
| Tuesday / Thursday | 8:30 - 11:30 am |
| Tuesday / Thursday | 12:00 - 3:00 p.m. |

Kindergarten: 8:00 am - 11:30 pm and 12:30 - 1:30 pm

Students entering Kindergarten must be 5 years of age by August 1, 2019.

Any new school families to St. Mary's kindergarten, registration will be the week of March 25.

Currently we offer full or half-day classes.

Please call the school office at 812- 663-2804 for more information.

** Please note kindergarten recess is from 11:40 - 12:00 and 1:30 - 2:00 and the lunch for kindergarten takes place from 12:00 -12:30**

The TriForce Mission Team Presents

The 2019

Royal Ball

and

PIRATE COVE

MEET YOUR FAVORITE PRINCESSES, PRINCES,
AND PIRATES!

Sunday March 3, 2019

Choose from **12:30-2:30** or **3:30-5:30**

St. Louis Parish Activity Center, 17 St. Louis Place, Batesville, IN



Games, Crafts, Activities, Dancing, Snacks, Photo Ops and more!

ADVANCE TICKETS: \$10 ADULTS / \$10 CHILD

Available at Civista Bank Osgood & Milan, Joan's T-Shirt Printing,
FCN Batesville, FCN Sunman, and St. Mary's Parish Greensburg

TO ORDER ONLINE: TRIFORCEMISSIONTEAM.ORG/ROYALBALL
TICKETS AT THE DOOR: \$12 ADULTS / \$12 CHILD

For More Information:

Call Carrie (812)933-1519 or Andrea (812) 871-1087

All Proceeds help fund the mission trip to Topeka, KS this Summer

Pray for and with the Pilgrims as they pray for you...

✠ Day One Monday Feb. 4th Depart Cincinnati to Tel Aviv, Israel.

+++ For safe travel for all on the Pilgrimage, that they will all stay healthy, have an awesome experience, and that it will be a stimulant of deeper faith, hope and blessing – not only for the pilgrims themselves, but also for those who benefit from the pilgrims prayers as they represent all of St. Mary Parish family.
 -- For all travelers and for the many who will cover, fill in, and thus make it possible for those who are away.

✠ Day Two Tuesday Feb. 5th Haifa

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

+ **Special Prayers**

+++ For people in government, that they lead with honor, justice and honesty.
 +++ For the privilege of being on this pilgrimage, in thanksgiving for a safe trip so far and that it will be an educational, meaningful and faith-filled experience in every way.

✠ Day Three Wednesday Feb. 6th Cana / Mt. Tabor / Nazareth

Wedding Church in Cana Mass 3:00 A.M. Israel / 8:00 A.M. Greensburg

+ **Paul & Robert J. Koors**

+++ In thanksgiving for Mary as our Mother and model, that we will follow her example and be ready to say our “yes” to God’s plan in our life.
 +++ For all married couples, young and experienced and for the many blessings for which we are grateful.
 +++ For all families, especially those who are expecting a child, and for those who are in the ministry for Pro-Life.

✠ Day Four Thursday Feb. 7th Capernaum/ Galilee Mt. of

Beatitudes

Church of the Beatitudes Mass 8:00 A.M. Israel / 1 A.M. Greensburg

+ **Dave Murray**

+++ For peace, in our hearts, homes, country and the world.
 +++ For an end to war, violence, for the many victims, and for the people living in countries of so much unrest and for our men and women in the armed services.
 +++ For our sick, homebound and in the hospital and nursing homes and for the many who minister to them.

✠ Day Five Friday Feb. 8th Capernaum

Church above St. Peter’s House Mass 8:00 A.M. Israel / 1 A.M. Greensburg

+ **William & Ruth Meyer**

+++ For those preparing to come into the Catholic Church this year, and for the Adults and babies, who will be baptized, our youth and our youth minister, those in the That Man is You program, and those who have made the Christ Have Mercy Retreats and the team who is in formation.
 +++ For all fishermen and those who make their living from the sea.
 +++ For each of us as we renew our baptismal promises, that the Holy Spirit will guide our lives so we may minister to others.

Saint Mary
 Catholic Church, Greensburg, IN

Parish Pilgrimage
 to Israel

The Holy Land

Daily Mass & Prayer Intentions

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| Monday | 4-Feb | Travel Day | Greensburg to Israel |
| Tuesday | 5-Feb | Haifa | Our Lady of Mt. Carmel |
| Wednesday | 6-Feb | Cana | Wedding Church in Cana |
| Thursday | 7-Feb | Galilee | Church of the Beatitudes |
| Friday | 8-Feb | Capernaum | House of St. Peter Church |
| Saturday | 9-Feb | Jericho | Church of Good Shepherd |
| Sunday | 10-Feb | Bethany | Crusader Chapel |
| Monday | 11-Feb | Bethlehem | Church of St. Catherine |
| Tuesday | 12-Feb | Jerusalem | The Holy Sepulchre |
| Wednesday | 13-Feb | Jerusalem | St. Peter of Gallicantu |
| Thursday | 14-Feb | Travel Day | Jerusalem to Greensburg |

† Day Six Saturday Feb. 9th Jericho

Church of the Good Shepherd Mass Noon Israel / 5:00 A.M. Greensburg

- + **Travis Wenning**
- +++ For those who serve on our Parish council, those who dream the dreams and make plan for our parish's future, and our Finance and Stewardship Committees
- +++ For the many that extend help to those in and outside our parish that are in need: Hot Meals volunteers; TLC & Agape Center, Bread of Life, Clarity, Knights of Columbus, Knights of St. John, St. Lawrence Ladies Auxiliary, Bereavement Ministry, Funeral Dinner Committee, and those who pray the rosary for the needs of others during the lunch hour.
- +++ For the many ministers of service in our parish – Art & environment, church cleaners, Speaker mailers, decorators and those who tend to the plants, Festival committees, building and grounds, Maintenance, thus, stewards of the treasures we have.

† Day Seven Sunday Feb. 10th Jerusalem/ Bethany

Crusader Chapel Mass 8:00 A.M. Israel / 1:00 A.M. Greensburg

- + **For the People & Friends of St. Mary, Greensburg**
- +++ For all the ministries that support and serve in our Eucharist celebrations – Greeters, Lectors, Servers, Eucharistic Ministers, Pastoral musicians, & Ushers.
- +++ In gratitude for the Eucharist, for those who shared their faith with us and that all Catholics will have an increased love and appreciation for the Eucharist.
- +++ For the Catholic Church, for the Archdiocese of Indianapolis, & St. Mary parish and others, and for the many who give of themselves in so many ways to help the parish and others.

† Day Eight Monday Feb. 11th Bethlehem

Church of Saint Catherine Mass 11:00 A.M. Israel / 4:00 A.M. Greensburg

- + **Richard Stuehrenberg**
- +++ For the needs and petitions that each of us hold in our hearts and for our families and dear ones back home.
- +++ For those in Education – Parochial, public and private – for Administrators, Teachers, Staffs, Catechists, ACT members, Bible Study groups, and School Commission members, SMAFA, and the many committees working with our schools.
- +++ In appreciation for what we are learning about the roots of our faith as well as about another culture.

† Day Nine Tuesday Feb. 12th Jerusalem

Basilica of the Holy Sepulchre Mass 6:30 A.M. Israel / 11:30 P.M. Greensburg

- + **Mary Dickman**
- +++ For Pope Francis, Archbishop Thompson, Fr. John, Fr. Adam, Deacon Brad, all leaders of our Church, and for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life and in thanksgiving for our faith.
- +++ For our families, to whom we will soon be returning and for all families in Saint Mary Parish.

† Day Ten Wednesday Feb. 13th Jerusalem

St. Peter of Gallicantu Mass 10:00 A.M. Israel / 3:00 A.M. Greensburg

- + **Catherine Loechle**
- +++ In thanksgiving for a wonderful pilgrimage and blessings on each of us as we travel back to our families and share our experiences.
- +++ For safe travel on our pilgrim's return trip home, that all will be filled with a spirit that will permeate St. Mary Parish with the Holy Spirit and a sense of unity with each other and with our heritage.
- +++ For all the many people who helped in so many ways to make this trip a reality.

St. Mary Pilgrimage Participants

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| Sally & Tom Bogemann | Belinda Brown |
| Tom Bruns & Charlene Melton | Mary Bultman |
| Ed & Joann Burkhardt | Karen Burkhardt |
| Nancy & Terry Castle | Bradley Dewey |
| Shelby Dewey | Dennis & Vera Dickman |
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| Debbie Greiwe | Marge Greiwe |
| Lori Hunter | Sue Koors |
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| John & Peg Nieman | Ester Nieman |
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| Gary & Linda Ortman | Terri Pleak |
| Lauren Reed | Carol & Todd Reed |
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| Donna Swinford | Drew & Wilma Young |
| Annette & Mark Zobel | |

Thank you to all in the parish who have supported this pilgrimage in many ways including filling in for all of us while we are away.

Your prayers and support are greatly appreciated.

Please Consider Joining the

St. Mary's Prayer Shawl Ministry



This ministry combines prayer and the love of knitting/crocheting to reach out to those in need of comfort. The maker of the shawl begins each shawl with prayers for the recipient. Blessings are prayed into each stitch as it is created. When the shawl is completed, it is offered a final blessing. These hand-crafted prayer shawls will be freely gifted and available to those in our church family and community in need of support. Each shawl is meant to represent a hug and it is our hope that the recipients and makers alike will feel the loving embrace of God. Please join us in fellowship and let us be knit together in Christ's love!

We need your help!

- If you knit, crochet, or would like to learn how.
- If you know someone who could benefit from receiving a shawl.
- Yarn donations are also welcomed and appreciated to keep the ministry going.

Mark your Calendar

Our first meeting will be February 24th at 11:00 AM in Meeting Room 1. We will have monthly meetings on the 4th Sunday of each month. You can also email us anytime at mgehrich@stmarysgreensburg.com.

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