2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world." *John 1:29*

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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.

Bereavement Ministry - 812-663-8427 ext 200 or stmarycares@yahoo.com Miscarriage Ministry - 812-663-8427 ext 200 littlesouls@stmarysgreensburg.com

SCHOOL: 812-663-2804

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Do you feel called to be a substitute adorer? We would love to have you! If interested, please contact Linda Ortman 812-614-4553

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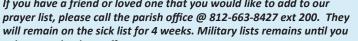
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If you have a friend or loved one that you would like to add to our will remain on the sick list for 4 weeks. Military lists remains until you ask us to take them off.

PRAYER REQUESTS

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

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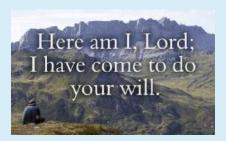


Second Sunday in Ordinary Time <u>Isaiah 49:3, 5-6 1 Corinthians 1:1-3 John 1:29-34</u>		
OUR SUNDAY COLI	LECTIONS	MASS SCHEDULE & INTENT
Description	12/25/2022	<u> Monday - January 16 - NO</u>
Weekend Contributions	\$74,681.95	<u>Tuesday - January 17</u> 4:30-5:00 pm Confessio
Capital Improvement Fund	\$5,205.00	5:30 pm: +Jim & Ruth Blan
Christmas	\$25,642.00	<u>Wednesday - January 1</u>
Energy Costs	\$30.00	School Mass 8:15 am: +Briar
First Offering	\$2.00	Thursday - January 19
-		4:30-5:00 pm Confessio 5:30 pm: +Greg Siefer
Votive Candles	\$87.00	Friday - January 20
Retired Religious	\$10.00	Private: +Frank Schrein
Clarity	\$85.00	<u>Saturday - January 21</u>
Solemnity of Mary	\$222.00	<i>3:30 Confessions</i> 4:30 pm: +Amelia Wolt
Flower Donations	\$125.00	<u>Sunday - January 22</u>
AGAPE	\$534.00	8:00 am: +Dennis Schwe
New Church Building Fund	\$40.00	10:00 am: +Leonard & Agnes Kran
School Fund	\$5,250.00	Rest in Peace
Total Sunday Collections	\$111,913.95	Let us remember and pray for all of our

Thank you for your generous contributions. This week our actual collections after adjusting for special collections were \$37,072.60 more than our budget of \$37,609.35 Thank you again for your stewardship.

Jan 15th | 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant



from the womb..." **ISAIAH 49:5**

God has given each of us different gifts. God has given each of us a different plan.

Be like "The Little Drummer Boy" and be thankful for the gifts God has given you and share them abundantly.

The Stewardship Committee

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r deceased family, friends, and loved ones. May they rest in peace.

> Dale A. Riedeman 1-4-2023 Patti Huser 12-27-2022

What we keep in memory is ours unchanged forever."



<u>*Weddings</u>* Blaine & Lillian (Ward) Nobbe</u> January 7, 2022 ~May we grow together in the Love of Christ.~



Sophia Louise Walton child of Josh & Erin Sauley

ALUMINUM CAN COLLECTION. We continue to collect aluminum cans. Cans can be left by the storage building behind the school. Please rinse out your cans and it is also helpful if they are crushed to allow us more space when hauling. Proceeds from the cans go toward youth and adult mission trips.



St. Mary Church and School 1331 E Hunter Robbins Way, Greensburg, IN - (812) 663-8427			January 15, 2023			
Jan 16-22	Greeter	Eucharistic Minister	Church Cleaning Crew	Usher	Server	Lector
Tuesday, Jan 17 5:30 pm					Henry Schutte	
Thurs, Jan 19 5:30 pm					Abigail Porter	
Friday - Saturday, January 20-21			Linda Weigel's Cleaning Crew			
Sat, January 21 4:30 pm	Karen Evans	Jayne McCleland - C-1 Prepare Bread & Wine Chris McCleland - C-2 Wash Vessels after Mass Barbie Brown - H-1 Sign-In Coordinator Lucas Louagie - H-2 Patricia Louagie - H-3 Marge Greiwe - H-4 Sue Lebo - H-5 Deb Greiwe - H-6		Brian Schwering Tim Stone Ken Lecher Kevin Krekeler Mike Manus Andy Schwering	Veda Fox Lyla Fox Caleb Fry	Lector Needed
Sunday, January 22 8:00 am	Linda Schwering	Jennifer Nobbe - C-1 Prepare Bread & Wine Helen Wagener - C-2 Wash Vessels after Mass Marge Bruns - H-1 Sign–In Coordinator June Rigney - H-2 Laura Jo Tebbe - H-3 Diane Novak - H-4 Mike Novak - H-5 Glenn Tebbe - H-6		Dan Schwering Robert King Jeff Goodpaster David Fuel Usher Needed Carl Buening	Allison Bedel Declan Bruns Lucas Kramer	Scott Johnson
Sunday, January 22 10:00 am	Tom Ricke	Carol Koester - C-1 Prepare Bread & Wine Mark Young - C-2 Wash Vessels after Mass Joanne Scudder - H-1 Sign–In Coordinator Jane Burkert - H-2 Samantha Burkert - H-3 Spencer Burkert - H-4 Tom Ricke - H-5 Martina Rueff - H-6		Matt Lawrence Gary Ortman Greg P Navarra Charlie Kramer Dan Scheidler Danny Nobbe	Conner Bedel Alaina Bedel Zoe Wage	Monty Shields

CALLING ALL BAKERS

CAKE WALK

cakes, cookies, pies, brownies, pies, cupcakes, etc.

DINNER ITEMS cookies and brownies (pre-packaged with 2-3 goodies per bag) SMAFA is asking for the help of St. Mary's family and friends. We are holding our annual chili supper Jan. 28th and we are in need of items for the cake walk and the dinner. ITEMS CAN BE DROPPED OFF 1-27-23 8-4 inside the parish office doors OR 4-6 under the church canopy 1-28-23 noon to 4:30 gathering area



St. Mary's is still looking for crews for our new cleaning schedule for the church for the rest of 2022 and beyond. This will be another stewardship opportunity of your

time and talent. On a weekly basis, the inside of the church requires the standard upkeep of dusting, sweeping, vacuuming, and cleaning windows which usually takes a crew 1.5 hours to clean. We would love to see families or groups of 4 volunteers make this a service activity together! Our hope is with enough volunteers for one group to clean four times a year. We currently have 6 cleaning crews now and we need about 7 more to make this happen. Please call the parish office to sign-up at 812-663-8427 ext. 200. Further instruction can be given at that time. The available times are Friday evenings (after 7 P.M.) and Saturday mornings (must be finished before 10 AM). Thank you for your willingness to keep our beautiful space clean and safe for our parish.



JANUARY 15, 2023

Girls' Basketball

In the days before Christmas break, St. Mary's hosted try outs for the 2023 girls' basketball team. Since then, these young ladies have been hitting the court to prepare for the season which begins this week. Here are the 2023 St. Mary's Lady Knights basketball players:

7th grade team

Erica Capper Frankie Fry Maya Kennelly Makayla Kieffer Maisyn Meehan Josie Shields Josie Slaven Ali Wells

8th grade team

Adelle Bainbridge Alaina Bedel Madelyn Bedel Veda Fox Kamryn Haas Kiera Kennelly Ali Nobbe Adelynn Stier

We wish these ladies a successful season. Come out and see them play sometime!



UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Jan. 16 Open House for Pre K and K
- Jan. 16 No School MLK Day
- Jan. 17 Girls' basketball 6:00 home v. Jennings Co.
- Jan. 19 Girls' basketball 6:00 @ Waldron

Did you know?

On Monday, January 16, St. Mary's is hosting its Kindergarten and Preschool Open House. The classrooms will be open from 1:00 to 6:00 PM. Since it is the MLK Day holiday, there will be no students in school which allows the teachers freedom to talk with the prospective parents and students and answer questions. A child who will be 5 by August 1 is eligible for Kindergarten and those who are 4 by August 1 will be eligible for preschool. Come and visit to see what we have to offer.

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6:30pm

St. Mary's Catholic Church 1331 Hunter Robbins Way

We will mark the 50th anniversary of the Roe V Wade Supreme Courts decision that legalized abortion and led to more than 62 million abortions in the U.S. since 1973

Speaker: Decatur Coutny Right to Life President - Patricia Louagie

CAll are welcome!

To our parish family,

Thanks to all for your prayers, for your cards and for your love and support at the passing of our dear son, Kyle. Also a big thank you to Sally Koors and the ladies who prepared and served the delicious meal after the funeral. God bless all of you. Dennis & Gayla Lecher



Our family wishes to extend heartfelt appreciation for the prayers, kindness, and sympathy for our mother, Helen. A special thank you to Father John, Anita Navarra, Porter's Funeral Home, and the hands that helped prepare and serve the delicious meal.

Helen Kramer family

Pre- K Open House is coming.... If you have a child that will be 4 years old by August 1, 2023 and would like for us to send you an Open House invitation please call the school 812-663-2804,



leave your name and address, we will send you an invitation.

Or email:preschool@stmarysgreensburg.com if you have any additional questions please leave your phone number someone will return your call as soon as possible. Thank you!



Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

January 18-25

"Do good; seek justice." Isaiah 1:17

Today, Christians around the world celebrate the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity together, with the encouragement for the World Council of Churches' Faith and Order Commission and the Vatican's Pontifical Council for Promoting Christian Unity.

~Please pray this prayer.~

Gracious Father, Almighty and eternal God, you gather the scattered sheep and watch over those you have gathered. Look kindly on all who follow Jesus, your Son. You have marked them with the seal of one baptism; now make them one in the fullness of faith and unite them in the bond of love. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

January 15, 2023



"May your mercy, Lord, be upon us as we place our hope in you." Psalm 33:22

CHRIST HAVE MERCY RETREAT REGISTRATION

St. Mary's Christ Have Mercy Retreat will focus on the Mercy of God through Christ. Together you will be led through the program highlighting a renewed awareness of the Mercy we personally experience in our daily lives and the Mercy we share with those around us. This is a great opportunity to be a part of a study group and to have personal time for meditation.

Start the Season of Lent with the Christ Have Mercy Retreat.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25th, 8:30 am to 6:00 pm

This one-day retreat will include talks and table discussions, prayer and reflection, the opportunity for reconciliation, and all will attend Mass together. There will be plenty of food, drinks, and snacks. Stay for a Saturday evening social hour if you like. There is no cost. FREE WILL Donations will be gladly accepted. Registration is now open. Space is limited - so sign up early!

The Christ Have Mercy Retreat is for women and men 21 and over:

Name:			
Address:			
Phone #:		Email:	
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Return to St.	Mary's Parish Office, 133	1 E Hunter Robbins Way, Greensburg, IN 47	240
Register onli	ne at <u>https://form.jotform.c</u>	om/223186974117159	n 1999.
	ive a copy of all the music refer. You can choose mult	we use over the weekend. Please indicate v tiple.	what method or methods
CD	Flash drive	Link (most likely YouTube music)	

St. Mary's Adult & Youth Faith Formation

"Promoting Faith Formation in the Community" January 14/15 2023

ST. MARY'S NIGHT AT THE MOVIES! SPREAD THE WORD TO ALL YOUR FRIENDS!

The Robe

January 24, 2023, 6:30PM

\$8.00 PER TICKET.

Includes small drink and popcorn!

RSVP to Anita Navarra at 812-663-8427. Ext. 204. We need an

approximate count of how many will attend to have enough theaters.

RSVP by January 17, 2023.

Mass

Sponsored by St. Mary's Adult Catechetical Team

Faith Formation Calendar

Jan 24—Movie Night at Wolf Theater



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Feb 4—St Mark's Bell Choir at 4:30 pm

Feb 8—1st Eucharist Parent Mtg, 6:45 pm,church

Feb. 11-Married Couples Dinner & speaker

Feb. 25—"Christ Have Mercy" One Day Adult Retreat

<u>Resources</u>

Check out our resources in the parish library. "The Power of Pause" helps us look at the importance of taking time to simply pause and let our souls catch up with our bodies.

"May I Have this Dance" by Joyce Rupp is an invitation to prayer throughout the year. "Out of the Ordinary" by Joyce Rupp is a collection of prayers, poems, and reflections for every season.

Amen App

https://amenapp.org. This app can be downloaded to enjoy many hours of prayer, meditation, and Scripture. Includes music, reflections, and Catholic prayers.

Dinner and a Speaker

For Married Couples

February 11, 2023, following 5:30 pm

Humor & Marriage – a lighthearted time for couples to both laugh together while also

enriching their marriage

<u>National speaker, Susan Vogt</u>, will share some foibles from her own marriage of 50 years plus principles from marriage counseling.

St. Mark Parish Bell Choir to lead music at our

February 4, 2023

4:30 pm Mass

St Mary Parish, Greensburg



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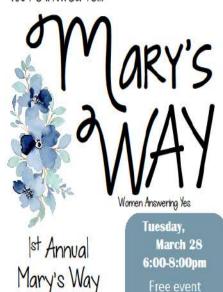
SMAFA invites you to the nna TURDAY, JANUARY 28, 2023 @ ST. MARY'S SCHOOL CHILI SERVED* 5:00 - 7:30** CHILI SUPPER WILL BE FREE WILL OFFERING CARNIVAL GAMES AND RAFFLES 5:00 - 8:00 GAMES RIZES SILENT AUCTION **BASKET RAFFLES** CONCESSIONS -50/50 RAFFLE *HOT DOGS ARE OFFERED AS WELL **OR UNTIL FOOD RUNS OUT

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO ST. MARY'S SCHOOL

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January 15, 2023

You're invited to ...





Free event Candlelight Dinner Thank you, Parish Festiva

Candlelight catered dinner, inspirational speaker, prayer & fellowship for women (high school age and older) in the St. Mary's School gymnasium.



Host a table!

Find 7 friends to join you for this event and host a table! Table hosts are asked to decorate a table in line with formal dining: dinnerware (no disposables), table decorations, flameless candles, and a Mary statue. (Don't worry, we can supply you with one if needed.)

Featuring: Am Winke If you cannot fill a table of 8, please let us know. We will be accepting individual Published Author and registrations as well and can help fill your table with that list. Founder of Marv's Way

Register as a table captain by calling, texting, or e-mail Mandy Bedel mbedel@stmarysgreensburg.com (812)614.2353



Open to all students 6th-12th grade If you like to sing, and LOVE to have fun, come join us!

Rehearsal Wednesday Nights Time: (after Religious Ed Class) 8:00pm-9:15pm St. Mary's Church

Any Questions? call or text Hayley Trenkamp (812) 593-9942

After a 3 year break, the St. Mary's Youth Choir is finally back with a new director and fresh start! We are not a competition choir...we accept all individuals regardless of singing ability. We simply strive to share God's message through song ... to all who will stop to listen. If you like to sing ... and LOVE to have fun ... then consider joining us this year!



2023 E6 Catholic Men's Conference, East Central High School Performing Arts Center, St. Leon,

IN - Saturday, Feb 18th We cordially invite every man to attend this 8th annual event. Please join us for inspiring talks. confession (available all day), celebration of the Holy Mass and fraternity with fellow men of Christ. We pride ourselves on presenting a quality, substance-driven, inspirational and faith-filled event that will change men's lives and help equip them to be the man Christ calls them to be. Do not miss this! More details and tickets are on sale now at <u>www.e6cmc.com</u>.

Monday Night Chicken Dinners 5-7 PM

- Curbside stay in your car call 812-663-2607 & we will 1. come to you.
- 2. Walk-up Carry Out order at bar window.
- 3. Dine In
- Knights of Columbus #1042

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Community Blood Drive St. Maurice Parish Hall, Napoleon, IN

Tuesday, Feb 7th | 11:00 am - 5:00 pm Appointments are strongly encouraged and may be scheduled online

at www.hoxworth.org/groups/napoleon or by calling Arlene Gehl: 812-852-4394. All donors will receive a Hoxworth wearable blanket and the heartfelt gratitude of patients in need of life-saving blood.







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