



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2019

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS

March 2 | 5:30pm Mass

Lector: Ruth Stegeman

Director of Worship: Cathy Francka

Servers: Caleb Farris, Casey Farris, Josie Francka

Ministers of Hospitality: Pat Brauner, Rick Brondel, Bob Bruemmer, Brian Francka

Eucharistic Ministers: Linda Pawliczak, Pam Brauner, Teresa Brondel, Scott Distler, Teresa Dusenberg, Bridget Engelbrecht, Audrey Goodin

March 3 | 7:30am Mass

Lector: Kaye Meller

Director of Worship: Jon Woehrer

Servers: Graham Kauffman, Emma Lehmen, Ava Rustemeyer

Ministers of Hospitality: Toby Schmitz, David Schulte, Dan Steck, Ron Toebben

Eucharistic Ministers: Rita Rustemeyer, Paul & Carmen Samson, Debbie Schwarzer, Doug & Cindy Stegeman, Heather Condon

March 3 | 10:30am Mass

Lector: Bonnie Brauner

Director of Worship: Heather Walters

Servers: Maddox Meller, Lydia Moellers, Arabella Newlon

Ministers of Hospitality: Janet Hirschman, Diann Jacobs, Mike Metzger, Gary Miller

Eucharistic Ministers: Ron & Janice Eggen, Jeff Ehmke, Annie Gates, Ric Heckman, Lorene Herigon, Fran Hubbard

VOCATION CORNER

Recently the vocation committee held Fifth Grade Vocation Day. One of the activities was a questionnaire which included "What do my baptismal promises mean to me?" Their responses were awesome with things like: "to let God choose my path and my journey, helping others, serving God in as many ways as I can, to stay holy in my religious faith, and to always keep Jesus in my heart".

Please pray for all seminarians, especially St. Martin graduates, Deacon Brad Berhorst and Matt Lorang.

Your prayers and support make a difference.

BISHOP MCKNIGHT'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION

For the parishes and institutions of the Diocese of Jefferson City; that through all our prayers, works, joys and sufferings together, we may experience the communion of the Church and the bonds of peace.



7th Sunday
 IN ORDINARY TIME

"Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful." - Lk 6:36

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:30pm, Sunday: 7:30am and 10:30am | Monday: No Mass | Tuesday: 5:30pm | Wednesday - Friday: 7:50am

Confession: 30 Minutes prior to all Masses except Saturday when Confessions will be from 4:00pm - 5:15pm

Parish Office Hours:

Monday: Closed

Tuesday-Friday:
 After Mass until 4pm

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PARISH FINANCIALS

FEBRUARY 17, 2019

ENVELOPES:	\$8,459.00
LOOSE:	\$519.50
INITIAL OFFERING:	\$10.00
TOTAL:	\$8,988.50

It takes an average weekly envelope contribution of **\$19,314** to meet our parish budget.

Average Envelope Contribution Budget July 1-February 10, 2019	\$656,676.00
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Actual Envelope Contribution Budget July 1-February 10, 2019	\$642,850.64
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Overage/(shortage) (\$13,825.36)

MASS INTENTIONS

† Indicates deceased

- 2/25** No Mass
- 2/26** 5:30 p.m..... Stokes and DuNard families (living and deceased)
- 2/27** 7:50 a.m.....† Fred, Ruth, and Vicki Boeckman
- 2/28** 7:50 a.m.....† Yansky and Veit families
- 3/1** 7:50 a.m.....† Otto Werdehausen
- 3/2** 5:30 p.m.† Brian Essary, Norbert and Anna Knipp
- 3/3** 7:30 a.m.....† Antionette and Kenneth Lazarz
10:30 a.m..... People of the Parish

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

RCIA

The next RCIA class will be Thursday, February 28 from 6-7:30pm in the cafeteria. Please contact Mark McGuire if you have any questions.

PSR AND YOUTH RCIA

The next PSR/Youth RCIA class will be on Wednesday, March 13 at 6:00pm.

HOME/HOSPITAL VISITS

If you or someone you know would like to have a visit at home, at a nursing home or at a hospital, please contact the parish office or Mark McGuire at brpiomaria@gmail.com.

YOUTH GROUP NEWS

ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL AND MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH

You are an important part of our parish!! Please help us continue to develop and expand our high school and middle school youth groups. Our groups meet twice a month on Wednesdays for Bible study, games, movies, and much more. Everyone is welcome to attend. Contact Mark McGuire if you or your parents have any questions.

High School: The next meeting will be on Wednesday March 20, from 7-8:15 pm in the cafeteria. We will also do the ministries at the Ash Wednesday Mass on March 6 at 7pm.

Middle School: The next meeting will be on Wednesday, February 27 from 7-8:15pm in the cafeteria.

PARISHIONER NEWS

NEWLY BAPTIZED

- ◇ Avrem Robert Bax, son of Andrew and Tiffany Bax
- ◇ Alexis Joyce Holt, daughter of Carter and Lauren Holt

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

- ◇ Nancy and Hugo Mathey, and their children Lourdes, Etienne and Rocco
- ◇ Julie and Roger Gerloff

WEEKLY PARISH SCHEDULE

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25

NO SCHOOL

Knights of Columbus Bingo | 6:30pm
Prog#1 is \$999 Prog#2 is \$699.
Fried chicken dinner special.

Scripture Group, Cry Room | 7:00pm
Scouts, Cafeteria | 7:00pm

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26

Quilting | 9:00am

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27

Mobile Food Pantry | 4:00-6:00pm
Middle School Youth Group | 7:00pm

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28

RCIA, Cafeteria | 6:00pm

SATURDAY, MARCH 2

SUNDAY, MARCH 3

Samaritan Center Collection

Donut Sunday hosted by the Knights of Columbus

Scrip Sales after all weekend Masses

PARISHIONER NEWS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

February 24: Kambrie Benton, Mark Boyer, Cole Fennewald, Michele Higgins, Charlene Noring, Hunter Reinkemeyer

February 25: Matthew Benne, Chris Eiken, William Hoelscher, Kristen Stegeman

February 26: Maddox Henley, Tony Hentges, Matthew Hodges, Larry Lehmen, Jim Loethen, Alexa Rehmeier

February 27: Bonnie Brauner, Jennifer Brondel, Joyce Distler, Courtney Matthews, Joyce Messer, Katie Pestka, Gregory Porting

February 28: Karen Boyer, Caleb Dildy, Mitch Eveler, Payton Kauffman, Connor Reinkemeyer, Rachel Utrecht

February 29: Peyton Samson

March 1: Alexander Lange, Aiden Reichel, Alec Schroer

March 2: E. Ronald Backers, Cole Patterson, Courtney Toebben

If you would like to have the St. Martin's Prayer Line pray for your special needs, please email Sandie Cope, sandieicu@gmail.com

All bulletin announcements are due the Tuesday before the weekend you wish to print in, by 9:00 am. Please email them to smartinparishoffice@gmail.com.

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

FAITH SHARING GROUPS

We will be offering the *Credo* video-based program for small groups to use during Lent. If you would like to form your own group or would like to lead a group of others, please contact the parish office or Mark McGuire. If you would like to participate in a group, please email the parish office or sign up on the bulletin board in the back of church.

PARISH TOWN HALL MEETING

The Parish Council, Finance Council and School Board recently met to discuss a five-year plan for the parish. These discussions will continue and the Council plans to hold a parish town hall meeting in the spring. Discussion will center around the following areas: Parish property, Security/Safety, School, Faith Formation, Financial, and Administrative. Share your thoughts and ideas on these topics with Julie Erwin, Parish Council President, or the parish office. Julie can be reached at 573-690-5019 or Julie.a.erwin11@gmail.com. The parish office is: smartinparishoffice@gmail.com. Everyone's input is needed!

GROUNDSKEEPER NEEDED

Our parish is in need of someone to assist with the yard work around the church and rectory. Please contact the parish office if you can help.

LENTEN FISH FRYS

Our parish will be hosting fish frys on March 15 and March 29. We would appreciate assistance from school and non-school families to help make this fundraiser a success. Sign up sheets are on the bulletin board in the church vestibule.

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN

The next *Protecting God's Children* (Virtus) Workshop will be on Tuesday, February 26 at St. Andrew Parish, Tipton in the school cafeteria. Register at www.virtusonline.org.

DONUT SUNDAY SPONSORS

We are looking for volunteers to host one donut Sunday per year. This is an important opportunity for parishioners to socialize and share a bit of time with each other after the Masses on the first Sunday of each month. Sponsors order the donuts, make coffee and drinks, serve the donuts and setup/clean the cafeteria. If you can help, please contact the parish office.

PARISH SCHOOL NEWS

READ ACROSS AMERICA SPIRIT WEEK

The last week of February is Dr. Seuss' birthday and Read Across America week. In honor of our favorite authors, we are having a Dr. Seuss Spirit Week to celebrate reading! Each day will coordinate with one of our favorite Dr. Seuss Books.

Mon - *Cat in the Hat* (no school) Wear a fun hat.

Tues - *I Can Read with My Eyes Shut* - wear a t-shirt with a message on it.

Wed - *Wacky Wednesday* - wear wacky socks.

Thurs - *Oh the Places You'll Go* - wear a college jersey or t-shirt.

Fri - *Green Eggs and Ham* - wear green spirit wear.

SUPPORT FOR SCHOOL

We have two easy ways for you to support our school through your everyday shopping.

- If you shop through **AmazonSmile** at <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/44-0546357>. Amazon donates to our school for each of these purchases.
- Scrip can be used for everyday items like food, clothing, gas and other essentials. Every purchase earns revenue for you and the school. Anyone can order or buy scrip. Go to <https://smartin.eduk12.net/other?Item=Scrip> to see our school code and how to order and pay online.

Thank you for your support!

EVENTS IN THE DIOCESE

FISH FRYS

- ♦ Westphalia KofC - March 1 from 4:30-7pm at the KofC Hall. Adults: \$10, Children 6-10: \$5
- ♦ Loose Creek KofC - March 1 from 5:30-8:00 in the school basement. Adults: \$9, Children: \$4
- ♦ St. Michael's, Russellville - March 8, 22 and April 5 from 4:30-7pm. Adults - \$11, Children - \$5.

HAM AND SAUSAGE BREAKFAST

St. Thomas the Apostle Parish in St. Thomas is hosting a Country Ham & Sausage Breakfast on Sunday, March 10 from 8 - 11:30am. Adults: \$10, Children 6-12: \$5.

"THE WAY OF THE CROSS"

Catholic recording artist Donna Cori Gibson will perform "The Way of the Cross" in concert on Sun., March 10 at 6:00pm at St. Joseph Catholic Church school gym in Westphalia. The concert is free. A traveling relic display will be available before the concert.

TONY MELENDEZ CONCERT

St. Andrew Catholic Church will host Tony Melendez, the world famous guitarist, live in concert as he plays the guitar with his feet on Thursday, March 14 at 7:00pm.

UNITED DAY IN PRAYER

Fr. Matthew Flatley, will present the 27th Annual United Day in Prayer on Sat., March 16 from 9am-12:30pm at the A.J. Schwartz Memorial Catholic Center. The Theme will be Forgiveness: The Path to Freedom...the Freedom to Choose Love". For more information, contact Carol Steinman at 573-864-1097.

RELIC OF ST. JEAN VIANNEY

The major relic of St. Jean Vianney's incorrupt heart will be at the Cathedral of St. Joseph on Saturday, March 16 from 8am - 7pm. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, the event allows veneration of the patron of parish priests. Visit www.kofc.org/vianney for more details. The day begins with Mass at 8am, confessions will be available from 8am - 5pm, and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be available.



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