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SUNDAY	MASS SCHEDULE		ANTICIPATED VIGIL
6:00 AM St. Boniface	8:30 AM St. Meinrad	9:30 AM Archabbey	5:00 PM Saturday St. Boniface
<i>MASS SCHEDULE AT PARTNER PARISHES</i>			
	7:30 AM St. Martin of Tours	9:30 AM St. Isidore the Farmer	6:00 PM Saturday St. Isidore the Farmer

DAILY MASS	CONFESSIONS
Monday & Wednesday Tuesday & Friday Wednesday	Wednesday 3:45 PM St. Meinrad Saturday 9:00 AM St. Meinrad Saturday 4:15 PM St. Boniface

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION	Wednesdays 3:30-4:30 PM St. Meinrad First Friday with Confessions 8:00 AM St. Meinrad
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THE MISSION OF OUR PARISH FAMILY

St. Boniface Parish and St. Meinrad Parish exist to nurture an intentional faith-filled Catholic Community which inspires and empowers all people to follow Jesus Christ. We will continue to "Keep our eyes fixed on Jesus" (Hebrews 12:2) by living the Word of God, celebrating the sacraments with meaningful worship, and calling one another to prayer, Christian Service, and fellowship rooted in the living tradition of a rich German-Catholic heritage.

LET US PRAY TO THE LORD... LORD HEAR OUR PRAYER

POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY INTENTION – NOVEMBER 2017

Christians in Asia That Christians in Asia, bearing witness to the Gospel in word and deed, may promote dialogue, peace, and mutual understanding, especially with those of other religions.

Remembering our Loved Ones: Sanctuary Lamps for November 3
+ Hannibal (Alex) Black SB + Louis Schwoeppe SM

Remember in your prayer the sick, infirm and homebound members of our parish family and community: Ray Vaal, Eileen Schaefer, Richard Waninger (brother of Kenny & Smokey, & Carol Vaal), Rosie Peters, Betty Schaefer, Cletus Seifert (brother of Pearl Gelarden), Bonnie Sitzman, Tim Waninger (son of Ray & Leona), Chantelle Ubelhor (sister of Marlene Oser), Clay Sitzman.

+ **Louis Schipp** Please remember in your thoughts and prayers the family and friends of **Louie Schipp**, who died on November 8. Louie's Funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Boniface Church on Saturday, November 11. May he now rest in peace knowing the fullness of life and peace promised by Christ.

FAMILY PRAYER CROSS FOR VOCATIONS – OCTOBER 2017

Irma Gudorf SB Anna Mae Beckman SM

MASS SCHEDULE	THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH FAMILY	MASS INTENTION
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Saturday, November 11

6:30 AM	Pizza Assembly - Fulda Sportsman Club
8:00 AM	Mass - Monte Cassino
9:00 AM	Pizza Pick-up - Fulda Sportsman Club
9:00 AM SM	Confessions
4:15 PM SB	Confessions
5:00 PM SB	Mass + Rosemary Edwards
5:00 PM	Veteran's Day Program - St. Meinrad Legion
6:30 PM	Social with Cards - Fulda Sportsman Club

Sunday, November 12

6:00 AM SB	Mass Missa Pro Populo (for the People of Our Parish Family)
7:00 AM	Breakfast Buffet - K of C #5599
8:30 AM SM	Mass + Brian Denning (A) & Deceased Members of the KofC

9:30 AM PO	K of C Widow's Breakfast
3:30 PM	Catholic Youth Organization - SMA
3:30 PM SM	Lectio Divina
4:00 PM PO	Adult Bible Study
5:00 PM	1 & Only's Adult Support Group - SMA

Monday, November 13

7:30 AM SB	Mass + Eugene Gudorf
7:30 AM SB	Anointing of the Sick
6:30 PM PC	SB Men's Society
6:30 PM	Community Center Board - SMCC
6:30 PM PO	Spencer County Bi-centennial Planning

Tuesday, November 14

7:30 AM SM	Mass + Virginian Ringeman (A)
7:30 AM SM	Anointing of the Sick
6:00 PM	Fulda Sewer Board
6:30 PM PO	Heritage & Fundraising and Marketing Commission

Wednesday, November 15

7:30 AM SB	Mass + Barbara Feldpausch
11:15 AM PO	Adult Bible Study
1:00 PM PO	Staff Meeting No Counter Service after 12:00 PM
3:30 PM SM	Eucharistic Adoration with Confessions at 3:45 PM Holy Hour for the Sanctity of Life & Vocations in the Church
4:30 PM SM	Mass + Alice Demuth
4:30 PM SM	Anointing of the Sick
5:00 PM PO	Faith Formation SPRED Catechists Only
6:30 PM PC	Faith Formation Preschool-Grade 5
6:30 PM SB	Faith Formation Grade 6-10

Thursday, November 16

9:30 AM	Mass - Scenic Hills Care Center
5:00 PM	SB Supper Social - New Boston Tavern
6:30 PM	Relay for Life Team

Friday, November 17

7:30 AM SM	Mass + Marion Murphy
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Saturday, November 18

8:00 AM	Mass - Monte Cassino
9:00 AM SM	Confessions
11:00 AM PC	Private Gathering
4:15 PM SB	Confessions
5:00 PM SB	Mass + Edward & Hildegard (A) Miller

Sunday, November 19

6:00 AM SB	Mass Missa Pro Populo (for the People of Our Parish Family)
8:30 AM SM	Mass + John (A) & Anna Mae Kunkler & Kurt Philipps (A)
3:30 PM	Catholic Youth Organization - SMA
3:30 PM SM	Lectio Divina
4:00 PM PO	Adult Bible Study

YOUTH FAITH FORMATION ACTIVITIES

Sundays

3:30 PM	SMA Catholic Youth Organization
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Wednesday, November 15

5:00 PM PO	SPRED Catechists Only
6:30 PM PC	Preschool-Grade 5
6:30 PM SB	Grade 6-10

ANNOUNCEMENTS

November Wish List – Catholic Charities Tell City

Gloves: men*, children, and women. *Donations for men's gloves often are overlooked. Return your filled *Catholic Charities Tote Bag* throughout the month at church entrances or sacristies. Extra tote bags available for use and exchange in church vestibules to fill for the next month.

SM Ladies Sodality St. Nicholas Party – Tuesday, December 5 6:00 PM, at the St. Meinrad Legion. Donations will be collected for St. Nicholas Helping Hands. Call Diane Hoffman 812-357-2039 for reservations by November 27. Please plan ahead to bring your cookies to the Cookie Walk on December 17 after Mass.

K of C Mass for Deceased Members – Sunday, November 12 8:30 AM Mass, at St. Meinrad. The Mass Intention for this Mass will be for the Deceased Members of Council #5599. A section of pews will be reserved for the families of deceased members. A blessing will be offered to the family members present and wives will receive a rose. Following Mass, a

breakfast will be served. Invitations will be sent in the coming days. For more information, contact Shawn Schwindel, Grand Knight.

Report of Weekly Financial Stewardship I continue to learn about the dynamics of our parish family through the Feasibility Study underway for St. Meinrad Parish in regards to the possibility of a Parish Activity Center. One of the areas of concern that our consultants shared with me is that there is a disconnect between how we are reporting our Weekly Financial Stewardship (number of envelopes used), versus the reality of the percentage of envelope users throughout the year. Parishioners give generously at different times throughout the year; annually, quarterly, monthly, weekly. Beginning this weekend, the information in the Weekly Financial Stewardship Report will only list what was received in the collection and electronically per weekend. The misconception is that only a third of the parishioners are financially supporting their parish through envelope usage, when in actuality in fiscal year 2016-2017, the percentage of parishioners using envelopes or ACH (electronic) was SB 82% & SM 81%, and in 2015-2016, SB 83% & SM 78%.

Your vision and interest represent a swatch of the fabric that makes up the composite of our parish family and your comments and perspective on the long-term viability of St. Meinrad Catholic Church will play a vital role in guiding our future planning. The Feasibility Study will guide the work of JGA in formulating a recommendation to the commission's proposed planning. Your input will only strengthen the process and will directly impact JGA's recommendation to the planning commission's work and future planning. On behalf of the 20/20 Vision Planning Commission and Feasibility Study Committee thank you to those who have taken the time to offer their input. It is greatly appreciated.

Save The Dates Belize Immersion Trip – June 10-17, 2018, contact Pam Davis 812-661-9110. Appalachia Immersion Trip – June 13-16, 2018, contact Sally Gravatte 812-630-1961.

St. Meinrad Altar Society – November 16 (B); December 7 (A)

Martin's Cloak Food Pantry – November 11 Michelle Blalock & girls, Carol Vaal, Karen Lamar

Birth Baskets – 7 receiving blankets, 5 dozen diapers, 10 rubber pants, 7 white onesies, 14 sleepers, 7 dreft... Updated 9-20-17

LITURGICAL MINISTRY COMMITMENTS

	5:00 PM – SB	NOVEMBER 12 6:00 AM – SB	8:30 AM – SM
Rosary	D&B Kress	-	K of C
Sacristan	K Kern	D Peters	S Gravatte
Hospitality	E&K Peters	-	M&D Flaherty
Usher	P Haefling, R Hildenbrand, L Kern, J Wagner	P Berg, J Mullis, D Rickelman, C Waninger	JA Ebert, T Kloeck, S Mullis, L Waninger
Priest	Father Anthony, OSB	Father Anthony, OSB	Father Anthony, OSB
Deacon	Andy Hammeke	Andy Hammeke	Andy Hammeke
Acolyte/W	Seminarian Patrick	Seminarian Patrick	Seminarian Patrick
Acolyte/A	JJ Wagner	L Rickelman	L Mullis
Cross	J Welch	B Welch	B Ebert
Candles	M Blalock, KM Hildenbrand	CD Schaefer, E Schaefer	C Sitzman, W Sitzman
Lector	EC Haefling, CJ Waninger	B Schaefer	S Kloeck, C Schwoepp
EMHC	Priest, Deacon Andy, C Blalock, G Gentry, J Robinson, CJ Waninger, ES Haefling, K Wagner	Priest, Deacon Andy, Seminarian Patrick, F Schaefer	Priest, Seminarian Patrick, G Mullis, R Sitzman, C Sitzman, C Vaal, AJ Vaal, SM Vaal
	5:00 PM – SB	NOVEMBER 19 6:00 AM – SB	8:30 AM – SM
Rosary	P Gelarden	-	SM Ladies Sodality
Sacristan	L Dilger	C Snyder	L Leffert
Hospitality	J&D Gogel	-	R&B Schaefer
Usher	P Gerlach, P Haefling, N Hildenbrand, R Waninger	M Waninger, J Hoppenjans, K Waninger, A Birchler	B Wilmes, M Pund, R Sitzman, J Graman
Priest	Father Paul, OSB	Father Paul, OSB	Father Paul, OSB
Acolyte/W	TBD	TBD	B Mangum
Acolyte/A	K Davis	K Schaefer	C Brentlinger
Cross	S Haefling	CG Schaefer	JD Brentlinger
Candles	KM & KA Hildenbrand	CD Schaefer, E Schaefer	M Scherzer, L Fischer
Lector	EC Haefling, P Gelarden	F Schaefer	T Scherzer, E Schepers
EMHC	Priest, ES Haefling, S Gerlach, JA Waninger, M&S Woebkenberg, L Hildenbrand, J Hildenbrand	Priest, B Kress, K Snyder, TBD	Priest, K Mangum, SS Schaefer, M Flaherty, D Fromme, ML Denning, Fr. Bruce, TBD

STEWARDSHIP

ST. BONIFACE 169 households	SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5	ST. MEINRAD 221 households
0.00	Direct Deposits-Electronic	130.00
1,809.00	Offertory Gifts Received	3,074.00
\$ 1,809.00		\$ 3,204.00
Weekly \$ 2,559.81	Fiscal Year 2017-2018	Weekly \$ 3,226.44
Annual \$133,110.00	Financial Stewardship for Budget	Year \$167,775.00

BLESS OUR HOUSE OF PRAYER / Second Collection for General Maintenance & Capital Items

St. Boniface	\$ 2,290.76	Bless Our House Fund	\$ 2,712.00	St. Meinrad
	574.75	through October 25	542.00	
	\$ 2,865.51	Balance	\$ 3,254.00	

Goal – Replacement Doors for Front Entrance of Church
 *St. Boniface funds through March 31, 2017 were used to pay for replacement of north and south side doors; St. Meinrad funds were transferred to an interest-bearing holding account, pending approval of project and additional funds raised, to begin the restoration of church pews.

Goal – Restoration of Church Pews

PADRE'S POST

The Season of Gratitude is Upon Us As we begin to anticipate festive gatherings around such holidays as Thanksgiving and Christmas, we can become overwhelmed by what we are trying to accomplish. I am often amazed by the level of stress people put themselves into while preparing for “annual traditions and family celebrations.” Two things to consider are, where is Christ and your commitment to the communal celebration of the

sacraments, particularly Sunday Mass, and what your priorities during this time of the year. Why not simplify your “annual traditions and family celebrations” to make them work for you, and not against you. Let your gift be your time with others, your creativity in reconnecting with those you may have lost track of because of busyness, and lead with simple acts of charity. Make a difference, let that be your tradition and the focus of your celebration. Life is too short to get wrapped up in the details. I can remember gathering at my grandmothers for Thanksgiving; from the time that we arrived until late into the evening we never saw her. She was in the kitchen, busy cooking, tending to details, and trying to make everything perfect. Never was there a dirty dish, and the tables were carefully set with each utensil in its place. Now that she is gone, I wonder what holidays would have been like to simply visit and share in a modest meal with rich conversation. Have a plan, celebrate well, and remember you can do amazing things with a plan that is manageable.

During this time of preparation and celebration, I ask that you consider sharing your resources with Catholic Charities Tell City. This weekend begins the annual kickoff for the United Catholic Appeal. Each year, during UCA's Intention Weekend, families are asked to share their financial resources in support of the United Catholic Appeal, which supports three important areas. 1. Faith Formation for All Ages; 2. Seminarian and Clergy Care; 3. Charity and Outreach. Last year, because you cared and identified Catholic Charities Tell City as the recipient of your annual gift: 2,309 people were fed by Martin's Cloak Food Pantry; 199 families were assisted through the Early Years Store; 589 people were given financial assistance to aid in utilities, prescriptions, rent, etc.; 3,818 meals were served through Table of Blessings in Perry County; 376 coats were distributed through the Winter Coat Giveaway; and 4 class sessions of Budget Basics were offered to teach financial literacy skills. Do what you can, not what you cannot. I challenged each family/household last year to make a gift equivalent to a tank of gas or a meal out. Our parishes made their UCA goals, and I have no doubt that we can do the same again this year.

PAX – Father Anthony, OSB

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

Catholic Charities Winter Coat Giveaway, is once again being sponsored in conjunction with the Holiday Helpers United program. Coats for adults and children are currently available at the Catholic Charities office located at 802 10th Street, Tell City. Please call 812-547-0903 for more information on days and times of availability. There is a good selection of coats in all sizes, from infant through adult. Each person in the home may have 1 coat, 1 pair of gloves, 1 hat, and 1 scarf. Each household may have 1 blanket. Holiday Helpers United is a program of the United Way of Perry County. The winter coat giveaway program is administered by Catholic Charities.

Veterans Day Program – Saturday, November 11 5:00pm, St. Meinrad Legion. In observance of Veterans Day, all Veterans and their spouses in the area are invited to a free meal at the Legion.

Raffle Drawing for 2018 Kawasaki 4X4 Mule 5X, Windshield & Roof Included – Saturday, November 11, 2017 5:00pm, St. Augustine Catholic Church. \$20.00 per ticket; Must be 18 or older to purchase ticket; only 1,000 tickets sold. Contact any St. Augustine Parish Member, or send name, money and phone number to: St. Augustine, 18020 Lafayette St., Leopold, IN 47551

Little Elves Holiday Craft Show – Saturday, November 11 9:00am-1:00pm, Oakwood Villa Clubhouse, Oakwood Health Campus, Tell City. Fall and Christmas crafts for sale.

Crisis Connection “Faith Community as Partners in Peace” Live Training – Thursday, November 16 10:00am, live on Facebook at www.facebook.com/crisisconnection. Melinda Sterrett, Crisis Connection Victim Advocate, will lead discussion on how to promote healthy relationships. 24-hour Hotline 800-245-4580.

BBQ Chicken & Pork Chop Dinners & Raffle – Sunday, November 19 after Masses at churches and at the Legion. Cards at noon. Benefits Legion maintenance.

St. Augustine Craft Bazaar – Sunday, November 19 8:00am-1:00pm, Parish Hall, Leopold. Handmade ornaments, crafts, baked goods, homemade chili, hot chocolate, & tea. Local vendors will also have merchandise available. Vendor space available. If interested, contact preflatish@psci.net. Sponsor-St. Augustine's Christian Women's Society.

St. Michael Church Turkey Bingo – Sunday November 19 2:00pm, Cannelton Community Center. 20 turkeys (frozen) & 5 jackpots. Tickets \$2.00 for 25 games. Burgers, hotdogs, popcorn, candy, soft drinks.

Bookmobile – Monday, November 20 Adyeville 9:00-9:45am; Siberia 10:00-10:45am.

Christmas Bazaar – Saturday, December 2 6:00am-2:00pm, St. John's Lutheran Church, 1/2 mile west of New Boston. Apple dumplings, homemade candies, baked goods, stringerles, cheeseballs, turnip slaw, jellies, produce, quilts, crafts. Breakfast served 6:00-9:00am. Lunch (soups, burgers, pie) 9:00am-2:00pm.. Special soup sold by gallon; bring your own container. Everyone Welcome!

Taco Specials – Wednesdays 4:00-8:00pm, St. Meinrad American Legion.

Senior Citizens Meeting – Wednesday, December 13 1:00pm, Parish Office