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The Church in Central and Southern Indiana

May 7, 2023

Fifth Sunday of Easter (A)

Acts 6:1-7 / 1 Peter 2:4-9 / John 14:1-12



[Jesus said], "Do not let your hearts be troubled. You have faith in God; have faith also in me."

JOHN 14:1



## Where the Heart Is

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

**S**ome would say that the purpose of life is to save one's soul. And certainly we should try, with the grace of God, to live our lives in such a way that we avoid evil and do good in order to do our part in building God's kingdom on earth. At the same time, we must remember that it is God who saves us. We don't save ourselves. Eternal life and happiness are byproducts of loving others. If the focus of one's life is to be happy, one never achieves it. If one seeks to serve others, however, happiness seems to find us. So also eternal life.

Robert Frost's "The Death of a Hired Man" is a poem about Silas, an aging drifter farmhand, and Warren and Mary, a farming couple who give Silas a room whenever he comes around.

Silas comes when he is needed the least and leaves when his presence would be most helpful, all of which frustrates Warren. In the poem Silas has returned, and Mary thinks it will be his last time, that he is dying. She says to Warren that theirs is the only home Silas has. Warren simply shakes his head as if to gently mock the idea of home: "Home is the place where, when you have to go there, / They have to take you in." Mary says it differently, "I should have called it / Something you somehow haven't to deserve."

Is that not also the promise of Jesus? "In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If there were not, would I have told you that I am going to prepare a place for you?" (John 14:2). Something we somehow haven't to deserve. ●

### Reflect

**Where do you feel truly  
at home—and is Jesus  
invited?**





## One Family In Faith

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Be prepared to leave a message with the attendant, including your name, location and contact information. Father Anthony or the priest on call will respond as soon as possible. Please do not call or text Father Anthony's mobile phone in an emergency.

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**TO SCHEDULE A BAPTISM  
INFANT AND ADULT**



**TO SCHEDULE A MARRIAGE**



#### ST. BONIFACE PARISH CENTER

##### LOCATION

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**A SAFETY CONCERN**



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All times Central Time

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### WELCOME VISITORS & GUESTS

**Want to hear more about our parish family?**

 Sign up to receive the latest parish news and community information by text or email.

**Want to support the mission and ministry of our parish family?**

Make a one-time or recurring gifts using debit cards, credit cards, or eChecks (ACH).



### BECOME A MEMBER

A Catholic parish is the single most important part of our Catholic Church. A parish is where parishioners - the people - continue the mission of Jesus Christ. Our parish family exists to nurture an intentional faith-filled Catholic Community that inspires and empowers all people to follow Jesus Christ. We would love to have you as a parish family member if you are new to the area. If you have remained under your parent's membership, but now you are an adult, we encourage you to register independently. You may come to the parish office during office hours and register in person or [contact us](#) using the QR code, so we have a way to welcome you.





## PADRE'S POST

### Fifth Sunday of Easter

*Called out of darkness into the light of the Easter Mystery.*

John 14:1-12

### F3 Question of the Week

F3 Families and Caregivers, remember to view The Gospel for All Ages on page 6 of the weekly bulletin to learn more about today's Gospel passage through Scripture and Tradition.

This page features questions from this week's student session where your student, their catechists and classmates have learned more about their Catholic faith.

Also, the Family Corner briefly describes the gospel and helps us understand how Scripture and Tradition define us as a Church. I encourage each of you to continue to learn more about your faith as a family and together to pray the Family Prayer and take the weekly challenge inspired by the Question of the Week.

### When is it difficult for you to trust Jesus?

As we celebrate the Fifth Sunday of Easter, we hear in the Gospel of John, Chapter 14, Jesus assuring his Apostles that he is the way, the truth, and the life. We can make a connection here to what we learned on the Fourth Sunday of Easter, Good Shepherd Sunday, that Jesus is the Good Shepherd. He knows his sheep and they know him, and that whoever enters the sheepfold will be safe. Jesus reveals himself as the gate. This image serves as a metaphor linking the door of the Church, and more importantly, the door of the Tabernacle where Christ is present and available. As the Pilgrim Church on earth, we make a journey together with Jesus as our cornerstone, the cornerstone of the Church.

Throughout the Easter Season, we learn more about Heaven, and in doing so, have a desire to follow Jesus as he returns to the Father. Jesus' disciples did not want to lose him as they did on the day of his death and burial. Jesus' friends were worried that this might happen again. He was very clear that he must leave them again and return to the Father. As Catholics who daily live the Paschal Mystery, we are reminded, through the pains and sorrows of our life, that we are on a path leading us into holiness and into the life of Christ.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches us, "Christ, high priest and unique mediator, has made of the Church 'a kingdom, priests for his God and Father.' The whole community of believers is, as such, priestly. The faithful exercise their baptismal priesthood through their participation, each according to his own vocation, in Christ's mission as priest, prophet, and king. Through the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation the faithful are 'consecrated to be . . . a holy priesthood.'" (CCC 1546)

As Jesus returns to the Father, he sends the Holy Spirit to his disciples. The Holy Spirit gives them the courage to go out and baptize all nations through love and action. In our own life, we receive the Holy Spirit first at Baptism.

## PADRE'S POST (continued)

And then in the Sacrament of Confirmation we receive a special grace that strengthens the gift we received in Baptism. This grace helps us to be the hands of Christ in the world. I pray that each of us continues to take to heart the gift of the Spirit we receive in these milestones in our journey with Christ. As we hear from 1 Peter, Chapter 2, "we are a holy nation, a people of his own," called out of darkness into the marvelous light of the Easter Mystery on that first Easter morning. May the light received send us forth as witnesses to the hope of the Resurrection, and I pray that you continue to come to know the peace of the risen Christ today and always.

**A note of gratitude** Thanks to all who made this year's F3 (family faith formation) Student Sessions spirit filled as we learn more about our Catholic faith through Scripture and Tradition. These Wednesday evening sessions assist the young Church and their families through parish-based catechetical formation, which began for each child at Baptism. I have once again enjoyed having the opportunity to serve as a catechist and serve alongside passionate, creative, and faith-filled catechists and program volunteers. I am grateful to Ms. Jess Fischer, Evangelization and Family Faith Formation Coordinator, for her good zeal, continued vision, and collaboration with the Archdiocese of Indianapolis Office of Evangelization and Catechesis. She is an effective and kind leader. Also, thanks to the benefactors who made Wednesday's last student session for the semester possible through their generosity. All enjoyed the activities, festive foods and Kona Ice.

### Mother's Day May 14

As our nation honors Mother's Day next Sunday, mothers and godmothers will be recognized, prayed for, and may receive a blessing at all Masses next week. As is our custom, flowers will be available after weekend Masses on May 13 and 14. All proceeds support the mission and ministry of area pro-life and family life agencies.

An envelope for the Mother's Day Flowers is included in the monthly envelope packet. Please make sure your check is made payable to the parish church, clearly marking in the memo Pro-life (4047.100). If you use online giving, scan the QR code for the Quick Links to make a one-time or recurring gift using debit cards, credit cards, or eChecks (ACH). Gifts may be placed in the weekly stewardship collection at all weekend Masses through the end of May or dropped off at the parish office using the after-hours drop box at the carport entrance.

### The Week Ahead

A blessed week ahead to all. Please join me in continuing to pray for the safety and prosperity of all who labor and work with the land during planting season.

I am taking a few days of PTO to enjoy the Derby holiday. Thanks to Father Christian, OSB, for offering Mass on Saturday evening at St. Boniface Parish. Father Paul is away also this weekend. There will be no confessions on Saturday, May 6.

PAX - *Father Anthony, OSB.*

## MAY AT A GLANCE

### Asian and Pacific Island National Heritage Month Foster Care Awareness Month

- 1 Memorial of Saint Joseph the Worker  
6 p.m. Facilities and Grounds (SM) Parish Office: Room G
- 2 5:30 p.m. Girl Scouts, St. Boniface Parish Center: Room 106
- 4 National Day of Prayer  
International Firefighters' Day  
6 p.m. Annual Summer Picnic Leadership Team (SB), St. Boniface Parish Center: Room 103
- 6 Tootsie Rolls Sales Knights of Columbus Council #5599
- 7 Tootsie Rolls Sales Knights of Columbus Council #5599  
2 p.m. Monte Cassino Pilgrimage with May Crowning, Saint Meinrad, IN
- 8 6 p.m. Annual Fall Picnic Leadership Team with Stand Chairs (SM), Parish Office: Room G
- 10 4:15 p.m. Communal Celebration of the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick during Mass
- 11 6 p.m. Fulda 4-H Club, St. Boniface Parish Center: Room 106, Shelter House
- 14 Mothers' Day  
Flowers available at all weekend Masses to support the mission and ministries of Pro-Life & Family Life Activities  
2 p.m. Monte Cassino Pilgrimage, Saint Meinrad, IN
- 15 9 a.m. Perry County Bookmobile, Adyeville, IN  
6 p.m. Pastoral Council, St. Boniface Parish Center: Room 105  
7:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus Council #5599 Monthly Meeting, Saint Meinrad, IN
- 16 12 p.m. Tell City Deanery Priests Monthly Meeting, Saint Meinrad, Indiana  
6 p.m. Service and Outreach Commission, Parish Office: Room G
- 17 5:30 p.m. Girl Scouts, St. Boniface Parish Center: Room 106
- 18 12:30 p.m. JOY (just older youth), St. Boniface Parish Center: Room 103
- 19 Highway 545 Yard Sale Days, Saint Meinrad, Fulda, New Boston, IN
- 20 Armed Forces Day  
Highway 545 Yard Sale Days, Saint Meinrad, Fulda, New Boston, IN  
3:40 p.m. Communal Celebration of the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick before Mass
- 21 Solemnity of The Ascension of the Lord  
Catholic Communications Campaign Annual Appeal  
Blessing of Graduates (during all weekend Masses)  
8:10 a.m. Communal Celebration of the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick before Mass  
8:30 a.m. Sacrament of Baptism for Arthur John Gatwood, Saint Meinrad, IN  
8:30 a.m. Sacrament of Baptism for Roman Joseph Gatwood, Saint Meinrad, IN  
2 p.m. Monte Cassino Pilgrimage, Saint Meinrad, IN
- 22 National Day of Prayer and Remembrance for Mariners and People of the Sea  
5:15 p.m. Pastoral Council Officers, Parish Office: Room G
- 23 6 p.m. Worship (SB|SM), Parish Office: Room G
- 25 6 p.m. Fulda 4-H Club, St. Boniface Parish Center: Room 106, Shelter House
- 28 Solemnity of Pentecost  
9 a.m. Memorial Day Services, American Legion Post #366, St. Boniface Parish Cemetery, Fulda, IN  
10:25 a.m. Memorial Day Services, American Legion Post #366, St. Meinrad Parish Cemetery, Saint Meinrad, IN  
2 p.m. Monte Cassino Pilgrimage, Saint Meinrad, IN
- 29 Memorial Day Holiday (parish office closed)  
4:15 p.m. Memorial Day Mass + In Memory of Those Who Died in Military Service
- 31 Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

\* holy day of obligation



## One Family In Faith

Sunday, May 7, 2023

### FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

*The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.* - 1 Peter 2:7

Every person has been given gifts from the Holy Spirit. These are called "charisms" and they are used to build God's kingdom of earth. While many people are able to recognize their natural talents and abilities, they may be unsure of their charisms. If you know someone who is struggling for a direction in life, give them a little encouragement. Help them discern their charisms and how God is calling them to use them. Remember—no gift is too small or insignificant in God's salvation plan.

### 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.*

#### DATE / TIME

#### CALENDAR ITEM

#### LOCATION

SATURDAY, MAY 6

7:00 a.m.

Mass (May through October at 7 a.m.; November through April at 8 a.m.)

Monte Cassino Shrine

11:15 a.m.

Confession (confessional located at the main entrance)

St. Meinrad Catholic Church

3:15 p.m.

Confession (confessional located at the south entrance)

Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church

3:35 p.m.

Rosary (Sanctification of Life, Marriage, Family Life and Vocations)

Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church

4:00 p.m.

Mass +Dennis Waninger

Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church

SUNDAY, MAY 7

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

6:00 a.m.

Mass *Missa Pro Populo* "Mass for the People"

Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church

8:05 a.m.

Rosary (Sanctification of Life, Marriage, Family Life and Vocations)

St. Meinrad Catholic Church

8:30 a.m.

Mass +Betsy Schwoeppe

St. Meinrad Catholic Church

9:30 a.m.

Mass with monastic community (pilgrims and guests are welcome)

Archabbey Church

MONDAY, MAY 8

10:30 a.m.

Parish Staff

Parish Office: Room G

4:15 p.m.

Mass +Claude A. Boehm (Anniversary of Birth)

Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church

6:00 p.m.

Annual Fall Picnic Leadership Team with Stand Chairs (SM)

Parish Office: Room G

TUESDAY, MAY 9

7:15 a.m.

Mass +William Waninger

St. Meinrad Catholic Church

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

1:30 p.m.

Parish Staff with Coordinators (second Wednesday of the month)

Parish Office: Room G

3:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration

St. Meinrad Catholic Church

3:30 p.m.

Confession (confessional at glass chapel located at the main entrance)

St. Meinrad Catholic Church

4:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration (concludes with litany followed by Benediction)

St. Meinrad Catholic Church

4:15 p.m.

Mass +Alberta "Bert" Graman

St. Meinrad Catholic Church

4:15 p.m.

Communal Celebration of the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick  
During Mass

St. Meinrad Catholic Church

THURSDAY, MAY 11

12:05 p.m.

Mass +Marilyn Haefling

Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church

6:00 p.m.

Church reserved for liturgical music practice until 9 p.m.

St. Meinrad Catholic Church

6:00 p.m.

Fulda 4-H Club

St. Boniface Parish Center: Room 106,  
Shelter House

FRIDAY, MAY 12

7:15 a.m.

Mass +Albert Gogel, Jr.

St. Meinrad Catholic Church

**Join us Sunday, August 6, 2023!**

**St. Boniface Parish Annual Summer Picnic**

Live Music • Indoor Dining • Outdoor Dining

Fulda's Famous Soup • Food Court • Dine-in • Carry Out

Quilts • Family Fun Center • Raffles

*1st Sunday in August • Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church*

[www.sbcatholic.church/summer-picnic](http://www.sbcatholic.church/summer-picnic)









## One Family In Faith

**Sunday, May 14, 2023**

### SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

***“For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that be God’s will, than for doing evil.” – 1 Peter 3:7***

The old line says, “If you want to make God laugh, tell him your plans.” Many of us are diligent in our planning and making sure things are progressing smoothly. Then disaster strikes, we don’t get the result we anticipated, or an unforeseen problem arises. Many times we may respond negatively and ask, “Why me? I did everything right!” Here’s the thing—adversity humbles us and reminds us of our dependence on God and not on our own self-reliance. Rest assured, God has a better plan in store for you.

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DATE / TIME	CALENDAR ITEM	LOCATION
<b>SATURDAY, MAY 13</b>		
7:00 a.m.	Mass (May through October at 7 a.m.; November through April at 8 a.m.)	Monte Cassino Shrine
11:15 a.m.	Confession (confessional located at the main entrance)	St. Meinrad Catholic Church
3:15 p.m.	Confession (confessional located at the south entrance)	Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church
3:35 p.m.	Rosary (Sanctification of Life, Marriage, Family Life and Vocations)	Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Mass Missa Pro Populo “Mass for the People”</b>	<b>Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church</b>
<b>SUNDAY, MAY 14</b>		
	<b>SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	
	<b>Mother’s Day (National Holiday Observed)</b>	
	<b>Mothers and godmothers will be recognized, prayed for, and may receive a blessing at all Masses</b>	
<b>6:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Mass +Members of the St. Boniface Ladies Sodality</b>	<b>Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church</b>
8:05 a.m.	Rosary (Sanctification of Life, Marriage, Family Life and Vocations)	St. Meinrad Catholic Church
<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Mass +Members of the St. Meinrad Ladies Sodality</b>	<b>St. Meinrad Catholic Church</b>
9:30 a.m.	Mass with monastic community (pilgrims and guests are welcome)	Archabbey Church
<b>MONDAY, MAY 15</b>		
10:30 a.m.	Parish Staff	Parish Office: Room G
<b>4:15 p.m.</b>	<b>Mass +Paul C. and Rosalie (Knable) Linne Family</b>	<b>Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church</b>
6:00 p.m.	Pastoral Council	St. Boniface Parish Center: Room 105
<b>TUESDAY, MAY 16</b>		
<b>7:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Mass +Mark Altman</b>	<b>St. Meinrad Catholic Church</b>
6:00 p.m.	Service and Outreach Commission	Parish Office: Room G
<b>WEDNESDAY, MAY 17</b>		
1:30 p.m.	Parish Staff with Coordinators (second Wednesday of the month)	Parish Office: Room G
3:00 p.m.	Eucharistic Adoration	St. Meinrad Catholic Church
3:30 p.m.	Confession (confessional at glass chapel located at the main entrance)	St. Meinrad Catholic Church
4:00 p.m.	Eucharistic Adoration (concludes with litany followed by Benediction)	St. Meinrad Catholic Church
<b>4:15 p.m.</b>	<b>Mass +Lillian “Bebsy” Schwoeppe (Anniversary of Death)</b>	<b>St. Meinrad Catholic Church</b>
5:30 p.m.	Girl Scouts	St. Boniface Parish Center: Room 106
<b>THURSDAY, MAY 18</b>		
<b>12:05 p.m.</b>	<b>Mass +Naomi Engler</b>	<b>Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church</b>
6:00 p.m.	JOY (just older youth)	St. Boniface Parish Center: Room 103
6:00 p.m.	Church reserved for liturgical music practice until 9 p.m.	St. Meinrad Catholic Church
<b>FRIDAY, MAY 19</b>		
<b>7:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Mass +Ray Vaal (Anniversary of Birth)</b>	<b>St. Meinrad Catholic Church</b>

**Join us Sunday, September 17, 2023!**

**St. Meinrad Parish Annual Fall Picnic**

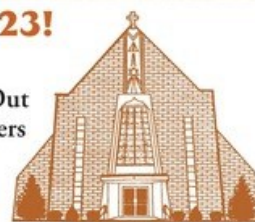
Outdoor Dining Pavilion • Food Court • Dine-in • Carry Out

Famous Soup • German Tenderloins • Fried Chicken Dinners

Live Music • Family Fun for All Ages • Raffles

3rd Sunday in September • St. Meinrad Catholic Church • St. Meinrad, Indiana

[www.sm catholic.church/fall-picnic](http://www.sm catholic.church/fall-picnic)



# The Gospel for All Ages

## Family Catechesis



### 5th Sunday of Easter • May 7, 2023

**Sunday Readings:** Acts 6:1-7; 1 Peter 2:4-9; John 14:1-12

### Weekly Discussion Questions

#### For the Parish Bulletin

**Life Question:** Whom do you know who acts courageously to protect God's Creation?

**Gospel Question:** Who do you know who is most like God? In what ways do you find yourself challenged by this person?

#### LIFE AND GOSPEL QUESTIONS BY AGE LEVEL

##### Adults and Teens

Name some of the people you have trusted while on your journey in faith.

##### Visions (Grades 7-9)

**Life Question:** How do you place your trust in your friends, family, and community?

**Gospel Question:** Why does Jesus tell his friends to have faith in him?

##### Venture (Grades 4-6)

**Life Question:** What ways does Jesus ask you to trust in him as one of his followers?

**Gospel Question:** What does Jesus ask of his followers?

##### Good News (Grades 2-3)

**Life Question:** Who do you trust when you are worried?

**Gospel Question:** How does the Holy Spirit help you have faith in Jesus?

##### Promise (Grades K-1)

**Life Question:** How do you trust people when you are scared?

**Gospel Question:** How do you trust in Jesus?

##### Seeds (Preschool)

**Life Question:** Who do you trust?

**Gospel Question:** What is your favorite story about Jesus?

### Family Corner

#### About the Gospel

In the Bible we are reminded 365 times not to be worried; "Let not your hearts be troubled." Jesus promises if we ask anything of the Father in his name (if it is for our spiritual good) it will be granted. Jesus is in control, we must love him and have faith.

Visit [www.usccb.org/bible/readings](http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings) to read this Sunday's Scripture.

#### In Church

During the Prayer of the Faithful, listen carefully to each prayer and remember that the whole Church believes in the promise of Sunday's Gospel.

#### Family Prayer

Jesus, we want to trust you in all things. Give us the courage to ask you for what we need. Amen.

#### Question of the Week

When is it difficult for you to trust Jesus?



### Rincón de la Familia

#### Acerca del Evangelio

En Biblia, se nos recuerda 365 veces que no debemos temer ni preocuparnos: "No se turben". Jesús promete que si pedimos algo al Padre en su nombre (si es por nuestro bien espiritual), se nos concederá. Jesús está en control; debemos poner nuestra fe en él.

Visita [www.usccb.org/bible/lecturas](http://www.usccb.org/bible/lecturas) para leer las lecturas de este domingo.

#### En la iglesia

Durante la oración de los fieles, escucha atentamente cada oración y recuerda que toda la Iglesia cree en la promesa del Evangelio del domingo.

#### Oración en familia

Jesús, queremos confiar en ti en todo momento. Danos el valor de pedirte lo que necesitamos. Amén.

#### Pregunta de la semana

¿Cuándo es difícil para ti confiar en Jesús?







# THIS WEEK ON **FORMED**

## Week of May 07, 2023



### Spiritual Motherhood | The Augustine Institute Show

Join Dr. Tim Gray and Sr. Maris Stella for a conversation on the vocation of every woman, that of motherhood. Although all women will not be called to be physical mothers, every woman is called to be a spiritual mother.



### The 13th Day

In a world torn apart by persecution, war, and oppression, three children in Fatima were chosen by God to offer an urgent message of hope to the world. Based on the memoirs of the oldest seer, Lucia Santos, The 13th Day dramatizes the true story of three young shepherds who experienced six apparitions of Our Lady, which culminated in the final prophesied miracle on October 13.

REAL WOMANHOOD  
LISA COTTER



### Real Womanhood by Lisa Cotter

What does it mean to be a real woman in today's culture? Join Lisa Cotter in her talk Real Womanhood, as she draws on modern-day saints, St. John Paul II to define what it means to be an authentic woman.



Our parish has a FORMED subscription.  
Visit [signup.formed.org](http://signup.formed.org) and select our parish name.

## Sanctuary Lamp for May 7, 2023



**St. Boniface Parish** + *Father Justin Duvall, OSB*

**St. Meinrad Parish** + *Paul E. Scherzer*

The red luminary located near the tabernacle burns to remind us of the sacramental presence of Jesus Christ.

To view the list of scheduled luminaries or wish to have the luminary (sanctuary lamp) burning in memory of a loved one, to honor a special occasion or a particular intention, an envelope is included in the monthly envelope packet.

Please make sure your check is made payable to the parish church, clearly marking in the memo **Sanctuary Lamp (4051.100)**. If you use online giving, scan the QR code for the Quick Links to make a one-time or recurring gifts using debit cards, credit cards, or eChecks (ACH).



## Volunteers needed at St. Boniface Parish



In recent weeks a few key volunteers who have quietly and faithfully served our parish family have had changes in their health or family situations and are no longer capable of serving in their past roles.

There is an immediate need for three volunteers, working together in their scheduling, to mow the grounds at the parish center (1 hour), the church and maintenance building grounds (1 hour), and the cemetery (2.5 hours).

Volunteers must have experience in using a zero-turn riding mower. There is no weed-trimming or edging involved. These areas of responsibility work need to be cared for before Thursday each week.

Also needed is an individual or individuals willing to serve in a rotating schedule with some working knowledge of basic building mechanics to walk through the church, maintenance building, parish center, and shelter house facilities daily to watch and listen for possible water leaks, odd sounds from HVAC systems and refrigerators, or other possible maintenance issues which need to be reported to Tina Boehm, Finance and Resource Coordinator and member of the Facilities and Grounds Commission for appropriate and a timely resolution. This person will use an app on their phone to report issues, so no paperwork is involved. This area of responsibility would require approximately 15 minutes per day.

Please contact Father Anthony, OSB, at [pastor@myparishfamily.church](mailto:pastor@myparishfamily.church) if you are interested in these opportunities.

## Monte Cassino pilgrimages will be held in May

Saint Meinrad Archabbey's pilgrimages to honor the Blessed Mother at the Monte Cassino Shrine have been scheduled for the Sundays in May.

The pilgrimages begin with an opening hymn and a short sermon, followed by a rosary procession. The service ends with the Litany of the Blessed Virgin and a hymn. Speakers and topics for the pilgrimages are:



- May 7: Fr. Christian Raab, OSB, "Mary, Queen of Indiana." There will also be a May Crowning, and children are invited to bring cut flowers to honor Mary.
- May 14: Fr. Joseph Cox, OSB, on "Mary, Mother of Us All"
- May 21: Br. Jean Fish, OSB, on "Mary and Discipleship"
- May 28: Fr. Kolbe Wolniakowski, OSB, on "Mary, Mother of the Church."

Services begin at 2 p.m. Central Time. The public is invited. Monte Cassino Shrine is located one mile east of the Archabbey on State Highway 62 in St. Meinrad, IN.

For more information, call Mary Jeanne Schumacher during business hours at 812-357-6501 or call 812-357-6611 on the day of the event.

## Staff Update



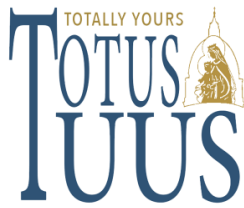
Jim Lutz's last day serving as liturgical music coordinator was Sunday, April 30. I am grateful for Jim's service to our parish family as interim coordinator since June 2022. Throughout the month of May, I have asked liturgical musicians currently serving to cover Sunday Masses when possible.

This week I began working with the Archdiocese of Indianapolis Human Resource Department to review and approve this job listing to begin advertising as soon as possible. I welcome past, present and potential liturgical musicians to be open to the invitation to serve as organist, accompanist, cantor and as a member of an ensemble. Please contact me via email at [info@myparishfamily.church](mailto:info@myparishfamily.church) with your availability to serve as an organist, cantor, or ensemble during the months of May and June. When your information is received, the MSP schedule will be updated. The liturgical music coordinator position will be advertised and posted on the parish website in the coming days.

Thank you for your attention to this request and your service to our parish family and guests during the Sunday and Holy Day Masses.



## F3 Families mark your calendars for Summer Youth Days July 15-21, 2023



F3 Families, please mark your calendar for our on-site summer youth camp *Totus Tuus* July 15-21, 2023, at St. Boniface Parish Center and Shelter House. Student sessions daily Grades 1-6, 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m.; and Grades 7-12, 6:30-8:15 p.m. *Totus Tuus* is open to all families of St. Boniface Parish, St. Meinrad Parish, St. Francis of Assisi Parish and parishes in the Tell City Deanery. Registration information will be available soon.

For more information, contact [Ms. Jess Fischer](#), Evangelization and Catechesis Coordinator, at 812-357-6065 (voicemail).

## Listen to Tri-State Catholic Radio WTJW-LP 93.1



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The mission of Tri-State Catholic Radio WTJW-LP 93.1 is to present the gospel of Jesus Christ through the beauty and teachings of the Catholic Church by informing, inspiring and challenging listeners who hear the message of evangelization to seek the Kingdom of God.

## A message from Tina Boehm, Finance and Resource Coordinator

**Stewardship**  
All things are possible with God



Available in today's bulletin are the Financial Stewardship Budget Summary and Financial Stewardship Gift Summary for March 2023. Thank you for your generosity in your financial stewardship for Sunday and Holy Day Collections and restricted and unrestricted gifts received throughout the year. Your steady giving makes our budget work.

Thanks to all who have explored and taken advantage of our free online giving options. With online giving in Realm®, you can make safe and secure one-time or recurring gifts using debit cards, credit cards, or eChecks (ACH) at the frequency of your choosing. Realm® accepts Visa, Mastercard, and bank account (ACH) payments. Parishioners and friends continue to use the free online giving options to make a perpetual gift to one of three parish endowments in memory of a loved one at the time of death. Father Anthony sends a written notification to the family of your loved one, making them aware of your perpetual gift.



I am happy to report that both parishes remain debt-free and operate within their projected budgets while regularly adding to savings and endowment accounts for short-term and long-term expenses. I appreciate everyone doing their part as parishioners to support our parish family's mission and ministry.

As you may recall, our fiscal year will end June 30, 2023. Please anticipate your giving needs so we can finish our fiscal year strong. If you're traveling for the summer, why not consider online giving? Scan the QR code for the Quick Links to make a one-time or recurring gift using debit cards, credit cards, or eChecks (ACH).

## Contributions to annual picnic quilt fund are due June 30



A reminder to all parishioners: please make sure you have made your gift to the Annual Picnic Quilt Fund. Your gifts support the artisan's work crafting the quilts featured at the annual picnics. In recent years, both parishes have eliminated the "quilt group lists." The monthly envelope packet includes an envelope to support the Annual Picnic Quilt Fund.

Please make your check payable to the parish church, clearly marking in the memo Quilt Fund 4052.500. If you cannot remember if you have made your gifts for this year, log in to your REALM account and view your giving history. If you use online giving, scan the QR code for the Quick Links to make a one-time or recurring gift using debit cards, credit cards, or eChecks (ACH).



## F3 payments for the Fall 2022 – Spring 2023 Student Session are due June 30



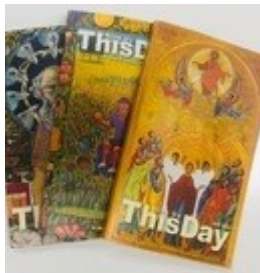
F3 (family faith formation) parents/caregivers who have yet to make payment for the Fall 2022-Spring 2023 Student Sessions are to do so before June 30, 2023. Scan the QR code for the Quick Links to make a one-time or recurring gift using debit cards, credit cards, or eChecks (ACH).

Parents/caregivers will receive student enrollment with payment requests for the Fall 2023-Spring 2024 Student Sessions in early July. Parents/caregivers with students in Grades 1, 2, 7-9 needing resources for sacramental preparation will also receive information about the resources required for student and family preparation in anticipation of receiving these sacraments.

Thanks again for your efforts! I am here to help. Please contact me from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Wednesday at 812-357-6050 or [tinab@myparishfamily.church](mailto:tinab@myparishfamily.church).



## Monthly Prayer Books available in churches on May 9



Complimentary copies of the June 2023 edition of *Give Us This Day: Daily Prayer for Today's Catholics* will be available compliments of the Evangelization Commission, beginning on the second Tuesday of each month, at the courtesy tables near the churches' entrances. *Give Us This Day* is a great resource to enhance your daily prayer and Catholic faith. Books include daily Mass readings, highlights from the saint of the day, as well as inspiring stories, art, and writings from contemporary men and women.

For more information, contact [Ms. Jess Fischer](#), Evangelization and Catechesis Coordinator, at 812-357-6065 (voicemail).

The Pastoral Ministers and Activities Commission for St. Boniface Parish and St. Meinrad Parish hosts a monthly gathering on the third Thursday of the month at 12:30 p.m. at the Parish Center, Room 103, in Fulda.

## Monthly Gathering for 55+ on May 18 at St. Boniface Parish Center



JOY (just older youth) is open to parishioners, friends, and neighbors age 55+. The group meets monthly following the 12:05 p.m. Mass at Historic St. Boniface Church.

Activities include lunch followed by C&C (chatter & cards), board games, and a genealogy project benefiting both St. Boniface Cemetery and St. Meinrad Cemetery.

Please bring a food item to share for the carry-in lunch. RSVP is not required. For more information, contact Romilda Pund, JOY Coordinator, at 812-544-2563.

## Communal Celebration of the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick Announced



*Anointing of the Sick*

Communal Anointing of the Sick will be on **Wednesday, May 10, 2023**, during the 4:15 p.m. Mass at St. Meinrad Parish. After a brief homily, individuals wishing to receive this sacrament are asked to move to the end of the pew along the center aisle. The infirm and individuals needing assistance seated in the first pew on either side will receive this sacrament first. For more information about receiving this sacrament, visit [www.sbcatholic.church/anointing-of-the-sick](http://www.sbcatholic.church/anointing-of-the-sick) | [www.sm catholic.church/anointing-of-the-sick](http://www.sm catholic.church/anointing-of-the-sick).

Throughout the year, Communal Anointing of the Sick is also celebrated 20 minutes before the Saturday Vigil Mass at St. Boniface Parish and the Sunday Mass at St. Meinrad Parish on the second to last weekend in May and the last weekend in August.

Anointing of the Sick is a sacrament of healing. The idea behind this sacrament is that we are all members of the body of Christ. When one of us suffers, all of us suffer, and all of God's creation suffers with us.

A parishioner or caregiver is strongly encouraged to contact the parish office and speak with a staff member to request a priest visit their home to receive this sacrament if their particular situation does not allow for the communal celebration of this sacrament. Please also notify the parish office if you are ill, shut-in, entering the hospital or a have recently moved to a long-term care center.

**The sacrament of anointing may be repeated:**

- When the sick person recovers after being anointed and becomes sick again at a later time.
- When, during the same illness, the condition of the sick person becomes more serious.
- In the case of a person who is chronically ill or elderly and in a weakened condition, the sacrament of anointing may be repeated when in the pastoral judgment of the priest the condition of the sick person warrants the repetition of the sacrament. (*Pastoral Care of the Sick*, No. 102)

**If you require a priest due to severe illness or death at anytime, call the archabbey switchboard at: (812) 357-6611.**

Be prepared to leave a message with the attendant, including your name, location and contact information. Father Anthony or the priest on call will respond as soon as possible. Please do not call or text Father Anthony's mobile phone.

## Make a monthly gift of \$18.47 for the perpetual care of St. Boniface Cemetery

"Compound" your generosity and its impact on your parish. Consider a monthly gift of \$18.47 to our parish cemetery and become a member of *The 1847 Society*. This invested fund provides St. Boniface Parish a steady and growing distribution that supports the perpetual care of the parish cemetery year after year. Whether contributing now or including it in your will, trust, or as a beneficiary of a retirement account, combine your legacy with ours in this special way.

Learn how by contacting Ms. Tina Boehm, Finance and Resource Coordinator, at 812-357-6050 or enroll today with a recurring gift using debit cards, credit cards, or eChecks (ACH) at [cemetery endowment](#).

The St. Boniface Cemetery has been providing experienced and caring service to our Catholic community since 1847. The St. Boniface Cemetery is responsibly maintained in perpetuity.



## Make a monthly gift of \$18.61 for the perpetual care of St. Meinrad Cemetery

"Compound" your generosity and its impact on your parish. Consider a monthly gift of \$18.61 to our parish cemetery and become a member of *The 1861 Society*. This invested fund provides St. Meinrad Parish a steady and growing distribution that supports the perpetual care of the parish cemetery year after year. Whether contributing now or including it in your will, trust, or as a beneficiary of a retirement account, combine your legacy with ours in this special way.

Learn how by contacting Ms. Tina Boehm, Finance and Resource Coordinator, at 812-357-6050 or enroll today with a recurring gift using debit cards, credit cards, or eChecks (ACH) at [cemetery endowment](#).

The St. Meinrad Cemetery has been providing experienced and caring service to our Catholic community since 1861. The St. Meinrad Cemetery is responsibly maintained in perpetuity.





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## ST. MEINRAD CATHOLIC CHURCH

Parish Founded 1861

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### SATURDAY, MAY 6, 2023

#### Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church

4 p.m.

Ryan Hildenbrand	Porter
Samantha Haefling	Sacristan
NOT FILLED	Bell Ringer - Bell #1 - begin 5 minutes before Mass
NOT FILLED	Bell Ringer - Bell #2 - begin 5 minutes before Mass
Ryan Hildenbrand	Bell Ringer - Bell #3 - begin 5 minutes before Mass
NOT FILLED	Cue Livestream for Rosary - camera on BVM
Carol J. Waninger	Rosary Leader - use handheld mic #1 with stand
NOT FILLED	Cue Livestream for Mass - camera on tabernacle
Francie Borho	Liturgical Musician - Cantor
Liz Hatcher	Liturgical Musician - Organist
NOT FILLED	Hospitality - Main Door
NOT FILLED	Hospitality - North Door
Father Christian, OSB	Priest - Principal Celebrant
NOT FILLED	Deacon
Seth Deom	Acolyte of the Altar
Aidan Haefling	Acolyte of the Word
Jase Burden	Crucifer (Cross Bearer)
NOT FILLED	Candle Bearer
NOT FILLED	Candle Bearer
Dawson Waninger	Proclamation of the Word - First Reading
Yvonne Weaver	Proclamation of the Word - Second Reading
Mike Edwards	Proclamation of the Word - Prayer of the Faithful
Miichael Gudorf	Offertory Collection
Paul Haefling	Offertory Collection
Nick Hildenbrand	Offertory Collection
Levi Leffert	Offertory Collection
Ryan Hildenbrand	Bell Ringer - Bell #3 - begins at epiclesis
Michelle Blalock	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
Seth Deom	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
Jenny Kunkler	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
Michelle Blalock	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - pyx (loft)
Jenny Kunkler	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice (loft)
Ryan Hildenbrand	Angelus Bell (post-Mass) - Bell #1

### SUNDAY, MAY 7, 2023

#### Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church

6 a.m.

LeeRay Tempel	Porter
Courtney Blalock	Sacristan
NOT FILLED	Bell Ringer - Bell #1 - begin 5 minutes before Mass
Dennis Mullis	Bell Ringer - Bell #2 - begin 5 minutes before Mass
LeeRay Tempel	Bell Ringer - Bell #3 - begin 5 minutes before Mass
NOT FILLED	Cue Livestream for Mass - camera on tabernacle
Musician Ensemble	Liturgical Musician - Cantor
NOT FILLED	Liturgical Musician - Organist
NOT FILLED	Hospitality - Main Door
Father Anthony, OSB	Priest - Principal Celebrant
NOT FILLED	Deacon
Clark Schaefer	Acolyte of the Altar
Emerson Schaefer	Acolyte of the Word
Beckett Kress	Crucifer (Cross Bearer)

Liam Kress  
NOT FILLED  
Lily Hubert  
Braxton Schaefer  
Faith Schaefer  
Pat Berg  
Alfred Birchler  
Jim Mullis  
Denny Rickelman  
NOT FILLED  
Clara Tempel  
Karen Kuntz  
Faith Schaefer  
Clara Tempel  
Karen Kuntz  
NOT FILLED

Candle Bearer  
Candle Bearer  
Proclamation of the Word - First Reading  
Proclamation of the Word - Second Reading  
Proclamation of the Word - Prayer of the Faithful  
Offertory Collection  
Offertory Collection  
Offertory Collection  
Offertory Collection  
Bell Ringer - Bell #3 - begins at epiclesis  
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten  
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice  
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice  
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - pyx (loft)  
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice (loft)  
Angelus Bell (post-Mass) - Bell #1

### SUNDAY, MAY 7, 2023

#### St. Meinrad Catholic Church

8:30 a.m.

NOT FILLED	Porter
Ashley Springston	Sacristan
Mark Toth	Sacristan
NOT FILLED	Cue Livestream for Rosary - camera on BVM
Teresa Lynn	Rosary Leader - use handheld mic #1 with stand
NOT FILLED	Cue Livestream for Mass - camera on tabernacle
Francie Borho	Liturgical Musician - Cantor
Liz Hatcher	Liturgical Musician - Organist
Kevin Hedinger	Hospitality - Main Door
NOT FILLED	Hospitality - South Door
Father Anthony, OSB	Priest - Principal Celebrant
NOT FILLED	Priest - Concelebrant
NOT FILLED	Deacon
Dalton Fetter	Acolyte of the Altar
Melanie Fetter	Acolyte of the Word
Cayli Kern	Crucifer (Cross Bearer)
Brenley Beier	Candle Bearer
Carly Kern	Candle Bearer
Tyler Scherzer	Proclamation of the Word - First Reading
Sue Kloeck	Proclamation of the Word - Second Reading
Jodi Fetter	Proclamation of the Word - Prayer of the Faithful
Jeff Ebert	Offertory Collection
Tom Kloeck	Offertory Collection
Mark Ruxer	Offertory Collection
Brad Wilmes	Offertory Collection
Carol Schwoeppe	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
Kathy Ruxer	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
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NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
Carol Schwoeppe	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - pyx (loft)
Kathy Ruxer	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice (loft)

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### SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 2023

#### Historic St. Boniface Catholic Church

4 p.m.

Ryan Hildenbrand	Porter
Courtney Blalock	Sacristan
NOT FILLED	Bell Ringer - Bell #1 - begin 5 minutes before Mass
NOT FILLED	Bell Ringer - Bell #2 - begin 5 minutes before Mass
Ryan Hildenbrand	Bell Ringer - Bell #3 - begin 5 minutes before Mass
NOT FILLED	Cue Livestream for Rosary - camera on BVM
Carol J. Waninger	Rosary Leader - use handheld mic #1 with stand
NOT FILLED	Cue Livestream for Mass - camera on tabernacle
Musician Ensemble	Liturgical Musician - Cantor
NOT FILLED	Liturgical Musician - Organist
Mark Hildenbrand	Hospitality - Main Door
Peggy Hildenbrand	Hospitality - Main Door
NOT FILLED	Hospitality - North Door
Father Anthony, OSB	Priest - Principal Celebrant
NOT FILLED	Deacon
Wyatt Gudorf	Acolyte of the Altar
Kyler Hildenbrand	Acolyte of the Word
Parker Gudorf	Crucifer (Cross Bearer)
NOT FILLED	Candle Bearer
NOT FILLED	Candle Bearer
Carol J. Waninger	Proclamation of the Word - First Reading
Carol A. Waninger	Proclamation of the Word - Second Reading
Dawson Waninger	Proclamation of the Word - Prayer of the Faithful
Paul Haeffling	Offertory Collection
Nick Hildenbrand	Offertory Collection
NOT FILLED	Offertory Collection
NOT FILLED	Offertory Collection
Ryan Hildenbrand	Bell Ringer - Bell #3 - begins at epiclesis
Michael Gudorf	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
Pam Davis	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
Wyatt Gudorf	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
Michael Gudorf	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - pyx (loft)
Pam Davis	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice (loft)
Ryan Hildenbrand	Angelus Bell (post-Mass) - Bell #1

Kerry Snyder	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
Braxton Schaefer	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - pyx (loft)
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice (loft)
NOT FILLED	Angelus Bell (post-Mass) - Bell #1

### SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 2023

#### St. Meinrad Catholic Church

8:30 a.m.

NOT FILLED	Porter
Sylvia Leffert	Sacristan
Levi Leffert	Sacristan
NOT FILLED	Cue Livestream for Rosary - camera on BVM
Teresa Lynn	Rosary Leader - use handheld mic #1 with stand
NOT FILLED	Cue Livestream for Mass - camera on tabernacle
Musician Ensemble	Liturgical Musician - Cantor
NOT FILLED	Liturgical Musician - Organist
Amanda Wilmes	Hospitality - Main Door
Brad Wilmes	Hospitality - Main Door
NOT FILLED	Hospitality - South Door
Father Anthony, OSB	Priest - Principal Celebrant
NOT FILLED	Priest - Concelebrant
NOT FILLED	Deacon
Ben Ebert	Acolyte of the Altar
Bo Weyer	Acolyte of the Word
Clay Weyer	Crucifer (Cross Bearer)
Brenley Beier	Candle Bearer
Ty Weyer	Candle Bearer
Vic Ippoliti	Proclamation of the Word - First Reading
Teresa Ippoliti	Proclamation of the Word - Second Reading
Marilyn Becker	Proclamation of the Word - Prayer of the Faithful
Jeff Ebert	Offertory Collection
Levi Leffert	Offertory Collection
Mark Ruxer	Offertory Collection
Brad Wilmes	Offertory Collection
Robert (Bobby) Gogel	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
Ben Ebert	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
Brianne Hopf	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
NOT FILLED	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice
Bobby Gogel	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - pyx (loft)
Brianne Hopf	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice (loft)

### SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 2023

#### St. Boniface Catholic Church

6 a.m.

Alfred Birchler	Porter
Eric Tuley	Sacristan
NOT FILLED	Bell Ringer - Bell #1 - begin 5 minutes before Mass
Clara Tempel	Bell Ringer - Bell #2 - begin 5 minutes before Mass
Dennis Mullis	Bell Ringer - Bell #3 - begin 5 minutes before Mass
NOT FILLED	Cue Livestream for Mass - camera on tabernacle
Musician Ensemble	Liturgical Musician - Cantor
NOT FILLED	Liturgical Musician - Organist
NOT FILLED	Hospitality - Main Door
Father Anthony, OSB	Priest - Principal Celebrant
NOT FILLED	Deacon
Marshall Snyder	Acolyte of the Altar
NOT FILLED	Acolyte of the Word
Beckett Kress	Crucifer (Cross Bearer)
Liam Kress	Candle Bearer
NOT FILLED	Candle Bearer
Lily Hubert	Proclamation of the Word - First Reading
Vickie Snyder	Proclamation of the Word - Second Reading
Kerry Snyder	Proclamation of the Word - Prayer of the Faithful
Pat Berg	Offertory Collection
Jim Mullis	Offertory Collection
Denny Rickelman	Offertory Collection
Eric Tuley	Offertory Collection
NOT FILLED	Bell Ringer - Bell #3 - begins at epiclesis
Braxton Schaefer	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - paten
Marshall Snyder	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - chalice

### QUESTIONS ABOUT LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

At St. Boniface Parish and St. Meinrad Parish, we utilize the [Ministry Scheduling Pro](#) (MSP) software to organize and schedule liturgical ministries. All liturgical ministers and parish-based program and activity volunteers are scheduled using MSP.

You can volunteer for a liturgical ministry by logging into your [MSP account](#). Or by contacting Ms. Dione Jarboe, Administrative Coordinator, at the parish office at [info@myparishfamily.church](mailto:info@myparishfamily.church) or (812) 357-6051 to be added to the ministry schedule to share your time and talent with your parish family. All new liturgical ministers will receive training.



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Vice Chair	David Fromme
Secretary	Sue Kloeck
Member-at-Large (SB)	Ellen Haefling

Member-at-Large (SM)

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##### Evangelization

*vacant* (chair elected next scheduled meeting)

##### Facilities and Grounds (SB)

Neil Collignon

##### Facilities and Grounds (SM)

Jerry Sitzman

##### Faith Formation

*vacant* (chair elected next scheduled meeting)

##### Finance (SB)

Jud Collett June 30, 2025

##### Finance (SM)

Pam Davis June 30, 2024

##### Heritage, Fundraising and Marketing (SB)

*vacant* (chair elected next scheduled meeting)

##### Heritage, Fundraising and Marketing (SM)

*vacant* (chair elected next scheduled meeting)

##### Pastoral Ministries and Activities

*vacant* (chair elected next scheduled meeting)

##### Strategic Planning and Stewardship (SB)

*vacant* (chair elected next scheduled meeting)

##### Strategic Planning and Stewardship (SM)

*vacant* (chair elected next scheduled meeting)

##### Service and Outreach

Sue Kloeck June 30, 2024

##### Worship

*vacant* (chair elected next scheduled meeting)

### AREA AGENCIES

#### Catholic Charities Tell City

Sister Michele Intravia, OSU

(812) 547-0903 (o)

#### Knights of Columbus #5599 (SM)

Mr. Rodney Vaal

(812) 357-7514 (h)

#### Martin's Cloak Food Pantry

Mrs. Ramona Gehlhausen

(812) 309-1256 (m)

### MINISTRY OF PRAYER & PETITION

#### PRAYER REQUEST

Cindi L (peaceful death)

For families in tribulation

Reverend Peter B (health, healing)

Blake S (health, healing)

For families in transition

For families experiencing loss

For victims of violence

Chris K (health, healing)

Rita H (health, healing)

Gene H (safe, successful surgery)

Bob D (health, peace of mind)

Rita P (hospice, peace of mind)

Maurice H (health, healing)

Pauline G (health, healing)

Jody B (health, healing)

Tina B (health, healing)

Elizabeth B (health, healing)

James K (health, healing)

Frank R (health, healing)

Rose W (health, healing)

Raphael S (health, healing)

Tina D (health, healing)

Bill R (health, healing)

Mike R (health, healing)

Phyllis B (health, healing)

Ozzie M (health, healing)

Walter T (health, healing)

Pauline S (health, healing)

05/06/2023

*Names listed for 30 days, unless otherwise requested.*

#### HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

#### LEAVE A MESSAGE ON THE PRAYER WALL

- By calling (812) 357-6063
- Using the search box on the homepage and enter **PRAYER WALL**
- By scanning the QR Code with your phone's camera



#### JOIN POPE FRANCIS IN PRAYER

**MAY 2023**

#### For church movements and groups

We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

### PARISH LEADERSHIP

#### Bereavement Luncheon Ministry (SB)

Mary Wagner, coordinator (812) 357-2002 (h)

#### Bereavement Luncheon Ministry (SM)

Dolores Scherzer, coordinator (812) 357-2571 (h)

#### Fall Picnic (SM)

Nancy Graman, chair

#### Girl Scouts

Kathy Seckinger

#### Men's Society (SB)

Jim Gogel, chair

#### Summer Picnic (SB)

Kathy Seckinger, chair

### FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP



#### ST. BONIFACE PARISH

#### ST. MEINRAD PARISH

	PARISH CENSUS	
	FY 2022-2023	
176	# of Households	212
428 (2021-2022)	# of Souls	446 (2021-2022)
	MASS COUNTS	
In-Person	April 30, 2023	Livestream
98 / 360*	4 p.m.	15
57 / 360*	6 a.m.	13
146 / 430*	8:30 a.m.	7
* church capacity		
	FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP	
	April 24-30, 2023	
\$105	Online Giving	\$2,205
\$1,662	Offertory	\$2,849

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Parish Office Counter Service: Monday-Wednesday 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Parish Office: 812-357-5533



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Mass Times



Annual Picnics



Sacraments

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## St. Boniface Parish (#076) Analysis of Income and Expense - Summary March 2023

MTD Actual (2023)	MTD Budget (2023)	YTD Actual (2022-2023)	% of Annual Budget Used (2022-2023)	Annual Budget Accounts (2022-2023)
<b>Income</b>				
<b>Parish Ordinary Income</b>				
\$7,326.00	\$8,575.00	\$72,409.65	70.37 %	\$102,900.00
\$2,270.00	\$2,229.16	\$20,907.74	78.16 %	\$26,750.00
<b>Other</b>				
\$0.00	\$250.01	\$690.00	23.00 %	\$3,000.00
\$0.00	\$470.84	\$1,770.00	31.33 %	\$5,650.00
\$0.00	\$720.85	\$2,460.00	28.44 %	\$8,650.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$261.25	\$0.00	\$1,833.57	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$9,857.25	\$11,525.01	\$97,610.96	70.58 %	\$138,300.00
\$25.00	\$1,516.68	\$12,303.98	67.60 %	\$18,200.00
<b>Fundraising</b>				
\$2.00	\$3,750.00	\$46,513.44	103.36 %	\$45,000.00
\$0.00	\$1,475.01	\$2,287.00	12.92 %	\$17,700.00
\$2.00	\$5,225.01	\$48,800.44	77.83 %	\$62,700.00
<b>Parish Extraordinary Income</b>				
\$220.00	\$0.00	\$2,089.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$743.47	\$708.34	\$7,100.20	83.53 %	\$8,500.00
<b>Mass Intentions</b>				
\$100.00	\$183.33	\$1,025.00	46.59 %	\$2,200.00
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\$1,063.47	\$891.67	\$10,214.20	95.46 %	\$10,700.00
\$10,947.72	\$19,158.37	\$168,929.58	73.48 %	\$229,900.00

### Expenses

<b>Parish Ordinary Expense</b>				
<b>Salaries and Payroll Tax</b>				
<b>Salaries and Wages</b>				
\$4,848.29	\$3,576.00	\$23,724.46	55.29 %	\$42,912.00
\$0.00	\$302.67	\$2,069.03	56.97 %	\$3,632.00
\$4,848.29	\$3,878.67	\$25,793.49	55.42 %	\$46,544.00
\$1,568.65	\$577.00	\$7,202.19	104.02 %	\$6,923.92
\$0.00	\$66.66	\$23.95	2.99 %	\$800.00
\$6,416.94	\$4,522.33	\$33,019.63	60.85 %	\$54,267.92
\$1,348.57	\$1,219.34	\$12,137.13	82.95 %	\$14,632.00
\$275.69	\$41.67	\$678.27	135.65 %	\$500.00
\$1,177.00	\$0.00	\$1,194.24	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$2,589.45	\$1,566.68	\$11,400.98	60.64 %	\$18,800.00
\$3,236.77	\$1,375.01	\$12,689.23	76.90 %	\$16,500.00
\$1,683.00	\$1,692.00	\$15,147.00	74.60 %	\$20,304.00
\$2,746.38	\$1,250.00	\$13,281.90	88.55 %	\$15,000.00
\$1,249.23	\$469.47	\$4,510.70	80.06 %	\$5,634.00
\$1,905.00	\$2,258.32	\$16,434.74	60.64 %	\$27,100.00
\$89.97	\$416.68	\$1,654.68	33.09 %	\$5,000.00
\$22,718.00	\$14,811.50	\$122,148.50	68.72 %	\$177,737.92
\$2,945.04	\$1,516.68	\$6,658.66	36.59 %	\$18,200.00
\$791.33	\$1,457.93	\$16,619.07	94.99 %	\$17,495.00
<b>Fundraising</b>				
\$524.75	\$367.44	\$4,722.91	107.11 %	\$4,409.30
\$395.00	\$0.00	\$1,258.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$919.75	\$367.44	\$5,980.91	135.64 %	\$4,409.30
\$71.60	\$491.67	\$2,336.96	39.61 %	\$5,900.00
<b>Parish Extraordinary Expense</b>				
\$628.57	\$526.25	\$5,657.33	89.59 %	\$6,315.00
\$510.00	\$0.00	\$1,363.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$1,138.57	\$526.25	\$7,020.33	111.17 %	\$6,315.00
\$71.60	\$491.67	\$2,336.96	39.61 %	\$5,900.00
<b>Mass Intentions</b>				
\$0.00	\$250.00	\$480.00	16.00 %	\$3,000.00
\$0.00	\$250.00	\$480.00	16.00 %	\$3,000.00
\$27,445.72	\$18,895.22	\$154,224.10	68.02 %	\$226,742.22
\$16,498.00	\$263.15	\$14,705.48		\$3,157.78
<b>Net Total</b>				
\$16,498.00	\$263.15	\$14,705.48		\$3,157.78

## St. Meinrad Parish (#137) Analysis of Income & Expense - Summary March 2023

MTD Actual (2023)	MTD Budget (2023)	YTD Actual (2022-2023)	% of Annual Budget Used (2022-2023)	Annual Budget (2022-2023)
<b>Income</b>				
<b>Parish Ordinary Income</b>				
\$10,586.00	\$13,883.33	\$108,499.00	65.13 %	\$166,600.00
\$2,170.00	\$2,216.67	\$26,427.60	99.35 %	\$26,600.00
<b>Other</b>				
\$0.00	\$198.34	\$480.00	20.17 %	\$2,380.00
\$750.00	\$1,408.35	\$14,475.00	85.65 %	\$16,900.00
\$750.00	\$1,606.69	\$14,955.00	77.57 %	\$19,280.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$175.90	\$0.00	\$1,248.11	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$13,681.90	\$17,706.69	\$151,129.71	71.13 %	\$212,480.00
\$255.00	\$791.67	\$18,801.04	197.91 %	\$9,500.00
<b>Fundraising</b>				
\$250.00	\$3,750.00	\$35,031.00	77.85 %	\$45,000.00
\$0.00	\$25.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$300.00
\$250.00	\$3,775.00	\$35,031.00	77.33 %	\$45,300.00
<b>Parish Extraordinary Income</b>				
\$950.00	\$0.00	\$2,848.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$20.00	\$0.00	\$2,665.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$135.00	\$708.34	\$9,741.00	114.60 %	\$8,500.00
<b>Mass Intentions</b>				
\$270.00	\$250.00	\$1,545.00	51.50 %	\$3,000.00
\$270.00	\$250.00	\$1,545.00	51.50 %	\$3,000.00
\$1,375.00	\$958.34	\$16,799.00	146.08 %	\$11,500.00
\$15,561.90	\$23,231.70	\$221,760.75	79.55 %	\$278,780.00



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## St. Boniface Parish (#076)

### Stewardship Gifts

March 2023

## St. Meinrad Parish (#137)

### Stewardship Gifts

March 2023

MTD Actual (2023)	MTD Budget (2023)	YTD Actual (2022-2023)	% of Annual Budget Used (2022-2023)	Annual Budget (2022-2023)	Accounts	MTD Actual (2023)	MTD Budget (2023)	YTD Actual (2022-2023)	% of Annual Budget Used (2022-2023)	Annual Budget (2022-2023)
<b>Income</b>										
<b>Parish Ordinary Income</b>										
<b>Sunday and Holy Day Gifts</b>										
\$7,326.00	\$8,575.00	\$72,409.65	70.37 %	\$102,900.00	4010.400 - Sunday Stewardship & Holy Day	\$10,586.00	\$13,883.33	\$108,499.00	65.13 %	\$166,600.00
\$7,326.00	\$8,575.00	\$72,409.65	70.37 %	\$102,900.00	<b>Total Sunday and Holy Day Gifts</b>	\$10,586.00	\$13,883.33	\$108,499.00	65.13 %	\$166,600.00
<b>Gifts (restricted)</b>										
\$2,270.00	\$2,229.16	\$20,907.74	78.16 %	\$26,750.00	<b>Total Gifts (restricted)</b>	\$2,170.00	\$2,216.67	\$26,427.60	99.35 %	\$26,600.00
<b>Other</b>										
<b>Family Faith Formation</b>										
\$0.00	\$250.01	\$690.00	23.00 %	\$3,000.00	<b>Total Family Faith Formation</b>	\$0.00	\$198.34	\$480.00	20.17 %	\$2,380.00
<b>Auxiliary Services</b>										
\$0.00	\$470.84	\$1,770.00	31.33 %	\$5,650.00	<b>Total Auxiliary Services</b>	\$750.00	\$1,408.35	\$14,475.00	85.65 %	\$16,900.00
\$0.00	\$720.85	\$2,460.00	28.44 %	\$8,650.00	<b>Total Other</b>	\$750.00	\$1,606.69	\$14,955.00	77.57 %	\$19,280.00
<b>Interest and Investment</b>										
\$261.25	\$0.00	\$1,833.57	0.00 %	\$0.00	<b>Total Interest and Investment</b>	\$175.90	\$0.00	\$1,248.11	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$9,857.25	\$11,525.01	\$97,610.96	70.58 %	\$138,300.00	<b>Total Parish Ordinary Income</b>	\$13,681.90	\$17,706.69	\$151,129.71	71.13 %	\$212,480.00
<b>Endowment</b>										
\$25.00	\$250.00	\$1,270.00	42.33 %	\$3,000.00	4852.100 - Cemetery (076-0306)(137-0294)	(\$95.00)	\$416.67	\$2,603.00	52.06 %	\$5,000.00
\$0.00	\$166.67	\$700.00	35.00 %	\$2,000.00	4852.200 - Church Care (076-0484) (137-0593)	\$230.00	\$250.00	\$14,830.00	494.33 %	\$3,000.00
\$0.00	\$266.67	\$10,333.98	322.94 %	\$3,200.00	4852.300 - Pastoral Ministries (076-0229)(137-0413)	\$120.00	\$125.00	\$1,368.04	91.20 %	\$1,500.00
\$0.00	\$416.67	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$5,000.00	4852.500 - Giesecke Pipe Organ (076-076P)					
\$0.00	\$416.67	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$5,000.00	4852.600 - Bell and Bellframes (076-076B)					
\$25.00	\$1,516.68	\$12,303.98	67.60 %	\$18,200.00	<b>Total Endowment</b>	\$255.00	\$791.67	\$18,801.04	197.91 %	\$9,500.00
<b>Fundraising</b>										
<b>Annual Picnic</b>										
\$0.00	\$1,125.00	\$13,667.10	101.24 %	\$13,500.00	4400.500 - Gaming (annual picnic)	\$0.00	\$1,250.00	\$11,994.00	79.96 %	\$15,000.00
\$0.00	\$1,458.33	\$25,679.34	146.74 %	\$17,500.00	4401.500 - General (annual picnic)	\$0.00	\$958.33	\$10,605.00	92.22 %	\$11,500.00
\$2.00	\$1,166.67	\$7,167.00	51.19 %	\$14,000.00	4402.500 - Sponsorship (annual picnic)	\$250.00	\$1,541.67	\$12,432.00	67.20 %	\$18,500.00
\$2.00	\$3,750.00	\$46,513.44	103.36 %	\$45,000.00	4403.500 - Sponsorship (annual picnic)					
					<b>Total Annual Picnic</b>	\$250.00	\$3,750.00	\$35,031.00	77.85 %	\$45,000.00
<b>Miscellaneous</b>										
\$0.00	\$1,475.01	\$2,287.00	12.92 %	\$17,700.00	<b>Total Miscellaneous</b>	\$0.00	\$25.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$300.00
\$2.00	\$5,225.01	\$48,800.44	77.83 %	\$62,700.00	<b>Total Fundraising</b>	\$250.00	\$3,775.00	\$35,031.00	77.33 %	\$45,300.00
<b>Parish Extraordinary Income</b>										
<b>Mission Office Appeal</b>										
\$25.00	\$0.00	\$25.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4021.400 - Black and Indian Mission	\$530.00	\$0.00	\$580.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$20.00	\$0.00	\$135.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4022.400 - Central and Eastern Europe	\$130.00	\$0.00	\$220.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$90.00	\$0.00	\$90.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4023.400 - Catholic Relief Services	\$55.00	\$0.00	\$55.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4024.400 - Holy Land (Good Friday)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4025.400 - Catholic Home Missions Appeal	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4026.400 - Education of Seminarians	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$10.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4027.400 - Peter's Pence (Works Holy Father)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$10.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$70.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4028.400 - World Mission Sunday	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$95.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$105.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4029.400 - Campaign for Human Development	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$105.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$75.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4030.400 - Retirement Fund for Religious	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$180.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$155.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4031.400 - Archdiocese for Military Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$603.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4032.400 - Mission Priest (Labor Day)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$673.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$25.00	\$0.00	\$25.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4042.400 - Church in Africa	\$135.00	\$0.00	\$135.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$50.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4043.400 - Catholic Relief Services(rice bowl)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4046.400 - Catholic Communications Campaign	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$45.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4047.400 - Catholic University of America	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$35.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$20.00	\$0.00	\$35.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4048.400 - Church in Latin America	\$20.00	\$0.00	\$40.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$40.00	\$0.00	\$666.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	4049.400 - Ash Wednesday (rice bowl)	\$80.00	\$0.00	\$620.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
\$220.00	\$0.00	\$2,089.00	0.00 %	\$0.00	<b>Total Mission Office Appeal</b>	\$950.00	\$0.00	\$2,848.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
<b>Capital Campaign Gifts</b>										
					4900.400 - Parish Activity Center	\$20.00	\$0.00	\$2,665.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
					<b>Total Capital Campaign Gifts</b>	\$20.00	\$0.00	\$2,665.00	0.00 %	\$0.00
<b>Cemetery</b>										
\$300.00	\$166.67	\$3,900.00	195.00 %	\$2,000.00	4671.600 - Grave Plots (purchase)	\$0.00	\$166.67	\$4,500.00	225.00 %	\$2,000.00
\$443.47	\$416.67	\$3,200.20	64.00 %	\$5,000.00	4672.600 - The 1847/1861 Society (endowment)	\$135.00	\$416.67	\$6,991.00	139.82 %	\$5,000.00
\$0.00	\$125.00	\$0.00	0.00 %	\$1,500.00	4673.600 - Grounds & Hard Surfaces (cemetery)	\$0.00	\$125.00	(\$1,750.00)	0.00 %	\$1,500.00
\$743.47	\$708.34	\$7,100.20	83.53 %	\$8,500.00	<b>Total Cemetery</b>	\$135.00	\$708.34	\$9,741.00	114.60 %	\$8,500.00
<b>Mass Intentions</b>										
<b>Mass Intentions</b>										
\$100.00	\$183.33	\$1,025.00	46.59 %	\$2,200.00	6100.700 - Mass Intention	\$270.00	\$250.00	\$1,545.00	51.50 %	\$3,000.00
\$100.00	\$183.33	\$1,025.00	46.59 %	\$2,200.00	<b>Total Mass Intentions</b>	\$270.00	\$250.00	\$1,545.00	51.50 %	\$3,000.00
\$100.00	\$183.33	\$1,025.00	46.59 %	\$2,200.00	<b>Total Mass Intentions</b>	\$270.00	\$250.00	\$1,545.00	51.50 %	\$3,000.00
\$1,063.47	\$891.67	\$10,214.20	95.46 %	\$10,700.00	<b>Total Parish Extraordinary Income</b>	\$1,375.00	\$958.34	\$16,799.00	146.08 %	\$11,500.00
\$10,947.72	\$19,158.37	\$168,929.58	73.48 %	\$229,900.00	<b>Total Income</b>	\$15,561.90	\$23,231.70	\$221,760.75	79.55 %	\$278,780.00

# Dear Padre,

***I know a Catholic couple who wanted to celebrate their sacrament of matrimony at a Mass in a forest, but the bishop didn't allow it. Why not marry in God's creation?***

A marriage between Catholics or between a Catholic and a baptized non-Catholic is usually celebrated in a parish church. It can be celebrated in another church or oratory with the bishop or pastor's permission. A marriage between a Catholic and an unbaptized person can be celebrated in a church or another suitable place, although a Catholic church remains the preferred place for the celebration.

Why is the parish church the preferred site for the celebration? For Catholics, matrimony is a sacrament—one of the seven sacred signs through which God communicates love to us. When Catholics ask God to bind their union as a sacrament, the couple's love for each other is a sign of God's love for both, and their union is also a continuous sign of Christ's love for the Church. Thus, the church as a "house of God," which contains the presence of Christ, is revered as the most sacred place to make this most sacred commitment. Marriage, according to Pope Francis in a 2015 General Audience, "is not merely a ceremony in a church, with flowers, a dress, photographs....Christian marriage is a sacrament that takes place in the Church, and which also makes the Church, by giving rise to a new family community....[Saint] Paul says that the love between spouses is an image of the love between Christ and his Church. An unimaginable dignity!" ●

**Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR / DearPadre.org**

## Do you have a question for the Padre?

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Acts 14:5-18	Acts 14:19-28	Acts 15:1-6	Acts 15:17-21	Acts 15:22-31	Acts 16:1-10	Acts 8:5-8, 14-17
Jn 14:21-26	Jn 14:27-31a	Jn 15:1-8	Jn 15:9-11	Jn 15:12-17	Jn 15:18-21	1 Pt 3:15-18 Jn 14:15-21



## A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

***[Jesus] knows that, in life, the worst anxiety, anguish, arises from the sensation of not being able to cope, of feeling alone and without points of reference when faced with events. We cannot overcome this anguish alone...and this is why Jesus asks us to have faith in him, that is, to lean not on ourselves but on him.***

**REGINA CAELI, ST. PETER'S SQUARE, MAY 10, 2020**

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