



# SAINT LOUIS de MONTFORT

## Catholic Church & School

*A Pastorate of the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana*

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***December 12, 2021—The Third Sunday of Advent***

From the Desk of Father Haan...

### ***Laborers for His Harvest***

Jesus said to his disciples, “The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest” (Mt 9:37-38). Since our parish’s establishment in 1978, many laborers have come to work in the Lord’s harvest over the years as members of the staff at St. Louis de Montfort. We are grateful for each of them! Most recently, we are grateful for Dave Neeson, who brought energy, passion, and a deeply relational dimension to our high school youth ministry. And we are profoundly grateful for Terri Delaney, who brought talent, joy, and organization to the Music Ministry at our parish. She also brought tremendous compassion in helping plan funeral Masses. May God bless them for their work here!

Now, the Lord has sent new laborers into His SLDM harvest, and we are thrilled they are joining our parish staff. Please welcome Kyle Stein, who begins his work this week as Coordinator for High School Youth Ministry, and Lauren March, who also begins this week as Director of Music Ministry. We welcome them to their new parish home. Now it’s time for them to labor in the harvest!

Under the Mercy,  
Father Haan

### **Introducing...**

**Lauren March - Director of Liturgical Music Ministry at St. Louis de Montfort Parish.** Lauren has more than 17 years of experience in sacred music as a vocal soloist, choir member, and director of ensembles and choirs. She graduated from the Franciscan University of Steubenville in 2012 and was one of the inaugural classes at Guerin Catholic graduating in 2008. Lauren comes to St. Louis de Montfort from our friends at Our Lady of Mount Carmel where she has been the Assistant to the Director of Music & Liturgy for the past 6 years. During that time, she has provided her vocal gift as a cantor and has directed the “Coro Hispano” (Hispanic Choir). She has participated as a member of the “Schola Cantorum,” an ensemble specializing in Gregorian Chant and Sacred polyphony.

Lauren brings a great passion for the Catholic faith and sacred music to this position as well as considerable experience leading and engaging musicians to provide beautiful music for liturgies. These experiences and her musical expertise will allow her to step in quickly to build on the great work that has been done at SLDM and to work with the wonderful volunteers in our music ministry.

**Kyle Stein - Coordinator for High School Youth Minister at St. Louis de Montfort Parish.**

Kyle graduated from Marian University in 2020 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Pastoral Leadership and a minor in Psychology. While at Marian, he was a San Damiano Scholar and completed his coursework focused on youth ministry, mentorship in ministry and the theology & spirituality of ministry.

Kyle has worked at St. Pius X Catholic Parish and School in Indianapolis leading their High School and Junior High programs since May 2020. This experience is coupled with volunteer work he has done in youth ministry with Holy Spirit at Geist Parish since 2013. His knowledge of the Fishers area and connection with our local Catholic parishes will serve him well as he starts in the role to engage our youth at St. Louis de Montfort.

Kyle brings a great passion for the Catholic faith and strong devotion to the Eucharist along with an ability to relate to young people and adults alike. He will step into a program that has a strong adult mentor group who invest in our youth to help set the strategic direction and shape the future of our efforts to serve our high school youth as they explore their faith and how to apply it to their lives.

**Welcome to Saint Louis de Montfort Catholic Church, Lauren and Kyle!**

# SAINT LOUIS DE MONTFORT CATHOLIC CHURCH



## Mass Schedule

### Weekend

Saturday (Vigil) | 5:00pm

Sunday | 7:30 am, 9:00am, 11:30am & 5:00pm

**Knights of Columbus will lead the rosary in the Church 25 minutes before each weekend Mass.**

### Weekday

Monday-Saturday | 8:00am

Tuesday & Thursday | 6:00pm

Friday | 8:00am and Noon

## Holy Days of Obligation

January 1 | Mary, Mother of God

August 15 | Assumption of Mary

November 1 | All Saints Day

December 8 | The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

December 25 | Nativity of the Lord

Watch bulletin for times.

## Reconciliation

Tuesdays and Thursdays | 5-5:50pm

Saturday | Following the 8am Mass

Or by appointment

*Pastor, Fr. Thomas Haan*

*Associate Pastor, Fr. Sean Aaron*

## Parish Hours/Office Info

Monday-Friday | 8:00am-5:00pm

(Closed Noon-1pm for Lunch)

OFFICE CLOSED WEEKENDS

Parish Office Number: 317-842-6778

Fax Number: 317-576-1932

**Emergency Number to reach Priests:**

317-967-2443

## New Parishioners

*Our warmest welcome to all who worship with our parish family, whether long-time resident or new visitor to our parish. If you are interested in registering at St. Louis de Montfort Catholic Church, you may do so on our website ([www.sldmfishers.org](http://www.sldmfishers.org)) or at the parish office.*

## Parish Mission Statement

Love God | Make Disciples | Serve Christ in the World

## Parish Vision Statement

St. Louis de Montfort will be a dynamic witness of the Gospel and lead others to embrace the love of God.

## Saint Louis-Marie Grignon de Montfort

1673-1716

Feast day: April 28

"To Jesus through Mary"



## Christmas Eve & Christmas Day Mass Schedule

### CHRISTMAS EVE

4pm (Church) | 4:15pm (Gym)

6pm (Church) | 8pm (Church)\*

### CHRISTMAS DAY

12 Midnight (Church) | 9am (Church)\*

**\*We are pleased to announce that reservations will not be required for any Christmas Eve or Christmas Day Masses.**

As we joyfully expect an increase in the number of people attending Christmas Eve and Christmas Day Masses this year, we want to offer consideration to those who have health concerns and require social distancing. Therefore, the 8PM Christmas Eve Mass and the 9AM Mass on Christmas Day will have seating areas where social distancing and masks will be required. If you or a family member has health concerns and you wish to sit in one of these designated sections, please contact the Parish Office at 317-842-6778. You will be asked to provide your name, contact information, how many in your party, and if you will be attending the December 24th Mass at 8PM or the December 25th Mass at 9AM.

Please be advised:

- 1.) Only those who have requested in advance will be seated in the socially distanced sections.
- 2.) Only the 8PM Mass on Christmas Eve and the 9AM Mass on Christmas Day will offer social distancing/mask requirements.

If you have any questions, please contact Beth Craig at [bcraig@sldmfishers.org](mailto:bcraig@sldmfishers.org).



# Advent & Christmas 2021

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
12 3rd Sunday of Advent  Feast Day of Our Lady of Guadalupe	13 St. Alphonsus, Zionsville Penance Service 7pm	14 <b>Vespers-6:35pm</b>  St. Elizabeth Seton Penance Service 7pm	15 St. John Vianney, Fishers Penance Service 7pm	16 <b>SLDM Penance Service 7pm</b>  No 5pm Reconciliation No 6pm Mass	17	18
19  4th Sunday of Advent	20  Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Penance Service 7pm	21 <b>Vespers-6:35pm</b>  St. Maria Goretti Penance Service 7pm	22	23	24  <b>Christmas Eve Mass Times:</b> 4pm (Church) 4:15pm (Gym) 6pm (Church) 8pm (Church)  The Parish Office will close at Noon.	25  <b>Christmas Day Mass Times:</b> Midnight (Church) 9am (Church)  The Holy Family Vigil Mass: 5pm
26  The Holy Family Sunday (Sunday obligation remains) 7:30am   9am 11:30am   5pm	27  Parish Office closed through Monday, January 3, 2022	28 <b>Vespers-6:35pm</b>	29	30	31  Mary, Mother of God Vigil: 5pm	1  Mary, Mother of God Mass Times: 9am   Noon

## MASS TIMES

### Weekend

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Sunday | 7:30 am, 9:00am, 11:30am & 5:00pm

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### Weekday

Monday-Saturday | 8:00am

Tuesday & Thursday |

6:00pm

Friday | 8:00am and Noon

## RECONCILIATION

Tuesdays & Thursdays |

5-5:50pm

Saturday | Following the 8am Mass

Or by appointment



**Saturday, December 11, 2021**

**5:00 pm** † Ralph Hughes

**Sunday, December 12, 2021**

**7:30 am** For the People of the Parish

**9:00 am** † Deceased Members of the Iott Family,  
requested by Sue & Chuck Yotter

**11:30 am** † John Molitor, requested by Diane Chandler

**5:00 pm** Joseph & Kerry Monaghan,  
requested by Her Loving Husband

**Monday, December 13, 2021**

**8:00 am** † Leo & Frieda Freese,  
requested by JoAnne DeFrance

**Tuesday, December 14, 2021**

**8:00 am** Vincent & Karla Kinkade

**7:00 pm** † Elnora Holmes,  
requested by Mike & Kathy Sheek

**Wednesday, December 15, 2021**

**8:00 am** † Dennis Czech, requested by CRHP Team 37

**Thursday, December 16, 2021**

**8:00 am** † Patrick & Mary Shanny,  
requested by Breda Barnes

**7:00 pm** **ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE—NO MASS**

**Friday, December 17, 2021**

**8:00 am** Mr. Stewart & His Family, requested by 8B

**12:00 pm** † Robert Welch, requested by Jeff Kennelly

**Saturday, December 18, 2021**

**8:00 am** Tom & Kathleen Riley,  
requested by Jo Remenyik

**5:00 pm** † Fred Johnston, requested by Mary Mabee

**Sunday, December 19, 2021**

**7:30 am** † Evan Thoennes,  
requested by the Thoennes & Cline Families

**9:00 am** † Dennis Carl Joseph Czech,  
requested by the Leazier Family

**11:30 am** † John Edward Haan,  
requested by John & Amy DeLucia

**5:00 pm** For the People of the Parish

Mass Intentions are available. Stipend is \$10.

**Please see the receptionist in the parish office.**

Note: we are currently scheduling through January only.



**Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of:**

Robert Brennan, Sr.



**MINISTRY SCHEDULER PRO**  
Effective Ministry Scheduling

**Attention Liturgical Ministers!**

**Ushers—Lectors—Altar Servers**  
**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**  
**Mass Coordinators**

Have you logged in to the new system yet?  
We need 100% participation! Help us get there!  
Need help?

Contact Beth Craig at [bcraig@sldmfishers.org](mailto:bcraig@sldmfishers.org)  
OR 317-842-6778 x215

Want to get involved?  
We need more liturgical ministers!  
Contact Beth!

## Perpetual Adoration Chapel

Our Catholic faith tells us that Jesus is fully present in the Blessed Sacrament, which is exposed in our Chapel, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. By the grace of God and the amazing people who volunteer as committed adorers, we have had perpetual adoration for over 25 years! Quit a blessing for our parish family! With the busy-ness of the upcoming holidays, please consider taking some quiet time with Jesus, in our Perpetual Adoration Chapel. Below are hours that still need committed adorers. Please contact Jerilyn at [jikunkel@yahoo.com](mailto:jikunkel@yahoo.com) or call 317- 997-2411 (be sure to leave a message).

*Jesus is waiting...*

### Hours needing Adorers\*

<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
5-6AM	2-3AM	3-4AM
6-7AM	(1st, 3rd, 5th wks)	3-4PM
(2nd & 4th wks)	3-4PM	5-6PM
5-6PM	<u>Thursday</u>	9-10PM
(2nd & 4th wks)	11PM-Midnight	
6-7PM	<u>Friday</u>	(1st, 3rd, 5th)
(1st & 3rd wks)	8-9AM	
7-8PM	Noon-1PM	
(Need Share)	(2nd-5th wks)	
	10-11PM	

\*Hours available are subject to change.

**If you have a prayer request and would like people in Eucharistic Adoration to pray for you, please enter your request on the parish website home page and we will post in the entryway to the Adoration Chapel.**

If you have any questions, please call Jon Zatkulak at the parish office.



**PLEASE NOTE — INCENSE WILL BE USED AT THE FOLLOWING MASSES:**

December 12th-9am & 11:30am January 2nd-11:30am & 5pm  
December 19th-11:30am & 5pm January 9th-9am & 11:30am  
December 26th-9am & 11:30am January 16th-11:30am & 5pm

### Readings for the Week of December 12, 2021

Sunday: Zep 3:14-18a/Is 12:2-6 [6]/Phil 4:4-7/Lk 3:10-18  
Monday: Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a/Ps 25:4-9 [4]/Mt 21:23-27  
Tuesday: Zep 3:1-2, 9-13/Ps 34:2-3, 6-7, 17-18, 19 and 23 [7a]/Mt 21:28-32  
Wednesday: Is 45:6b-8, 18, 21c-25/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [Is 45:8]/Lk 7:18b-23  
Thursday: Is 54:1-10/Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a, and 13b [2a]/Lk 7:24-30  
Friday: Gn 49:2, 8-10/Ps 72:1-4ab, 7-8, 17 [cf. 7]/Mt 1:1-17  
Saturday: Jer 23:5-8/Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19 [cf. 7]/Mt 1:18-25  
Next Sunday: Mi 5:1-4a/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 [4]/Heb 10:5-10/Lk 1:39-45



## Stewardship: Time, Talent & Treasure Total Mass Attendance

For the weekend of December 5, 2021.....1,616

## Saint Louis de Montfort Tithe

(10% of weekly basket collections)

This Month's Tithe: O'Connor House, Women's Care Center, Trinity Free Clinic, St. Nicholas Fund, Good Samaritan Network

Last Month, Each Recipient Received	\$	5,697.00
Fiscal Year Total For All Tithes	\$	85,526.00

## FINANCIAL UPDATE

	12/05/21	Fiscal YTD
Weekly parishioner envelopes	\$ 22,472	\$ 372,631
Online Donations	\$ 31,627	\$ 502,640
Visitor envelopes & loose cash	\$ 2,623	\$ 36,083
Total collected (before parish tithe)	\$ 56,722	\$ 911,354
YTD Budget		\$ (883,500)
YTD Budget Surplus or (Deficit)		\$ 27,854

Donate  
Online



PLEASE CONSIDER  
GIVING ONLINE

Our parish is grateful for your  
continued support.

If you are not using online giving now might be a great time to consider using this convenient & secure method of funding our parish mission. Thank you.

Set up online giving at:

<https://www.osvhub.com/sldmfishers/funds>



AT  
**ANNA'S HOUSE**

Join your fellow SLDM parishioners by volunteering at the Lord's Pantry at Anna's House (303 N. Elder Street; Indianapolis, IN 46222). SLDM has committed to send a volunteer group down once a month. We thank you for your time and commitment to this important ministry!

Volunteers meet at Anna's House between 8-8:30am to begin counting, sorting, and bagging fresh fruits and vegetables, canned and non-perishable foods, meats, breads, sweets, and beverages all in preparation for distribution. At 10:30am we begin distribution (currently in drive through mode). Once we begin distribution, our volunteers take to stations to place food bags into the cars of our families while others are needed for replenishing stations, traffic control, marking checklists and more.

Have questions? Feel free to reach out to Mike Mewborn (michael.mewborn@ukg.com) or Elizabeth Hoffman (emaryreid@gmail.com) who are coordinating volunteers for the parish. For more information about the Lord's Pantry at Anna's House, visit their website: <https://annashousemsc.org/>. Sign up for one or more timeslots at:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10coe4cac2ca6fdo-sldm> or scan the code.

Please Note, this is a sign up for the Lord's Pantry at Anna's House and is NOT a sign up for the Food Pantry at the parish.



## Cardinal 50/50 Drawings

No winner was drawn for the week of November 21st.

The number drawn was 3307.

The amount in the rollover jackpot is \$5,000.00.

All registered parishioners may enter the weekly drawing by putting \$5.00 in the Cardinal 50/50 envelope from your monthly packet or the 50/50 envelopes found in the Narthex. All proceeds from the 50/50 go to our parish school fund.

SAVE *the* DATE  
FOR THE 20TH ANNUAL

MARDI  
*de Montfort*

SATURDAY | FEBRUARY 5TH | 2022

THE CRANE BAY EVENT CENTER  
*Downtown Indy*

Sponsorship Opportunities are now available!

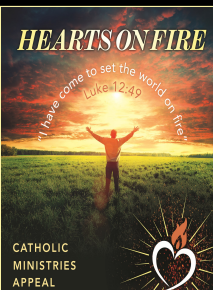
For more information, please visit  
[sldmfishers.org/mardi-de-montfort](https://sldmfishers.org/mardi-de-montfort).

Individual tickets will go on sale in late December.

We look forward to seeing you!

Mardi de Montfort is St. Louis de Montfort's annual dinner and auction gala, with all net proceeds from the event benefitting our parish and school ministries. Over the past two decades, it has grown to become our community's largest fundraiser and a highly anticipated tradition—bringing together parishioners, staff, school families, faculty, and friends—in the spirit of celebration and generosity. The formal evening includes a cocktail reception, silent & live auction, dinner & dancing, and various giving opportunities. It is truly a beautiful night of fellowship, fun, and fundraising—all grounded in our shared faith and inspired by our mission: Love God. Make Disciples. Serve Christ in the World. The success of the event is measure not solely by funds raised, but also by the strengthening of our community.

The 20th Annual Mardi de Montfort will take place on Saturday, February 5, 2022! We are pleased to share that the event will be held in person this year at The Crane Bay in downtown Indianapolis. All Parishioners, school parents, and alumni are encouraged to attend.



## Last call for support of the Catholic Ministry Appeal!

For all who pledged last year, thank you and a reminder those funds need to be received by the end of the year to count towards our goal.

If you'd like to make an additional gift to help our parish, the diocese and our Catholic faith that would also be greatly appreciate. These resources are directed to help build our faith across parishes in central

Indiana and the world. Sharing our treasure is part of this Giving Season, so please consider supporting our faith in this direct way. Questions? Contact Scott Bernhardt at [sbernhardt@sldmfishers.org](mailto:sbernhardt@sldmfishers.org) or 317-842-6778 x. 294. Again, thank you.



Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana  
[www.dol-in.org](http://www.dol-in.org)  
September 2020 - December 2021

# FAITH FORMATION

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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### Elementary RE Calendar for 2021-2022

- December 12: RE Classes
- **December 19, 26 & January 2:**  
**NO RE CLASSES—MERRY CHRISTMAS!**
- January 9: RE Classes
- January 16: NO RE CLASSES—Martin Luther King, Jr. Day



*Through the waters of Baptism,  
we welcome to our faith community:*

Lucas Michael Dezelan  
Mabel Jane Fella  
Amelia Rose McKee

## ST. LOUIS DE MONTFORT JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH MINISTRY

- Dec. 12: Advent Sweater Social Celebration—10-11:15am
- **Dec. 19 & 26: No JHYM—MERRY CHRISTMAS!**
- **Jan. 2: No JHYM—HAPPY NEW YEAR!**
- Jan. 9: JHYM Small Groups—10-11:15am
- Jan. 16: JHYM Small Groups—10-11:15am

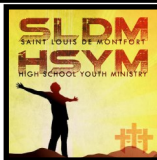
Contact information: Reid Leazier at

rlazier@sldmfishers.org or 317-842-6778 x 232

Register today at <https://sldmfishers.org/junior-high>

### High School Youth Ministry Meets Sundays at 6PM.

All high school teens are invited to join us in  
the All Saints Room.



### **Dec. 12-Confirmation: Mandatory Parent and Student session in the Nave 3-4:30pm**

- **TOPIC:** The Gift of the Holy Spirit and gifts of the Holy Spirit
- Mentor Group assignments will be sent out soon

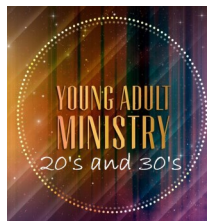
### **Dec. 12-High School Eucharistic Adoration**

- 6:00-6:30pm—Start in the Ministry Center
- 6:40-7:30pm—Main Church for Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction
- \* All are welcome to join us to adore Christ and spend time in His presence

**Dec. 19 & 26—No HSYM—MERRY CHRISTMAS!**

**Jan. 2—No HSYM—HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

Jan. 9—HSYM Large Group Mtg. 6-7:30pm



Young Adult Ministry (20's and 30's) is a community of friends gathering together for prayer, faith sharing, social outings, and service projects. Our hope is to journey together, while helping each other keep our gaze fixed on Christ. We meet on Thursdays in the Youth Ministry Center at 7pm and would love to have you join us!

Please contact Reid Leazier (rlazier@sldmfishers.org or 317-455-4231 x232) for more information!

### Interested in the Catholic Faith?

Would you like to know more? The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is a program for those inquiring into the Catholic Faith. To learn more, you can visit

[www.sldmfishers.org](http://www.sldmfishers.org) or you can contact Angela Exner at 317-842-6778, x240 or email [aexner@sldmfishers.org](mailto:aexner@sldmfishers.org)

### Adult Formation Team Members Needed!

If you are willing to join our team to set up or tear down for an event and help set out catered food, you can attend our Adult Formation events and day retreats for free. Please fill in the form at [www.sldmfishers.org/adult](http://www.sldmfishers.org/adult). Events usually include Day Retreats, Alpha sessions, and possible special events. If you are tech savvy, we can always use your help, too! If you have questions, contact Angela Exner at [aexner@sldmfishers.org](mailto:aexner@sldmfishers.org).



### Fellowship and Fun

For those of you who love to play cards and socialize, we have started our Wednesday afternoon group up again. We meet on Wednesdays at 1:00PM in the kitchen area of the Church's lower level. The cards are provided along with hand sanitizer! You can also register at <https://sldmfishers.org/fellowship-and-fun> or contact Angela Exner at [aexner@sldmfishers.org](mailto:aexner@sldmfishers.org) or 317-842-6778 if you would like to know more information.

### Christ Renews His Parish Women's Weekend

**January 22-23, 2022**

Contact: Ashley Bowser at  
[ashleyh3156@yahoo.com](mailto:ashleyh3156@yahoo.com)

Please Note New Location—

St. Joseph Retreat Center in Tipton

<https://stjosephretreat.org>



**Registration Deadline is  
January 13, 2022**



REGISTER



# Gifts for Baby Jesus

Collected through  
Advent



Even in the midst of COVID-19, because the Women's Care Center stayed open for in person care, abortions declined 11% at the Planned Parenthood next door to the Center at 86th and Georgetown in 2020. The total abortion decline at this Planned Parenthood is now 22% since the Women's Care Center opened in 2014.

We will be collecting items for the local Women's Care Center as our annual Gifts for Baby Jesus event. The collection box will be in the Narthex throughout Advent.

## Items needed include:

- Diapers, size newborn through 6 and diaper bags
- Winter clothing, size newborn through 24 months (new)
- Gently used toddler clothing (size 2T-5T) for older siblings, BOYS clothes especially needed
- Toiletries—ointment, baby wash, shampoo, lotion
- Miscellaneous - onesies, crib sheets, bibs, pacifiers, teething toys, nail clippers, thermometers

## Stephen Ministers Are There to Care



STEPHEN  
MINISTRY

Are you going through a difficult time—emotionally, spiritually, or relationally? Are you lonely, experiencing a crisis, or simply stressed by everyday life? You don't have to suffer alone.

Our Stephen Ministers are trained caregivers, ready to listen, care for and encourage you, pray with and for you, and provide confidential one-to-one Christian care to help you through whatever it is that you are facing. To find out more, contact Deacon Chris at [deaconchris@sldmfishers.org](mailto:deaconchris@sldmfishers.org) or through the Parish office.



## CHILDREN'S NATIVITY PLAY CALL-OUT

All Children ages 3 and older are invited to participate in the Christmas Nativity Play!

The children will act out the nativity story prior to the 4:15pm Mass on Christmas Eve in the gym.

The first rehearsal will be Sunday, December 19th at 10AM in the school gym. Parts will be assigned at that time.

Please email Kaitlyn Armiger

at [karmiger@sldmfishers.org](mailto:karmiger@sldmfishers.org) with any questions! Sign up at [www.signupgenius.com/go/10c094dacaf28a6fa7-2021](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c094dacaf28a6fa7-2021)



## The SLDM Father's Ministry is hosting That Man is You!

This ministry is for fathers and men of the parish who are interested in becoming better fathers, husbands, and disciples of Jesus.

**Fridays - 6:03-7:30am**

**All Saints Room, Ministry Center**

**Wednesdays-7-8:30pm**

**Fr. Allen Rm., church basement**

Register today at:

<https://sldmfishers.org/fathers-ministry>

Contacts: Jeff Oelker, 317-698-2806/[jeffreyoelker@gmail.com](mailto:jeffreyoelker@gmail.com)

Dan Quirk, 317-252-3701/[quirkdesign@hotmail.com](mailto:quirkdesign@hotmail.com)



**DID YOU KNOW THAT SLDM CYO SPORTS ARE FOR ALL PARISHIONERS! YOU DO NOT HAVE TO ATTEND SCHOOL AT SLDM TO PARTICIPATE!**

## CYO Registration is open for WRESTLING

This is for Kindergarten-8th grade.

<https://sldmfishers.org/athlete-registration>

Please pay when you register.

Registration will close December 17th.

## **CYO Physicals**

Physicals are required for all students participating in CYO sports this year. Mini cardinal sports are not included.

Please email physical to [cyo@sldmfishers.org](mailto:cyo@sldmfishers.org).

## **Girls Basketball Uniforms**

All girls basketball uniforms should now be returned. The deadline for uniform return was Friday, December 10th. A lost uniform fee will be assessed for each family did not return the uniform before that date.

**CONGRATS TO THE 5/6th GRADE GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM—CITY CHAMPS!!**



# Please Welcome OUR NEW MEMBERS

Sloan Schafer  
Ryan & Crystal Behan (Evelyn)  
Timothy & Callie DeFrench (William, Olivia)  
DeAnne Smith (William)  
Elizabeth Romano  
Lindsay & Nicholas Dezellan (Connor, Lucas)  
Kurt & Abbie Freytag (Sara)  
Mary Kelly (Matthew)  
Justin & Jamie Furgason (Hannah, Juliet)  
Benjamin & Danielle Tuschong (Vivian)  
Anne Garman



## SoulCore Classes will resume for Advent: New day and new location!

Classes will be at 6:30 PM (after Mass)  
in Craig Willy Hall on Tuesdays during Advent -  
December 14th and December 21st.  
All are welcome! For more information, please contact  
marie.povlinski@gmail.com,  
or visit the "SoulCore at SLDM" Facebook page.

## 7TH ANNUAL E6 CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2022

East Central Performing Arts Center - St. Leon, IN  
[www.e6cmc.com](http://www.e6cmc.com)  
Registration is open!  
Mark your calendars and register early as 2022  
is sure to sell out.

**Featuring Matthew Kelly!**

## GUERIN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL NEWS



**SOAR INTO HIGH SCHOOL AS A GOLDEN EAGLE!**  
**8TH GRADERS - APPLY NOW FOR THE 2022-23  
SCHOOL YEAR**

**Admissions Application Deadline:**  
December 15, 2021

Apply at [GuerinCatholic.org](http://GuerinCatholic.org)

### TUITION ASSISTANCE

We strive to manage available resources to ensure that  
Guerin Catholic is accessible, affordable, and available to  
all who seek a Catholic education for their children.

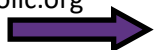
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### VISIT 'THE NEST'!

Check out our upcoming Admissions events  
and our virtual tour at [GuerinCatholic.org](http://GuerinCatholic.org)

Scan to learn more!



## THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

THE LORD, YOUR GOD, IS IN YOUR MIDST,  
A MIGHTY SAVIOR;  
HE WILL REJOICE OVER YOU WITH GLADNESS,  
AND RENEW YOU IN HIS LOVE.

—ZEPHANIAH 3:17



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## PERPETUAL LIVING ROSARY NEEDS PEOPLE TO PRAY

Join fellow parishioners and say one decade of the rosary  
each day, at any time and any place, so as a whole our parish  
is offering many rosaries in prayer per day. Parishioners are  
assigned a specific decade and mystery for each day, so a  
complete rosary is said among 5 people. Sign up as a family  
or individual volunteer - our hope is to have 40 rosaries offered  
in prayer each day! Contact Jamie Anderson for more  
details at [jamed.anderson10@gmail.com](mailto:jamed.anderson10@gmail.com).

## M.O.M.S. (Moms Offering Moms Support)

**If you're a mom, come join us!** We have meetings for  
every schedule. Our Thursday morning meetings are the 2nd  
and 4th Thursday of the month from 10-11:30AM.  
Our evening Tuesday meeting is the second Tuesday  
of the month at 8PM. For location and additional  
information please contact Nicki Burnette  
at [nickiruppe@gmail.com](mailto:nickiruppe@gmail.com). We can't wait to see you there!



## Chuck Lofton to Address Catholic Business Exchange

Chuck Lofton, Broadcast Meteorologist at WTHR-TV, will  
address the December Catholic Business Exchange.  
His topic will be: *The Forecast Never Changes*.

The event is Friday, December 17, at the Northside Events  
and Social Club. Mass is offered at 7am and the program  
will be finished by 9am. Cost for the program includes a  
great breakfast and is \$18 in advance for members and \$24  
for non-members. Registration is required by 4pm, Tues-  
day December 14. To register, pay online and for more in-  
formation, visit [www.catholicbusinessexchange.org](http://www.catholicbusinessexchange.org).



# Knights News

## Knights of

### Columbus 6923



**Next Knights of Columbus Business Meeting will be held on Monday, December 13th**, in Craig Willy Hall, beginning with the Rosary at 6:45 PM.

#### **Consecration to the Holy Family**

Families will be consecrated to the Holy Family on Holy Family Sunday, December 26th during all Sunday Masses. More info coming...

#### **Leave No Neighbor Behind**

If you need help, especially during these times when it may be difficult to leave your home, the Knights welcome the opportunity to assist you. Whether it's general yard work, picking up groceries, general house cleaning, or repairs, the Knights are here to help. Please contact Jim Harris at 317-418-3924 or Tim Campbell at 317- 607-9680 with questions and requests. If you receive a voice mail, please leave a message and we will get back with you.

**MOVIE NIGHT—Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus** Join us for Pizza, Popcorn, Desserts, and lemonade. All are invited---Family members, parishioners, neighbors of parishioners.

• **Saturday, January 15th at 6pm after Mass**

*Roe v. Wade ...More info to come.*

**SAVE THE DATE-Knights of Columbus annual free throw challenge for all youth, ages 9-14, on Friday, January 28th at 6:00pm in the gym.**

Stay tuned for more information.

**Rosary before all Masses:** The Knights will lead the Rosary before all weekend Masses in the Church, 25 minutes before Mass begins. Please join us as we pray for our parish and country.

# COLTS

## Blood Drive



## BLEED BLUE BLOOD DRIVE

**Fishers Knights of Columbus at  
St. Louis de Montfort  
Sunday, December 12th  
8am-1pm ~ Craig Will Hall**

**There will be a  
PANCAKE BREAKFAST  
Served from 8am-11am**

**Join us and the Indianapolis Colts in  
saving lives this December!**

**URGENT NEED - Blood donations continue  
to decline to emergency levels.**

**Each Person will receive a limited-  
edition Colts football for participat-  
ing! (While supplies last.)**

**Scan QR Code or schedule at  
[www.Versiti.org/IN](http://www.Versiti.org/IN)  
Sponsor Code 1180**



**\*\*\*Masks Required\*\*\***

**Please bring photo ID, eat, and hydrate  
If you have donation and eligibility questions,  
call 317-916-5150.**

Learn about the continued importance of blood  
donation and the steps Versiti is taking to keep our  
donors safe here:  
<https://www.versiti.org/home/coronavirus-information>

**The Department of Defense commemorating the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Vietnam War wants to recognize, thank and honor United States military veterans who served during the Vietnam War.**

Congress has authorized a special certificate and pin for each living veteran who served at any time on active duty in the US Armed Forces, regardless of location during the Vietnam War era.

To find out more about this recognition please contact St. Louis de Montfort parishioner Al Kozimor at [akozi-mor@hotmail.com](mailto:akozi-mor@hotmail.com) . And on behalf of the entire parish we thank all military veterans for their service to our country.



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## PARISH STAFF

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## RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5-5:50pm, every Saturday morning following the 8am Mass, or by appointment.

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

To arrange for anointing, call the parish office.

## HOLY COMMUNION

If you or another parishioner is sick and/or homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist, please contact Fr. Sean Aaron at frsean@sldmfishers.org.

## BAPTISM FOR INFANTS AND CHILDREN

Parents of children who need Baptism or children who are past grade 2 preparation and not yet in jr. high school, and need the sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist, please contact the parish office at 317-842-6778. Please note that Baptisms are offered on the second and fourth Sundays at 1 p.m.

## WEDDINGS

Registered couples wanting to schedule a wedding and/or marriage preparation must contact the parish office. Weddings at St. Louis de Montfort should be scheduled one year in advance and have a sacramental preparation period of not less than six months prior to the wedding date.

## FUNERALS

Please call the parish office prior to making any funeral arrangements with a funeral director. This ensures that a priest and the church will be available. To preplan a funeral prayer service and/or Mass, please contact the parish office at 317-842-6778.

## RCIA

Contact Angela Exner at 317-842-6778, x240 or aexner@sldmfishers.org if you are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith.

## SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

If you have a teen from the ages of 12-17 in need of Baptism, Reconciliation, First Communion, and Confirmation please contact Angela Exner—aexner@sldmfishers.org. If your teen has already received Baptism, Reconciliation, and First Communion and is wishing to be Confirmed, please contact Matt Pfifer at mpfifer@sldmfishers.org

## PARISH FACILITIES USAGE

Event/Meeting Rooms must be approved and reserved in advance (1 wk min.). Please email receptionist@sldmfishers.org for all scheduling. All events and room reservations must be requested in writing. Craig Willy Hall may be rented with a fee. For wedding receptions (minimum 2-week notice), the sacramental marriage must be celebrated at SLDM. Hall forms are available in the parish office. All adults participating in events with youth under 18 yrs. of age must have completed the Safe and Sacred Certification.

## CRISIS PREGNANCY—FREE ULTRASOUND/POST ABORTION COUNSELING:

Pregnant? Need help? Hurt by abortion? Call the Gabriel Project toll-free at 1-877-734-2444 confidentially, anytime, day or night.

**TO REPORT AN INSTANCE OF SEXUAL ABUSE, PLEASE CONTACT Jackie Montrie, M.A., LMFT, LMHC Victim Assistance Coordinator of the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana at 765-464-4988 OR VISIT <https://dol-in.org/reporting-an-incident>**

## NATIONAL SUICIDE PREVENTION HOTLINE: 1-800-273-8255

The Lifeline provides 24/7, free and confidential support for people in distress, prevention and crisis resources for you or your loved ones, and best practices for professionals.

**Hearing assistance equipment available in the Sacristy upon request.**