SUNDAY, AUG. 21ST: 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Cf. Ps 86 (85): 1-3.

Turn your ear, O Lord, and answer me; save the servant who trusts in you, my God. Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Cf. Ps 104 (103): 13-15

The earth is replete with the fruits of your work, O Lord; you bring forth bread from the earth and wine to cheer the heart

Cf. Jn 6: 54

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, says the Lord, and I will raise him up on the last day.

FOR BOTH PARISHES

The weekday Mass schedule will be adjusted after Labor Day due to Deacon's departure. Fr. Rasner plans to be at Covington on Wednesday evenings, with Father Buckles at St. Francis for Adult Education AS SCHEDULED.

Additional lectors and volunteers to read announcements are needed. See Fr. Rasner if interested.

St. Francis Xavier in Attica

Our CCD program will be starting again on Sun., Sept 11.

- Classes will be held after the 10 a.m. Mass until noon. A snack will be provided in the hall prior to class.
- Registration forms for new students are available on the back kneeler. Returning students may be reregistered by texting Eileen Hays at 765-426-4425.

Last Week's income \$2,890.00 Divine Infant Jesus of Prague with gratitude for your blessings we commend our needs to your loving care as we pray for the needy and unemployed.

This week the sanctuary lamp burns in honor of the Most Blessed Sacrament and in memory of Nora E. McGowan.

All are welcome to join the choir as they resume regular singing on Sept 11. We will start with regular practices on Sunday mornings from 9-9:30am in the choir loft (beginning on 9/11). If you are interested in being a cantor or have questions, feel free to call or text Brooke Max at 765-585-2636. Come join us to make a joyful noise unto the Lord!

It is not too late to add your prayers to out Spiritual Bouquet for Fr Rasner. To join in just add your name to the calendar in the vestibule. We hope to have several names in each box covering the 40 days leading up to Fr Rasner's 40th Anniversary of his ordination on Sept 25.

This Week's Schedule and Mass Intentions

Attica

Monday, August 22 The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary Tuesday, August 23, 8:00 AM

Wednesday, August 24, 6:30 PM

Thursday, August 25, 8:00 AM

Friday, August 26, 8:00AM Saturday, August 24, 4:00 PM Sunday, August 28, 10:00 AM St. Rose of Lima

St. Bartholomew, Apostle St. Louis,

St. Joseph Calasanz, Priests

WEEKDAY Vigil Mass +Herman & Marjorie Schmid pro populo

+Gary Stoll Jr.

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

+Don & Betty Scheurich

+Dec of the Gasinski Family

+Jim Holland

Covington

Wednesday, August 24 Sunday, August 28, 8:00 AM St. Bartholomew, Apostle 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time No Communion Service +Margaret & Dale Johnson

No Communion Service



All Are Welcome

FORMED.org Pick of the Week:

LISTEN:

The Confessions of St. Augustine

Actor Leonardo Defilippis captures the poetry and passion of Saint Augustine of Hippo (AD 354-430) in a performance that is accessible and deeply moving. The play is astonishingly relevant for our own times. Augustine struggled with promiscuity, fathered a child out-of-wedlock and dabbled in a "new age" style cult. You'll be amazed by his relentless pursuit of Truth and encouraged by the prayerful perseverance of his faithful mother, Saint Monica.

LEARN:

The Feast of Saint Monica

Throughout her life, St. Monica constantly prayed for the conversion of Augustine, her beloved son. In a moment of desperation, she even asked for the bishop's help. In response, he said, "the son of those tears surely will not perish." Truly, as this bishop remarked, Monica's tearful prayers helped build her son into the Doctor of Grace. In this video, join Dr. Gray and Dr. Sehorn as they discuss more about this great Saint.

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 21ST: TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



WATCH: Into the Breach—Episode 3: Leadership

Among many other things, Pope St. Gregory the Great is known for his incredible pastoral presence and servant leadership. In honor of this magnanimous Saint, enjoy this episode of Into the Breach! Although primarily targeted at men, this video and its emphasis on service will be fruitful to anyone who desires sanctity and self-mastery!

WEEK OF AUGUST 21ST: 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Visit our website and register your family with ours today. STFRANCISXSTJOSEPH.ORG



CALLED & GIFTED WORKSHOP

How can I follow God's plan for my life?
What are my unique God-given gifts?

You are invited to begin discerning your spiritual gifts by attending a *Called & Gifted* workshop.

Saturday, October 15 | 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM Doors open at 8:30 AM.

St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church | Kokomo, IN

Cost: \$60, includes lunch. Learn more and register at https://dol-in.org/CGWorkshop by October 5.



Presented by Fr. Brent Bowen, O.P. and Katherine Coolidge of the Catherine of Siena Institute.



This program is funded by a generous gift from Lilly Endowment Inc. under the Phase III National Initiative to Address Economic Challenges Facing Pastoral Leaders



Young Adult MISSION TRIP

Thursday, Oct. 6 - Sunday, Oct. 9

Eastern Kentucky



Register by Aug. 25

Join young adults (ages 18-39) from across the diocese as we serve with the Father Beiting Appalachian Mission Center over Columbus Day weekend!



More info: dol-in.org/MissionTrip



Victim Assistance Ministry: Jackie Montrie, Victim Assistance Coordinator: (765) 464-4988

This number is to be used to report concerns regarding abuse, sexual or otherwise, by Church personnel. This number provides pastoral outreach to victims/survivors of child sexual abuse.

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Come Celebrate the Sacraments with Us

ADORATION

First Friday: 6-7 PM St. Francis Xav Last Thursday: 6-7 PM St. Joseph

RECONCILIATION

SUN: 7:30 AM St. Joseph SAT: 3:00 PM St. Francis Xavier

Liturgical Ministers for Aug. 27 & 28, 2022 Attica Covington 4 PM **10 AM 8 AM** Jerry Mattern **Henry Schmitt Lector** Sally Weller Servers Jeff Windnagel **Ryley Nern Josef Goeppner Claire Nern Fulton Goeppner Grace Hennessey Janie Hemp**

Join us and find out

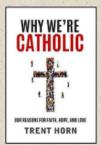
WHY WE'RE CATHOLIC

wednesday evenings starting on

SEPTEMBER 7

6:30 Communion Service, class to follow

Welcome back, Fr Buckles!



What does the Church really teach?

How can teachings from the long-distant past still be viable in today's world?

There is no charge for the class. All materials will be provided.

Guests are always welcome!

Becoming Catholic

If you have questions about the Catholic faith, we would love to talk with you! Formation process for adults on an individual basis.

Contact Jenny Goeppner, Director of Evangelization, at 765-413-0063.