

Fountain County Pastorate: A Faith Community within the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana

St. Francis Xavier & St. Joseph Catholic Churches

St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church

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(765) 762-3330

St. Joseph Catholic Church

308 Pearl St.
Covington, IN 47932
(765) 793-3289

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Attica, IN 47918

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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Weekend Schedule

Saturdays

Confessions—
3:00 PM in Attica
Mass—4:00 PM in Attica

Sundays

Confessions—
7:30 AM in Covington
Mass—8:00 AM in Covington
Mass—10:00 AM in Attica

Stay up-to-date with our
community at
stfrancisxstjoseph.org!

Pursue a lasting love ... #NFP Week 2025



“Chastity...is not a ‘no’ to the pleasures and joys of life, but a great ‘yes’ to love as a profound communication between persons, a communication that requires time and respect as they journey together toward fullness and as a love that becomes capable of generating life and of generously welcoming the new life that is born.” - Pope Benedict XVI, May 13, 2011

Say **yes** to being generous to life through the use of **Natural Family Planning**.

For more information contact Susan Hoefer, Diocesan NFP Coordinator, at shoefer@dol-in.org or 765-421-1998.



Our musicians and choir members were honored with a few other volunteers at an appreciation dinner. Thanks for the many hours put in by this group! For anyone interested in joining, the choir will start up again in September!

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Entrance Antiphon

Ps 54 (53): 6, 8

See, I have God for my help. The Lord sustains my soul. I will sacrifice to you with willing heart, and praise your name, O Lord, for it is good.

Communion Antiphon

Ps 111 (110): 4-5 The Lord, the gracious, the merciful, as made a memorial of his wonders; he gives food to those who fear him.

~or~ *Rev 3: 20* Behold, I stand at the door and knock, says the Lord. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door to me, I will enter his house and dine with him, and he with me.

This Week's Mass Schedule and Intentions

Attica

Monday, July 21, 6:30 PM

Tuesday, July 22, 8:00 AM

Wednesday, July 23

Thursday, July 24, 6:30 PM

Friday, July 25, 8:00 AM

Saturday, July 26, 4:00 PM

Sunday, July 27, 10:00 AM

St. Larence of Brindisi

St. Mary Magdalene

St. Bridget

St. Sharbel Makhlhluf

St. James

Vigil Mass

17th Sunday Ordinary Time

+Kathy Turpin

+Greg Dobzykowski

No Mass

Int Max & Taylor Titus Family

+Fr. Jim Koons

+George Wallpi

Pro Populo

Covington

Wednesday, July 23, 6:30 PM

Sunday, July 27, 8:00 AM

St. Bridget

17th Sunday Ordinary Time

For the Sick

+Dick Hay

Liturgical Ministers for July 26-27, 2025

| | Attica 4:00 PM | 10:00 AM | Covington 8:00 AM |
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| Lector: | Tom Schmid | Theresa Grisham | Taylor Powell |
| Servers: | Jeff Windnagel | Claire Nern Finn Nern | Josef Goeppner Fulton Goeppner |
| EMHC: | | Kay DeFreese Jerry Mattern | Kevin Goeppner Katherine Powell |

Announcements

For both parishes

WELCOME! To register for either parish, go to our website, stfrancixstjoseph.org/registration, or you may pick up a form in the back of one of the churches and return in collection box/basket.

St. Francis Xavier in Attica

Last Week's income was \$4,242.00. 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 Edward Jerome Kolodziej.

St. Joseph in Covington

Plan to attend a **Mass of Healing on Wednesday, July 23 at 6:30 pm**. An opportunity of comfort, enrichment and serenity for the body, mind and soul. All are welcome.

Mark your calendars! Tuesday, August 5th from 5-7 pm, we will once again have **Taco Tuesday for Marilyn's Village**. Free taco meals but donations for Marilyn's Village will be accepted. It will be held at St. Joseph's Parish Hall. More information coming soon!

Special Healing Mass

There will be a special *Healing Mass* at St. Joseph in Covington. All who suffer in body, mind, and spirit are invited to join us to pray for God's powerful help and healing.

July 23, 2025 | 308 Pearl St.
6:30 PM | Covington, IN

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