

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

407 S. Perry St.  
Attica, IN 47918  
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### St. Joseph Catholic Church

308 Pearl St.  
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CCD classes run from September to April.  
Classes are held after Sunday Mass at both  
parishes.

Grade 9-12 meet at St. Francis.  
Contact your DRE at anytime to enroll new  
students.

#### 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.

### 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](http://stfrancisxstjoseph.org)!



Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets,  
he interpreted to them what referred to him in all the scriptures.

### *We appreciate you!*

*Thanks to all who cooked, served, and  
participated in our breakfast to welcome  
new parishioners last Sunday!  
A special thank you to Chad Penn and  
his family who have served so  
generously this year in helping our new  
parishioners come into the Church.*



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**St Joseph 3rd Tuesday of the month @ 11am**

Contact Becky Jones 217-377-3074

**St Francis 3rd Thursday of the month @ 7pm**

Contact Dawn Meadows 765-918-7982



For More Information Visit  
[www.millionsofmonicas.com](http://www.millionsofmonicas.com)

### Thank you

for donating your extra shoes  
to our  
Catholic Heritage Girls troop!

We will continue collecting  
though April.  
Collection boxes are located in  
the hall for both churches.

If you have any questions,  
please contact  
Sarah Murphy at  
[thoughtfullymurphy@yahoo.com](mailto:thoughtfullymurphy@yahoo.com).



# Third Sunday of Easter

## Entrance Antiphon

The merciful love of the Lord fills the earth;  
by the word of the Lord  
the heavens were made, alleluia

## Communion Antiphon

The Good Shepherd has risen,  
who laid down his life for his sheep  
and willingly died for his flock, alleluia.

## This Week's Mass Schedule and Intentions

### St Francis Xavier

Monday	April 20		Easter Weekday	No Mass here today
Tuesday	April 21	8:00 am	St Anslem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	No Mass here today
Wednesday	April 22	6:30 pm	Easter Weekday	No Mass here today
Thursday	April 23	6:30 pm	St George, Martyr	No Mass here today
Friday	April 24	8:00 am	St Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest and Martyr	No Mass here today
Saturday	April 25	4:00 pm	Vigil Mass	+ Harold and Stella VanDame
Sunday	April 26	10:00 am	Fourth Sunday of Easter	+ Brian Welch

### St Joseph

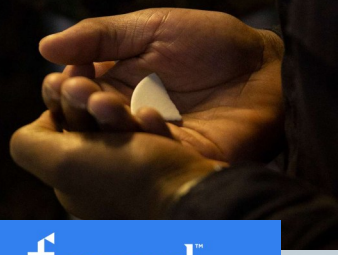
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## Liturgical Ministers for April 25 & 26

	4:00p.m.	10:00a.m.	8:00a.m.
Lector:	Sally Weller	Mark Mattern	Taylor Powell
Server	Jeff Windnagle	Evelyn Mattern Finn Nern	Jake Martinek Maria Beckett
EMHC		Jerry Mattern Kay DeFreese	Kevin Goepner Katherine Powell

God bless Fr Rasner as he takes a well-deserved rest this week! In case of emergency please contact Fr Samuel Kalu at the Tribunal. 765-269-4644

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## Announcements

### St. Francis Xavier in Attica

Last Week's income was \$2,846.00. 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 Howard D. Weaver.

The Altar and Rosary Guild will meet on Tuesday, April 21 at 7pm. We will be discussing plans for 1st Communion and graduation. All women of the parish are welcome.

New Altar Servers?

Altar Server training was provided to all CCD students grades 5-8 in March. Please contact Eileen Hays if your student would like to begin serving at Mass.

We will be celebrating the 135th anniversary of the dedication of our church this coming June with a parish picnic. We have several people on the planning team and would welcome more. Please contact Eileen Hays (765-426-4425) if you would like to help! Thank you!



*"Let me seek you in desiring you;  
let me desire you in seeking you;  
let me find you in loving you;  
let me love you in finding you."*  
~St Anslem