

# St. Mark 😛

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about our parish or school please visit the
welcome desk in the Narthex
or call the Parish Center.

**Sacrament of Baptism**—Contact the Parish Center to begin the process of preparation.

Sacrament of Reconciliation—in the courtesy room Wednesday 5:00-5:30 PM Saturday 3:00-4:00 PM Sunday 1:00-2:45 PM

**Sacrament of Matrimony**—Arrange with Pastor at least six months in advance. Participation in all parts of the Marriage preparation program is required.

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Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament— Wednesday, 6:00 PM 535 East Edgewood Ave Indianapolis, Indiana 46227 317.787.8246 stmarkindy.org

Parish Center Hours Monday-Friday, 8:30 AM-3:00 PM

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Mass Schedule Saturday (Anticipation) 4:30 PM

Sunday 7:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:45 AM, 2:00 PM Daily Mass: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri: 8:15 AM

Wednesday 5:30 PM

Holy Day Masses: 6:30 AM, 8:15 AM, 11:00 AM, 7:00 PM Live streamed Sunday at 9:30 AM

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# **BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS**

To submit information to the St. Mark bulletin, please use the email, <u>bulletin@stmarkindy.org</u>.

Deadlines are Monday at Noon, to be included in the next Sunday bulletin. Please include all dates, times, and locations. The bulletin editor will make appropriate adjustments as needed. Questions, please contact <u>Alison Archer.</u>

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### MASS SCHEDULE



Please schedule your 2023 mass intentions. Contact <u>Alison Archer</u> to reserve dates.

### Sunday, June 4 The Most Holy Trinity

7:00 AM & Margaret Miester (Fr. T)

9:30 AM & Vincente de Las Alas (Fr. T)

11:45 AM Parishioners of St. Mark (Fr. J)

2:00 PM Myanmar Mass (Fr. J)

Monday, June 5 St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr

8:15 AM & Emery Eakle (Fr. J)

Tuesday, June 6 St. Norbert, Bishop

8:15 AM & Charlie Cantlon (Fr. T)

Wednesday, June 7 Ordinary Time Weekday

5:30 PM ♣ Joe Piccione (Fr. J)

6:00 to 7:00 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, June 8 Ordinary Time Weekday

8:15 AM <sup>♣</sup> Ruby Black (Fr. J)

Friday, June 9 St. Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the

Church

Saturday, June 10 Anticipation Mass

Sunday, June 11 The Most Holy Body and Blood of

Christ

7:00 AM & Parishioners of St. Mark (Fr. J)

2:00 PM Myanmar Mass (Fr. J)

### ST. MARK FIREARM POLICY

### Policy Regarding Firearms at St. Mark Catholic Church

With the exception of law enforcement officers, on or off duty, no one is permitted to have a firearm of any kind on their person in this church, or anywhere on the church or school property. All firearms must be locked in a vehicle in a non-visible manner. Thank you for your compliance to this policy- Fr. Tim Wyciskalla

## **READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 4, 2023**

Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 (52b)/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18

Monday: Tb 1:3; 2:1b-8/Ps 112:1b-2, 3b-4, 5-6/Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday: Tb 2:9-14/Ps 112:1-2, 7-8, 9/Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Ps 25:2-3, 4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9/Mk 12:18-27 Thursday: Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Mk 12:28-34

Friday: Tb 11:5-17/Ps 146:1b-2, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Mk 12:35-37 Saturday: Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20/Tb 13:2, 6efgh, 7, 8/Mk 12:38-44

Next Sunday: Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 (12)/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58

St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church

Sunday, June 4, 2023



### Happy Trinity Sunday!

For those who may have missed my introduction last weekend, my name is Deacon Sam Rosko and I am a transitional deacon for the Archdiocese of Indianapolis and will be assigned here at Saint Mark for the Summer. I am the oldest of four children and grew up right here on the Southside in Greenwood. My home parish is Holy Rosary (of Italian Street Festival fame) and that is where I attended Middle School and High School. I went to Bishop Simon Brute/Marian University for College Seminary and am currently attending Saint Meinrad Seminary and School of Theology, where I will return after the Summer for my final year of seminary formation. I am very excited to be here at St. Mark for the Summer!

Trinity Sunday is one of those uniquely Catholic Feast Days that we sometimes don't know what to do with. It might seem odd at first glance to have an entire Feast Day dedicated to celebrating a Doctrine. As the Catechism reminds us, however, the Mystery of the Holy Trinity is *the* central mystery of our faith:

The mystery of the Most Holy Trinity is the central mystery of Christian faith and life. It is the mystery of God in himself. It is therefore the source of all the other mysteries of faith, the light that enlightens them. It is the most fundamental and essential teaching... (CCC 234)

The Mystery of the Holy Trinity is not just about what we believe, but also about *how we live*. We are called to live in a Trinitarian way. We can only understand ourselves—we who are made in the Image of God—through the Holy Trinity, which is a relationship of love

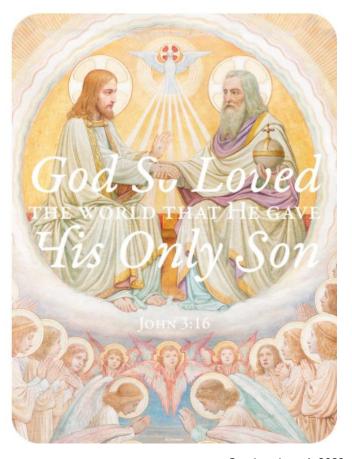
between the Three Divine Persons. God's inner life *is* love.

The inner life of the One God in three Divine Persons—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—is a communion of love. And through our Baptism we are brought into this very communion as we are made sons and daughters of God!

We are called to live our lives in this love. We are called to make our lives a reflection of the perfect love of the Trinity in our relationship with God through prayer and our care and love of our neighbor here below. We participate in this Trinitarian love each time we receive the Sacraments, when we spend time in prayer with God, and when we live virtuous lives in the world that give witness to God Himself. And then God uses us as instruments as he brings the whole world into a deeper relationship with Himself, a deeper participation in the life of the Trinity.

God invites us to participate in His own inner life of love. On this Trinity Sunday, may we enter more deeply into the very Trinitarian life of God by living out this Mystery of Trinitarian love in our lives. Let us reflect the love of the Holy Trinity in all that we do as the love of the Trinity works through us to conform us day by day closer to Himself.

God Bless, Deacon Sam Rosko



### PRAYER LIST

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To add or update a name to our Prayer List or the St. Mark Prayer Chain, call Alison Archer or submit names to: stmarkprayerchain@stmarkindy.org

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### STEWARDSHIP SPOT



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### St. Mark Development Office News

A reminder if you are 72 years or older and have an IRA account, the IRS requires you to take a RMD (required minimum distribution) or face a taxable penalty.

One way of getting around that penalty is to include the RMD as part of your charitable giving to St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church.

If you have any questions about setting up your RMD to go directly to St. Mark, contact the St. Mark Director of Development, Rusty Albertson at ralbertson@stmarkindy.org.

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### CITIZENSHIP CLASSES



Citizenship Class will begin now and continue during the summer at 10:00 am on Thursdays. Class will be located in the home of Ginny O'Brien, 6650 Yellowstone Parkway. Please text Ginny to register at 317-306-5263. Evening classes will resume when the new construction is finished.

### PARISH CENTER SUMMER SCHEDULE

The trailers which have served as the Parish Center over the past 10 months will be taken away. This is a sign of progress! The construction on the south parking lot expansion will begin shortly after the First of June.

Because of this, the Parish Staff will have a temporary space inside the school this summer. Some staff members will also work from home. During those times, and throughout the summer, please utilize the voicemail system and email if you need contact Parish Staff, they will reply to you within two business days. You may make appointments with staff members.

Our mailbox on Edgewood is a secure box, and is checked daily if you need to drop things off for the church.

We are so close to the finish line and so ready to be in that beautiful new space! Contact Alison Archer if you need assistance or have questions. Please continue to pray for the workers safety, and that items like AC units and electrical components arrive on time!:)

### **GOSPEL MEDITATION**

June 4, 2023

The Most Holy Trinity

In my experience, one of the peculiarities of being a man is the somewhat unlikely ability to look into the mirror, no matter how out of shape he may be, and declare with full confidence: "Looking good, buddy!" Ask a man. He'll probably confirm it.

Therein lies a mystery. You might think I refer to man's ability to deceive himself or his propensity toward vainglory. But in this case, I refer to the mystery of a healthy and proper sense of self-love. We human beings (both men and women) have the utterly weird ability to look at ourselves as if we were another. Then we tend to love this "other." Then, somehow, that love becomes a bond between the two. We are three and yet one.

This Sunday is Trinity Sunday. We ponder anew that God in His unity is a play of multiplicity: Lover, Beloved, and shared Love. Or, as we also proclaim, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. If we allow it, this mystery heals our temptation toward self-hatred and destruction. We all know how awful it is to look into the mirror and not know the person we see, or, equally bad, to know and hate who we see. Jesus, the Son of God, draws us into the dynamics of authentic self-knowledge and self-love. Perhaps we could ask the Holy Trinity this Sunday to teach us to truly look at ourselves and to properly love who we see looking back.

— Father John Muir

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### ST. MARK CYO

### **Southside Flag Football League**

St. Mark Athletic Committee is accepting flag football



registration for 2023. Boys and girls entering grades K-2 are eligible to play and the registration fee is \$60.00. Registration deadline is August 19, practices may begin the week of August 21, and the first games scheduled for September 9. The season ends on October 28 and includes a schedule pause to accommodate Fall Break. Practices are normally once per week and are scheduled by the coaches.

Due to construction at St. Mark, all games are held on Saturday mornings at Roncalli High School.

### ST. MARK CATHOLIC SCHOOL

The Coca Cola Give Program is under construction and being reimagined. We encourage call consumers to donate their product codes, found under product caps and on fridge packs, on or before June 30, 2023. This program has benefited St Mark School over the years it has been running. Please turn in your caps and "official codes" (not bar codes) from boxes as you finish the product. This will ensure as many of the codes as possible can be entered before the program ends. After June 30 kindly recycle your product packaging, and do not bring it to church or school.

Anyone can log into https://us.coca-cola.com/give and enter codes from caps and boxes. Among the many schools participating in in this program, it is easy to find St. Mark Catholic School by searching zip code 46227. Thank you!



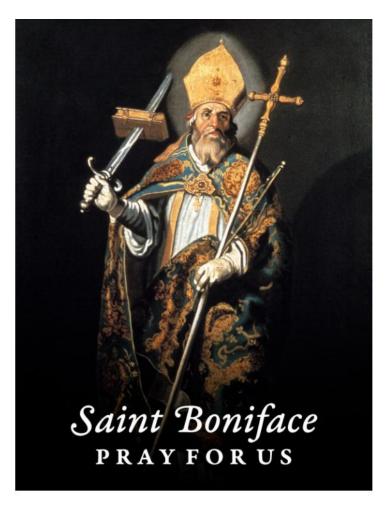
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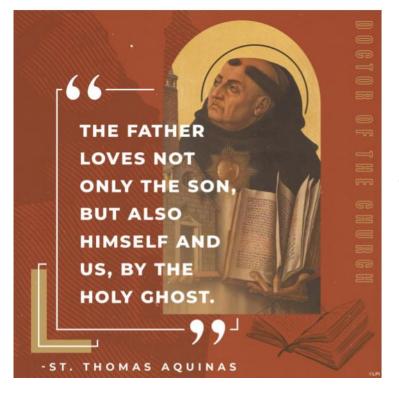


### COMMUNICATIONS

The Parish Email System is changing! We ended our Constant Contact Subscription, and are moving to Evangelus, a communication system provided by Diocesan Publications (the bulletin company) at no charge to the Parish. Please follow these steps to join the new St. Mark Email List and stay up to date with weekly emails.







### MINISTRY FOR MATURING ADULTS

"Give people the benefit of the doubt. Life is difficult and messy, and everyone is carrying a heavy burden." Matthew Kelly in *Life Is Messy* 



A very special thank you to **Michael Geswein** for organizing a very fun Game Night for St. Mark parishioners that took place on Saturday, May 27th, in Schaefer Hall. Attendees had a great time with board games, cards, and great refreshments. Thank you Michael!

Popular Bible Study facilitator Suzanne Conklin has announced she will be offering a Bible study, *The Prophets*, beginning September 12th and concluding November 21st. The sessions will begin at 12:15 and conclude at 2:00. Study details and registration information will appear in next week's bulletin.

**Do you need some help with your computer?** St. Mark parishioner and past Grand Knight John Magee can assist with computer repair, computer upgrades, or by just helping you understand how to more effectively use your computer. Call John at 317-753-4678 to talk about your needs and his offer of free assistance.

Join fellow St. Mark parishioners for a trip to Jasper (IN), St. Joseph Catholic Church, and the famous Schnitzelbank Restaurant! August 23rd is the date for a luxury charter coach trip being planned by Jane and Mark Schwartz. Save the date on your calendar! Registration begins in mid-June.

Friends of **MMA** is recruiting volunteers who are looking for opportunities to serve others here at St. mark. There is no permanent commitment, there are no meetings to attend, and you choose the kinds of activities that match your skills and interests. Contact Steve Helmich at 317-903-9657 (cell/text) or <a href="mailto:stevehelmich50@gmail.com">stevehelmich50@gmail.com</a> to find out how you can invest just a bit of time and make someone's life better.

A **BURDEN** of these years is the danger of considering ourselves useless simply because we no longer are fulfilling the roles and positions of youth.

A **BLESSING** of these years is the freedom to reach out to others, to do everything we can with everything in life we have managed to develop all these years in both soul and mind for the sake of the rest of the human race.—Sr. Janet Schaeffler

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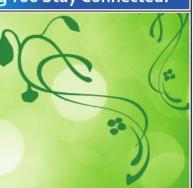
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