

27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Therefore, I say to you,
the kingdom of God will be
taken away from you and
given to a people that
will produce its fruit.”
- Mt 21:43

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THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

Welcome, if you would like to know more 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 1:00-1:45 PM

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

Sacrament of Healing—If you are hospitalized or home bound and in need of sacraments, please call the Parish Center.

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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Fr. John Hau Hawm Mang, Associate Pastor

frjohn@stmarkindy.org, Ext 400

Deacon Paul Fisherkeller

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Deacon Nick Martin

deaconnick@stmarkindy.org, Ext. 113

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](#)

St. Mark Catholic School, Pre-K-8th Grade 317.786.4013

Principal Jen Kocher, Ext. 201 jkocher@stmarkindy.org

To learn about enrollment opportunities please reach out to Mrs. Kocher

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

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

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 [Alison Archer](mailto:Alison.Archer).

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MASS SCHEDULE



Please schedule 2023-24 mass intentions. Contact [Alison Archer](mailto:Alison.Archer) to reserve dates.

Sunday, October 8 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:00 AM ☩ Parishioners of St. Mark (Fr. J)
- 9:30 AM ☩ Jack Richmond (Fr. T)
- 11:45 AM For intentions of Delia Macso (Fr. T)
- 2:00 PM **No Myanmar Mass today**

Monday, October 9 St. Denis, Bishop, and Companions, Martyrs; St. John Leonardi, Priest

- 8:15 AM ☩ Margaret Strack (Fr. J)

Tuesday, October 10 Weekday

- 8:15 AM ☩ Casiana Briones (Fr. J)

Wednesday, October 11 St. John XXIII, Pope

- 5:30 PM ☩ Bernie East (Fr. J)

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

Thursday, October 12 Weekday

- 8:15 AM ☩ Patsy Bundy (Fr. J)

Friday, October 13 Weekday

- 8:15 AM Matthew Moran (Fr. T)

Saturday, October 14 Anticipation Mass

- 4:30 PM ☩ Darrell Arthur (Fr. T)

Sunday, October 15 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:00 AM ☩ Parishioners of St. Mark (Fr. T)
- 9:30 AM ☩ Terry McGlinchey (Fr. T)
- 11:45 AM ☩ Jack Price (Fr. T)
- 2:00 PM **No Myanmar Mass today**

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 OCTOBER 8, 2023

Sunday:	Is 5:1-7/Ps 80:9, 12, 13-14, 15-16, 19-20 (Isaiah 5:7a)/Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43
Monday:	Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/Jon 2:3, 4, 5, 8/Lk 10:25-37
Tuesday:	Jon 3:1-10/ Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4ab, 7-8/Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday:	Jon 4:1-11/Ps 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10/Lk 11:1-4
Thursday:	Mal 3:13-20b/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 11:5-13
Friday:	Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Ps 9:2-3, 6 and 16, 8-9/Lk 11:15-26
Saturday:	Jl 4:12-21/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Lk 11:27-28
Next Sunday:	Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (6cd)/Phil 4:12-14, 19-20/Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10
St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church	

Sunday, October 8, 2023



Hello Everyone,

I just wanted to offer a huge thank you to all who helped make last Saturday such a success for our 75th Anniversary. It was a wonderful evening, and for everyone who worked to make it happen, and everyone who came to celebrate, I hope it was an evening you will always remember. Here is a sample of some of the many great pictures taken during the event. God Bless!

Fr. Tim



PRAYER LIST



Dick Wallace
The Donahue Family
Kyle Oberting
Cathy & Doyne Hahn
Sue Hix
Andy Warren
Steve & Mary Acup
Linda Daeger
Brooke Turner
David Mouser
Jean Schott
Rita Robertson
Perry Rottler
Ineta Roessler
Lisa Cento
Jean Fattic
Marie Finch-Hibner
Sandy Balint
Larry Woods
Douglas Totis
Halee Spaulding
Sherry Brett

Vincent Durrett
Earl Huffman
Bruce Ingalls
Greg & Carey Ling
Ann Dillane
Barb Oleson
Al Ratz
Joanne Burkert
Marcia Hendrickson
Phil Hurley
Teresa Schmidt
Lisa & Frank Engelking
Bob Ward
Wilma Shea
Jerry Powell
Nikki Nightingale
Aaron Robinson
Mary Ann Moran
Nancy Everling
Peggy Compton
Erin Schofill
Dottie Ross

Tessa Cassetty
Debbie O'Neal
Eleanor Sowder
Chris A. Williams
Paul VanKavelaar
Bryan Collins

We are updating this prayer list! Please reach out to Alison Archer, aarcher@stmarkindy.org to update, add, or remove names! We hope to restart the stmarkprayerchain@stmarkindy.org emails in October!

STEWARDSHIP SPOT



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St. Mark Development Office News

Development Office News:

If you are creating or updating your Will, please prayerfully consider St. Mark the Evangelist Church and School as a beneficiary! This is a great way for you to leave a positive legacy to your home parish of St. Mark and help ensure our facilities and ministries are well kept and taken care of for many years to come!

If you already have included St. Mark as a beneficiary in your Will, please notify the parish office and bring a copy of your Will for our records to ensure your intentions are fulfilled.

There are many ways to bequeath to St. Mark, such as willing property, money in savings and retirement funds, stocks, and other things of value to St. Mark.

If you have any questions, please contact Rusty Albertson, Director of Development, at St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church. His email is: ralbertson@stmarkindy.org and his phone extension is 106.

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PARISH LIFE

St. Mark THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

OUTRAGEOUS BINGO

Wednesday, November 8th 6:00-9:30 PM
St. Mark Parish Life Center

WIN LIKE NEVER B4

- **Grand Raffle!**
- **BINGO!**
- **Designer Bags!**
- **50/50!**
- **Food & Drink!**
- **Door Prizes!**
- **Wine Pull!**

Tickets will be on sale after Masses starting October 8th, and in the Parish Office.

Tickets: \$40 per person

Must be 21 to attend.
License #002523-159428

Mark your calendars for **Outrageous Bingo on Wednesday, November 8th!** The night will be a substitute for our annual FunFest that we sadly missed out on this summer. The night will include bingo, 50/50, food and drink, door prizes, and a wine pull. Tickets for the event will be able to be purchased starting after masses on October 8th, ticket prices are \$40 a person, or you may purchase a full table.

Raffle tickets are \$20 each, or six (a sheet) for \$100

**Grand Prize \$3000
2nd Place \$1500
3rd Place \$500**

CORRECTION

In last two bulletins the Prize amount was listed incorrectly. This is the correct prize break down.

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ST. MARK YOUTH MINISTRY

Did you know that our high school teens are preparing to go to the National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC)? NCYC is an amazing opportunity for teens from across the U.S. to gather together to listen to speakers, pray together, and learn more about our Catholic Faith! As we prepare for the Conference, you can support our teens in a few different ways!

Pray for us!

Help us financially by:

- Making a cash or check donation
- Adding to the 'Youth Ministry NCYC 2023 Donations' Fund on our St. Mark Online Giving Page

HAVE NO ANXIETY AT ALL, BUT IN EVERYTHING,
make your requests known to God

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FAITH FORMATION

SPREAD – NO, this is not a typo! Formerly known as SPRED which is an acronym for SPecial Religious Education which has been changed to **SPREAD**, SPecial Religious Ed And Discipleship, is looking to fill in that void you are missing in your life. Have you ever been involved in an event or program and walk away feeling you gained more than you gave? This is what you will feel when involved with SPREAD. We host the Southside Adult SPREAD group here on Tuesday nights at 7pm. If you have any questions about SPREAD or want to be a part of this ministry, contact Chris Risch, crisch@stmarkindy.org or call the parish office, 317-787-8246, ext. 107.

FAITH FORMATION



NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

“Revival is not something we DO. It is a sovereign act of God.” What does this mean for us Catholics? What can we do to be a part of this “act of God”? The answer is simple, open your heart and listen to His voice. There are four invitations for us from the Holy Spirit to help us look deep within our own hearts to help us have a better understanding.

- Calls for a renewed attentiveness to **HOW** we worship.
- Calls us to a renewed encounter with **WHO** we worship.
- We are called to discover in greater depth **WHY** we worship Jesus in the Eucharist and what this incredible gift means.
- Calls us to **ACT** on our faith, bringing Christ to others and spreading the flame of revival.

There are two opportunities to reflect on these four invitations, one is an opportunity to spend an hour in Eucharistic Adoration. **Here at St. Mark, we have the opportunity to sit in the Presence of our Lord every Wednesday, following the 5:30pm Mass.**

The other opportunity is coming to St. Mark on Saturday, Oct 7 thru Sunday, Oct. 8. We will have Eucharistic Miracle panels on display. You can explore different miracles that have occurred both in the early history of our Church as well as present day Miracles



PARISH LIFE



The 75th year of celebration continues here at St. Mark! We will be publishing a 75th Anniversary book for St. Mark. You can help in a couple of ways:

- If you have any stories/pictures about St. Mark that you are willing to share, please contact Mike Lewinski (mlewinski@butler.edu).
- We are hoping to cover the cost of the book by selling a limited number of ads. If you are interested in purchasing a quarter page ad (\$250); half page ad (\$500) or full page ad (\$1,000). If you know of a company that might be interested, please let us know.
- And we will also have an “in memorial” section. The cost to include a name (up to 25 characters) is \$25.

Please contact Mike Lewinski (mlewinski@butler.edu) or the Parish Office with regard to the ads.

Thank you in advance for your help and support!



FAITH FORMATION

Bible Study of Exodus

The Exodus is the central event of the Old Testament, giving meaning to everything else we find in its pages. This will be a two-part series and it is set up in 5-week parts. Part One will take us through the first fifteen chapters of Exodus – from slavery to the call of Moses, from plagues to crossing the sea, from captivity to freedom in the Sinai. Part Two covers the last twenty chapters, beginning with the insecurity of the desert wanderings to encountering God on the Sinai and then constructing the tent of dwelling, God’s people learn what it means to be a part of a covenant with the one who liberates and also gives the Law to guide and direct them.

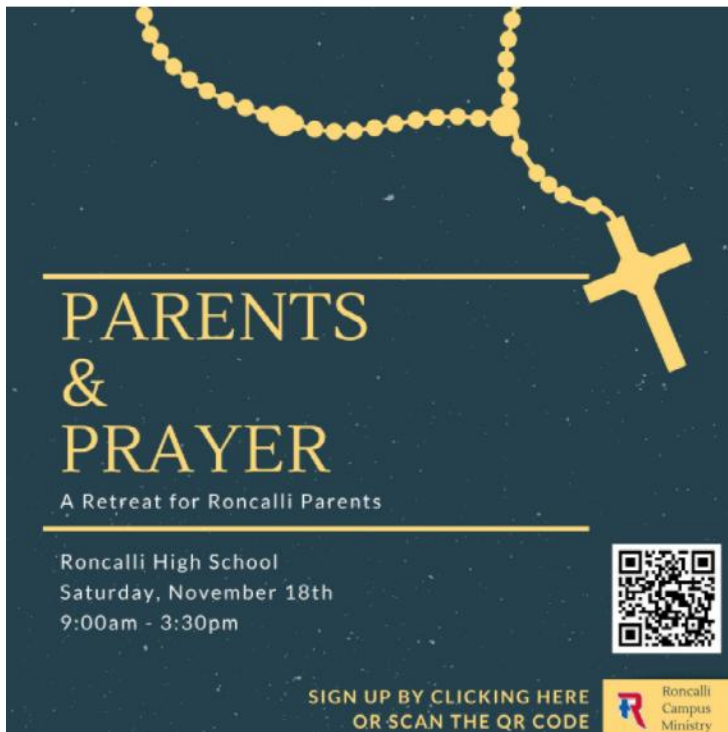
The first part of this two-part series begins, Monday, Oct. 16, 6:30-8:30pm in the Parish Center. If you would like to register for this or if you would like more information, please contact Chris Risch, crisch@stmarkindy.org or 317-787-8246, ext. 107.



COMMUNITY

KAIROS PRISON MINISTRY

The Edinburgh Prison Ministry will be conducting a Christian Weekend at the Camp Atterbury Correctional Facility over four days beginning on October 19th and concluding on October 22nd. There will be representatives in the Narthex after the Masses the weekend of October 14th and 15th where you will be able to sign a prayer chain, indicating you will be praying for the success of the weekend. They will also be accepting monetary donations to help cover the expenses for the weekend. The KAIROS Ministry tries to follow the gospel where Jesus said to visit the imprisoned. By supporting this group, you, too, are following the gospel. The Prison Ministry thanks you in advance for your prayers and support.



Msgr. Downey Council 3660 Breakfasts

October 8, 2023

8:00 AM-11:30 AM

Adults \$9 Child \$5

Carry out and Curbside
to go available 317-784-3660
Central Catholic Cafeteria
2905 Carson Avenue



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MINISTRY FOR MATURING ADULTS

“Many believe - and I believe - that I have been designated for this work by God. In spite of my old age, I do not want to give it up; I work out of love for God and I put all my hope in him.”—Michelangelo



Researchers and observers of human nature remind us that the number-one fear most people have is the fear of having lived a meaningless life. As in every stage of life, our eldering years bring many challenging fears: health concerns, financial worries, and more. The most important challenge, though, seems to be finding or continuing to find meaning in life.

We encourage you to learn more about MMA and how engaging with this ministry can bring meaning...purpose... to YOUR life.

MMA's Mission

MMA at St. Mark is a ministry by, with, and for older adults within and beyond the walls of our parish. We shall continue to offer, and deepen, programs and services that will help our maturing adults experience God's love and care and encourage spiritual growth for our seniors and the entire parish. We shall endeavor to respond in new and increasingly effective ways to the needs, hurts, and hopes of the maturing adults in the community we serve.

MMA is currently recruiting:

- Individuals to join the MMA Steering Committee
- An individual to chair MMA's "Snail Mail Team"...a card ministry program
- An individual to chair the "Telephone Contact Team"...a wellness check program
- To get a free copy of the book, *Holy Moments: A Handbook for the Rest of Your Life*, contact Steve Helmich at 317-903-9657 (cell/text) or stevehelmich50@gmail.com

Roncalli students are again offering to provide fall yard clean-up for St. Mark elders. If you need some assistance, contact Steve Helmich. (See info above.)

“In spite of illness, in spite of the archenemy of sorrow, one can remain alive long past the usual date of disintegration if one is unafraid of change, insatiable in curiosity, interested in big things, and happy in small ways.”—Edith Wharton

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