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Dear Brothers and Sister in the Lord:

Praise the Lord! We have a new "Blessed" before the Throne of the Almighty! The First African American to be named "Venerable"! Halleluiah!

John Augustus Tolton was born into slavery in Missouri in 1854. During the Civil War he and his family swam to freedom by crossing the Mississippi river into Illinois. When they crossed, his mother told him, "John, boy, you're free. Never forget the Goodness of the Lord." The family settled in Quincy, Illinois, and joined the Catholic church there—St. Peter's—under the direction of Fr. Peter McGirr. Fr. McGirr gave instructions to young John and Baptized him and gave him his First Communion.

As he grew up, Fr. McGirr recognized in him the potential for Priesthood and encouraged him to apply to the seminary. No seminary in the States would accept him because of his being an African American; so, Fr. McGirr helped him apply to the seminary in Rome! It was there that he studied for Priesthood and was ordained in 1889. He was the First African American to be ordained a priest! He returned to Quincy, Illinois, in 1889 and a parade with brass band welcomed him home. Fr. Tolton served at St. Peter church for three years before being sent to Chicago, where he was assigned as pastor for a new church, St. Monica's, for African Americans. He served there until his death in 1897—only 43 years of

age at the time of his passing!

On June 11, 2019, along with five others, Fr. Tolton was acclaimed a "Venerable" of the Church by the Congregation for the Causes of the Saints. It is because of his virtuous life and the attribution of a miracle through his intercession that he has received that title. When, through his continued intercession, two more miracles are attributed to him, he may then be acclaimed a saint before the Throne of God! The following prayer should be offered for that to happen:

"O God, we give You thanks for Your servant and priest, Father Augustus Tolton, who labored among us in times of contradiction, times that were both beautiful and paradoxical. His ministry helped lay the foundation for a truly Catholic gathering in faith in our times. We stand in the shadow of him ministry. May his life continue to inspire us and imbue us with that confidence and hope that will forge a new evangelization for the Church we love. If it be Your will. O God, glorify Your servant, Father Tolton by granting the favor I now request through his intercession (mention your request) so that all may know the goodness of this priest whose memory looms large in the Church he loved. I ask this through Your Son, Jesus Christ, Our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, One God, forever and ever. Amen."

May God bless us through the intercession of Venerable Augustus, Monsignor

DESDE EL PASTOR

Queridos Hermanas y Hermanos en el Señor:

¡Alabado sea el Señor! ¡Tenemos un nuevo "Bendito" ante el Trono del Todopoderoso! El primer afroamericano en ser nombrado "Venerable"! ¡Aleluya!

John Augustus Tolton nació como esclavo en Missouri en 1854. Durante la Guerra Civil, él y su familia nadaron hacia la libertad al cruzar el río Mississippi hacia Illinois. Cuando se cruzaron, su madre le dijo: "John, chico, eres libre. Nunca olvides la bondad del Señor ". La familia se estableció en Quincy, Illinois, y se unió a la iglesia católica allí — St. De Pedro, bajo la dirección del Padre. Peter McGirr. P. McGirr le dio instrucciones al joven John y lo bautizó y le dio su primera comunión.

Cuando él creció, el padre. McGirr reconoció en él el potencial para el sacerdocio y lo alentó a postularse al seminario. Ningún seminario en los Estados Unidos lo aceptaría por ser un afroamericano; entonces, padre ¡McGirr lo ayudó a inscribirse en el seminario en Roma! Fue allí donde estudió para el sacerdocio y fue ordenado en 1889. ¡Fue el primer afroamericano en ser ordenado sacerdote! Regresó a Quincy, Illinois, en 1889 y un desfile con una banda de música le dio la bienvenida a su casa. P. Tolton sirvió en la iglesia St. Peter durante tres años antes de ser enviado a Chicago, donde fue asignado como pastor para una nueva iglesia, St. Monica, para los afroamericanos. Sirvió allí hasta su muerte en 1897, ¡con solo 43 años de edad en el momento de su fallecimiento!

El 11 de junio de 2019, junto con otros cinco, el Padre. Tolton fue aclamado "Venerable" de la Iglesia por la Congregación para las Causas de los Santos. Es debido a su vida virtuosa y la atribución de un milagro a través de su intercesión que ha recibido ese título. Cuando, a través de su intercesión continua, se le atribuyen dos milagros más, ¡puede ser aclamado como un santo ante el Trono de Dios! Se debe ofrecer la siguiente oración para que eso suceda:

"Oh Dios, Te damos gracias por Tu siervo y sacerdote, el padre Augusto Tolton, quien trabajó entre nosotros en tiempos de contradicción, tiempos que fueron hermosos y paradójicos. Su ministerio ayudó a sentar las bases para una verdadera reunión católica en la fe en nuestros tiempos. Estamos a la sombra de su ministerio. Que su vida siga inspirándonos e infundiéndonos esa confianza y esperanza que forjará una nueva evangelización para la Iglesia que amamos. Si es tu voluntad. Oh Dios, glorifica a tu siervo, padre Tolton, concediéndome el favor que solicito ahora a través de su intercesión (mencione tu petición) para que todos puedan conocer la bondad de este sacerdote cuya memoria es grande en la Iglesia que amaba. Te lo pido a través de tu Hijo Jesucristo, nuestro Señor, que vive y reina contigo y el Espíritu Santo, un solo Dios, por los siglos de los siglos. Amén."

Que Dios nos bendiga a través de la intercesión del Venerable Augusto, Monseñor.

Parish Information

	Monday 7/8/2019	Tuesday 7/9/2019	Wednesday 7/10/2019	Thursday 7/11/2019	Friday 7/12/2019	Saturday 7/13/2019
St. Mary	8:00 AM Susan Graham	8:00 AM Mary Kiely	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	2:30-3:30 Confessions
St. Ambrose	8:00 AM Guillerma Velasco Vasquez	8:00 AM Arnulfo Hernandez	8:00 AM Ronald McVey	8:00 AM Joann Gardner	8:00 AM Patrick Pursley	4:00-5:00 Confessions
Other Locations			11:30 AM St. Vincent Hospital Breece Banter		10:30 AM Keystone Woods Andrew Sandala	

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

July 13th and 14th	Sat. 4:00 PM St. Mary	Sat. 5:30 PM St. Ambrose	Sun. 7:30 AM St. Mary	Sun. 9:30 AM St. Ambrose	Sun. 11:30 AM St. Mary
Mass Intentions	Clarence Reynolds	Pro Populo	Jane Gillespie	Raymond Novak	Modesta Raymundo
Reader	Mary Pat Marstall	Janice Martin	Becky Hull	Greg Acra	Deyda Valenzuela
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PARISH COMMUNITY NEWS



<u>Stewardship</u>	
St. Ambrose	\$ 6,936
YTD	\$ 202,250
NTD	\$ 338,000
Roofs Matching Fund	\$ 23,539

St. Mary	\$ 7,957
YTD	\$ 241,557
NTD	\$ 468,000

Renovation Fund \$ 1,445 (\$180,475 of \$330 K)

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St. Ambrose—https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/272 St. Mary—https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/13

Dates to Remember:

July 27—Coffee and chocolate sales at St. Mary Church Annex

August 8-11—Knights of Columbus Rummage Sale

August 13—Bishop Higi's 60th Anniversary Celebration

August 15—Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)

RIGHT TO LIFE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Madison County Right to Life needs pro-life people/ families to man our booth at the 4-H Fair in Alexandria, July 22nd to the 27th. This is a great pro-life family project. Shifts are 5-7 PM and 7-9 PM, Mon. thru Sat. To volunteer or for more information contact Regina Culertson at 765-639-9909. Please call today!

Your fellow Pilgrims of Faith await the honor of your presence at the Celebration of the 60th Priesthood and 35th Episcopal Anniversaries for Bishop William L. Higi on Tuesday, August 13, 2019; at St. Mary Church (if it's a nice day) or Saint Ambrose Church (if we need A/C) in Anderson, IN, as we acknowledge a Hometown Boy who made us all proud as a Servant of the Lord. The celebration will be from 4:30 to 7:00 PM. The exact location will be set once August weather determines our need for comfort. In an effort to have enough food and non-alcoholic beverages to share, we ask that you call either parish (St. Ambrose 644-5956) or (St. Mary 644-8467) and let us know the number attending in your party. We will need to know a count, no later than August 6th. Light sandwiches, cupcakes and drinks will be served. Come congratulate a local fellow who made the big time!

Please Pray For ...

Please remember in your prayers all those who are ill or injured, especially the sick and elderly in our parishes: The Military: Josh Fisher, son of Gary and Kathy; Pvt. Jalen Lewis US Army, son of Stephanie Akin; Special Mark Schulten, Sergeant Joseph Schulten, Matthew Schulten HM3, grandsons of Cathy Thompson; Michael Shane Carter Air Force, grandson of Marllon and Emily Carter; Srgt. Brock Acra stationed in California US Marine Corp. son of Greg and Sonia Acra. First Lt. Sean Scally, 82nd Airborne, grandson of Tom Chezem, United Arab Emirates.

If you have a family member who is in the service and called to active duty and would like to add their name to a list for special prayers, please call the rectory and give us this information. Let us pray for PEACE World Wide. God Bless us all!

SPIRITUAL LIFE

Legion of Mary: Is a group of people working through Our Mother Mary, to help others through Corporal Works Of Mercy. If you are interested please contact Jeanné Papai at jpmrn@icloud.com or call her at (541) 908-1032.

Eucharistic Adoration

St. Mary Adoration is on Thursdays from 2:00 to 7:00 PM. Santa Maria la Adoración de Santa Maria es los jueves de 2:00 a 7:00 PM.

MEMBERS OF ST. AMBROSE AND ST. MARY PARISHES NOW MEET TO REFLECT ON THE COMING SUNDAY'S MASS READINGS each Tuesday from 9:30 AM until 10:30 AM at Primrose Retirement Communities, 1118 W Cross St. on the 2nd floor in the first meeting room to the left as you get off the elevator. It is handicapped accessible.

"Let all the earth cry out to God with joy." (Psalm 66:1)

Red Mass

The Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana will celebrate the fourth annual Red Mass on Monday, October 7, 2019, at St. Alphonsus Liguori Church in Zionsville at 5:30 pm. All government officials (federal, state, local levels, executive, legislative, judicial branches), attorneys, paralegals, law students and their spouses are cordially invited to attend. One does not have to be Catholic to join us in prayer and fellowship for the legal community. The Red Mass is a tradition in the Catholic Church which dates back to the 13th century. A Red Mass was initially celebrated to mark the beginning of the annual term of the courts but can be held at other times. It has always been the teaching of the Church to respect proper governmental authority and to seek divine guidance and protection for those who represent others. Moreover, those who serve in the legal community have a pivotal role promoting unity, liberty, justice, equal protection under the law and the common good. Mass will be followed by dinner and a talk from United States District Judge James Patrick Hanlon. There is no cost to attend; RSVP at www.dol-in.org/RedMass.

Upcoming Retreat at St. Joseph Retreat & Conference Center

Soulcore Retreat with Marian Mass -July 20th cost \$ 30 Women's Five Day Silent Retreat- July 20-24 cost \$ 315 Visit www.stjosephretreat.org. if you are interested for more information.

Special Intentions—Parishioners of St. Ambrose and St. Mary will pray for you and your special intentions. Call Betty Worden (642-0824). You do not have to give your name. Please call Betty if you can help with the prayer line.

Weekly Scriptures:

Sun. Is 66:10-14c, Gal 6:14-18, Lk 10:1-12, 17-20; **Mon.** Gn 28:10-22a, Mt 9:18-26; **Tues.** Gn 32:23-33, Mt 9:32-38; **Wed.** Gn 41:55-57, 42:5-7a, 17-24a, Mt 10:1-7; **Thurs.** Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 42:1-5, Mt 10:7-15; **Fri.** Gn 46:1-7, 28-30, Mt 10:16-23; **Sat.** Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a, Mt 10:24-33

OUTREACH

St. Vincent de Paul

"We Can Care" - Is a Collaborative Ministry of St. Ambrose and St Mary Churches in Anderson for St. Vincent de Paul. The boxes will be at the entrances of both Churches to receive your donations. Monetary donations can be placed in the orange boxes.

The collection on July 13th/14th will be canned fruit. Your participation will be greatly appreciated by the hungry families of Madison County.

St. Vincent de Paul will also be at the church doors to accept your monetary donations next weekend. Please remember the less fortunate in our community.

4th Annual Serra Series Softball Game

This is a fundraiser featuring the Priest Team (3 time champs!) vs. the Seminarian Team on Saturday, August 3rd, at noon in the Kokomo Municipal Stadium. A donation of \$5 per person or \$20 per family is appreciated. Fr. Mark will be playing in the game and would appreciate a large St. Ambrose/St. Mary rooting section. The Serra Club of Kokomo also has a Facebook page and would greatly appreciate the parishes to "like" and follow this link:

htps://www/.facebook.com/pages/category/nonprofit-Organization/Kokomo-Serra-2002813607780971/.

Pictorial Directories—A limited supply of directories are available for \$10 at either rectory or at the SCRIP station at St. Ambrose. One per family, please.

The **Catholic Community of Anderson Soup Kitchen Ministry** is in need of men and women willing to prepare soup for the Soup Kitchen Ministry. There are five openings at this time. All supplies are furnished. You prepare the soup at home and return the soup to Holy Cross North school annex. For more information call Ron Cole at 779-4302.

Knights of Columbus

Please start saving your items for our rummage sale. Please call Joe Lambert at 606-8711, to make sure he will be at the hall before you take you items. The rummage sale is August 8th thru August 11th.

How to report an incident of sexual abuse of a minor: If you or someone you know has been a victim of child sexual abuse by a person working for the Roman Catholic Church in the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana (such as a priest, deacon, sister, brother, lay officer, lay employee, lay volunteer, etc.) you are requested to report the incident in the following manner: 1) Make a report to Child Protective Services by calling 800-800-5556. 2) Call the Office of the Vicar General (800-942-2397) or the Office of Assistance Ministry (800-533-7018) for the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana. 3) Compose in writing a detailed description of the facts/incidents of the abuse and send it as soon as possible to: Mr. Max Layden, 712 Chase Building, Lafayette, IN 47901. 4) Thereafter, an investigation will be undertaken by or on behalf of the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana.

Cómo denunciar un incidente de abuso sexual contra un menor: Si usted o alguien que conoce ha sido víctima del abuso sexual infantil por parte de una persona que trabaje para la Iglesia Católica-Romana en la Diócesis de Lafayette en Indiana (tal como un sacerdote, diácono, religioso, funcionario laico, empleado, voluntario, etc.) se le pide que denuncie el incidente de la siguiente forma: 1) Realice una denuncia ante la organización de protección para menores llamando al 800-800-5556. 2) Llame a la Oficina del Vicario General (800-942-2397) o a la oficina del ministerio de asistencia (800-533-7018) de la Diócesis de Lafayette en Indiana. 3) Redacte una descripción detallada de los hechos e incidentes de dicho abuso y envíela tan pronto como sea posible a: Mr. Max Layden, 712 Chase Building, Lafayette, IN 47901. 4) Posteriormente, la Diócesis de Lafayette en Indiana o un representante de ésta, llevará a cabo una investigación.

Speak up if you know of or suspect any unethical behavior. The Hotline is confidential, anonymous, and available 24/7. dioceseoflafayetteinindiana.ethicspoint.com 855-375-6796

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Contact Janice Storey or Laura Torres Castro at 644-8467 or janicestorey9@gmail.com.

Guerin Catholic High School News:

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Applications are still being accepted for the 2019-20 school year. Apply at GuerinCatholic.org.

Attention Rising 8th Grade Families -

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