

AUGUST 14, 2022

Twentieth Sunday

in Ordinary Time

Vigésimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

"Do you think that I have come
to establish peace on earth?
No, I tell you, but rather division."

Luke 12:51

"¿Creen ustedes que he venido
para establecer la paz en la tierra?
Les digo que no; más bien
he venido a traer división."

Lucas 12, 51



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OFF THE TOP OF MY HEAD...

Last fall, we formed our Pastorate Vision Planning Team from among the three parishes in the Anderson-Alexandria Pastorate. The team has been working to develop a pastoral plan for our Pastorate and its parishes, schools, parishioners, and students.

Last fall's parishioner survey formed a large part of the "material" for our work. The plan has been through several drafts and will be revised and finalized, then sent to Bishop Doherty for approval. Our goal is to begin implementation after January 1, 2023.

For now, I can share with you the latest draft version of our primary goals for the plan.

Mass and the Liturgy, Prayer, and Spiritual Growth:

Deepen our personal and shared experience of Christ's love through active participation in the liturgy (Eucharist, Sacraments, Liturgy of the Hours) as well as other communal prayer and spiritual growth opportunities.

Elementary, Middle, and High School Formation:

Empower our youth (at age-appropriate levels) to be missionary disciples.

Adult Faith Formation: Invite and motivate all adult parishioners to claim their Catholic faith as part of their identity, equip them to share the faith, and take on their baptismal call to be evangelists.

Young Adults, Young Couples and Families: Foster a dynamic and nurturing environment for young adults, couples, and families to live as missionary disciples, form their children in the faith, and discern how the Lord is calling them to build the Kingdom of God through their particular vocations.

Creating Community Between Parishes and Schools:

Strengthen our schools as an integral mission of our parishes, provide opportunities for students to encounter our Eucharistic Lord, establish opportunities for joint ministry and fellowship, and help families grow together as disciples.

Pastorate Community and Trust Building: Form relationships among people within the parishes and schools as well as across the pastorate to foster a multicultural, multigenerational, unified Catholic Community in Anderson and Alexandria.

Evangelization & Witness: Missionary Discipleship, through sharing our faith and inviting people to join us in our faith in Christ, becomes our way of life as parishes, parishioners, schools, and students.

Passion-Driven Stewardship: Create opportunities for every parishioner to discern their gifts and charisms and make a commitment to how they will serve our pastorate.

Charity and Justice: This goal was recently added and does not have a specific goal statement yet. (Stay tuned!)

Please pray for the success of the work of the Vision Planning Team!

Fr. Tom Metzger
August 14, 2022

PENSAMIENTOS DEL PADRE TOM

El otoño pasado, formamos nuestro Equipo de Planificación de la Visión del Pastorado entre las tres parroquias del Pastorado de Anderson-Alexandria. El equipo ha estado trabajando para desarrollar un plan pastoral para nuestro Pastorado y sus parroquias, escuelas, feligreses y estudiantes.

La encuesta de feligreses del otoño pasado formó una gran parte del "material" para nuestro trabajo. El plan ha pasado por varios borradores y será revisado y finalizado, luego enviado al obispo Doherty para su aprobación. Nuestro objetivo es comenzar la implementación después del 1 de enero de 2023.

Por ahora, puedo compartir con ustedes la última versión preliminar de nuestros objetivos principales para el plan.

Misa y liturgia, oración y crecimiento espiritual: Profundizar nuestra experiencia personal y compartida del amor de Cristo a través de la participación activa en la liturgia (Eucaristía, Sacramentos, Liturgia de las Horas), así como otras oportunidades de oración comunitaria y crecimiento espiritual.

Formación de estudiantes en primarias, intermedias y secundarias: Capacitar a nuestros jóvenes (a niveles apropiados para su edad) para que sean discípulos misioneros.

Formación de fe para adultos: Invitar y motivar a todos los feligreses adultos a reclamar su fe católica como parte de su identidad, equiparlos para compartir la fe y asumir su llamado bautismal para ser evangelistas.

Adultos jóvenes, parejas jóvenes y familias jóvenes: Construir un ambiente dinámico y enriquecedor para que los adultos jóvenes, las parejas y las familias vivan como discípulos misioneros, formen a sus hijos en la fe y discernan cómo el Señor los llama a construir el Reino de Dios a través de sus vocaciones particulares.

Creando comunidad entre parroquias y escuelas: Fortalecer nuestras escuelas como una misión integral de nuestras parroquias, brindar oportunidades para que los estudiantes se encuentren con nuestro Señor Eucarístico, establecer oportunidades para el ministerio y el compañerismo conjuntos, y ayudar a las familias a crecer juntas como discípulos.

Creación de confianza y comunidad pastoral: Formar relaciones entre las personas dentro de las parroquias y escuelas, así como en todo el pastorado para fomentar una comunidad católica multicultural, multigeneracional y unificada en Anderson y Alexandria.

Evangelización y Testimonio: El Discipulado Misionero, al compartir nuestra fe e invitar a la gente a unirse a nosotros en nuestra fe en Cristo, se convierte en nuestra forma de vida como parroquias, feligreses, escuelas y estudiantes.

Mayordomía impulsada por la pasión: Crear oportunidades para que todos los feligreses discernan sus dones y carismas y se comprometan a servir a nuestro pastorado.

Caridad y justicia: Este objetivo se agregó recientemente y aún no tiene una declaración de objetivo específica. (¡Manténganse al tanto!)

¡Oremos por el éxito del trabajo del Equipo de Planificación de la Visión!

P. Tom Metzger
14 de agosto de 2022

MASS INTENTIONS & READINGS FOR THE WEEK / INTENCIONES & LECTURAS DE LAS MISAS

MONDAY, AUGUST 15 / LUNES, 15 DE AGOSTO

*Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary—Not a day of obligation this year
Revelation/Apocalipsis 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab |*

1 Corinthians/1 Corintios 15:20-27 | Luke/Lucas 1:39-56

8:00 AM	St. Mary, Alexandria	+John Kaufman
8:10 AM	St. Ambrose, Anderson	+Poor Souls
8:30 AM	St. Mary, Anderson	+John Bahler

TUESDAY, AUGUST 16 / MARTES, 16 DE AGOSTO

St. Stephen of Hungary

Ezekiel/Ezequiel 28:1-10 | Matthew/Mateo 19:23-30

8:00 AM	St. Ambrose, Anderson	+Poor Souls
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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17 / MIÉRCOLES, 17 DE AGOSTO

Ezekiel/Ezequiel 34:1-11 | Matthew/Mateo 20:1-16

8:00 AM	St. Mary, Alexandria	+Alnita House
11:30 AM	St. Vincent Hospital, Anderson	+Richard Bottomley

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18 / JUEVES, 18 DE AGOSTO

Ezekiel/Ezequiel 36:23-28 | Matthew/Mateo 22:1-14

8:30 AM	St. Mary, Anderson	+Richard Weinzapfel
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FRIDAY, AUGUST 19 / VIERNES, 19 DE AGOSTO

St. John Eudes, Priest

Ezekiel/Ezequiel 37:1-14 | Matthew/Mateo 22:34-40

8:00 AM	St. Mary, Alexandria	Intentions of Teachers & Staff St. Mary
8:10 AM	St. Ambrose, Anderson	+Raymond Novak

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20 / SÁBADO, 20 DE AGOSTO

St. Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the Church

Ezekiel/Ezequiel 43:1-7ab | Matthew/Mateo 23:1-12

4:00 PM	St. Mary, Anderson	For the People of the Pastorate
4:30 PM	St. Mary, Alexandria	+David Libler
5:30 PM	St. Ambrose, Anderson	+Thomas Hall

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21 / DOMINGO, 21 DE AGOSTO

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time /

Vigésimo Primero Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Isaiah/Isaías 66:18-21 | Hebrews/Hebreos 12:5-7, 11-13 |

Luke/Lucas 13:22-30

7:30 AM	St. Mary, Anderson	+Veniero Ippolito
8:30 AM	St. Mary, Alexandria	+Macy Jo Brunt
9:30 AM	St. Ambrose, Anderson	+Kathy Cole
11:30 AM	St. Mary, Anderson	+Betty Brownfield

Find the daily & Sunday readings
at [https://bible.usccb.org/readings/
calendar](https://bible.usccb.org/readings/calendar)

Encuentra las lecturas diarias y
dominicales en Español en [https://
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PARISH SECRETARIES /

SECRETARIAS DE LAS PARROQUIA:

St. Ambrose Anita Myers

St. Mary, Anderson Jan Adams

(M, Th, F) / (Lun., Jue., Vie.)

St. Mary, Alexandria Traci Gates

(M, T, Th) / (Lun., Mar., Jue.,)

CONFESSION TIMES /

HORARIO DE CONFESIÓN

✠ St. Mary, Anderson
Saturdays/Sábados 1:00-2:00 PM
*Until further notice in the sacristy.
Hasta nuevo aviso en la sacristía.*

✠ St. Mary, Alexandria
Saturdays/Sábados 3:30-4:00 PM

✠ St. Ambrose
Saturdays/Sábados 4:00-5:00 PM

PASTORATE NEWS / NOTICIAS DEL PASTORADO

STEWARDSHIP / FINANZAS

St. Ambrose

YTD Giving/Donaciones \$253,045

YTD Expenses/Gastos \$218,212

St. Mary, Anderson

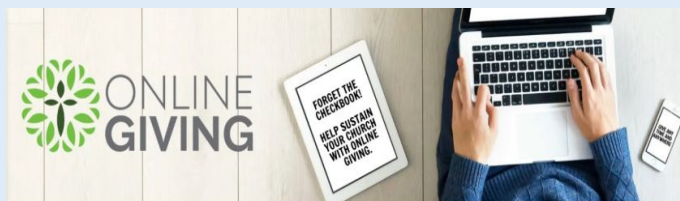
YTD Giving/Donaciones \$289,291

YTD Expenses/Gastos \$434,671

St. Mary Alexandria*

YTD Giving/Donaciones \$343,859

YTD Expenses/Gastos \$432,939



On Line Giving / Donaciones En Línea

St. Ambrose -

<https://osvhub.com/st-ambrose-church-anderson/funds>

St. Mary, Anderson - <https://osvhub.com/stmaryanderson/funds>

St. Mary, Alexandria - <https://www.osvhub.com/stmarystambrose/giving/funds/weekly-church-offering>



St. Ambrose

Pledged/Prometido = \$80,544

Amount Received/Cantidad recibida = \$64,239

Outstanding/Cantidad sobresaliente = **\$16,851**



St. Mary, Anderson

Pledged/Prometido = \$101,764

Amount Received/Cantidad recibida = \$58,005

Outstanding/Cantidad sobresaliente = **\$44,079**



St. Mary Alexandria

Pledged/Prometido = \$40,885

Amount Received/Cantidad recibida = \$27,278

Outstanding/Cantidad sobresaliente = **\$12,782**

Anderson-Alexandria Pastorate

Pledged/Prometido = \$223,193

Amount Received/Cantidad recibida = \$149,522

Outstanding/Cantidad sobresaliente = **\$73,711**

AUGUST 15—MASS SCHEDULE

August 15th is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. While it is a Holy Day, this year it is NOT at day of obligation because it falls on a Monday. The Mass schedule is as follows:

8:00am St. Mary, Alexandria

8:10am St. Ambrose

8:30am St. Mary, Anderson

15 DE AGOSTO—HORARIO DE LAS MISAS

El 15 de agosto es la Fiesta de la Asunción de la Santísima Virgen María. Si bien es un Día Santo, este año NO es un día de precepto porque cae en lunes. El horario de Misas es el siguiente:

8:00am St. Mary, Alexandria

8:10am St. Ambrose

8:30am St. Mary, Anderson

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Please pray for their eternal rest and for the comfort of their families and loved ones.



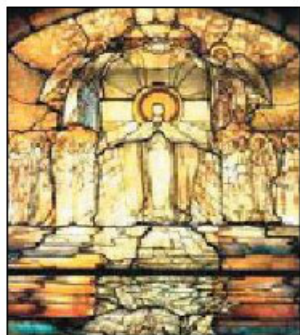
+Mark Bormann

POR FAVOR ORAR POR NUESTROS FIELES DIFUNTOS

Oren por su eterno descanso y por el consuelo de sus familias y seres queridos.

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An Encounter with Christ



Bring your Spiritual life into focus. Embrace a unique method of finding, forming, and sustaining lay leadership in the Church.

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Upcoming English Weekends

Men's Fall Cursillo
Sept. 29 – Oct. 2, 2022
Women's Fall Cursillo
October 13 - 16, 2022

Men's Spring Cursillo
March 2 - 5, 2023
Women's Spring Cursillo
March 16 - 19, 2023

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As your faith is challenged in a pluralistic world, ask yourself . . .

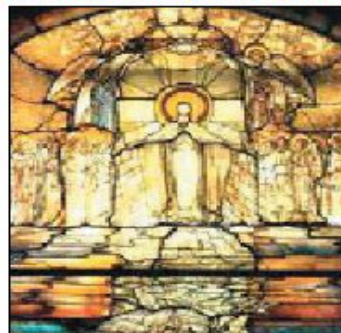
- Do you want to live your faith in your daily life?
- Do you desire a Christian Community with which to share your faith journey?
- Do you wish to enrich your relationship with God?
- Do you want to be more confident in sharing your faith with our secular world?

If you answered "yes" to these questions, Cursillo will help you develop, live and share your spirituality in today's society.

The weekend of **August 20-21** stop by the Narthex of St. Mary Alexandria to talk with some women who have attended a Cursillo weekend. They will be glad to answer questions. Unable to stop by the table? Please reach out to one of the following contacts to learn more and to learn how to submit an application: Denise Blanton (765) 639-1982, Jackie Maynard (765) 278-6915, Becky Matchett (765) 623-3095, Andrea Stafford (765) 620-8300, Patty Brooks (317) 409-5244.

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Un encuentro con Cristo



Enfoca tu vida Espiritual. Adopta un método único de encuentro, formación y sostenimiento de liderazgo laico en la iglesia.

Próximos fines de semana en Español

Cursillo de Hombres
12-15 de mayo de 2022

Cursillo de Mujeres
19-22 de mayo de 2022

Cursillo de Hombres
3-6 de noviembre de 2022

Cursillo de Mujeres
17-20 de noviembre de 2022

Los fines de semana en inglés se llevan a cabo en el centro de retiros de St. Joseph en Tipton, Indiana.

Para más información
<http://www.cursillo-cicc.org>

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL—CHICKEN FRY

Come and feast on a delicious chicken dinner at the Knights of Columbus Hall August 27, 5pm -7:30pm.

This is a fundraiser for the St. Vincent de Paul FRIENDS of the POOR walk in September. Homemade desserts will be available for purchase.

Dine in or carry out, join us in supporting our local SVdP ministry. Cost: \$12 for adults, \$6 for 6-14yrs, and free for children 5 and under.

Hope to see you there!



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL—POLLO FRITO

Venga y disfrute de una deliciosa cena de pollo en el Salón de los Caballeros de Colón el 27 de agosto, de 5:00 p. m. a 7:30 p. m.

Esta es una recaudación de fondos para la caminata AMIGOS de los POBRES de St. Vincent de Paul en septiembre. Postres caseros estarán disponibles para su compra.

Cene o lleve a cabo, únase a nosotros para apoyar nuestro ministerio local de SVdP. Costo: \$12 para adultos, \$6 para niños de 6 a 14 años y gratis para niños menores de 5 años.

¡Espero verte allí!

PASTORATE NEWS / NOTICIAS DEL PASTORADO



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

IS GOD CALLING YOU?

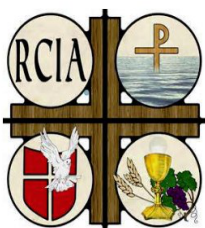
Are you considering becoming a Catholic? Do you have questions about how a person would join the Catholic Church? If yes, please call one of the persons listed below for more information.

For St. Ambrose & St. Mary Parishes, Anderson, IN:

- Mary Pat Marstall 765-617-2523 or email - Marstalldmp@att.net

For St. Mary Parish, Alexandria:

- Call Scott Woodruff @ 765-278-7134 or email - saw67@att.net



Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos

¿DIOS TE LLAMA?

¿Está considerando convertirse en católico? ¿Tiene preguntas sobre cómo una persona se uniría a la Iglesia Católica? En caso afirmativo, llame a una de las personas que se enumeran a continuación para obtener más información.

Parroquias de St. Ambrose y St. Mary, Anderson, IN:

- Llame a Ana Kroll (español) 765-278-6453 o envíe un correo electrónico a Arunner@me.com

Parroquia de St. Mary, Alexandria, IN:

- Llame a Scott Woodruff @ 765-278-7134 o envíe un correo electrónico a saw67@att.net

PARISH NEWS / NOTICIAS PARROQUIALES—ST. AMBROSE & ST. MARY, ANDERSON

LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER FOR CONFIRMATION PREPARATION 2022-2023

August 23rd is the last opportunity to register your teen (grades 8-12) for Confirmation Preparation. To register you must attend the parent & student meeting:

August 23rd
6pm—English or 7pm—Spanish
St. Mary, Anderson, Parish Office



ÚLTIMA OPORTUNIDAD PARA INSCRIBIRSE EN LA PREPARACIÓN DE CONFIRMACIÓN 2022-2023

El 23 de agosto es la última oportunidad para inscribir a su adolescente (grados 8-12) para la preparación para la confirmación. Para registrarse debe asistir a la reunión de padres y estudiantes:

23 de agosto
6pm—inglés o 7pm—español
St. Mary, Anderson, Oficina Parroquial



New members
welcomed!

ST. MARY (ANDERSON) CHOIR

Are you interested in joining the St. Mary choir? You do not have to read music. Practices are Sundays from 9-10:30 am in the church annex, and we sing the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month.

The choir kick-off is

August 26 from 2-6pm

If you're interested, please call Kimberly Lyle-Ippolito at 765-610-4355.

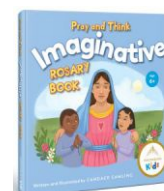
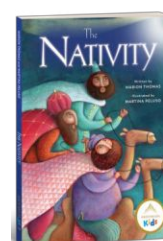
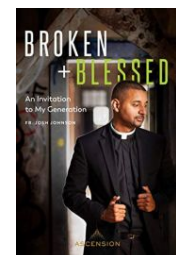
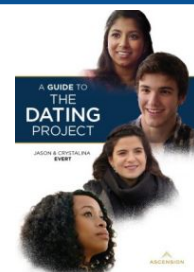
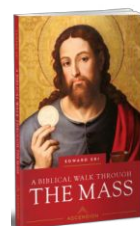
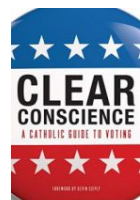
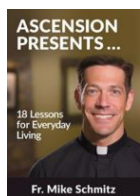


PARISH NEWS / NOTICIAS PARROQUIALES—ST. MARY - ALEXANDRIA

ST. MARY ALEXANDRIA BOOK SALE—THANK YOU!

Many thanks to the folks who contributed to the parish lending library book sale. We received \$170 in donations! Hoping that you picked up some good spiritual books to guide you on your faith journey. With your contributions, we purchased the following new items for the lending library. A few more items to come...

- *Ascension Presents: 18 Lessons for Everyday Living with Father Mike Schmitz* (DVD)
- *A Guide to the Dating Project* (Teens/Young Adults)
- *A Clear Conscience: A Catholic Guide to Voting* (Adults)
- *Broken and Blessed: An Invitation to My Generation* (Young Adults)
- *The Nativity* (Ages 3-7)
- *Pray and Think Imaginative Rosary Book* (Ages 6+)
- *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass* (2 copies)



SCHOOL NEWS / NOTICIAS DE LA ESCUELA—ST. MARY SCHOOL, ALEXANDRIA

St. Mary's Guild *Mum Sale*



\$10

9" Large Quality Plants!!!

Money due at time of sale. Will be available for pick-up on Sept 7.

Aug 5 - Aug 17

Mums will also be sold in the back of church or at the school office.



School: 765-724-4459
Angie: 765-635-6162

Reach out to Angie Nunley for any questions.

