

Transfiguration Of The Lord

AUGUST 6, 2023



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OFF THE TOP OF MY HEAD...

The Eucharist is not the Body of Jesus.

If that sentence seems heretical to you, please refer to my column in last week's bulletin, quoting from Fr. Kevin Irwin's article in America Magazine. I was trying to make a small contribution to our Eucharistic faith as the Church in the U.S. observes the National Eucharistic Revival.

This week I am citing another part of Fr. Irwin's article. And I will build on my statement from last week by saying this: "The Eucharist is not (only) the Body of Christ."

By that I do NOT mean that the Eucharist is the Body and Blood of Christ, although that is true.

To quote Fr. Irwin, "...The phrase 'real presence of Christ'...is insufficient to describe the full reality of what the Eucharist is."

Fr. Irwin goes on to say that, for various reasons, the subjects of the Eucharist as sacrament and as sacrifice came to be treated separately by theologians beginning in the 1600's. But the Eucharist as a sacrament cannot be separated from the Eucharist as a sacrifice. Another way of thinking of this is that the Eucharist is not only "noun," but also "verb" or action. (That last sentence came from me; don't blame Fr. Irwin!)

In the 1960's, the Second Vatican Council expressed an important, essential teaching about the Eucharist. And although it's been over sixty years since this teaching was expressed, it still needs to be emphasized as if it were a brand new piece of information: The full, conscious, active participation in the Mass by the people is of utmost importance.

This means more than simply saying the prayers and singing the songs, or lay people reading the Scriptures that clergy formerly read, or celebrating Mass in a familiar language so that people's participation could be more conscious (and more full and active).

But ultimately, we are being called to participate not only in the actions of the Mass but in the sacrifice of the Mass itself. The sacrifice of the Mass is the Sacrifice of the Cross, made present to us. The Catholic Church boldly declares that in the celebration of the Eucharist, we, the clergy and people together, actually OFFER the sacrifice of Christ, through, with and in him.

So the Eucharist is not (only) the Body of Christ. It is the Sacrifice of Christ, which we offer with him. Both noun and verb.

Fr. Tom Metzger
August 6, 2023

PENSAMIENTOS DEL PADRE TOM

La Eucaristía no es el Cuerpo de Jesús.

Si esa oración le parece herética, consulte mi columna en el boletín de la semana pasada, citando al p. Kevin Irwin en su artículo en America Magazine. Estaba tratando de hacer una pequeña contribución a nuestra fe eucarística mientras la Iglesia en los EE. UU. observa el Avivamiento Eucarístico Nacional.

Esta semana estoy citando otra parte del artículo del padre Irwin. Y me basaré en mi declaración de la semana pasada diciendo esto: "La Eucaristía no es (solo) el Cuerpo de Cristo".

Con eso NO estoy diciendo simplemente que la Eucaristía sea el Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo, aunque eso efectivamente sí es cierto.

Para citar al p. Irwin, "... La frase 'presencia real de Cristo'... es insuficiente para describir la realidad completa de lo que es la Eucaristía."

El padre Irwin continúa diciendo que, por diversas razones, los temas de la Eucaristía como sacramento y como sacrificio llegaron a ser tratados por separado por los teólogos a partir del siglo XVII. Pero la Eucaristía como sacramento no puede separarse de la Eucaristía como sacrificio. Otra forma de pensar en esto es que la Eucaristía no es solo "sustantivo," sino también "verbo" o acción. (Esa última oración vino de mí; ¡no culpen al padre Irwin!)

En la década de 1960, el Concilio Vaticano II expresó una enseñanza importante y esencial sobre la Eucaristía. Y aunque han pasado más de sesenta años desde que se expresó esta enseñanza, aún es necesario enfatizarla como si fuera un dato nuevo: La participación plena, consciente, activa del pueblo en la Misa es de suma importancia.

Esto significa más que simplemente rezar las oraciones y cantar las canciones, o que los laicos lean las Escrituras que antes leían los clérigos, o celebrar la Misa en un idioma familiar para que la participación de la gente pueda ser más consciente (y más plena y activa).

Más bien, en última instancia, estamos llamados a participar no solo en las acciones de la Misa sino también en el sacrificio de la Misa misma. El sacrificio de la Misa es el Sacrificio de la Cruz, hecho presente para nosotros. La Iglesia Católica declara audazmente que en la celebración de la Eucaristía, nosotros, el clero y el pueblo juntos, OFRECEMOS el sacrificio de Cristo, a través, con y en él.

Entonces la Eucaristía no es (sólo) el Cuerpo de Cristo. Es el Sacrificio de Cristo, que nosotros ofrecemos con él. Es tanto sustantivo como verbo.

Fr. Tom Metzger
6 de Agosto 2023

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

MONDAY, AUGUST 7 / LUNES, 7 DE AGOSTO

*St. Sixtus II, Pope and Companions, Martyrs; St. Cajetan, Priest
Numbers/Números 11:4b-15 | Matthew/Mateo 14:13-21*

8:00 AM St. Mary, Anderson +Jeff Grissom

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8 / MARTES, 8 DE AGOSTO

*St. Dominic, Priest
Numbers/Números 12:1-13 | Matthew/Mateo 14:22-36 or 15:1-2, 10-14*

8:00 AM St. Ambrose, Anderson +Thomas Sacilowski

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9 / MIÉRCOLES, 9 DE AGOSTO

*St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr
Numbers/Números 13:1-2,25—14:1,26-29a,34-35 | Matthew/Mateo 15:21-28*

8:00 AM St. Mary, Alexandria +Mary Bradford

11:30 AM St. Vincent Hospital, Anderson +Bradley Mains

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10 / JUEVES, 10 DE AGOSTO

*St. Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr
2 Corinthians/2 Corintios 9:6-10 | John/Juan 12:24-26*

8:30 AM St. Mary, Anderson +Joe Schulte

7:00 PM St. Mary, Anderson +Maria & +Francisco Garcia

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11 / VIERNES, 11 DE AGOSTO

*St. Clare, Virgin
Deuteronomy/Deuteronomio 4:32-40 | Matthew/Mateo 16:24-28*

8:00 AM St. Mary, Alexandria +Rob Meyer

8:10 AM St. Ambrose, Anderson +Mary Paskell Bradford

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12 / SÁBADO, 12 DE AGOSTO

*St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious
Deuteronomy/Deuteronomio 6:4-13 | Matthew/Mateo 17:14-20*

4:00 PM St. Ambrose, Anderson +William Hall

4:30 PM St. Mary, Alexandria +Agnes Libler

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13 / DOMINGO, 13 DE AGOSTO

*NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME /
DECIMONOVENO DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO
1 Kings/1 Reyes 19:9a, 11-13a | Romans/Romanos 9:1-5 |
Matthew/Mateo 14:22-33*

7:30 AM St. Mary, Anderson +Jane & + Jerry Rigsby

8:30 AM St. Mary, Alexandria +Alnita House

9:30 AM St. Ambrose, Anderson People of the Pastorate

11:30 AM St. Mary, Anderson +Otoniel Mercado &
+Atanacia Reyes

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SECRETARIAS DE LAS PARROQUIAS:

St. Ambrose Anita Myers

St. Mary, Anderson Robin Grose

St. Mary, Alexandria Traci Gates

CONFESSION TIMES / HORARIO DE CONFESIÓN

✠ St. Mary, Anderson
Thursdays/Jueves 6:00-6:45 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 2:30-3:30 PM

PASTORATE NEWS / NOTICIAS DEL PASTORADO

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT

(Fiscal Year July 1 – June 30)

		JULY 30, 2023	YEAR-TO-DATE / EL AÑO HASTA LA FECHA
St. Mary, Alexandria	BUDGETED / PRESUPUESTADO	\$4,808	\$24,040
	RECEIVED / RECIBIDO	\$3,613	\$24,310
	OVER/(SHORT) SOBRE / (CORTO)	(\$1,196)	\$270
St. Mary, Anderson	BUDGETED / PRESUPUESTADO	\$11,110	\$55,550
	RECEIVED / RECIBIDO	\$5,802	\$65,511
	OVER/(SHORT) SOBRE / (CORTO)	(\$5,308)	\$9,961
St. Ambrose	BUDGETED / PRESUPUESTADO	\$8,805	\$44,025
	RECEIVED / RECIBIDO	\$6,202	\$38,132
	OVER/(SHORT) SOBRE / (CORTO)	(\$2,604)	(\$5,893)



2023 ANNUAL CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL
DIOCESE OF LAFAYETTE-IN-INDIANA

FORMERLY FRUITFUL HARVEST



St. Mary, Alexandria

2023 Parish Goal/Meta = \$34,472
Amount Pledged/Cantidad Prometida = \$46,197
Amount Received/Recibido = \$31,806
Amount Outstanding/Saldo Pendiente =
(\$2,666 / \$14,391)



St. Ambrose

2023 Parish Goal/Meta = \$70,176
Amount Pledged/Cantidad Prometida = \$63,861
Amount Received/Recibido = \$48,516
Amount Outstanding/Saldo Pendiente =
(\$21,660)



St. Mary, Anderson

2023 Parish Goal/Meta = \$79,507
Amount Pledged/Cantidad Prometida = \$92,758
Amount Received/Recibido = \$50,138
Amount Outstanding/Saldo Pendiente =
(\$29,369 / \$42,620)



Take heart, rise, He is calling you.



Diocesan Young Adult Retreat

Friday, Aug. 25 @ 7:00 PM -
Sunday, Aug. 27 @ 12:00 PM

St. Joseph Retreat & Conference Center
Tipton, IN

Join other young adults (ages 18-39) from across the diocese for a weekend of prayer, talks, sacraments, conversation, and rest.



Register at <https://dol-in.org/YoungAdultRetreat>
\$80 by June 30 | \$95 by July 31 | \$125 by August 10

Saint Michael the Archangel Catholic Church te invita a un encuentro con Jesus Eucaristia

Temas de: **Por que muchos son llamados, pero pocos escogidos" Mateo 22:14**
Evangelización Y Sanación Interna **AGOSTO 2023**

Viernes 25 7:00pm Santa Misa
SÁBADO 26 Y DOMINGO 27 8am-5pm

Donacion \$30

Incluye comida
Mayores de 13 Años

3354B W 30TH St.
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Para reservar tus boletos o preguntas
(317)997-4922
(317)789-7836



Padre Paolo Sbarbati
Desde New York,
Koinonia Juan Bautista

Padre Jesús Hernán Orjuela
Desde Colombia

Padre John Kamwendo
Parroco De San Miguel
Arcangel





A CATHOLIC'S PRAYER FOR THE PRIESTS OF THE DIOCESE

Loving God, I ask for a special blessing on all the priests of my diocesan presbyterate. Help them to remember always that they do not work alone,

but that they are an "intimate sacramental brotherhood" under the leadership of our bishop, a ministry team for which they are all responsible. For the sake of their unified and coherent ministry, help them to remember that the ministry they do is not theirs alone, but a share in our bishop's ministry. For that reason, keep them always respectful of and obedient to his leadership. Help them to be diligent in their ministry, absorbed in it, so that their commitment may be evident and their service helpful. Inspire them to take good care of

themselves and help them be attentive to becoming more effective in their service. Show my fellow Catholics and me ways to encourage our priests—those who offer priestly service to us in the Church. Help them to set a good example for us in all that they do. Support our sick, retired and absent priests with your loving care. I ask this in the name of the Good Shepherd, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen!



BEHOLD, I MAKE ALL THINGS NEW

- REV 21:5

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LA ORACIÓN DE UN CATÓLICO PARA LOS SACERDOTES DE LA DIÓCESIS

Amado Dios, pido una bendición especial para todos los sacerdotes de mi presbiterio diocesano. Ayúdales a recordar siempre que no

trabajan solos, sino que son una "fraternidad sacramental íntima", bajo el liderazgo de nuestro obispo. Un equipo ministerial del que todos somos responsables. Por el bien de un ministerio unificado y coherente, ayúdales a recordar que el ministerio que realizan no es sólo suyo, sino una participación en el ministerio de nuestro obispo. Por eso, manténlos siempre respetuosos y obedientes a su liderazgo. Ayúdales a ser diligentes en su ministerio, absortos en él, para que su compromiso pueda ser evidente

y su servicio útil. ¡Inspírales a cuidarse bien y ayúdales a que estén atentos a ser más eficaces en su servicio! Muéstrales a mis compañeros católicos y a mí maneras de animar a nuestros sacerdotes—aquellos que nos ofrecen servicio sacerdotal en la Iglesia. Ayúdales a ser un buen ejemplo para nosotros en todo lo que hacen. Apoya a nuestros sacerdotes enfermos, jubilados y ausentes con tu cuidado amoroso. Te lo pido en el nombre del Buen Pastor, Jesús Cristo nuestro Señor. ¡Amén!



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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

RUMMAGE SALE

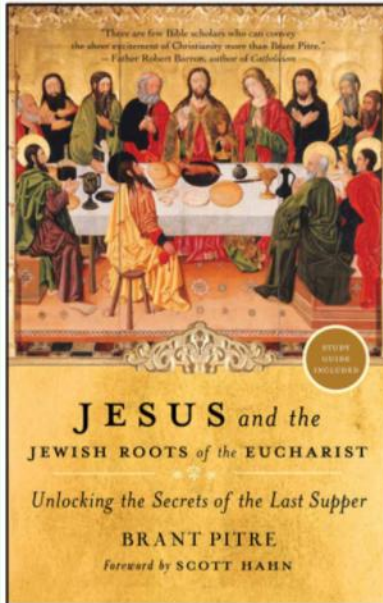
- ⇒ Thurs., Aug 10th, 9am-3pm
- ⇒ Friday, Aug. 11th, 9am-4pm
- ⇒ Saturday, Aug. 12th, 8am-4pm
- ⇒ Sunday, Aug. 13th, 9am-1pm



VENTA DE ARTÍCULOS DE

LOS CABALLEROS DE COLÓN

- ⇒ Jueves, 10 de agosto, 9am-3pm
- ⇒ Viernes, 11 de agosto, 9 am-4 pm
- ⇒ Sábado, 12 de agosto, 8 am-4 pm
- ⇒ Domingo, 13 de agosto, 9 am-1 pm



JESUS AND THE JEWISH ROOTS OF THE EUCHARIST

Join Fr. Matthew for an 8-week faith formation series on the Eucharist, walking through Dr. Brant Pitre's work *Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist*.

The series will be offered beginning Tuesday, August 8th at St. Mary's in Alexandria and Wednesday, August 9th at St. Mary's in Anderson.

TUESDAYS 7:00PM | WEDNESDAYS 1:00PM

If you ordered a book, please pick it up from your parish office.

ROSARY AT THE GROTTO—

AUGUST 13TH

The parishioners of St. Mary, Alexandria invite everyone to attend the Rosary at the Grotto on **Sunday, August 13th at 7:00pm**. Join us in praying for peace in our families, communities, and the world and also to pray for the respect for all life.

The rosary will be recited at the grotto located on the west side of the school playground (corner of Madison and Belmont). In case of stormy weather, the rosary will be recited inside. Bring lawn chairs, blankets, and your rosaries to join us in prayer.



ROSARIO EN LA GRUTA—

13 DE AGOSTO

Los feligreses de St. Mary, Alexandria invitan a todos a asistir este rosario el **domingo 13 de agosto a las 7:00 pm**. Únase a nosotros para orar por la paz en nuestras familias, comunidades y el mundo y también para orar por el respeto a toda vida.

El rosario se recitará en la gruta ubicada en el lado oeste del patio de recreo de la escuela (esquina de Madison y Belmont). En caso de tormenta, se rezará el rosario en el interior. Traiga sillas de jardín, mantas y sus rosarios para unirse a nosotros en oración.

VOLUNTEER NEEDED

The Family Resource Center (which is part of Firefly) is having an event called Sweet Treats and Story Time on Saturday, August 26 from 1 to 2pm. We need a volunteer to read just one children's book in Spanish to the kids during the event. If you can help please call your parish office.



SE NECESITA VOLUNTARIO

El Centro de Recursos para la Familia (que es parte de Firefly) tendrá un evento llamado Sweet Treats and Story Time el sábado 26 de agosto de 1 a 2 p. m. Se necesita un voluntario para leer solo un libro infantil en español a los niños durante el evento. Si puede ayudar, llame a la oficina de su parroquia.

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ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SHOE DRIVE

St. Vincent de Paul will be hosting a shoe drive at all three parishes in the Pastorate the weekend of August 19 & 20. If you have new or gently used shoes you would like to donate please bring them to Mass that weekend and leave them in the donation boxes. Our Catholic schools in Anderson and Alexandria will also participate in the shoe drive during the week of August 21-25. See the flyer below for more information

PLEASE DONATE GENTLY USED CLEAN SHOES for men, women, and kids of all ages (ALL TYPES OF CASUAL SHOES, ALL TYPES OF BOOTS, SNEAKERS, SANDALS, FLIP-FLOPS, CLEATS) AND OF COURSE NEW SHOES ARE ACCEPTED

NO single shoes

NO mismatched shoes

NO roller skates or blades

NO ice skates

NO wet or muddy shoes or cleats

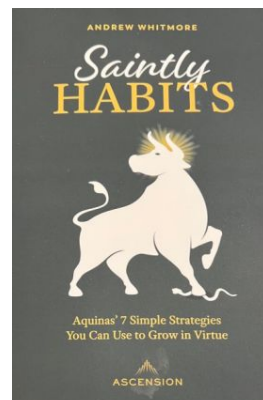
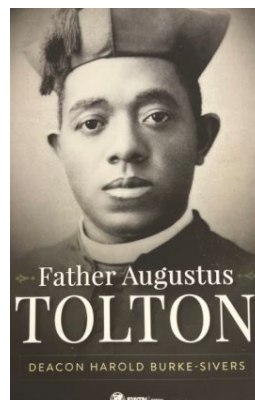
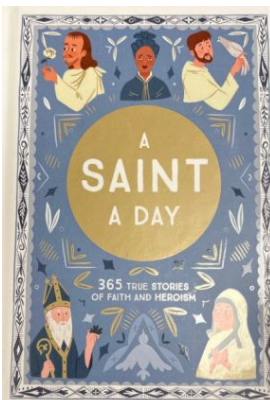
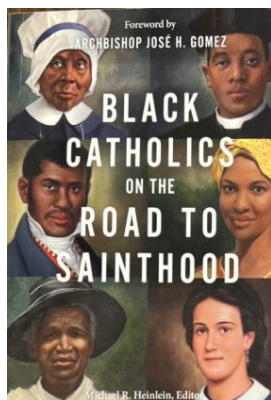
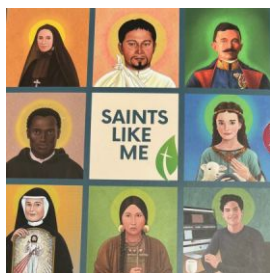
NO shoes with holes or tears



PARISH NEWS / NOTICIAS PARROQUIALES—ST. MARY, ALEXANDRIA

NEW BOOKS IN SAINT MARY PARISH LIBRARY

Check out these new books on saints in the St. Mary Parish Library!



PASTORATE NEWS / NOTICIAS DEL PASTORADO

REGISTRATION MEETINGS FOR CONFIRMATION PREPARATION—TEENS

Students (ages 13-18) wishing to register for Confirmation preparation, must attend one of the following meetings with their parents:

In Alexandria—

- Wednesday, August 9 at 7:00pm in Zimmer Hall at St. Mary, Alexandria
- Saturday, August 12 after the 4:30pm Mass in Zimmer Hall at St. Mary, Alexandria
- Sunday, August 13 after the 8:30am Mass in Zimmer Hall at St. Mary, Alexandria

In Anderson—

- Sunday, August 13 after the 11:30am in the School Annex at St. Mary, Anderson
- Tuesday, August 15 at 7:00pm in the School Annex at St. Mary, Anderson
- Thursday, August 17 at 7:30pm in the School Annex at St. Mary, Anderson

Again, this is for any students (ages 13-18) from St. Mary, Alexandria, St. Ambrose and St. Mary, Anderson. You must attend one of the meetings to sign up for Confirmation preparation. If you have questions, please call your parish office.



ADULT CONFIRMATION

Are you a practicing Catholic, who has not yet been confirmed? Or do you know someone who is?

An informational meeting for Adults (age 18+) who were baptized in the Catholic Church but have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation will be:

In Alexandria—

- Monday, August 7 at 7:00pm in Zimmer Hall at St. Mary, Alexandria
- Thursday, August 10 at 7:00pm in Zimmer Hall at St. Mary, Alexandria

In Anderson—

- Monday, August 21 at 7:00pm in the School Annex at St. Mary, Anderson
- Thursday, August 24 at 7:30pm in the School Annex at St. Mary, Anderson

Adults participating in this preparation process will be confirmed by Bishop Doherty this November during the Confirmation Mass at St. Ambrose. If you have questions, please call your parish office.



REGISTRATION FOR COMMUNION PREPARATION

Parents with students in 1st grade or older wanting to prepare to receive First Holy Communion must attend one of the following meetings:

In Alexandria—

- Tuesday, August 8 at 7:00pm in Computer Lab at St. Mary School, Alexandria

In Anderson—

- Monday, August 28 at 7:00pm in the School Annex at St. Mary, Anderson
- Wednesday, August 30 at 7:00pm in the School Annex at St. Mary, Anderson

If you have questions, please call your parish office.



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 contact your parish office or join us:

St. Ambrose & St. Mary Parishes, Anderson:

- Tuesday evenings at 7pm at St. Mary, Anderson

St. Mary Parish, Alexandria:

- Thursday evenings at 7pm at St. Mary, Alexandria



PASTORATE NEWS / NOTICIAS DEL PASTORADO

INSCRIPCIÓN PARA PREPARACIÓN DE CONFIRMACIÓN—ADOLESCENTES

Los estudiantes (de 13 a 18 años) que deseen inscribirse para la preparación para la Confirmación deben asistir a una de las siguientes reuniones con sus padres:

En Anderson—

- Domingo, 13 de agosto después de las 11:30am en el anexo escolar en St. Mary, Anderson
- Martes, 15 de agosto a las 7:00pm en el anexo escolar en St. Mary, Anderson
- Jueves 17 de agosto a las 7:30pm en el anexo escolar en St. Mary, Anderson

En Alejandría—

- Miércoles 9 de agosto a las 7:00pm en Zimmer Hall en St. Mary, Alexandria
- Sábado 12 de agosto después de la misa de las 4:30pm en Zimmer Hall en St. Mary, Alexandria
- Domingo, 13 de agosto después de la misa de las 8:30am en Zimmer Hall en St. Mary, Alexandria

Nuevamente, esto es para cualquier estudiante (de 13 a 18 años) de St. Mary, Alexandria, St. Ambrose y St. Mary, Anderson. Debes asistir a una de las reuniones para inscribirte en la preparación para la Confirmación. Si tiene preguntas, llame a la oficina de su parroquia.



CONFIRMACIÓN ADULTO

¿Eres un católico practicante que aún no ha sido confirmado? ¿O conoces a alguien que lo sea?

Una reunión informativa para Adultos (mayores de 18 años) que fueron bautizados en la Iglesia Católica pero que aún no han recibido el Sacramento de la Confirmación será:

En Alejandría—

- Lunes 7 de agosto a las 7:00 p. m. en Zimmer Hall en St. Mary, Alexandria
- Jueves 10 de agosto a las 7:00 p. m. en Zimmer Hall en St. Mary, Alexandria

En Anderson—

- Lunes 21 de agosto a las 7:00 p. m. en el anexo escolar en St. Mary, Anderson
- Jueves 24 de agosto a las 7:30 p. m. en el anexo escolar en St. Mary, Anderson

Los adultos que participan en este proceso de preparación serán confirmados por el obispo Doherty este noviembre durante la Misa de Confirmación en St. Ambrose. Si tiene preguntas, llame a la oficina de su parroquia.



REGISTRO PARA LA PREPARACIÓN DE LA PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

Los padres con estudiantes de 1er grado o mayores que deseen prepararse para recibir la Primera Comunión deben asistir a una de las siguientes reuniones:

En Alejandría—

- Martes, 8 de agosto a las 7:00 p. m. en el laboratorio de computación de St. Mary School, Alexandria

En Anderson—

- Lunes 28 de agosto a las 7:00 p. m. en el anexo escolar en St. Mary, Anderson
- Miércoles 30 de agosto a las 7:00 p. m. en el anexo escolar en St. Mary, Anderson

Si tiene preguntas, llame a la oficina de su parroquia.



¿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 la oficina de Santa Maria 765-644-8467 para obtener más información o únete a nosotros:

- Domingos a las 10 en la mañana en la iglesia Santa Maria en Anderson

We recognize there are many Mass and Confession changes beginning in August. Find all the new information in this one place.

NEW SCHEDULES

BEGINNING AUGUST 3, 2023

THURSDAY MORNING MASS TIME CHANGE:

Due to a revised school day schedule at Holy Cross School (north campus), the time for the Thursday morning Mass at St. Mary's (Anderson) will be changed from 8:30 am to 8:15 am, beginning Thursday, August 3rd.

BEGINNING AUGUST 5, 2023

there will be only ONE Saturday Vigil Mass in Anderson at 4pm

August & September 2023 | 4pm @ St. Ambrose

October 2023 - March 2024 | 4pm @ St. Mary, Anderson

April - September 2024 | 4pm @ St. Ambrose

BEGINNING AUGUST 5, 2023

There will no longer be 1pm or 4pm confessions on Saturdays in Anderson. Confession will take place from 2:30pm-3:30pm at the church where the 4pm Mass will be held.

August & September 2023 | 2:30pm-3:30pm @ St. Ambrose

October 2023 - March 2024 | 2:30pm-3:30pm @ St. Mary, Anderson

April - September 2024 | 2:30pm-3:30pm @ St. Ambrose

Reconocemos que hay muchos cambios en la Misa y la Confesión a partir de agosto. Encuentra toda la información nueva en este único lugar.

NUEVOS HORARIOS

A PARTIR DEL 3 DE AGOSTO DE 2023

CAMBIO HORARIO MISA MAÑANA JUEVES:

Debido a un horario escolar revisado en la Escuela Holy Cross (campus norte), el horario de la misa del jueves por la mañana en St. Mary's (Anderson) se cambiará de 8:30am a 8:15am, a partir del jueves 3 de agosto.

A PARTIR DEL 5 DE AGOSTO DE 2023

solo habrá UNA misa de vigilia del sábado en Anderson a las 4 pm

Agosto y Septiembre 2023 | 4pm @ San Ambrosio

Octubre 2023 - Marzo 2024 | 4 pm en St. Mary, Anderson

Abril - Septiembre 2024 | 4pm @ San Ambrosio

A PARTIR DEL 5 DE AGOSTO DE 2023

Ya no habrá confesiones a la 1:00pm o a las 4:00pm los sábados en Anderson. La confesión tendrá lugar de 2:30pm a 3:30pm en la iglesia donde se llevará a cabo la misa de las 4:00pm

Agosto y Septiembre 2023 | 2:30pm a 3:30pm en San Ambrosio

Octubre 2023 - Marzo 2024 | 2:30pm a 3:30pm en St. Mary, Anderson

Abril - Septiembre 2024 | 2:30pm a 3:30pm en San Ambrosio



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

CHOIR BEGINS!

The St. Mary/St. Ambrose Choir is ready to begin! This year, members of both St. Mary's (Anderson) and St. Ambrose are welcome to join the choir, as long as you can reliably attend choir practice 9:00-10:30 am Sunday in the St. Mary's church annex. You do not have to be able to read music and there is no audition. The choir will sing the 1st and 3rd Saturday & Sunday of each month, as well as at special celebrations.



The choir kick-off will be Sunday, August 27 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm. If you are not currently in the choir but are interested in joining the choir, please contact the secretary at your respective parish. Further details will be provided.

HOLY CROSS SCHOOL NEWS / NOTICIAS DE LA ESCUELA HOLY CROSS

SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS NEEDED

Holy Cross School is seeking SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS for the 2023-2024 school year. Subs are paid \$12.00 per hour (\$90 for a full school day). Subs should be flexible, dependable, and willing to serve without much advance notice in the case of teacher illness. Previous teaching experience is preferred, but not required. If interested, please call 765.642.1848



SE NECESITAN MAESTROS SUSTITUTOS

Holy Cross School está buscando MAESTROS SUSTITUTOS para el año escolar 2023-2024. Los suplentes se pagan \$ 12.00 por hora (\$ 90 por un día escolar completo). Los suplentes deben ser flexibles, confiables y estar dispuestos a servir sin previo aviso en caso de enfermedad del maestro. Se prefiere la experiencia docente previa, pero no se requiere. Si está interesado, llame al 765.642.1848

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

SUPPORT OUR STUDENTS!

In an effort to cut school costs and streamline the list of school supply needs, St. Mary School purchased school supplies through Amazon. This allowed us to take advantage of a discount as a nonprofit as well as free shipping. The cost was \$2400, approximately \$18 per student. If you are able to help sponsor the cost of the school supplies for a student(s), please make donations payable to St. Mary School and in the memo line write School Supplies. Please call the office at 765-724-4459 if you have any questions or would like more information. Thank you for your support!



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

This year we will be holding grade-level back to school nights. All Back to School Open House Meetings start at 6pm. At these meetings you will receive your child's schedule, teacher classroom expectations and other important information from your child's teacher.

8/7/2023 - PK3, PK4 and Kindergarten Open House

8/8/2023 - 1/2/3/4 Open House

8/9/2023 - Middle School and Jr. High Orientation (Additional Information will be sent home) Marion University Prep will be attending virtually as well.

We can't wait to meet and talk about the upcoming school year! Please pray for our students and teachers!





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