

January 20, 2019

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Sacramental Ministers: Father John Geis and Father William Turner.

Saturday **Mass:** 4:00 PM
Sunday **Mass:** 10:00 AM

Sacrament of **Reconciliation**
Saturday: 3:30-3:45 PM
Sunday: 9:30-9:45 AM

Sunday **Mass:** 8:00 AM

Sacrament of **Reconciliation**
Sunday: 7:30-7:45

Saturday **Mass:** 6:00 PM
Sunday **Mass:** 12:00 noon

Sacrament of **Reconciliation**
Saturday: 5:30-5:45PM
Sunday: 11:30-11:45 AM

Sacrament of Baptism is scheduled by appointment.
Please call the parish office about sacramental preparation and to schedule your celebration.

Preparation for the Sacrament of **Marriage** requires at least six months.
Call the parish office before setting the date for your wedding.

Sacrament of **Anointing** is available upon request.

JANUARY 20, 2019

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



*Jesus Did This as the
Beginning of His
Signs at Cana in
Galilee
and so Revealed His
Glory.*

"They have no wine."
"So what?"

"Do whatever he tells you."
From that instant she left it to him.

To us:
"Do whatever he tells you.

"Love God,
love your neighbor,
make a home for the Spirit."

Help us leave
everything to you, Lord.

We are water.
Turn us into wine.

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SUNDAY REFLECTIONS

CONNECTIONS

The film, "Won't You Be My Neighbor?" tells the story of Fred Rogers and his TV program. At the film's conclusion, Mr. Rogers shared the following at a college commencement, "When I was a boy my mother told me to always look for people who are helping. You will always find somebody who will try to help." When he asked the graduates to think about that somebody for them, many cited their mother as that encouraging person.



In today's Gospel, Mary encouraged her son to begin his public ministry at the wedding at Cana. Mary and Mr. Rogers may help us remember those who have cared about us beyond measure encouraging us to be true to the best within us.



SANCTITY OF HUMAN LIFE SUNDAY

On January 13, 1984 President Ronald Reagan issued a proclamation designating January 22 the first National Sanctity of Human Life Day. On this day the US Congress Supreme Court legalized abortion-on-demand in all 50 states. Churches in the United States use this day to celebrate God's gift of life, commemorate the many lives lost to abortion and commit themselves to protecting human life at every stage. Now the third Sunday in January is designated and celebrated for this purpose.

Virgin of Guadalupe, Patroness of unborn children, we implore your intercession for every child at risk of abortion. Help expectant, loving parents to welcome from God the priceless gift of their child's life. We ask this in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ Who is Love and Mercy itself. Amen.

INCLUDING YOUTH

The conclusion of the Isaiah reading presents an unapologetic, unabashed honeymoon reference. Let youth delight in this powerful choice of image for God's love. "Now you must realize, these verses are actually just highly spiritual. They do not really even refer to you-know-what" . . . that will ruin it.



We might ask of the Gospel story: Is Jesus serious – or is he perhaps teasing Mom? Whichever, Mary is having none of it. She executes a delightful maternal maneuver by sending the servers to Jesus. "Here we are, Sir, just as your mother requested...and, ready to do whatever you say." Maybe most of us can remember our own loving, maternal "Gotcha!"

SANTUARY LIGHT The Sanctuary Light burns from January 20 through January 26 for Nic Meister.



Mass Intentions for the Week

- Saturday, January 19, 6:00 PM**
+ Janet Ward
- Sunday, January 20, 12:00 Noon**
+ Darlene Huff
- Saturday, January 26, 6:00 PM**
+ Paul Meister
- Sunday, January 27, 12:00 Noon**
+ Dale Young

Saturday, January 26, 6:00 PM

- Coordinator:** Sharon Voegeli
- Lector:** Nancy Obermeyer
- Greeters:** Bob & Sharon Voegeli
- Servers:** Nick & Katie Miller
- Wine:** Stephanie Green/Ron Ebinger

Sunday January 27, 12:00 Noon

- Coordinator:** Ted Wissel
- Lector:** Jane O'Grady
- Greeters:** Jill Jansing/Ted Wissel
- Servers:** Samantha Colyer
- Wine:** Jill Jansing/Jessica Gorman

STEWARDSHIP In today's second reading, St Paul tells the Corinthians (and us) that all of our gifts are from God and that they are given, not for ourselves alone, but for the common good.



But the generosity of God knows no limits – the miracle at Cana reminds us that whenever we faithfully do as God asks, He can change our gifts of water into wine!



PARISH SUPPORT
No Report because of Cancellation of Masses

UNITED CATHOLIC APPEAL - "ALL for the SAKE of OTHERS." Another report will be given on January 27th.

COFFEE TALK:

SPEAKER: Father Dan Bedel

TOPIC: Reflections on Faith, Hope and Love

WHEN: TODAY, January 20, 3 to 4 PM

WHERE: St. Maurice Parish Hall

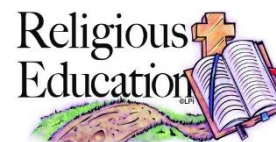
Father Dan gave a Parish Mission at St. Maurice that was very well received. I'm sure his talk on this year's theme will also be excellent.

CONGRATULATIONS We congratulate **John Ward** on being inducted into the **Ripley County Basketball Hall of Fame Class of 2019.**

In Our Thoughts & Prayers

Linda Bear	Joe Kelly
Drew Willa	Tammy Meister
Urban Johannigman	Simon C Allison
Susan Huff	Peggy Lewis
Pat Grieshop	M/M/ Tom Murray
Evelyn Nimeskern	Kelly Spiller
Henry Peters	Katie Smith
Donnie Hoffrogge	Mary Bruns
Glenna Ward	Brenda Wetzler
Amy Castner	Natalie Brown
Todd Castner	Madeline Ronaldson
Katie Warner	Maesha Meister
Gerald Hermesch	Pat Schuman
Gary Payne	Joe Pesec
Molly Ronaldson	
Phyllis Hellmich	
Mike Raney	

PARISH MEETINGS Parish Council Meeting Tuesday, **January 29, 6:30 PM**
Finance Meeting Tuesday, **February 5, 6:00 PM.**



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Elementary – January 23, Class/Meal

“Many speakers can rise to the occasion, but few know when to sit down.” *Author Unknown*

“Wisdom doesn’t necessarily come with age, sometimes age just shows up all by itself.” *Author Unknown*

January 20, 2019 Local News & Events

Sunday, January 20, 3:00 PM

“Further Reflection on our Faith, Hope and Love Theme”

Speaker – Father Dan Bedel - All Talks Held at St Maurice

Growing In
Faith
Living In
Hope
&
Love
Acting In

Deanery & Beyond Events

Right to Life March for Life, Pro Life Event OF INDIANAPOLIS

Indianapolis Events for January 22, 2019

Right to Life of Indianapolis LIFE RALLY, 11 AM, Indiana Convention Center

Solemn Observance of Roe vs Wade Mass, 12:00 Noon, St John the Evangelist, 126 W Georgia St Indianapolis with Archbishop Thompson and Bishop Doherty

Memorial Service for the Unborn 12:00 PM Indiana Convention Center

Rally 2:30 PM South Steps of Indiana State House

Vigil for Life & March for Life 2019 – **January 21, 2019**, 7PM to 9PM, St John the Evangelist Catholic Church, 126 W Georgia St, Indianapolis IN Eucharistic Adoration and a night of Pray and Worship with Audrey Assad.

UPCOMING 2019 PRE-CANA DATES (317)236-1521

February 22-23, 2019: Batesville, All Saints

April 27, 2019: Nashville IN, St Agnes

March 1-2, 2019: St Michael's, Indianapolis

April 12-13, 2019: Batesville, Oldenburg

ST. MARY'S CHURCH IS SPONSORING A NIGHT AT THE MOVIES at Wolf Theater in Greensburg. **God is Not Dead 2, Tuesday, January 22, 2019. 6:30 pm.** \$8.00 includes movie, small popcorn and drink. buy ticket at the theater that night. Please rsvp to 812-663-8427, ext 204. We need to make sure we have a big enough theater!



FEBRUARY 23TH, 2019 The Catholic Men's Conference is coming up. Just 30 minutes northwest of Cincinnati and one hour south of Indianapolis. LIKE and FOLLOW us for updates:

<https://www.facebook.com/E6Mensconference>. Please

visit www.e6catholicmensconference.com for more information.



St. Mary's School – Greensburg OPEN HOUSE

Kindergarten

Monday, January 28, 2019. 1331 E Hunter Robbins Way

Preschool: 9AM to 11:30 AM & 12:30 PM to 3PM (2-3 day sessions)

Kindergarten: 8AM to 11:30 AM & 12:30 to 1:30 PM – We offer full or half-day classes.

ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH BREAKFAST - 1207 EAST ROAD - BROOKVILLE, IN 47012 - JANUARY 27, 2019 – 7:30 AM to Noon. Sausage, biscuits, gravy, eggs, pancakes, homemade pastries. Raffle and split the pot raffle

BATESVILLE KOFC, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2, CHICKEN DINNER hosted by St Louis PTO. 5 to 8 PM. Adults \$10, Children \$5, Cash Bar, Split the Pot, Raffle.