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Mass Schedule

Saturday
St. Mary – 4:30pm

Sunday
St. Mary – 9:00am (Rosary 8:30am)
St. Joan of Arc - 5:00pm (Rosary 4:30pm)

Weekdays (at St. Mary only)

Tuesday – 6:00pm
Wednesday – Friday – 7:00am
Tuesday – 5:00pm – Adoration

CCD

St. Mary - Sunday at 10:00am

RCIA

St. Mary – TBD

Confessions

Saturday – 4:00pm – St. Mary
Sunday – 8:30am – St. Mary
Sunday – 4:30pm – St. Joan
Tuesday – 5:15pm

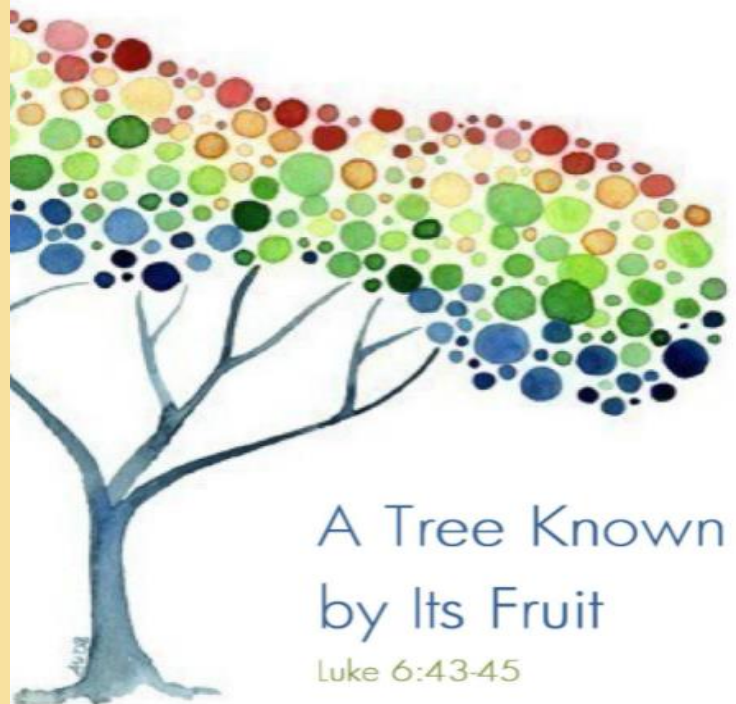
Or by appointment

St. Joan of Arc
327 W. McKinley St.
Jasonville, IN

St. Mary Church
105 E. Jackson Street
Sullivan, IN

P.O. Box 506; Sullivan, IN 47882

8th Sunday of Feb. 27,
Ordinary Time 2022



*Shine like lights in the world as
you hold on to the world of life.*
Phillippians 2:15d,16a

Church Support – Feb. 20

St. Joan of Arc: Regular \$475 / Jasonville Food Pantry \$20
Mass Attendance - 18

St. Mary: Regular \$2,480 / Bldg Fund \$75 / Haiti \$55
Community Kitchen \$500
Mass Attendance – Saturday - 37 / Sunday - 42

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK (February 27- March 6)

Saturday, Feb. 26 – 8th Sunday of Ordinary Time
STM – Gilham Family

Sunday, Feb. 27 – 8th Sunday of Ordinary Time
STM – Marty Pierson ✨
STJ – Margie Woods ✨

8th Week of Ordinary Time

Monday, Feb. 28 – Weekday in Ordinary Time
NO MASS

Tuesday, Mar. 01 – Weekday in Ordinary Time
STM – Marty Pierson ✨

Wednesday, Mar. 02 – ASH WEDNESDAY
STM – Gill Family

Thursday, Mar. 03 – Thursday after Ash Wednesday
STM – Jeffrey Pfister ✨

**Friday, Mar. 04 – Friday after Ash Wednesday;
St. Casimir**
STM – Giltner Family

Saturday, Mar. 05 – 1st Sunday of Lent
STM – Dale S & Betty G Phillips

Sunday, Mar. 06 – 1st Sunday of Lent
STM – David Thompson ✨
STJ – Dick & Ann Bickel ✨

PRAYER LIST

St. Mary: Brenda Bedwell, William Bouchie, Bob Cooper, Beth Fusco, Verne Davis, Payton Main, Dave Meadows, Cathy Nedemeyer, Raymond Pirtle, Christopher Styga

St. Joan of Arc: Launa Carlen, Sue Case, GlenWood Coleman, Karen Conley, Liam Fuzesi, Linda Harstine, Joe Hudson, Shannan Hudson, Cindi Johns, Kenny Lee, Abbey Martin, Bob Martindale, Troy Martindale, Weldon Samm, Brent Sexton, Elizabeth Solomon, Carol Talbott, Jack Trump

Send requests to shudson@evdio.org or call the Parish Office at 812-268-4088.

ITEMS OF NOTE:

- **RECEPTION – Please** join us after the 9:00 AM Mass at St. Mary This Sunday, February 27, 2022, as we congratulate Austin Kendall for his First Communion in the Church hall.



- **Bathroom Update –** The granite counters and porcelain sinks have been ordered and may take up to a month to be installed. Thank you for your continued forbearance.

DAILY MASS READINGS

Feb. 27 (Sunday)

Reading I – Sirach 27:4-7
Psalm 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16
Reading II – 1 Corinthians 15:54-58
Gospel – Luke 6:39-45

Feb. 28 (Monday)

Reading I – 1 Peter 1:3-9
Psalm 111:1-2, 5-6, 9 & 10c
Gospel – Mark 10:17-27

Mar. 01 (Tuesday)

Reading I – 1 Peter 1:10-16
Psalm 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4
Gospel – Mark 10:28-31

Mar. 02 (Wednesday)

Reading I – Joel 2:12-18
Psalm 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 & 17
Reading II – 2 Corinthians 5:20-6:2
Gospel – Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

Mar. 03 (Thursday)

Reading I – Deuteronomy 30:15-20
Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6
Gospel – Luke 9:22-25

Mar. 04 (Friday)

Reading I – Isaiah 58:1-9a
Psalm 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19
Gospel – Matthew 9:14-15

Mar. 05 (Saturday)

Reading I – Isaiah 58:9b-14
Psalm 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6
Gospel – Luke 5:27-32

Mar. 06 (Sunday)

Reading I – Deuteronomy 26:4-10
Psalm 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15
Reading II – Romans 10:8-13
Gospel – Luke 4:1-13

A REFLECTION

FROM FR. JOHN

This Wednesday we celebrate Ash Wednesday. Ash Wednesday is not a holy day of obligation, but the faithful come to Ash Wednesday to mark the beginning of Lent, that season that precedes the most important Holiday of Christianity, the Easter Triduum.

The Easter Triduum is the summit of the liturgical year. Though it covers three days, liturgically it is one service comprised of the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday, the service of Good Friday of the Lord's Passion, and the Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord at the Easter Vigil.

These forty days of Lent are a journey towards the Passion of Christ. We know from that Passion and Death on the Cross will come the glory of His resurrection. This is our essential faith and hope and is the center of our sacramental life in the Church.

Ash Wednesday is a grave reminder to us of human mortality. Each of us lives life not knowing when we will be called home to the Lord. Knowing this, we turn to Holy Mother Church for reconciliation with God in the Holy Mass and in Confession. We receive ashes on the forehead in the form of the Cross, so that all might see our commitment to the pillars of the season: prayer, fasting, and almsgiving.

Prayer is communicating with God. The power of prayer is a practice that gives us the strength and the grace we need in order to live our faith. In prayer, we celebrate in thanksgiving our blessings. In the same way, we petition the Lord for the suffering we see in us and around us. The Stations of the Cross and the Rosary are special prayers of the Church and Lent is the perfect time to practice them.

Fasting and abstinence are very old traditions of Lent. Healthy individuals between 18 and 59 are required to have one full meal or two smaller meals on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Everyone is required to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and the Fridays of Lent. Some people fast from social media, technology, idle talk, or screen time. All these things are done to remember the death and resurrection of Christ in place of our normal routines.

Almsgiving allows us to live our life in gratitude to God. As the Body of Christ, we are responsible for our brothers and sisters, so we give. Justice, mercy, and charity, work together as our call to Christ, from Baptism. Practicing our faith is our obligation as disciples of Jesus Christ.



