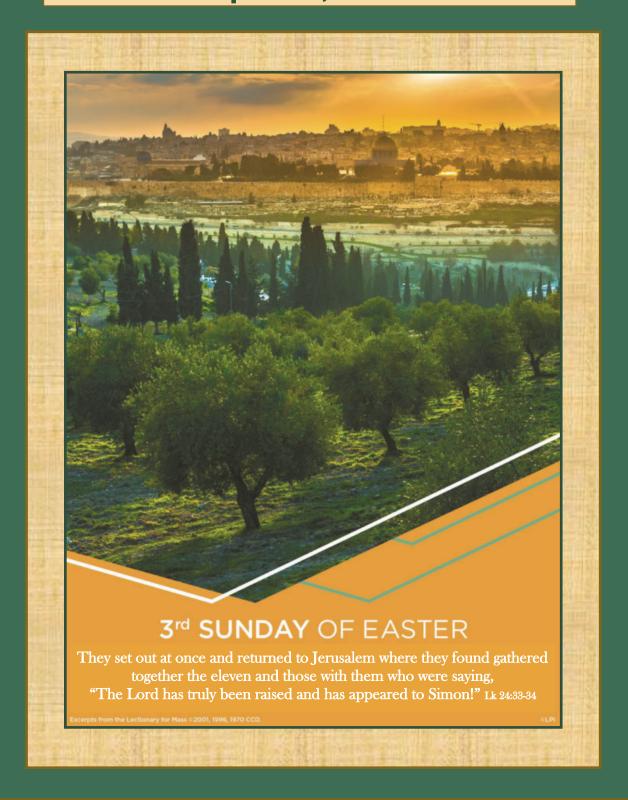
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SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation: Saturday 4-4:30 p.m. You may also call the parish office to arrange for an appointment.

Baptism: 3rd Sunday of the month during or immediately after 10 a.m.

Mass, or at another pre-arranged time.

Preparation classes are held quarterly.

Please call the parish office for additional information.

Marriage: Please contact the pastor at least six months in advance. No wedding dates will be set until a couple has met with the pastor.

Communion Calls: Please call the parish office to arrange Communion calls for the home-bound.

Anointing of the Sick: If you are going to have surgery, or have a chronic illness and wish to be anointed, please contact the parish office. If a family member is in or admitted to the hospital, <u>please</u> call the parish office at 317-356-7291.

PARISH SCHOOL

Our Lady of Lourdes offers preschool and kindergarten through 8th grade classes. Please call the School Office for more information at 317-357-3316.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to our Parish Family!
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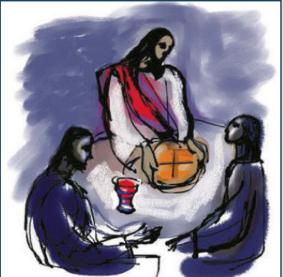
BULLETIN DEADLINE

Please send your entries by **NOON** on **MONDAYS** to ensure your article will appear in that week's printing. If you have flyers to be inserted into the bulletin, please bring them to the parish office by 3 p.m. on Thursday.

THANK YOU! parishsecretary@ollindy.org

Pastor's Corner

Dear brothers and sisters of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish,

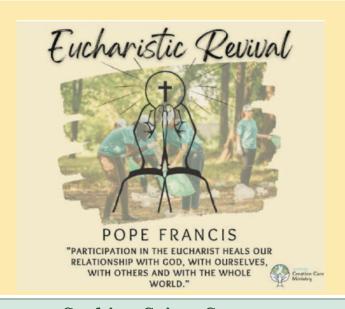


Today we hear one of most marvelous and meaningful Gospel passages written by Luke. It is the story of a long, disconsolate walk, interrupted and given meaning by a stranger who steps along the same road. It is a story of two companions' distress is swept away by the wisdom of the stranger who became their consoling walking

companion. And ultimately, it is a eucharistic encounter with the Risen One.

Perhaps this is our story. Perhaps the stranger who enters our life, at this time, is the disguised Risen One. Shall we break the bread and hear the Word with this one? Not only this week, but each week yet to come.

Father Rick



Seeking Saints Statuary

The First Eucharist Retreat will include a discussion of the Communion of Saints. We want to create a feeling of this "Cloud of Witnesses" by surrounding the candidates with statuary or framed pictures of different saints. Would you have a figure or print that we could borrow for the retreat on April 29? We have received some fine saints already, but could use a lot more! Talk with Matthew Fallon about it and God bless you!

Seeking Communications & Stewardship Coordinator

Our Lady of Lourdes is seeking a full-time Communications & Stewardship Coordinator. This Coordinator will design and execute well-branded communications under the direction of the pastor and school principal, as well as assisting with specific stewardship responsibilities. The candidate would utilize communications vehicles such as social media, website, newsletters and bulletins to effectively communicate the activities and programs of the parish and school communities to a variety of audiences. The candidate would coordinate the Annual Stewardship Renewal program and work with various parish committees regarding donors. The position reports to the Pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes and works in collaboration with the school principal and staff, as well as volunteers. - Candidates should have 3 years of communications experience using multiple forms of print and electronic media. Interested candidates should provide a resume and cover letter to: skrause@iu.edu

Evangelization Workshop April 29

"The Church exists in order to evangelize," says the hierarchy of the Church. There are many ways for Catholics to evangelize – if you are interested in joining an evangelizing team effort here at OLL, take advantage of the Evangelization 101 Workshop put on by the archdiocese! Held from 9 a.m.–3 p.m. at beautiful St. Agnes Parish in Nashville, IN, on Saturday, April 29. Contact Anita Bardo at abardo@archindy.org or 317-236-1466 for more information. Register at: https://Evangelization101Workshop.eventbrite.com

Monday Night Men's Prayer Group: May 8

The Men's Prayer group will meet at 7:30 p.m. on **Monday**, **May 8**, in Bernadette Hall. All men of the parish are welcome. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Bob Eha at **317-345-9884**.

Reserve NCYC Tickets Now!

Our group headed to NCYC, needs to buy our tickets NOW, to attend the conference LATER in November. Parents and students, get your permission form filled out and turned in to Matthew immediately, if not sooner!! Permission forms will be available at the North entrance of the church. In the past, there have been people who have waited to commit, but then missed out. - Don't be like the foolish virgins who let their lamps go out!

Confirmation Night Is Thursday, April 27

Please volunteer to help make this Mass possible! OLL needs one more usher/minister of hospitality and extraordinary minister of the Eucharist. Thank you for taking part in the rite and honoring our young disciples! Contact Matthew to volunteer.

FRIENDS IN UKRAINE

We pray for all people in Ukraine, especially our friends:
Dmitriy Gvozdik, Yosyp Heletei, Vlad Mokryi, Ihor Liutak,
Oleksii Shtefan, and Illia Bezsmertnyi.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Emilia Atkinson, Paula Bittelmeyer, Rose Boggs, Lucy Bross, Dick & Kathy Burgess, Denise Byers, Catherine C. Coop, Will Christiansen, Deborah Clayton, Mike Davis, Cassandra Budreau Dunne, Gilbert Durham, Debby Eha, Mona Eitel, Norma Faye, Tina Fields, Teresa Foster, Jim Funk, Steve Gray, Katie Guzman, Ben Hall, Charles Hart, Isabelle Hofmeister, Kevin Houppert, Michael James, Teresa Kerns, Randy Kidwell, Peggy Kloenne, Joseph Kossack, John Leach, Emerson Linde, Paul Linne, Mitzi Loomis, John Maag & Ellen, Jerry MacKenzie, Sean Marcum, Marilyn May, Mike Miller, Glenda Moore, JJ O'Brien, Victoria O'Neil, Dale Page, Carolyn Patterson, Bernie Price, Joseph Rogers, Irene Roseman, Rhonda Roseman, Karen & Larry Thomas, Barb Tittle, Jimmy Warrenburg, Arianna Williams

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Have we told you lately how much we love our teaching and support staff at Our Lady of Lourdes? The most recent example of how they go above and beyond happened Monday as we kicked off our ILEARN testing season.

We've all heard the repeated wisdom that encourages students to be well prepared for testing. Get a good night's sleep. Eat nutritious breakfasts. Stay focused for the test and throughout the whole year, to name a few. Our teachers took this mantra and converted it into a performance. Test Wars. featuring Luke Score-Higher, his nemesis Score-Lo. Again, various uncooperative children, frustrated parents, and exasperated teachers debuted Monday morning just in time for ILEARN testing week. All parts were played by teachers and our custodial staff. Our own middle school band performed the theme song from Star Wars while the battle for children's test prep mindset played out before the student body.

Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the show, as evidenced by the laughs, cheers, and heads bobbing to the music. In addition to the opening day skit, teachers from PK, primary grades, and specials areas have put together small treats and boosts for our testing students to enjoy throughout the testing window. Many, many thanks to all our staff for the care and dedication they show every day and especially during this important time of the school year.

> Angle Therber **Principal**

"Ordinary Women" May 1

Our next meeting will be Monday, May 1, in Bernadette Hall at 7 p.m. Please join us! All women of the parish are welcome.



Call Pat: 317-395-8186 for more information.

Knights of Columbus

Fatima Event Center Located at 1040 North Post Road The Knights of Columbus Fatima Council No. 3228 will be serving an All-You-Can-Eat Breakfast on Sunday, May 7, at the Fatima Event Center from 9 a.m. to 12 Noon. The cost is \$10 for adults, \$4 for children under 12, and children under 5 are free.

Vacation Bible School!

Vacation Bible Study will be held June 5-9. Our theme is the "Mysteries and Messages of Our Blessed Mother, Mary." VBS will be held at Holy Spirit Parish on 10th Street from 8:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Breakfast and lunch will be included in the \$50 price for the week. See Matthew for a registration form, pick one up at the church doors, or register online at: HolySpirit-Indy.org

If you have time in the mornings to help share our faith in God and to help with fun activities, contact Matthew to get involved, thank you!

Mass Intentions

Saturday 4:00 pm	, April 22	3rd Sunday of Easter
5:00 pm	†Marc Sherman	Req. by Jane Bell
	April 23 Pro Populo	3rd Sunday of Easter
Tuesday, April 25St. Mark, Evangelist 5:30 pm Rosary		
6:00 pm	†James Mellene	Req. by Steve Mellene
	ay, April 26 †Mary Roney	Easter Weekday Req. by Julie Ritzi
5:30 pm	Rosary	Easter Weekday
6:00 pm	†Mary Ann Henneghan Be	ennett Req. by Fred Bennett
Friday, April 28St. Peter Chanel / St. Louis de Montfort 8:15 am †PJ Kervan Req. by Bruce & Michele Oertel		
4:00 pm	, April 29 Reconciliation Pro Populo	4th Sunday of Easter
Sunday, April 30		

Ministry Schedule

EMHC: Mary Ann Coffey (Host), Jan O'Brien (Host),

Deacon Tom (Cup), Julie Ritzi (Cup), Sally Krause (Main Host)

Hospitality

Don Flick, (HM Team Leader-UW), Kay Campbell (GE), Ministers:

Lisa Flick (GN), Dave Skirvin (GW)

Priscilla Campbell (A), Paige Kervan (B) Lector:

Sacristan: Cara Swinefurth Servers: Linden Johnson, Heath Nelson

Cantor: Michele Kite

Sunday, April 30 - 10 a.m. 4th Sunday of Easter

EMHC: Willem Evanson (Host), Jarl Evanson (Host),

Deacon Tom (Cup), Paula Schenkenfelder (Cup), Jane Pittman (Cup), Mark Pittman (Cup),

Sue Wilson (Main Host)

Hospitality

Ministers: Gilbert Durham (HM Team Leader-UW), Tim McDonnell(GE),

Steve Wuertz (GN), Bob Eha (GW)

Lector: Vic Berlage (A), Matt Cannaday (B)

Bernice Berlage Sacristan:

Servers: Lola Carey, Kate Pittman

Cantor: Sylvia Zimmerman CLOW Leader: Bett L. Spence

Mass Childcare: Jenny McNulty, Morgan Rohlf

Small Linens

Sacristan: Tammy Buennagel

READINGS: WEEK OF APRIL 23, 2023

Sunday: Acts 2:14,22-33; Ps 16:1-2,5,7-11; 1 Pt 1:17-21;

Lk 24:13-35

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24,26-27,29-30; Jn 6:22-29 Tuesday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3,6-7,16-17; Mk 16:15-20

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a,4-7a; Jn 6:35-40 Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9,16-17,20; Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1-2; Jn 6:52-59 Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69

Calendar of EVENTS

 Sunday, April 23

 8:30 am
 SRE
 BH

 10:00 am
 Mass
 Church

 10:30 am
 Uniform Turn-In
 Cafeteria

 4:30 pm
 Pack 8 Meeting
 Cafeteria

Monday, April 24 7:30 pm Folk Choir Church

 Tuesday, April 25

 5:30 pm
 Rosary
 Chapel

 6:00 pm
 Mass
 Chapel

 6:30 pm
 Spring Concert
 Gym

 7:00 pm
 Boy Scouts Troop #8 Meeting
 Cafeteria

 Wednesday, April 26

 8:15 am
 Mass
 Chapel

 7:00 pm
 RCIA
 BH-C

Thursday, April 27
5:30 pm Rosary Chapel
6:00 pm Mass Chapel

 6:00 pm
 Mass
 Chapel

 7:00 pm
 Confirmation
 Ss. P&P Cathedral

Friday, April 28 - SCHOOL MID-TERM

8:15 am Mass Church

 Saturday, April 29

 9:00 am
 FHE Retreat
 Church & BH

 4:00 pm
 Reconciliation
 Church

 5:00 pm
 Mass
 Church

 7:00 pm
 Beastside Brewfest
 Gym

 Sunday, April 30

 8:30 am SRE
 BH

 10:00 am Mass
 Church

IN GRATITUDE WE SHARE



SAVE THE DATE!

OLL Fall Festival is back this year: <u>Sept 21-23</u>. Mark your calendars for another fun-filled weekend!!

Find out more about the plans for 2023 FF!
Join us in the Cafeteria on May 10, from 6-7 p.m.



"Did not our hearts burn within us while He talked to us on the road, while He opened to us the scriptures?"

How often do you take the time to discern what Jesus is calling you to do with your life? Are your prayers always petitions, asking Jesus to do things for you? If so, that's a one-sided relationship. Living our faith means developing a personal relationship with Jesus. Just like any friendship, there is give and take, each side listening to each other and helping each other out. Take time, in silence, to listen to what Jesus is asking of you today.



Project Rice Bowl

It is time to return your CRS Rice Bowls! You may write a check for the amount you are donating and put it in the collection basket, or you may put the rice bowl in the box in the north entrance of the

church. Thank you for your generous alms-giving for the least of these, our brothers and sisters!

THANK YOU! Our community changed lives this Lent through CRS Rice Bowl.

COMMUNION CALLS

If you know someone who would like to receive Holy Communion at home, please call the parish office at **317-356-7291**.



OLL Summer Reading Selection for 2023:

<u>An Introduction to the Devout Life</u>, by Saint Francis de Sales. Learn from this saint how to include God in more areas and aspects of your daily life. We will read the book independently, then gather to discuss what we read over a pitch-in dinner on July 29.



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Prayer Vine

To add someone's name to the Prayer Vine, please contact Laura Hughes at: vineollstb@gmail.com





First Holy Eucharist Retreat 2nd grade families preparing to receive

the Eucharist: Our retreat is

Saturday, April 29, from 9 a.m.–noon.

We will begin in the church.

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WE want YOU to help make the 2023 Fall Festival the BEST and BIGGEST event of the year!

Come join us on May 10th to hear about our plans for the upcoming Fall Festival, meet the committee, and see how you can help create a successful Fall Festival this year and in the future!

MAY 10th from 6-7pm in the CAFETERIA

This meeting is open to the entire OLL Parish and
School community!

SAVE THE DATE: Fall Festival September 21st-23rd

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New or clean, like-new:

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Order and ship directly to the pantry from our Amazon Wish List!

icanfoodpantry.com (Donate page)

Neighborhood Food Collective Summer Food Giveaway

Help the Big Red Food Box, Gaia Works and ICAN Food Pantry during the monthly food

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