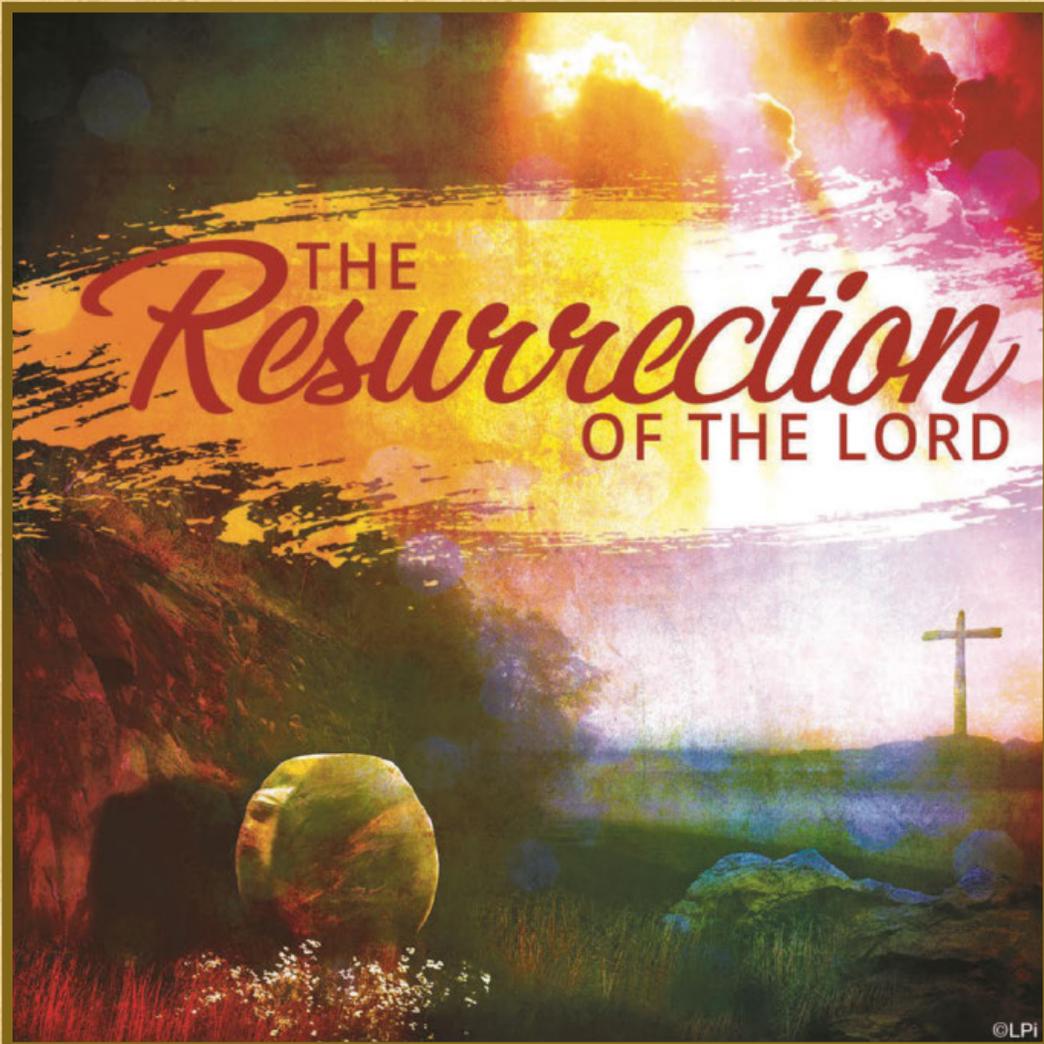


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5333 East Washington Street - Indianapolis, IN 46219

April 9, 2023



Easter Sunday

We, the faith community of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, strive to live, share and be Christ in all we do.

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, please call the parish office at **317-356-7291**.

PARISH SCHOOL

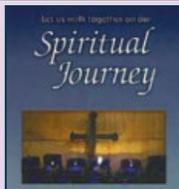
Our Lady of Lourdes offers preschool and kindergarten through 8th grade classes. Please call the School Office for more information at **317-357-3316**.

NEW PARISHIONERS

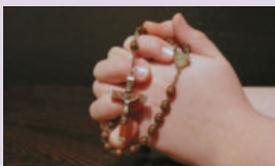
Welcome to our Parish Family!

To register or to schedule a tour of Our Lady of Lourdes, please call or stop by the parish office.

PRAY THE ROSARY WITH US



AT HOME OR IN CHURCH:
TUESDAYS/THURSDAYS
AT 5:30 P.M.



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,

Happy Easter! This season is filled with songs both familiar and powerful for their content. Sing With All the Saints in Glory. The Strife is O'er. Alleluia! Sing to Jesus. At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing. I Know That My Redeemer Lives. O Sons and Daughters. We Walk by Faith. And so many more.

(Check out the Liturgical Index in the back of our "Gather" hymnal for more).

For 2,000 years Christians have been proclaiming this greatest of festal seasons in song. Some of the hymns are obscure to us now, written in languages and melodies long past. And yet, when one such treasure is found, we realize how connected we are to those who have gone before us.

Here is one such treasure from the seventh century, originally a Latin hymn.

Draw near and take the body of the Lord.
And drink with faith the blood for you outpoured.

Saved by his body, hallowed by his blood,
With souls refreshed we render thanks to God.

Salvation's giver, Christ, the only Son,
By his dear cross and blood the vict'ry won.

He, ransomer from death and light from shade,
Now gives his holy grace his saints to aid.

Let us approach with faithful hearts sincere,
And take the pledges of salvation here.

The Lord in this world rules his saints, and shields,
To all believers life eternal yields:

With heav'ly bread makes those who hunger whole,
Gives living waters to the thirsting soul.

Before your presence, Lord, all people bow,
In this your feast of love be with us now.

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!



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8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

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Fax: 317-357-0980

Mass Schedule

Tues & Thurs 6 p.m.

Wed & Fri 8:15 a.m.

Sat 5 p.m.

Sun 10 a.m.

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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

Monday Night Men's Prayer Group: April 10

The Men's Prayer group will meet at 7:30 p.m. on **Monday, April 10**, 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!! We might be able to get more tickets later, but we will also pay more for them. Permission forms will be available at the North entrance of the church.

Confirmation Night is Coming Closer: April 27

Please volunteer to help make this Mass possible! OLL needs another 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:
Dmitry 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, Yvonne Grismore, Katie Guzman, Ben Hall, Charles Hart, Isabelle Hofmeister, Kevin Houppert, Michael James, Teresa Kerns, Randy Kidwell, Peggy Kloenne, Joseph Kossack, Emerson Linde, Paul Linne, Mitzi Loomis, John Maag & Ellen, Jerry MacKenzie, Sean Marcum, Marilyn May, Mike Miller, Glenda Moore, Victoria O'Neil, Dale Page, Carolyn Patterson, Bernie Price, Joseph Rogers, Irene Roseman, Rhonda Roseman, Karen & Larry Thomas, Barb Tittle, Jimmy Warrenburg, Arianna Williams



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

**Tuesday, April 18,
Holy Hour for Vocations**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will occur immediately upon conclusion of the 6 p.m. Mass. Benediction will be at approximately 7:30 p.m.



SCHOOL NEWS

Holy Week is the perfect time to re-enter the school routine after spring break. Students, faculty, and staff started the week ready to get back into routines but, with the added focus on this introspective time of our church season.

On Monday, our preschoolers enjoyed a special visit. A relative of two of our students brought in live Nubian Donkeys. These donkeys have a cross-shaped pattern on their backs. Legend says that this is the breed of donkey that Jesus rode into Jerusalem. This donkey loved his Master, and so stayed under the Cross on Calvary mourning the death of Jesus. The shadow of the cross fell upon its back. To this day, Nubian donkeys carry this pattern. What a treat to see one of these animals in person and to use the experience to discuss the focus of this Holy Week.

There were no school-sponsored activities after school hours Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday. I hope you were able to join us Friday as we prayed the Living Stations of the Cross. This long-standing tradition at Our Lady of Lourdes School is quite moving. All students from grades PK through grade 8 will lead the congregation in prayer, in song, and by enacting each of the scenes from the last hours of Christ's life. All of us at OLL school wish you a very Happy Easter Season!

Angie Therber
Principal

Coffee & Doughnuts: April 16



Our next Doughnut Sunday will be April 16. Our sponsor will be the OLL Welcome Committee. If your group would like to sponsor a Sunday, please email Sally Bennett at: sallyb718@aol.com

"Ordinary Women" April 17

Our next meeting will be Monday, April 17, 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.



OLL GARDENERS' MEETING APRIL 15

A meeting of all current and new gardeners is scheduled for Saturday, April 15, at 2 p.m. in Bernadette Hall. Call Monica at **317-443-6914** if you would like to join the Garden Ministry or if you would like to help with watering the garden beds this summer.



Mass Intentions

**Saturday, April 8.....Holy Saturday/Easter Vigil
8:45 pm** Pro Populo

**Sunday, April 9.....Easter Sunday/The Resurrection of the Lord
9:00 am** †Martha Neal Req. by Meredith Brown
11:00 am †John Maxwell Req. by Anne Flanagan

**Tuesday, April 11.....Tuesday in the Octave of Easter
5:30 pm** Rosary
6:00 pm †Charles F. Welch Req. by Sally Ann Welch

**Wednesday, April 12.....Wednesday in the Octave of Easter
8:15 am** †Mario Minatel Req. by Adrienne Eagan

**Thursday, April 13.....Thursday in the Octave of Easter
5:30 pm** Rosary
6:00 pm †Jim Walsh Req. by Bill Bakemeyer

**Friday, April 14.....Friday in the Octave of Easter
8:15 am** †Bobby Martin Req. by Steve Mellene

**Saturday, April 15.....2nd Sunday of Easter / Divine Mercy
4:00 pm** Reconciliation
5:00 pm Pro Populo

**Sunday, April 16.....2nd Sunday of Easter / Divine Mercy
10:00 am** †John G'Sell Req. by Charlie & Pauline Gray

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, April 15 - 5 p.m. 2nd Sunday of Easter / Divine Mercy
EMHC: Jan O'Brien (Host), Nick Petrone (Host), Deacon Tom (Cup), Sally Budreau (Cup), Julie Ritzi (Main Host)

Hospitality
Ministers: Don Flick, (HM Team Leader-UW), Kay Campbell (GE), Lisa Flick (GN), Priscilla Campbell (GW)

Lector: Mark Pittman (A), Paige Kervan (B)

Sacristan: Mary Morois Servers: Michael Biggs, Myles Parrish

Cantor: Linda Caraher Choir: Adult Choir

Sunday, April 16 - 10 a.m. 2nd Sunday of Easter / Divine Mercy
EMHC: Mike Guinan (Host), Amy Duke (Host), Deacon Tom (Cup), _____ (Cup), _____ (Cup), _____ (Cup), Sue Wilson (Main Host)

Hospitality
Ministers: Gilbert Durham (HM Team Leader-UW), John Lockhart (GE), Steve Wuertz (GN), Bob Eha (GW), Shea McNulty (Y)

Lector: Sally Welch (A), Vic Berlage (B)

Sacristan: Bernice Berlage

Servers: Franklin Oesterling, Leland Oesterling

Cantor: Sylvia Zimmerman

CLOW Leader: Nikki Rosswurm (A), Olivia Anglemeyer (Y)

Mass Childcare: Amelia Koenig, Carissa McNulty

Small Linens

Sacristan: Linda Abner

READINGS: WEEK OF APRIL 9, 2023

Sunday: Acts 10:34a,37-43; Ps 118:1-2,16-17,22-23; Col 3:1-4; Mt 28:1-10

Monday: Acts 2:14,22-33; Ps 16:1-2a,5,7-11; Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5,18-20,22; Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-4,6-9; Lk 24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2ab,5-9; Lk 24:35-48;

Friday: Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2,4,22-27a; Jn 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1,14-15,16-21; Mk 16:9-15

Calendar of **EVENTS**

Sunday, April 9 - Easter Sunday of the Lord's Resurrection

9:00 am Mass Church
11:00 am Mass Church

Monday, April 10

7:00 pm Parish Social Ministry Advocates Rectory
7:00 pm Men's Monday Night Prayer BH-A

Tuesday, April 11 - Scholastic Book Fair

4:30 pm Girl Scouts BH-A
5:30 pm Rosary Chapel
6:00 pm Mass Chapel
7:00 pm School Commission BH-C
7:00 pm Boy Scouts Troop #8 Meeting Cafeteria

Wednesday, April 12 - Scholastic Book Fair

8:15 am Mass Chapel
7:30 pm RCIA Mystagogy BH-A

Thursday, April 13

5:30 pm Rosary Chapel
6:00 pm Mass Chapel

Friday, April 14

8:15 am Mass Church
3:00 pm Girl Scout Troop #13 BH-A
6:00 pm Girl Scout Troop #4802 BH-A

Saturday, April 15

9:00 am Mental Health Meeting BH-A&B
4:00 pm Reconciliation Church
5:00 pm Mass Church

Sunday, April 16

8:30 am SRE BH
10:00 am Mass Church
11:00 am Coffee & Doughnuts BH-A&B
11:30 am Parish Council BH-C
7:00 pm Confirmation Class BH-C

Stewardship

*“Set your minds on things that are above,
not on things that are on earth.”*

COLOSSIANS 3:2

Do you put God first in all things? Possessions, money, power, ego can easily become gods to many of us. Do a quick check of what is important to you. Is God at the very top of the list? If not, your priorities need to be re-adjusted. Don't let earthly things become a god before God. This is also the first Commandment – “I am the Lord your God, you shall not have any strange gods before me.”



Project Rice Bowl

HAPPY EASTER!

Our CRS Rice Bowl journey has ended, but our prayers, fasting and almsgiving continue as we seek a closer relationship with God and our global family. Let us hold in our

hearts our brothers and sisters in Honduras, the Philippines and Kenya and commit to share Easter joy with people in our local community and around the world.

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We will be collecting your CRS Rice Bowls after Easter!

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 almsgiving for the least of these, our brothers and sisters!

Or you may donate online at: crsricebowl.org/donate

Announcing the OLL Summer Reading selection for 2023:

An Introduction to the Devout Life, 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.



Scan this QR code to sign up for OLL online giving or to make changes to your current online giving account.



IN GRATITUDE WE SHARE



April 2, 2023

Actual.....	\$	9,278.75
Online Giving		2,394.00
Budgeted.....		<u>11,280.00</u>
Difference +/-.....	\$	392.75

YTD Sunday & Holy Day

Actual.....	\$	463,945.66
Budgeted.....		<u>487,215.00</u>
Difference +/-.....	\$	(23,269.34)

Christmas Offerings Included in Actual	\$	5,242.00
Church in Africa.....	\$	40.00
Catholic Relief Services.....	\$	20.00
Criterion.....	\$	198.00
Easter Offering.....	\$	400.00
Endowment Fund.....	\$	158.00
Good Friday/Holy Land.....	\$	212.00
Catholic Home Missions.....	\$	47.00
Rice Bowl.....	\$	190.00
SVdP.....	\$	122.00

Prayer Vine

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



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APRIL 15, 2023

8:30 AM
LIGHT REFRESHMENTS
AND COFFEE

9 AM-NOON
PRESENTATION

BERNADETTE
HALL

OUR PRESENTER: CYNTHIA SCHWOMEYER, LMHC, LCIC, NCC

Cynthia holds master's degrees in Community Mental Health, and Marriage and Family Counseling. She has experience as a Crisis Specialist in Eskenazi's Crisis Intervention Unit, and in developing and providing services in conjunction with Community Court to reduce incarceration of sex workers, victims of sex trafficking, and substance use offences.

Cynthia has served with the Sandra Eskenazi Mental Health Mobil Crisis Assistance Team (MCAT) since its inception seven years ago. In partnership with an IMPD Officer, MCAT workers respond to 911 calls when mental illness appears to be a factor in an attempt de-escalate the situation. They are often able to facilitate admission to mental health services rather than arrest and incarceration.

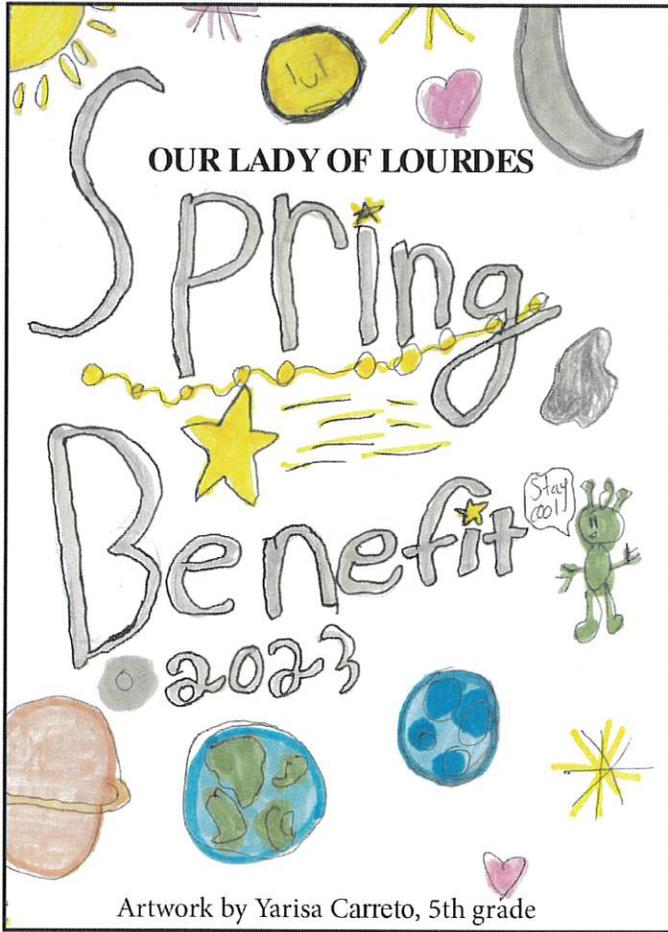
Cynthia is passionate about increasing awareness of mental illness and substance use disorders and decreasing misunderstanding and stigma. She has graciously agreed to share her knowledge and experience with us, and promises an interactive presentation that encourages questions from her audience.

See the Lourdes newsletter for information on how to reserve your spot for this presentation. Please RSVP by April 10.





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Artwork by Yarisa Carreto, 5th grade

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