

MASS INTENTIONS/LITURGIES

JUNE 17-25, 2023

Saturday, June 17 | 4:00 p.m. Mass (ST. PAT)

Martha & Marian Baker Anniversary

by Deb & Ron Baker

6:00 p.m. Mass (SMOW)

Herb & Bernie Bensman by Ruth, Donna & Linda

Sunday, June 18 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (SMOW)

Ellis Ray by Melissa Winner

10:00 a.m. Mass (ST. PAT)

Parishioners, Mary, Queen of Angels Family of Parishes

Tuesday, June 20 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (ST. PAT)

Paul Thomas by Heidi & Joe Kelly

Wednesday, June 21 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (SMOW)

Kay & Nancy Titus by John & Barbara Keating

Thursday, June 22 | 6:15 p.m. Mass (SMOW)

6:45 p.m. Eucharistic Exposition/Confession

Donna Fischer by Karen Beasley

Friday, June 23 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (SMOW)

8:45 a.m. Confession

Lari Robinson by Kathy Robinson

Saturday, June 24 | 3:00 p.m. Confession (ST. PAT)

4:00 p.m. Mass (ST. PAT)

Mike Meeker by Heidi & Joe Kelly

6:00 p.m. Mass (SMOW)

Pat & Don Murdock by Kim Bolfin

Sunday, June 25 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (SMOW)

Grace Winner by Melissa Winner

10:00 a.m. Mass (ST. PAT)

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YOUR TITHE TO GOD

WEEK OF JUNE 10/11	ST. MARY	ST. PATRICK
MASS COUNT:	363	388
SUNDAY COLLECTION:	\$ 4,170.50	\$ 6,340.00
ONLINE COLLECTION:	\$ 960.00	\$ 860.69
OTHER COLLECTIONS:		
BUILDING IMPROVEMENT:	\$ 40.00	\$ 735.00
ARCHDIOCESE ASSESSMENT:		\$ 25.00
PETER'S PENCE:		\$ 25.00
TOTAL COLLECTIONS:	\$ 5,170.50	\$ 7,985.69

LITURGICAL MINISTERS JUNE 24/25, 2023

ST. MARY OF THE WOODS

6:00 P.M. SATURDAY

SERVERS: Louis Luthman, Adam Luthman, Anthony Luthman

READER: Greg Freitag

EEM: (None Scheduled)

USHERS: Jeff True, Willie Dearwester, Ken Meier, Scott Staley

CANTORS: Deb Ulrey, Kathy Robinson

SACRISTAN: Pat DePasquale

8:00 A.M. SUNDAY

SERVERS: Caleb Bihn, Caleb Altstaetter, Orville Winner

READER: Brandi Altstaetter

EEM: Jim Thiel

USHERS: Shawn Bihn, Phil Altstaetter, Alan Winner, Dave Shoffner

CANTOR: Ashley Roberts

SACRISTAN: Renee Winner

ST. PATRICK

4:00 P.M. SATURDAY

SERVERS: Della Baker, Kaije Snider, McKenzie Vaido

READERS: Tim Smith, Rose Lyons


EEM: Wendy Miller

10:00 A.M. SUNDAY

SERVERS: Brenden Eckstein, Conner Eckstein, Ruth Eckstein

READERS: Steve Oder, Keith LeVan

EEM: Sharon Traul



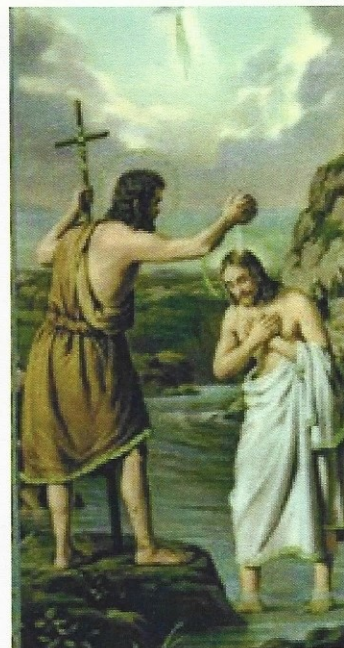
PRAYER OF THE WEEK
Father, please watch over this Nation and help it to heal. Help us to choose kindness over violence, help good prevail over evil and let there be peace throughout this world. Amen.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

JUNE 18, 2023

- Sunday:** Ex 19:2-6a; Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5;
Romans 5:6-11; Mt 9:36-10:8
- Monday:** 2 Cor 6:1-10; Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4;
Mt 5:38-42
- Tuesday:** 2 Cor 8:1-9;
Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a;
Mt 5:43-48
- Wednesday:** 2 Cor 9:6-11;
Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9;
Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
- Thursday:** 2 Cor 11:1-11; Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8;
Mt 6:7-15
- Friday:** 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30;
Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 6:19-23
- Saturday:** Jer 1:4-10;
Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab and 17;
1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17
- Sunday:** Jer 20:10-13;
Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35;
Rom 5:12-15; Mt 10:26-33



SOLEMNITY OF THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST VIGIL

Saturday, June 24th

John the Baptist was a contemporary of Christ who was known for evangelization and his baptizing of Jesus Christ.

John the Baptist was born through the intercession of God to Zachariah and Elizabeth, who were otherwise too old to bear children. According to Scriptures, the Angel Gabriel visited Elizabeth and Zachariah to tell them they would have a son and that they should name him John. Zachariah was skeptical and for this, he was rendered mute until the time his son was born and named John, in fulfillment of God's will.

When Elizabeth was pregnant with John, she was visited by Mary, and John leapt in her womb. This revealed to Elizabeth that the child Mary carried was to be the Son of God.

John began public ministry around 30 AD, and was known for attracting large crowds across the province of Judaea and around the Jordan River. When Jesus came to him to be baptized, John recognized Him and said, "It is I who need baptism from you."

Jesus told John to baptize Him anyway, which he did, whereupon the heavens opened, and the Spirit of God was seen like a dove. The voice of God spoke, saying, "This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased."





FEAST DAY OF ST. ALOYSIUS GONZAGA

Wednesday, June 21st

St. Aloysius was born in Castiglione, Italy. The first words St. Aloysius spoke were the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary. He was destined for the military by his father (who was in service to Philip II), but by the age of 9, Aloysius had decided on a religious life, and made a vow of perpetual virginity. To safeguard himself from possible temptation, he would keep his eyes persistently downcast in the presence of women. St. Charles Borromeo gave him his first Holy Communion. A kidney disease prevented St. Aloysius from a full social life for a while, so he spent his time in prayer and reading the lives of the saints. Although he was appointed a page in Spain, St. Aloysius kept up his many devotions and austerities, and was quite resolved to become a Jesuit. His family eventually moved back to Italy, where he taught catechism to the poor. When he was 18, he joined the Jesuits, after finally breaking down his father, who had refused his entrance into the order. He served in a hospital during the plague of 1587 in Milan, and died from it at the age of 23, after receiving the last rites from St. Robert Bellarmine. The last word he spoke was the Holy Name of Jesus.



ROSARY AT THE LAKE

On Monday evenings at 6:00 p.m. through October 2, the Rosary will be recited at the Fatima Statue at Indian Lake. Bring your lawn chair and rosary! Also, come prepared for the weather – umbrellas, jackets or sunglasses. The

Statue is a beautiful setting for reciting the Rosary. Join us in prayer each Monday as Our Lady requested.

Welcome

Whether you recently moved here or are just visiting, we are happy that you are here with us! If you would like to join one of our Parishes, please contact the Parish Office for a registration form.



For more information about the Mary, Queen of Angels Family of Parishes or to view bulletins from the parishes, please log on to:

Immaculate Conception (North Lewisburg)
Sacred Heart (St. Paris)
St. Mary (Urbana)
St. Michael (Mechanicsburg)
Champaincatholics.org

St. Mary of the Woods
saintmaryofthewoods.com

St. Patrick (Bellefontaine)
catholicbellefontaine.org



PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION

June 25, 2023

Next week, we will take up the Peter's Pence collection, which supports the work of the Universal Church and the work of Pope Francis, including his charitable works, such as his past donation of medicine for sickle cell disease. Sickle cell disease is a genetic illness that can cause serious conditions in those it affects, including strokes, infections, kidney disease, and episodes of severe pain. The Republic of Congo has one of the world's highest cases of sickle cell disease in the world. Medicines that treat the condition are difficult to obtain, are expensive, and are rarely available in Congo, leaving vulnerable sickle cell patients - such as the children in an orphanage near Brazzaville - especially at risk of complications. In response to this urgent need, Pope Francis donated a supply of these valuable medicines to the orphanage to treat the children in its care. Parishioner contributions to the Peter's Pence collection help fund not only all the activities of the dicasteries of the Roman Curia that assist the Pope in the exercise of his ministry, but also a number of solidarity projects that aid those most in need. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression and disaster. Please take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy to our suffering brothers and sisters.

MASS INTENTIONS

Currently, St. Mary of the Woods Church is accepting Mass Intentions for the months of **September-December**. Please fill out this form and bring it to the church office or drop it into the offertory basket. There is a \$5.00 stipend for each Mass requested. Each family is allowed 12 requests per calendar year. Only three requests may be submitted at one time.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!

Intention: _____

Offered by: _____

Date requested: _____

Mass time requested: _____

of Masses you are paying for: _____

Every attempt will be made to schedule the date and Mass time requested; however, funerals and prior requests may prevent this.

MASS INTENTIONS

Currently, St. Patrick Church is accepting Mass Intentions for the months of **December 2023-May 2024**. Please fill out this form and bring it to the church office or drop it into the offertory basket. There is a \$5.00 stipend for each Mass requested. Each family is allowed 12 requests per calendar year. Only three requests may be submitted at one time.

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SUPPORT THE WORKS OF THE
HOLY FATHER THROUGH THE

Peter's Pence Collection

*Be a sign of
mercy.*

When Russia invaded Ukraine in February 2022, a humanitarian crisis began for Ukrainians, whose lives were shattered by the violence of war. Many left their homes in eastern cities in Ukraine for cities in the west, such as Lviv, farther from the most intense fighting. From the beginning of the war, the Holy Father pleaded for an end to the violence and expressed his love and concern for the Ukrainian people who were its victims. In solidarity with the victims of war, the papal almoner, Cardinal Konrad Krajewski, made two visits to Ukraine in March 2022. He first visited the cities of Rivne and Zhovka and other regions directly affected by the early conflict. He returned to Ukraine to celebrate Mass in the cathedral in Lviv and to deliver an ambulance donated by the Holy Father to the Center for Mother and Child Health to assist children displaced by the war.

The Holy Father's charitable outreach to victims of war, migrants and refugees, and the poor affected by illness and natural disasters is supported by contributions to the Peter's Pence Collection. When you participate in the collection, you join Catholics across the globe in supporting the pope's mission of mercy as well as the activities of the Holy See's dicasteries that assist his ministry.

Support for such papal efforts is rooted in the scriptural message to take care of the poor and expresses unity with

the Holy Father in two ways: through the ongoing activities of the Holy See and through the charitable works of the Holy Father on behalf of those most in need.

How You Can Help

PRAY

Pray for the Holy Father, for those he reaches out to serve in compassion, and for the ongoing activities of the Holy See, all of which benefit from the Peter's Pence Collection.

SHARE

Share this bulletin insert with anyone who might be interested.

GIVE

Give generously to this collection as a sign of mercy to those who suffer around the globe and in support of the ongoing work of the Holy See. By doing so, you help build up the Church so that it will continue to minister to all for generations to come.

For more information on Peter's Pence, please visit the Vatican's Peter's Pence website: <https://www.obolodisanpietro.va/en/cos-e-l-obolo.html> (English) or <https://www.obolodisanpietro.va/es/cos-e-l-obolo.html> (español).



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